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A FILM BY YOAV POTASH

CRIME AFTER CRIME

Horribly abused...

Wrongfully imprisoned...

One signature away from freedom.

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"A MUST-SEE MOVIE."

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FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

ONE NIGHT ONLY - THURS., JAN. 19 AT 6:30 PM

FILM SCREENING WITH SPECIAL GUESTS FROM THE FILM
& NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATORS IN ATTENDANCE

FREE ADMISSION COMPLIMENTS OF THE NEW YORK WOMEN'S FOUNDATION

JOHN JAY COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE - 445 WEST 59TH STREET
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THE FILM

Named a *New York Times* Critic's Pick and one of "The 10 Best Films of 2011" by *The New York Daily News*, "Crime After Crime" tells the dramatic story of the battle to free Debbie Peagler from prison. Her spirit remains uplifting, despite a harrowing saga of abuse, injustice, and decades of incarceration for her connection to the murder of the man who forced her into prostitution. Her story takes an unexpected turn when two rookie land-use attorneys attempt to set her free. Nadia Costa, an ultra-marathon runner who trains before dawn each day, brings her undying stamina to Debbie's cause. Joshua Safran, an Orthodox Jew, draws inspiration from a religious tradition of fighting against injustice, dedicating his prayers to a legal battle that the *San Francisco Chronicle* called "an incredible inside story."

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SPEAKERS

Following the screening, **Senator Ruth Hassell-Thompson** and **Assemblyman Jeffrion Aubry**, will speak about their pending legislation: **the Domestic Violence Survivors Justice Act** (A.7875-A/S.5436). The proposed Act, recently introduced in the NY State Legislature, is the only bill in the country that would allow judges to sentence survivors to significantly lower sentences and Alternative-to-Incarceration programs.

Then, there will be a thought-provoking panel discussion with **Joshua Safran**, one of Debbie's attorneys, and NY advocates about the intersection of abuse and women's incarceration. Advocates will also be on hand to inform you about ways to join the **Domestic Violence Survivors Justice Act Campaign**.



ABOUT THE FILMMAKER: Yoav Potash's work as a writer and filmmaker addresses important social issues of our day. His documentary **FOOD STAMPED** (www.FoodStamped.com) earned the Jury Prize at the San Francisco Independent Film Festival. For his work on **CRIME AFTER CRIME**, Yoav has earned 14 honors, including two of the top cash prizes for documentaries in the US. He is currently writing a dramatic screenplay based on **CRIME AFTER CRIME**.