IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CRIMINAL DIVISION

COMMONWEALTH : NO. CP-14-CR-2421-2011

: NO. CP-14-CR-2422-2011

VS :

GERALD A. SANDUSKY :

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS (Criminal Jury Trial)

BEFORE: John M. Cleland, Senior Judge

DATE: June 14, 2012

PLACE: Centre County Courthouse

Courtroom No. 1

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Bellefonte, PA 16823

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            THE COURT: You may be seated.
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             (Whereupon, the jury entered the
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             THE COURT: Good morning again, ladies
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    and gentlemen. We're ready to resume here this
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   morning.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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    Honor. Your Honor, the Commonwealth would call
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    Zachary Konstas.
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        Whereupon,
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    called as a witness and having been duly sworn,
    was examined and testified as follows:
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: May I, Your Honor?
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             THE COURT: (Nodding head up and
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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                   DIRECT EXAMINATION
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    BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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             THE COURT: Let's get his full name.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Oh, I beg your
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- some events that occurred back in 1998, but where were you living in 1998?
- A. In State College, at an apartment complex.
 - Q. And with whom did you live?
 - A. With my mother and my sisters.
 - Q. Okay. A couple sisters?
- 8 A. Yes.

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- Q. Okay. Can you just move a little closer? Can you speak up just a little bit?

 There we go. Are you nervous?
- 12 A. A little bit.
- Q. Okay. Now, did you at that time know the defendant, Jerry Sandusky, back in 1998?
- 15 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury how you met him, if you remember?
- A. I met him at a Second Mile picnic at Spring Creek Park, a local park.
- 21 Q. Okay. A picnic?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Now, did you ever go to a Second Mile camp or any of that stuff?
- A. Never been to a camp, but I was at

monthly activities.

- Q. Okay. And do you recall exactly how you met the defendant at this picnic?
- A. I'm sorry?
- Q. Do you remember how you met the defendant at this picnic? Did you introduce yourself? Did he introduce himself or some other way?
- A. I believe I made my way up to him after some of the activities were done and I had -- I went up to him and I think I introduced myself to him, because I was really excited to meet him.
 - Q. Why were you excited to meet him?
- A. Because I kind of grew up in a Penn State fan house. My sister went to college there and I've been following the football program, and he was a part of the start of The Second Mile and that's -- anything to do with Penn State, I just wanted to be a part of it.
- Q. Okay. Well, in the early part of 1998, you were 11. You were a football fan then?
- A. I was a huge football fan then.
- 25 Q. Okay. And after you met the defendant

- 1 at that picnic, did you see him again?
- 2 A. Yes.

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- Q. Okay. How soon after that, if you remember, was it that you met him again?
- A. I don't recall some of the activities after that. I just remember when we went to work out.
- Q. Okay. Okay. And incidentally, Mr.

 Konstas, what do you do now? Are you in school

 now or out of school?
- 11 A. I'm -- just ended, graduated school 12 and that.
 - Q. What kind of school?
- 14 A. Bible college.
 - Q. And is that your career plan?
- 16 A. That's got a lot to do with it.
 - Q. Okay. Back in 1998, after you met the defendant at this picnic, did you ever have occasion around that time, in the early part of 1998, in May, to be alone with the defendant?
 - A. I'm sorry. Say that one more time.
 - Q. Were you ever alone with the defendant back in May of 1998?
- 24 A. Yes.
- 25 | Q. Okay. And where was the first time

- you remember being alone with him? Was it in a house, a car, anyplace else?
 - A. I believe it was when he came to pick me up in his car.
 - Q. Okay. And do you know how he came to pick you up? Did he speak with you, your mother, or just drop by? Tell us how that happened.
 - A. I believe he invited me to work out at one of the Penn State facilities and confirmed it with my mom, and she allowed that to happen and he came to pick me up.
 - Q. Okay. Now, you said he confirmed that with your mom. Was your dad -- was your father living in the home at the time?
 - A. No, he was not.
 - Q. Okay. And were you excited to go to the Penn State facility and work out?
- 19 A. Yes.

- Q. Okay. Had you ever worked out before?
 - A. Not -- not like how we work out.
- Q. Okay. So would you tell the ladies
 and gentlemen of the jury what happened when
 the defendant came to pick you up and what you
 did?

