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LT: This is Lt. Gregory P. Formica of the Edison Police Department. I am presently assigned to the Internal Affairs Division at Edison Police headquarters. The date today is 8-6-08. The time now is 1935 hours. Present here in the Internal Affairs offices with Officer Jerry Sisolak. Officer, spell you last name for me please?

OFF: S-I-S-O-L-A-K.

LT: Oka and you are presently assigned to D Squad, correct?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: And you worked on July the 3rd, 2008 correct?

OFF: Yes.

LT: On that date you came into headquarters, reported for Muster, were sitting in the Muster Room and I guess you saw Sgt. Glinsky in the Muster Room and did you make a comment to him to try to break the ice on that day?

OFF: Yes, I did.

LT: Okay, what was that comment?

OFF: Are you going to play nice?

LT: How did Sgt. Glinsky respond to you?

OFF: How did he respond. Well he looked like he was going puke. He looked upset like his stomach was turning, like he didn't want to be there. I made that comment to break the ice.

LT: So his response to you was?

OFF: Well, what do you mean.

LT: Did you take that as a friendly gesture or as a...

OFF: Hostile gesture.

LT: Hostile gesture towards you?

OFF: Yes.

LT: Did it end there? Was that it?

OFF: No, I said are you going to play nice this time?

LT: And he just left it at that?

OFF: Yea, basically.

LT: Muster occurred, you guys hit the road?

OFF: Yes.

LT: A short time later, before we went on tape you said that at approximately 1620 hours, they called Car 38 which is Officer Kenney and upon calling Car 38, he didn't respond right away and Sgt. Glinsky started calling Car 38 without giving him a chance to respond, is that correct?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: Is that a normal procedure for a sergeant to do that?

OFF: No, not in the time frame. It was like Car 38, after 5 second and then right away Car 38 and then again Car 38 Officer Kenney. He was unnerving, it was uncalled for.

LT: Also prior to that we had a little discussion about how Sgt. Glinsky said he was there to straighten out certain people on the squad, is that correct?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: And who were those people that he mentioned for that?

OFF: Top of the list was Joe Kenney.

LT: Anybody else?

OFF: Dan Boslet and he has also made demeaning wise cracks to Officer Rodriguez.

LT: What nature were those comments? What did he call him?

OFF: He's called him nothing but a filthy spic, dirty f'en filthy. Out of the blue, for no reason at all. I don't know what is going on between those two.

LT: Was that recent he said that or was that a while ago?

OFF: It was a while ago and fairly recent. It's on-going, again I don't know what is going on there.

LT: We also talked about one time a canine was on the scene and stuff like that, was it Officer Meade or Officer Ellmyer and they were searching for some

suspects and he also made a comment towards that?

OFF: No, it wasn't then.

LT: Oh, I'm sorry.

LT: I'm sorry. I stopped the tape there for one second. We've come back on line. It is 1940 hours. Upon the canine, I think I am correct here, it was in the Muster Room we discussed where the canine was stepping around the Muster Room and Sgt. Glinsky made a comment at that point in time in the Muster Room. What exactly did he say?

OFF: Basically, I don't know exactly what he said but it was to the tone of he's smelling dirty, filthy, f'en "N" word, two black (inaudible) that had been arrested the night before, he was smelling them.

LT: I guess that word was niggers?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: Okay, let's go, we go to a car crash that night which happened on Cedar Lane and Road 2, apparently you heard officers respond to the scene and I guess you heard Officer Kenny call for assistance?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: Did you get a chance to go the scene or no?

OFF: No.

LT: Were you on another job at that time?

OFF: That correct. I was on a 56, death.

LT: So now, job happens, you do the rest of your shift, you come in the next day which is July the 4th and Muster goes on. Sgt. Vaticano gives Muster and then he asks if anyone else wants to say anything, so Officer Kenney gives a speech oration of what happened, correct?

OFF: Yes, Sgt. Vaticano opened the floor, anyone have anything to say and Officer Kenney are you okay, and Officer Kenney stated yea, I'd like to say something.

LT: Okay and can you tell me what he said. It does have to be word for word, just a synopsis of what he said?

OFF: He turned to Sgt. Glinsky and asked him, you called me for help and he agreed, yea I did. There were two young men possibly still alive. Yes he did and I come to help you. Yes you did. Did you, where did you go? What do you mean? You called me for help, two individuals possibly still alive, trapped in the car and you walk away. I called for help, where were you? His response was I don't get paid to pull people out of the car. It's for the ambulance guys. I don't know where the ambulance guys were. I've got a lot on my plate, Joe.

LT: I assume Joe was getting a little upset with that at that point in time, that response?

