New York Civil Rights Violation Lawyer Investigates After a Noose is Found Hanging in Front of a New York School

A noose, a hate crime symbol, was found hanging from a tree outside an apartment complex in Howard Beach, close to an elementary school.

NEW YORK, NEW YORK – Police and New York civil rights violation lawyers at the Perecman Firm are investigating a possible <u>hate crime</u> near Walter Ward School in Howard Beach, New York. The investigation was launched after a noose was found hanging from a tree outside a Queens, New York apartment building.

Unfortunately, Howard Beach has a history of racial intolerance says <u>New York civil</u> <u>rights violation lawyer</u> David Perecman. <u>Hate crimes</u> are a <u>civil rights violation in New</u> <u>York</u>.

"Hate crimes intended to hurt and intimidate someone because of their race, ethnicity, or other trait are inexcusable anywhere, especially in New York," <u>civil rights violation</u> <u>lawyer</u> Perecman said. "We celebrate diversity in this great city. Hate crimes also make a community look bad."

According to School officials, students did not see evidence of the <u>hate crime</u>. Students were indoors at the time of the hate crime incident due to the inclement weather.

Symbols of hatred fuel an atmosphere of intolerance and anger that can endanger lives and make minorities feel unsafe.

According to New York's WCBS2, New York police quickly took the noose down after surrounding the tree.

Police are testing the noose for DNA and fingerprints, and the NYPD Hate Crimes Task Force is investigating the incident as a bias attack, a police source said. <u>New York civil rights violation lawyers</u> at The Perecman Firm are following this case.

The motive for the noose is being still unknown, but it is believed to be connected to a recent incident in the area when a worker for CitySolve Systems Inc., a company used to clean graffiti in the area, was confronted by a group of teens while he was painting over tags in the neighborhood.

According to company owner, the worker called him the next day and said he was able to complete his jobs in the area, but was harassed by kids who used racial slurs and told him to leave the Howard Beach area.

The noose, a hate crime symbol, was found close to the location of the earlier <u>New York</u> <u>hate crime</u> incident.

Other hate crimes in New York City have occurred in recent months as well.

New York civil rights violation lawyer Perecman has worked relentlessly to protect the rights of minority groups and <u>reduce hate crimes in New York</u>.

"We celebrate diversity in New York and we do not tolerate hate crimes in any neighborhood in New York," Perecman, a <u>New York civil rights violation lawyer</u> for over 30 years said.

The <u>New York civil rights violation lawyers</u> at <u>The Perecman Firm</u> investigate civil rights violations like hate crimes in New York. If you or anyone you know has been a victim of a hate crime, do not hesitate to contact a New York civil rights violation lawyer at The Perecman Firm. A victim of a hate crime should call a <u>New York civil rights violation lawyer</u>, especially if he or she believes a crime was motivated by a prejudice or when a group or entity is involved such as the police or government.

About David Perecman and The Perecman Firm, PLLC:

For the past 30 years, the New York civil rights violation, gender discrimination, age discrimination, and elder abuse lawyers at The Perecman Firm, PLLC have handled all types of cases including civil rights violations. David Perecman, founder of the Firm, is a Board Director and the past Secretary and Treasurer of the New York State Trial Lawyers Association (NYSTLA) and a chair of its Labor Law Committee. Mr. Perecman's achievements have brought him recognition as an Honoree in the National Law Journal's Hall of Fame, in New York Magazine's "The Best Lawyers in America" and The New York Times Magazine "New York Super Lawyers, Metro Edition" for the years 2007-2010.

The Firm has recovered millions of dollars for its clients. Among the more recent victories, Mr. Perecman won a \$15 million verdict* for a construction accident, a \$5.35 million dollar verdict** for an automobile accident, and a

and a \$40 million dollar structured settlement for medical malpractice****.

*later settled while on appeal for \$7.940 million

** later settled for \$3.5 million

*** later settled for \$90,000.00

**** total potential payout

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