I was really excited that day to go 1 see Jerry, to work out at the building and just 2 enjoy the day, the events. He came, knocked on 3 I was all ready to go in my workout the door. 4 clothes, just like a pair of shorts and a T-5 shirt, and him and my mother talked for a few 6 minutes, just how the program was doing at Penn 7 State, the team. And after that conversation 8 was over we walked to his car, which was right 9 outside, got in his car, put seatbelts on, and 10 11 I was sitting in the passenger seat. reached over and put his hand, like, right next 12 13 to my knee, leg, knee, on the top part, and I remember just feeling that it was a little bit 14 15 odd, and I kind of pulled it away just a little 16 bit towards the passenger door. And I believe that it just remained on there, so I just kind 17 of rolled with it. 18 I don't remember what happened in the 19 We just kind of made small talk. 20 the building next to Holuba Hall. We entered. 21

equipment. I believe he let me try on some of the helmets and shoulder pads, maybe Curtis Enis or some of the notable players that I

He was showing me some of the players'

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    Sandusky or was there someone else involved?
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             I believe it was just me and Mr.
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Q. Okay. Was anyone else around the area that you were right then, that you recall?

- A. There was no one in the building that I remember seeing.
- Q. Okay. What kind of a room was it?
 What kind of equipment, if any, was in there?
 It was just a room, or what do you remember?
- A. I remember playing those games in the hallways right next to the rooms. There was kind of some open space where we would do that.
- Q. Okay. And did you do anything after that?
- A. After the bowling, the soccer, then I believe we wrestled a little bit on the carpet. He was showing me how to -- how to pin. He would, you know, pin me and say this is how you pin, and we were just kind of rolling, doing a few wrestling moves. He was just showing me some moves.
 - Q. Did anything about that bother you?
- A. I felt uncomfortable with it, but it was Jerry Sandusky, so I didn't want to make him mad.
- Q. You hadn't been hurt or anything, had you?

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- Q. Had he hurt you? had you been hurt?
- A. No, no, he didn't hurt me. It was

 just a little -- slightly uncomfortable,
- 5 because I didn't really know him and it was
 6 just close.
- Q. Okay. After this wrestling stuff, did you work out on any equipment, or what did you do next? What's the next thing you recall doing?
 - A. I believe he gave me -- I think he gave me a pair of workout clothes, some shorts and maybe a shirt, and I just kind of remember thinking I kind of came dressed for that, to work out. And so I, you know, put them on and they were a little larger. I remember pulling the drawstring all the way out to keep it up. We went to the gym, which was down the hallway. He was introducing me to some of the machines, the equipment, kind of helping me out, showing me how to do it. I don't believe we ventured
- Q. Had you ever worked out on gym
 equipment at that point in your life, when you

too far from the entrance, and it only took

maybe 15 or 20 minutes.

were 11?

- 2 A. Maybe once.
 - Q. Okay. Did you give it a try that day?
 - A. I gave it a try that day.
- Q. Okay. And how long did that last, if you remember?
- 7 A. About 15, 20 minutes.
 - Q. Do you know what the defendant was doing while you were giving it a try on this equipment?
- 11 A. He was watching me do it. He was kind 12 of helping me, I think, with the mechanics.
 - Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury what happened next, if anything, after you finished trying to do your little workout?
 - A. I remember him saying, "Okay. Now it's time to shower, to rinse off," and my immediate thought was, "I'm not even sweating yet." It was only 15 or 20 minutes, but I didn't want to be awkward to him about it, so I said, politely, "Okay," and we left the gym area. He let me un-change in one of the locker rooms. I think it was the coaches'. He went in a different room and I started to really get

- 1 uncomfortable as I'm taking my clothes off,
- 2 | because I had -- no one, you know, besides my
- 3 parents, you know, have ever, you know, seen me
- 4 | like that, without clothes on. So I put -- you
- 5 know, put a -- I think I put a towel around me,
- 6 | walked towards the shower. He was already in
- 7 | there, waiting, with his shower going. I
- 8 believe it was straight ahead, maybe off to the
- 9 | right a little bit. And he had a shower right
- 10 next to him going, and I immediately walked in
- 11 and went to the left and turned in -- turned on
- 12 a shower across the room.
- Q. Why did you do that?
- 14 A. Because I didn't want to be right next
- 15 | to him in the shower and it just felt really
- 16 awkward.
- 17 Q. Okay. So what happened then?
- 18 A. Once I turned on the shower across
- 19 from him, on the other side of the wall, he
- 20 | said, "Why don't you come over to the shower?"
- 21 next to him, because he had already warmed it
- 22 up for me. So I said okay. I really didn't
- 23 | want to. That even made it a little bit more
- 24 | hard, and I went over and he made a lot of
- 25 | jokes to, you know, make me laugh, and it was

