

1 it was the Sunday of May 25th of 2014.

2 Q And how did the conversation -- who initiated
3 the conversation?

4 A I did.

5 Q All right. And why did you initiate a
6 conversation with Maj. Wenzel?

7 A I had just had a conversation with Lt. Miguel
8 Ramos who called me about some call, I don't remember,
9 some -- some incident he wanted to advise me of. And he
10 mentioned to me that he'd gotten a call the previous
11 night that he didn't send detectives out on. And I
12 immediately called her and let her know that that had
13 occurred.

14 Q Okay. So Det. Ramos (sic.) called you about
15 one matter, and then during the -- that conversation he
16 told you about the -- a different matter that you
17 decided then needed to be run up the chain; is that
18 correct?

19 A Correct.

20 Q Do you recall what the initial phone call was
21 about?

22 A I don't. I'm sorry. It's been about
23 four-and-a-half, five years.

24 Q When Det. Ramos told you about the second
25 matter, the sexual assault allegation against an

1 officer, is that -- that's the second matter; correct?

2 A I don't remember the order in which he
3 explained it.

4 Q Okay. But the sexual assault allegation
5 against an officer is what you called detective -- I
6 mean -- Maj. Wenzel about; correct?

7 A Yes. For clarification, can I just say it's
8 Lt. Ramos.

9 Q Lt. Ramos, yes.

10 A Yes.

11 Q And feel free to correct me in the future.

12 Did you have a conversation with Lt. Ramos of
13 why he didn't send a detective out that night he
14 received the allegation?

15 A Yes.

16 Q And what did he say?

17 A I don't recall the exact wording. I was
18 notified that a woman made allegations that she had been
19 raped by a police officer, and he had made the
20 determination that, for whatever reason, he wasn't going
21 to send detectives out. I advised him that anything
22 that's officer involved, not only do we send detectives
23 but we notify the chain of command. And I told him I
24 would immediately have to call Maj. Wenzel and let her
25 know, which is what I did.

1 Q So you agree that Lt. Ramos violated policy by
2 not sending out a detective immediately to the scene
3 when the allegation was made of a sexual assault by a
4 Oklahoma City police officer?

5 MR. SMITH: Object to the form. You can
6 answer.

7 A No, I don't agree he violated policy.

8 Q (By Mr. Solomon-Simmons) Okay. Do you believe
9 Lt. Ramos violated Oklahoma City Police Department
10 written procedure by not sending a detective out to
11 speak to a lady who reported that she was assaulted --
12 sexually assaulted by an Oklahoma City police officer?

13 MR. SMITH: Object to the form. You can
14 answer.

15 A No.

16 Q (By Mr. Solomon-Simmons) I typically use the
17 term policy and procedure interchangeably. Do you
18 understand when I say policy I'm referring to the
19 written rules, policies, procedures of the Oklahoma City
20 Police Department?

21 MR. SMITH: Object to the form.

22 A No, I don't. Policies, procedures and rules
23 are in the Police Operations Manual. Now, we also have
24 written directives, which aren't. We have chief
25 directives is what I'm referring to. Sometimes those