To whom it May Concern,

My name is Jonathan Mori. I have been a responsible kratom (plain leaf and tea) user for over 8 years. At that time I had awful anxiety and was drinking too heavily. The prescribed pills I was on were not working for me, but when I discovered kratom from a trusted online forum it vastly improved my life.

Since I have been drinking kratom tea I have gotten my masters degree, been successful at my current job, and also gotten married and am raising a wonderful kid. I do not drink alcohol any longer, except for on a very rare occasion. All my medical checkups have been perfectly fine. My wife also had horrible issues from post partem depression and kratom probably saved our marriage and possibly her life, but I will allow her to write to you in more detail if she wishes. I also know for a fact that kratom helps a lot of veterans with PTSD and also a lot of people recover from the horrible heroin epidemic that is occurring in this country. An all-out ban on kratom will without a doubt do more harm than good.

I feel that there are no issues with responsible adult use of kratom and the science will back that up I am sure. I am very much supportive of regulation such as they did in Georgia and Utah.

Sincerely, Jonathan Mori 206 Timberidge Dr. Bethel Park, PA 15102