just joking around a bunch and he started to 1 kind of tickle me. I think he said he was the 2 tickle monster. He started to tickle me, like, 3 on my -- underneath my arms and on my stomach 4 And I believe at some point and chest area. 5 he, you know, grabbed me from behind, gave me a 6 big bear hug and, you know, kind of lifted me 7 up and just said, "I'm going to squeeze your 8 guts out," like in a playful manner and just, 9 you know, squeezed and made a growling sound. 10 And I remember seeing his chest hair 11 right next to my face. I'm like, "This is just 12 -- this is icky." I didn't want to -- so I, 13 you know, tried to make -- to get out of his 14 15 grasp, but all at the same time trying to be in a joking manner with him so I wouldn't make him 16 upset. Just more of the tickling occurred, 17 made a bunch of jokes and just would -- you 18 know, just trying to tickle me and lighten the 19 mood up. And then time to wash up. He -- so I 20 was putting soap on my body and he said, "Here. 21 Let me help you with your back, where you can't 22 He took soap and, you know, lathered 23 it onto my back and shoulders and all. And at 24 that point it just -- it was just -- it just 25

would escalate the uncomfortableness of it, but 1 I was at the same time just trying to not make 2 him feel mad that I was kind of feeling a bit 3 awkward about it. 4 Then he took me, put his hands around 5 my waist like this (demonstrating) and lifted 6 me up to the showerhead to get the soap out of 7 my hair, and I believe my chest was to his 8 chest. I don't -- I can't remember -- I don't 9 think it was touching, but I just remember 10 11 going into the showerhead and having to close my eyes so the soap wouldn't get in my eyes. 12 13 And that's the last thing I remember about being in the shower. It's just kind of black. 14 15 Okay. Is that the best specific 16 recollection you have today? That's the best recollection I've got Α. 17 of that. 18 Okay. Now, obviously, when you went Q. 19 into the shower, were you naked? 20 Α. Yes. 21 Was the defendant naked? 22 Ο. Α. Yes. 23

When he picked you up from behind and

he gave you a bear hug and said he was going to

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1 squeeze your guts out, was he naked then?

A. Yes.

- Q. Okay. And the same thing when he held you up to the showerhead, was he naked? Were you naked?
 - A. We were both naked.
- Q. And you said you felt uncomfortable. Is there anything else about that that you recall or is that just kind of the way -- what you recall now, how you felt?
- A. That is what I recall now, and I remember just trying not to look down, just always keep -- try to keep my eyes up.
- Q. So you can't say with any more specificity about what part of his body touched what part of your body or anything else? This is just the best you can recollect today here?
- A. The best I could recollect, the closest contact was that -- the bear hug.
- Q. Okay. After the defendant put you down after getting the hair out of your -- the shampoo out of your hair -- did you feel better then?
 - A. I don't even remember being put down.
- Q. Okay. At some point do you remember

getting dressed or anything else after that? 1 You got home somehow, didn't you? 2 I got home somehow and everything else 3 Α. is just blackout. I just don't remember it. 4 Okay. Fine. When you got home, do 5 0. you remember what you said? Did you tell your 6 mom when you walked in about any of the 7 activities the defendant had directed towards 8 you during the shower first? 9 When I walked in, he didn't walk -- I 10 don't believe he walked me to the door. 11 walked into the room and said just a few things 12 13 of what he showed me about the players, and then I said to my mom, "And by the way, if 14 15 you're wondering why my hair is wet, it's because we took a shower," and then I took off. 16 Ο. Okay. You told this to your mother? 17 Yes, sir. Α. 18 Okay. And do you know what your 19 Q. mother's response to that was? 20 MR. ROMINGER: Objection, hearsay. 21 22 MR. MCGETTIGAN: I'm talking about what he observed and what was said directly to 23 It's not offered for the truth, just that 24

it was said to him.

THE COURT: Then why is it relevant?

