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Bill Numerick  
3574 Holiday Hills Drive  
Traverse City, MI 49686

Dear Bill:

Thank you for your recent letter regarding your quest to obtain rights to your son, Caleb. I appreciate the time that you took to write to me about your situation. As a father, I sympathize with you and wish to help you. Unfortunately, the ultimate destination for your claim will be in the court system and out of my jurisdiction as a state representative. I will look at the current statute to see if any portions of current law may qualify for revisions. I wanted to provide you with some resources that may be able to assist you:

**DADS of Michigan**  
26677 W. Twelve Mile Road  
Southfield, MI 48034  
Office: (248) 559-DADS  
Fax: (248) 355-2511

**Legal Services of Northern Michigan**  
Parkside Mini Mall  
1349 S. Otsego Avenue Unit 7B  
Gaylord, MI 49735  
517-705-1067  
[www.lsnm.org](http://www.lsnm.org).

Thank you again for writing, and please let me know if my office can ever be of assistance in the future.

Sincerely,

**HOWARD C. WALKER**  
State Representative  
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