

New York State Bar Association  
2026 NYS High School Mock Trial Tournament

***People***

**vs.**

***A. Carmen Erickson & Carson Blocker***

**Correction Memo #1 – Issued January 8, 2026**

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<b>CASE SUMMARY</b>	<p><b>Para #12, Line 1:</b></p> <p>On September <b>17</b>, Billie Stewart, a first cousin of Erickson, called Investigator Thomas and claimed that Erickson could not have been at the Burn Pit at 2:00 AM on August 31, 2025, because Stewart, Erickson and Blocker were all online playing the new online video game League of Avengers at that time.</p>	<b>56/56</b>

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STIPULATIONS	<b>ADD: 4.1. <i>The prosecution and the defense have fully complied with the provisions of CPL § 250.20 (Notice of Alibi).</i></b>	59/59
	<b>ADD: 7.1. <i>The prosecution and the defense agree that the leather jacket depicted in the video screenshot is the same jacket seized from Carson Blocker by Chief Investigator Sal Thomas on September 9, 2025.</i></b>	59/59
	<b>ADD: 8. <i>The parties acknowledge that the only co-defendant being tried presently is A. Carmen Erickson. Co-defendant Carson Blocker will be tried at a later time.</i></b>	59/59
	<b>CHANGE NUMERATION: 9. <i>No other stipulations shall be made between the plaintiff/prosecution and the defense, except as to the admissibility of evidentiary exhibits provided herein.</i></b>	59/59
AFFIRMATION OF BILLIE STEWART	<b>Para #3, Line 2: ...I called the <b>lead</b> investigator <b>on the morning of September 17, 2025</b> to find out what the hell was going on.</b>	91/91
	<b>Para #4, Line 1: In the afternoon of September 17, 2025 the Chief Investigator Thomas visited me in my apartment.</b>	91/91
AFFIRMATION OF A. CARMEN ERICKSON	<b>Para #5, Line 5: ...of years until about <b>July</b> 2025 when Carson was fired.</b>	82/82
EXHIBIT: LEATHER JACKET	<b>REPLACE</b>	99/99