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is successfully employed, though he still regrets that night every day of his life."

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## FAMILY LAW

### Gregory P. LaMonaca

"My client, Bryan, had his children taken and withheld in Sweden by their mother. I am happy to report that, against all odds, after an international battle invoking a treaty called the Hague Convention, we successfully reunited his children with them last year. The case has been appealed once by the mother, which we won. It is being appealed again. The case is a leading case in the state right now and being followed closely. The most important fact, however, is that the children are back here on U.S. soil with their father.



"Since then we have been inundated with requests to assist clients to obtain their children back who have been abducted. One of our more interesting and complex cases is the abduction of

'Baby A' by her father who took the child to Egypt, we believe. We represent the mother here in the United States. This is complex in that, unlike Bryan's case, where Sweden and the United States subscribe to the Hague Convention, Egypt does not. As such we must use diplomatic and many other creative avenues.

"The story is that countless cases arise each year where individuals are helpless, either because they don't know what to do or are placed into bureaucratic quandaries or cannot afford to get proper representation to fight for them. These cases can take years of costly battles with attorneys needed here in the United States, in the foreign country and potentially others costing tens or hundreds of thousands of dollars."

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