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POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION REPORT

TO: DET. JACK HOFFMAN, Homicide Division, Hollywood Police Dept.

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DATE: September 15, 1981

SUBJECT: Reve D. Walsh

CLASSIFICATION: Suspect - Case No. 81-56703

Please be advised that the above named subject voluntarily submitted to a polygraph examination in order to determine her truthfulness concerning her contentions with regard to the above captioned case.

The purpose of the examination was to determine whether or not the subject was telling the truth when she claimed that she had no guilty knowledge of, nor had she participated in the murder of her son, Adam, sometime between July 27th and August 10, 1981.

The facts concerning this case were provided the examiner by Det. Ron Hickman and Det. Jack Hoffman of the Homicide Division of the Hollywood Police Dept.

The examination was conducted by the undersigned on September 14, 1981 in the Capital Crimes Division of the State Attorney's Office, Room 610, Broward County Courthouse.

The examination was monitored in its entirety by Dets. Hoffman and Hickman.

Before her pre-test interview, the subject executed a consent waiver and stipulation agreement. Both executed forms have been incorporated as part of this examiner's case file.

During the pre-test interview, data was collected by the examiner concerning the subject's personal history, arrest record, educational history, as well as the subject's medical, physical and psychological background. All the above described data is contained within the examiner's worksheet.

After determining the subject's sensitivity levels this examiner conducted a peak-of-tension test in order to determine the subject's suitability for testing. Results of the aforementioned test indicated that the subject was indeed testable, as the examiner could determine truth from deception on the subject's polygrams.

Continuing on with the pre-test interview, the subject stated, that on July 27, 1981 she took her son to Sears and left him in the toy department. Upon returning to the toy department, she found him missing and to this date has not seen him alive.

She reiterated that she neither participated in or had actual knowledge of who committed the murder of her son.

Following the pre-test interview and a thorough review of the questions to be used on the examination, the following pertinent test questions were propounded to the subject during the course of the test:

No. 20 Regarding the murder of Adam, do you
 intend to lie to any question about that?

Ans. No.

No. 23 Do you know for sure who murdered your
 son?

Ans. No

No. 25 Did you, yourself, cause the death of
 your son?

Ans. No.

No. 28 Did you help anyone murder Adam Walsh?

Ans. No.

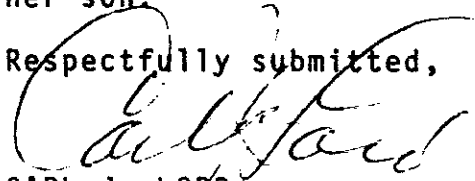
No. 29 Did you see Adam Walsh die?

Ans. No.

In the examiner's opinion, the subject's responses on her polygrams indicated no significant deception to any of the above listed test questions which were propounded during the course of several individual examinations incorporating the military general question test and "You" phase test.

It is further the opinion of this examiner, based upon the subject's polygraph examination that the subject was telling the truth and had no guilty knowledge of, nor participated in the murder of her son.

Respectfully submitted,



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