OFF: Absolutely, absolutely. He left a man behind.

LT: So, I guess Sgt. Vaticano says that's enough guys, something of that nature, that's enough?

OFF: Right, I guess so.

LT: I guess the guys hit the road?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: Does anything else happen that day that you recall that comes to mind? I know it was a while ago. Does anything come to mind that happened that day?

OFF: Before the car crash?

LT: No, after Muster on the 4th?

OFF: No.

LT: Nothing?

OFF: No, no.

LT: How did Saturday go?

OFF: Saturday, Muster began with Sgt. Glinsky sitting at the sergeant's desk, stating that Muster will be for getting out the work assignments, any important information that was given to him, any memos or anything that happened the tour prior to us and then basically no talking, end of Muster, get out on the road, do your jobs.

LT: That was Saturday, or Sunday?

OFF: That was the next day after what transpired.

LT: Okay. Guys go out Saturday night. Anything happen Saturday night, anything happen Saturday night that was eventful that you can recall or was it a quite night?

OFF: I really don't recall.

LT: Now Sunday, okay, you came in for your shift and you notice that Chief Bryan was there, correct?

OFF: Yes, thought it was, a Sunday before the holiday weekend in full uniform.

LT: Okay and what did you think or what occurred? What concerned you with that day?

OFF: The Chief on an off day, a holiday weekend, in full uniform. He should be enjoying life, with the family.

LT: It was little?

OFF: Yes, it was definitely odd.

LT: Abnormal?

OFF: I would say that.

LT: So Sunday comes along, Sunday comes and goes, a petition comes around on an Operations Report, you read it, feel it is up to speed and sign it under no duress, correct?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: After that, we spoke about some other things, you used to be friends with Alex Glinsky, is that correct?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: And you hung out with him?

OFF: More or less, yes.

LT: I was a little concerned, we discussed some of his behavior with some females he has met in the past?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: One of these females is [REDACTED] or something?

OFF: [REDACTED] that's correct.

LT: Okay, apparently, can you tell me a little about that, that concerns me and you?

OFF: Umm, she's a teacher in town, was married at the time, two little kids. She worked a part-time in an establishment in town. He was kind of stalking her. Kind of stalking her to the point where he would not leave her alone. It got to the point where she actually had to go to Anderko to get him off her back. She was concerned. She was happily married at the time and I believe she went to him (inaudible) she did go to school. I don't know the exact story with that and before she came to Internal Affairs and report an incident, she spoke to Anderko. I don't know if Anderko was a Lieutenant or Captain at the time.

LT: She reported this incident to someone?

OFF: No, no. She went off the record, mutual friend, co-worker.

LT: All right. Now this is not the only incident you are aware of with Alex Glinsky, is that correct?

OFF: That's correct.

LT: Okay, there was another girl, [REDACTED] that you told me about?

OFF: Yes.

LT: Can you tell me about her and what transpired?

OFF: She is [REDACTED] very attractive for her age, [REDACTED] and Alex had talked to her a few times and one night he got carried away with her. Basically pulled her hair, licked her face and made some extremely rude comments to her. At that point, she got grossed out and she pushed him away.

LT: There was a second meeting of those two also?

OFF: Yes, what time frame I am not sure but they did come across again. He almost like walled her, like tried to hug her, kiss her but she just pushed him away, disgusted by the way he treated her.

LT: This also we discussed, at one time you were over Alex's house and I guess [REDACTED] daughter was outside and he made some negative comments? Okay, just respond.

OFF: No, we were outside. We were out in a club.

LT: Okay.

OFF: And he made comments about [REDACTED] daughter.

LT: Would you express them or do you feel apprehensive about expressing them at this time?

OFF: I'd rather not say at this time.

LT: Okay. Do you know of any other problems with females that he has had in the past?

OFF: Yes.

LT: Okay, can you elaborate on them further?

OFF: [REDACTED]

LT: [REDACTED]

OFF: Yes.

LT: He attempted to?

OFF: He attempted to make conversation and to get to know her better [REDACTED] He licked her face, made rude comments again I didn't pressure her to tell me what they were and then later as time went on, [REDACTED] made rude comments about her body or ass. I couldn't live with it and that's why I have separated myself from that individual.

LT: Is that all you have to add at this point in time?

OFF: No. [REDACTED] did come up to me a few weeks ago, Saturday, before I went on vacation and stated what is the matter with Glinsky? What do you mean. She's been on e-Harmony and talking to an individual who she figured out was him and over the e-mail or text message or IM's, don't you know who this is, (inaudible).

LT: All right. Anything else or is that it?

OFF: For now.

LT: Okay, I am going to terminate this tape at 1950 hours.