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- Q. After you told your mother your hair was wet because you took a shower with somebody, did you tell her who you took a shower with?
- 8 A. She knew who I took a shower with.
 - Q. Did she ask you any more questions and did you tell her any more about what happened in the shower?
 - A. She came into my room a few minutes later and asked me about what I just said.
 - Q. Okay. And did you tell her?
- A. I told her bits and pieces. I didn't tell her exactly what happened.
- Q. Okay. And did you talk to anyone else that day about what had happened in the shower?
- 19 A. No.
 - Q. Okay. Did you talk to anybody else on subsequent days about what had happened in the shower?
 - A. Yes, I did.
 - Q. Okay. And who was that?
- 25 | A. The police. I gave, like, three or

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    were uncomfortable and the shower was kind of
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- 1 A. -- big deal out of it.
 - Q. When you started talking to police, did you feel like somebody else had done something wrong or you had done something wrong?
 - A. I felt that I did something wrong.
 - Q. And if it hadn't been for the police, would you even remember today what happened in the shower, do you think?
- 10 A. I doubt it.

- Q. Okay. But did you see the defendant after that day at your home or anyplace else?
- A. I did see him at a baseball game he came to of mine and at the Penn State football games.
- Q. Okay. Did he come to your house ever again that you recall when you were there?
- A. He may have came once or twice to pick me up for a game and that was it. Otherwise, it was just one of his sons or someone going to the games.
- Q. Now, after you went through this thing where you talked to the police, were you mad at the defendant, Jerry Sandusky?
- 25 A. No.

And did you see him again after that? 1 Q. Α. Yes. 2 Okay. Lots of times? 3 Q. Lots of times. 4 Α. Okay. Did you remain a big football 5 Q. fan? 6 7 I remained a big football fan. Α. Q Today? 8 Today. 9 Α. And did you end up going to football 10 Q. 11 games? Yes, sir. 12 Α. 13 How many did you go to, do you think? Ο. Α. I was probably going to nearly every 14 15 home game. 16 Ο. Okay. How did you get to those games? Someone would pick me up just outside Α. 17 of the -- just a small handful of times that he 18 did -- and then someone else would pick me up, 19 take me to his house, where the other kids 20 were. 21 I mean, after that the defendant would 22 Ο. actually pick you up and take you to games? 23 Once or twice I remember him stopping 24

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- Α. Yes. 7
 - Q. Three years after?
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 - And what did your mom think of that? Q.
 - She -- we differed on it, because I Α. just thought she was trying to get him in trouble and I became very defensive and would always talk light of him, you know, "Jerry is getting me tickets again." And she just always kept her mouth shut and I could always tell that we just knew that we were on different
 - And were you at the defendant's Q. Okay. home after the time that you took a shower with him?
 - Α. Yes.

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Were you ever alone with the 0. Okay. defendant after the day you took a shower with him?

Α. Other than to pick up tickets when I 1 was older at his house, when he wouldn't go to 2 games, that would be just about it. 3 Okay. And you never took a shower Ο. 4 with him again? 5 Never took a shower with him again. 6 Okay. Mr. Konstas, you're a fairly 7 Ο. big fellow now. Were you as big then? 8 you a big kid then or a little kid? 9 I was a very small kid then. 10 Α. Okay. And as I said, after you got 11 0. over feeling icky and uncomfortable that day, 12 13 were you really scared on the way home or anything like that, that you remember? 14 15 Α. No. 16 MR. MCGETTIGAN: Your Honor, I have nothing further of the witness at this time. 17 Thank you. 18 THE COURT: Any cross? 19 CROSS-EXAMINATION 20 BY MR. AMENDOLA: 21 22 Mr. Konstas, my name is Joe Amendola. I represent Mr. Sandusky. I'm going to ask you 23 some questions. If you don't understand what 24

I'm asking, let me know, okay? and I'll ask it

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1 a different way.2 A. (Nodding head up and down.)
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- Q. How old were you when you first met
- 4 Mr. Sandusky, about?
- 5 A. I believe I was 11.
- Q. Now, were you involved in The Second
 Mile summer camps?
- 8 A. The Second Mile what?
- 9 Q. Summer camps?
- 10 A. No.
- 11 Q. How did you meet Mr. Sandusky?
- 12 A. At the picnic at Spring Creek Park.
- Q. I'm sorry, what?
- 14 A. At the picnic at Spring Creek Park.
- Q. And how long afterwards did you start having activities with Mr. Sandusky?
- A. I think it was just maybe three, four weeks, maybe a month.
- Q. And do you recall the first thing that you did with him one-on-one?
- A. I'm almost positive that it was to work out.
- Q. Okay. And that was the time you got the shower?
- 25 A. Yes, sir.

