
From: Mike Sitrick [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 3:44 PM
To: Jeffrey Epstein
Cc: Paul Tweed
Subject: RE:

Easy fix – see below

From: Jeffrey Epstein [mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 8:37 AM
To: Mike Sitrick
Cc: Paul Tweed
Subject: Re:

I would prefer to name Michael Fisten, as is quoted in the article, and Brad Edwards PARTNER of the attorney in jail.

On Mon, Mar 14, 2011 at 8:35 AM, Mike Sitrick [REDACTED] wrote:

I would do something like this – though not sure her lawyers will let her pin it on Fisten and Edwards, though we will see.

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I regret to say that the information I received about Jeffrey Epstein was incorrect. Although he was convicted of soliciting a person under 18 for prostitution for an action more than five years ago, he is not a pedophile by any definition of that word. Despite being a friend of the family for more than a decade, I am embarrassed to admit I believed stories in the media about Jeffrey that were proffered by Michael Fisten, who claimed to have been an FBI agent and in fact was not, and Brad Edwards, a partner of a civil attorney whose partner had previously filed lawsuits against Jeffrey and is now serving a 50 year sentence in prison. Mr. Epstein has always been a kind and generous person to those around him and to those in need. I am truly sorry for my mischaracterization of him and any hurt that it may have caused.

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Here is an alternate:

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fergei called hislaine,, to offer an apology,, said that she thought she was being helpful , by distancing herself. my version would be something of - Jeffrey was a friend of the family for a decade or more. e has always been there for me. I was duped into believing stories that ere offered up by fake fbi agents. Mike Fisten, and civil attorneys rom Florida bradly edwards , in a financial dispute with pstein. His philanthropy has been both large and mostly anonymous = I am ashamed that I have been taken in by unethical lawyeres acting in heir own interests.. or something like that.

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