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I fully support the alternative form of the petition recommended by the Washington Association of Criminal Defense Attorneys. Individuals in prison who are challenging their convictions through the means of a Personal Restraint Petition are often untrained in the law and do not have the resources to provide sufficient admissible evidence to support that petition. Lowering the standard of review of the evidence provided will permit those individuals with good cases to be considered to have their cases fully considered on the merits.

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