- Now, you indicated today that you guys 1 Q. worked out. Were you sweaty after you worked 2 out? 3 Α. No. How did the shower situation come up? 5 Ο. He initiated it. He asked. 6 Α. "Now it's time to take a shower." 7 Q. What time of the day was it, if you 8 recall? Was it afternoon, morning, evening? 9 I don't remember the time of day. 10 Α. 11 Q. Not even a ballpark? If I had to quess, mid-afternoon. Α. 12 Okay. Now, in the shower, did Mr. 13 Sandusky ever touch any of your private sexual 14 15 areas? 16 Α. Not that I can recall specifically other than the bear hug when, you know, we --17 Well, the bear hug. But, I mean, when 0. 18 he bear-hugged you, how did he do that? 19 My back was into his chest, stomach, 20 because I remember my head being right next to 21
 - that he did that kind of in a joking way?

Okay. Didn't you think at the time

his chest hair and it was grossing me out.

A. Yeah, I believe I said that.

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- And isn't it true that he was kind of 1 Q. joking around and playing around in the shower? 2 Yes, it was like a kind of a cat-and-3 mouse type of thing before he put the soap on 4 5 me. And he wasn't groping your private 6 areas, was he? 7 Α. No. 8 And he wasn't asking you to grope his 9 10 private areas, was he? Α. 11 No. Did he have an erection? 12 Ο. 13 Α. I tried my very best not to look down.
 - A. I do not know if he had an erection.

know if he had an erection?

Okay. So is your answer you don't

- Q. Do you remember being interviewed back in 1998 by an officer about this?
- 19 A. Yes.

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- Q. Do you remember who that officer was?
 - A. I believe it was Officer Schreffler.
 - Q. Now, after you got out of the shower, who dried you off?
- A. Like I said, I can't remember anything
 after he lifted me up to the showerhead.

- Q. When you got home, what occurred with your mom and why did she get suspicious about what had happened?
- A. It was a brief exchange when I got into the doorway. She was sitting on the couch, to my recollection. I just gave her a brief statement about the players' equipment I tried on and then I said, "And if you're wondering why my hair is wet, it's because we took a shower," and I took off.
 - Q. And I want to go back to the shower situation in terms of you getting dried off.

 Do you recall testifying before the grand jury in this matter on June 17, 2011?
 - A. I remember being at the grand jury, yes.
 - Q. And do you recall being asked by one of the Attorney General staff how about -- with drying you off, and this goes back to the shower situation, after you got off -- after you got out of the shower. Do you recall someone asking you, "Can you tell us about being dried off?"
 - A. I don't recall.

MR. AMENDOLA: And this is on page 20,

1 Mr. McGettigan, starting with line 22.

BY MR. AMENDOLA:

- Q. The question was asked, "How about with drying you off?" And the answer, according to the transcript, "I don't remember how that happened. I think we just went our separate rooms -- to our separate rooms -- and I dried myself off." I don't remember specifically. Do you recall that question and answer?
- A. Very vaguely.
- Q. And then, to be fair to you, the next question was, "Okay. So with regard to the towel and drying you off, that you're not sure of, but you believe that he may have lathered you up with soap?" And your answer was yes.
- A. I'm sorry. Can you say that one more time?
- Q. Yes. The next question was, "Okay. So with regard to the towel and drying you off, that you're not sure of, but you believe that he may have lathered you up with soap?" And your answer was yes.
- A. Yes.
- 25 Q. Did you think anything unusual

1 happened that day when you left the shower?

- A. To me, no. It was just an awkward --
- Q. And I take it -- how old were you at that time?
- 5 A. I believe I was 11.

