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Dear Mr JONES,

Your loud barking dog

Last night, your barking dog literally drove me up the wall. Today, when I told you in person you didn't apologize. Instead you just offered me to pet the dog.

Let me be clear, you are the problem, not the dog. Obviously, someone who blasts the music, uses the chainsaw and lawnmower on Sunday early afternoons has no regard for the quietude of their neighbors. I am afraid that your dog's bad habits are just a reflection of your own inconsiderate behavior.

I have my idea why the barking of your dog is not a disturbance to you. Maybe it's because your dog has apparently marked out its territory in your back yard underneath my bedroom window. Perhaps you would understand some of my discomfort if you had your dog "sleeping" in your bedroom.

Make no mistakes. This letter is a declaration of war. I intend to press charges against you, make an official complaint to the mayor, the judicial court, and State Governor. And believe me, your dog will be a quiet mouse compared to the noise I can make.

Eventually, If I am forced to move to find some sleep, I will sue you and I'll make sure you are liable for my relocation expenses, loss of amenity of my home and post traumatic stress disorder. Of course you can also expect to pay my lawyer's bill who by the way is quite diligent and very good at getting what he wants.

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