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4/20/2011 CHALLENGE BRIEF

http://www.njweedman.com/challenge_brief.htm

6/30/2011 Prosecutors reply brief

http://www.njweedman.com/Prosecutor_reply_attachments.pdf

9/6/2011 Judge Delahey denial – memorandum of law

http://www.njweedman.com/judge_delehey_sept_ruling.pdf

Medical Revelation Sept 10st, 2012 – Video Statement #2

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=odX94a9Js3U>

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APPEAL BRIEFS

NJWEEDMAN APPEAL BRIEF (Filed March 17th, 2014)

<http://www.njweedman.com/Forchionfinaleditedbrief.pdf>

State of NJ Attorney General Reply brief (Filed 8/2014)

http://www.njweedman.com/state_of_nj_reply_brief.pdf

NJWeedman, Response Brief – (Filed Oct 1st, 2014)

http://www.njweedman.com/Forchion_response_brief.pdf

Pro Se Supplemental Brief – (Filed Nov 18th, 2014)

http://www.njweedman.com/Forchion_supplemental_brief.pdf

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PRESS - STARLEDGER



TRENTON — 11/18/2014 -- Edward Forchion, also known as the “N.J. Weedman,” submitted court papers Monday alleging that New Jersey’s marijuana laws are “racist” and contradictory.

Forchion is appealing a 270-day jail sentence he has already served from a 2010 motor vehicle stop, when a state trooper pulled him over and found one pound of marijuana in the trunk of the car he was driving, according to court documents.

Forchion argues in [his latest brief](#) that the state’s marijuana laws are discriminatory, he said. Forchion cites [an ACLU report released last year which showed that blacks are arrested and charged with marijuana crimes four times more frequently than whites](#).

“New Jersey marijuana laws are racist, as the ACLU report concludes,” he writes, in the pro-se brief.

Forchion, who is a Rastafarian, argues the state’s medical marijuana law – which took effect three months before his arrest – is at odds with the state’s classification of the drug as a Schedule I narcotic.

The Burlington County Prosecutor have maintained the criminal code currently allows no wiggle room.

“As a Schedule I narcotic, the statute prohibits the possession of marijuana,” an assistant prosecutor wrote in a recent reply brief.

Forchion also argues the retired judge failed to stay his sentence as he went to California to receive medical treatment for tumors, and that one of the jurors worked for Forchion’s then-opponent in the 3rd Congressional District, Rep. Jon Runyan.

“We are living in an era where the marijuana laws are evolving and the legal landscape was changed on Jan. 18, 2010 when the state recognized marijuana’s medical value,” Forchion said today.

John Vincent Saykanic, an attorney from Clifton who is assisting Forchion, said the latest brief was submitted to the public defender's office in advance of being filed. Oral argument is likely to be scheduled in the coming months, he added.

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http://www.nj.com/politics/index.ssf/2014/11/nj_weedman_contests_racist_contradictory_marijuana_laws_he_says_in_court_filing.html

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