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- Q. Had you ever heard good touch, bad touch in school and from people trying to tell you the difference between something that's good and bad?
- 10 A. I can't say either way.
 - Q. But you didn't think anything happened that was inappropriate at that time, correct?
- 13 A. Not to my knowledge.
- Q. Now, when you got home, your mother became concerned; is that a fair statement?
 - A. My mother became upset.
 - Q. And that -- she's the one who contacted Children and Youth Services or the police?
- 20 A. Yes, sir.
 - Q. Is it true that you didn't want to see
 Mr. Sandusky get into trouble? You were
 concerned about him getting into trouble?
- A. Yeah, I didn't want to get him into trouble.

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Q. Why was that?
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- A. Because I still wanted to hang out
 with him and go to the games, and he told me
 about he had a -- this was back in '98. So he
 told me that he had a computer and that he
 could -- he would invite me over and I could
 sit on his lap and we could get on the computer
 together, and I wanted to do that.
 - Q. So you still wanted to have kind of a father-son type relationship with him?
 - A. Friends.
- Q. Didn't you ever think of him as a father figure?
 - A. I'm not sure.
 - Q. Okay. After the investigation occurred, after you spoke with the police, did anything bad happen to Mr. Sandusky?
 - MR. MCGETTIGAN: Objection.
- MR. AMENDOLA: Were any charges filed?
- 20 | I'll ask --
- 21 THE COURT: Wait a second.
- MR. MCGETTIGAN: Objection. The
- 23 question was did anything bad happen to Mr.
- 24 | Sandusky, and I just don't know that --
- MR. AMENDOLA: I'll ask it a different

way, Your Honor. 1 THE COURT: 2 Okay. BY MR. AMENDOLA: 3 To your knowledge, after the police Ο. 4 and Children and Youth Services investigated 5 the situation with you and Mr. Sandusky in the 6 7 shower, to your knowledge, was he arrested or 8 charged with anything regarding that? Not to my knowledge. Α. 9 And you continued to have contact with 10 Q. 11 Sandusky? Yes, sir. 12 Α. 13 Ο. Your mother allowed that? Α. Yes. 14 15 Ο. In fact, after that investigation was completed, do you recall a time when you and 16 your mom were standing outside Damon's on 17 College Avenue waiting for Mr. Sandusky's car 18 to pass to kind of get him to stop so you could 19 go to the football game with him? 20 I do not recall that. 21 Α. You don't recall that? 22 Ο. 23 Α. No. But you did go to many football games 24 Q.

with him after that, didn't you?

- 1 A. Yes, I did.
- Q. And you stayed in regular contact with
- 3 him, didn't you?
- 4 A. Yes, I did.
- Q. And, in fact, there was one point when
- 6 | you went on a mission trip, I believe, to
- 7 | Mexico?
- 8 A. Uh-huh.
- 9 Q. How old were you then?
- 10 A. How old was I?
- 11 Q. About.
- 12 A. Maybe 23.
- Q. So much later, long after this
- 14 | incident occurred?
- A. (Nodding head up and down.)
- 16 Q. And didn't you ask Mr. and Mrs.
- 17 | Sandusky to give you money to help support your
- 18 | trip to Mexico?
- 19 A. We got mission letters from our school
- 20 and I gave him one of them.
- Q. Did they give you money?
- 22 A. Yep, gave me a small donation.
- 23 Q. And when you would come home after you
- 24 | left State College, wouldn't you regularly go
- 25 | see Mr. Sandusky at his home with Mrs. Sandusky

there? 1 Mrs. Sandusky was there. We would 2 Α. attempt to make a breakfast or something like 3 that. 4 Well, I understand, and that's what 0. 5 I'm getting at. In other words, you'd go over 6 7 and visit the Sanduskys, Mr. and Mrs. Sandusky. 8 Mrs. Sandusky would usually cook? Α. Yep. 9 And when you would go to the football 10 Q. 11 games, wouldn't you go over to Mr. and Mrs. Sandusky's house to get the tickets? 12 13 Α. Yep. And wouldn't they have food, like 14 15 almost like a tailgate-type thing at the house. I know they didn't do that at the stadium 16 anymore after he retired, but didn't they have 17 food there and stuff and you would eat? 18 Α. That's correct. 19 And then go to the game? 20 Q. Α. Yep. 21 22 Ο. Did you usually go to the game with them? 23 Yes, there was a group of us that 24 Α.

