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dear Bill

I cannot believe that you have chosen to both disregard and discard our friendship developed over the last 6 years. I am aware that accidents happen, it is how each of us has chosen to deal with this unfortunate event that has me dismayed beyond comprehension. you have decided to discharge me from my job, had Larry, your pr person tell me that I engaged in morally inappropriate behavior and then asked me to be the major actor in a cover up so that you can maintain the reputation that you have worked so hard to achieve. Shortly after my critical eye operation I spent my day having your emails read to me so as not to miss a beat. when I could see out of one eye, my first task was to correct my vision in that one eye so that i could read them myself. I assumed the dedication to our relation ran both ways. Larry has now asked me to recommit to a confidentiality agreement and have categorically told me that you were of the firm mind that we should no longer have any direct ongoing business relationship, with a total disregard for its impact on the public perception of MY reputation. you have requested that I diligently avoid the truth, tell people that bill will not invest with me, and craft and answers that suits yours and Melindas needs. In fairness, you did agree to send you a letter of recommendation should a future employer ask for one. You have told me that Melinda insists, on me ignoring our friendship not even communicating with you unless Larry (?) is copied or present. Though you have consistently maintained, that I could not have done a better job, and that i was underpaid compared to my contribution, you then beyond all sense of fairness, and frankly, decency, said that as "generous" compensation for keeping the gates reputation intact, you would, let me keep what we agreed I had already owned (the investment participations) and give me a total of 2 years severance. similar to that of Christine Turner. a casualty of a former accident. I can assure you that if the shoe was on the other foot I would have said, Boris, this is not your fault. I, confessed to Melinda, you didn't,- It was in a moment of weakness, and I promise that will do anything within my power to make it right for you. I have more money than anyone needs and I do my utmost to structure something so that you will not be penalized for my error. Lucky for me I have enough money to mediate a horrible situation. Though it will not heal the injury, it will make you secure in your future, In addition I will bend over backwards, to make sure your next career is rewarding and on an upswing. I appreciate the fact that this event drastically alters your plans and am very aware of the career path you gave up to join the Foundation. I am very sorry, but as I believe time heals all wounds, the terrible pain felt currently will eventually pass. In that regard I suggest I buy you the house that you so had your heart set on. and in addition to five years of severance will buy you out of the investment contract we had agree, 30 -40 percent of a hundred million dollar partnership. for 30 million dollars in today's dollars. terms and conditions to be agreed. That's what i would have done had i been in your shoes. what i did receive however was an unfriendly strongly worded email, telling me how employable I am and that i should not look to you for any significant financial help in the future, TO add insult to the injury you then subsequently with tears in your eyes, implore me to please delete the emails regarding your std, your request that I provide you antibiotics that you can surreptitiously give to Melinda, and the description of your penis. You also made it clear to me that I am not to refer to [REDACTED] is that is another topic that must remain between the two of us. In return for all of these requests, which I would have done without a second thought

. I am not to attend meetings with Melinda , I should continue to provide you the same level of service and dedication that i have done so diligently until you are ready to discard me and our friendship., sometime after the first of the year.

I have attempted to weigh my options carefully, You are a great person who has done a great deal of good. I am concerned that if Melinda decides as you said to file for a public divorce, the damage done to the pledge program alone would result in billions of dollars of money no longer being used for social good as Im sure that some wives and husbands would feel free to retreat from their commitments. The voice you have used so well to carry forth your ideals would at least for some period of time be stifled and many good programs by nio fault of thier own would suffer. I am also acutely aware that my own voice and career would be damaged.

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