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- 1 Q. A group?
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- Q. Now, was Dustin Struble a friend of yours?
- 5 A. Yes, he is.
 - Q. And is he still a friend of yours?
- 7 A. Yes, he is.
 - Q. Have you and Dustin talked about this situation prior to coming to court today?
- A. We had not discussed what happened to us at all. I didn't even know he was part of this.
 - Q. You and Dustin never discussed it?
- 14 A. Never.
 - Q. Did you discuss it with any of the other kids who turned out to be accusers in this case, if you know?
- A. To my knowledge, no, and I don't think he would have. He was -- he didn't even want to do this.
 - Q. Do you understand in this proceeding this is a criminal case, that the Attorney General's Office represents the witnesses and alleged victims and complaining witnesses? Do you understand that process?

- A. (No response.)
- Q. I think you have to say yes for the record.
 - A. Oh, yes, to an extent.
 - Q. Do you have private counsel? Have you gotten private counsel involved in your case?
 - A. Yes, recently I've obtained counsel.
 - Q. I'm sorry. When did that happen?
 - A. Are you talking about a psychologist?
 - Q. No, no, no, legal -- an attorney?
- 11 A. Oh, an attorney, Yeah. I've got -12 that happened sometime after the November
 13 events, maybe December, January. I think it
- 14 | was January.

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- Q. And to your knowledge has Dustin

 Struble had an attorney involved, a private

 attorney?
- MR. MCGETTIGAN: Objection, Your 19 Honor.
- MR. AMENDOLA: If he knows, Judge.
- 21 THE COURT: If he knows.
- THE WITNESS: I think he's got an attorney.
- 24 BY MR. AMENDOLA:
- Q. Now, have you paid your attorney any

money for the things he's done for you, your
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- Q. Have you signed any sort of agreement with him in terms of how he is to be paid?
- A. I signed something to let him represent me. I don't know legal stuff, so I don't remember what was in that.
 - Q. You're not aware of the facts or the circumstances behind that agreement?
 - A. No.
- Q. How many times have you seen this private attorney, about?
 - A. Maybe twice, maybe once.
 - Q. Is he in the building today?
 - A. I believe he is here.
- Q. Now, in addition to the mission trip
 that Mr. and Mrs. Sandusky helped financially
 support you on, when you would come home on
 weekends to visit after you left State College,
 were there times when you would borrow their
 car?
- A. He offered me his car the one time to get around.
 - Q. Okay. And how long ago was that?

- 1 A. I think that was this past summer.
- 2 0. Last summer?
 - A. Last summer, yes.
- Q. Okay. Just so I'm clear about this, for the record, what year?
- 6 A. 2011.

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- Q. 2011. And when's the last time you went to a football game with them or with their tickets?
- 10 A. That was the Michigan game of 2010.
 - Q. And when you came home and borrowed their car, did you ask them if you could borrow their car or did you say you didn't have transportation and they just offered you to --
 - A. He offered.
 - Q. And you used it for the weekend when you were home?
- 18 A. What's that?
 - O. You used it for the entire weekend?
- A. I used it for a day, for, I believe, a
 Saturday, and I gave it back to him right after
 church.
- Q. And is it also a fair statement that last summer, the summer of 2011, that you met Mr. and Mrs. Sandusky for lunch at a restaurant

1 in State College?

- 2 A. That's correct.
 - Q. And who else was there with you?
 - A. There was a boy named Allen.
- Q. And he was another young man who Mr. Sandusky had known also, as far as you knew?
- 7 A. Yes.

- Q. And would you say that that luncheon was very friendly?
- A. Yeah, it was very light conversation, just talking, just catching up.
- Q. Did Mr. Sandusky mention anything
 about the investigation which brings him to
 court today?
- 15 A. No.
- Q. And after that did Mr. Sandusky call you at some point and ask you for information about how to contact Dustin?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. And in that conversation -- do you recall when that was, about?
- A. Do I recall when that was? Sometime, I'm thinking, in the spring of 2011.
- Q. And when he called you about trying to locate Dustin, did he mention anything about

1 | this investigation?

- A. No. His tone was much different than how -- when you normally leave a voice message or when we talked. It was -- I just noticed a
- Q. Would it be fair to say he sounded concerned?
- 8 A. Yes.

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- 9 Q. And at that point had you heard 10 anything about this investigation?
- 11 A. Had I heard anything?
- 12 O. Yes.
- 13 A. Yes, I heard that it had resurfaced.
- Q. It had been in the papers. Okay. And so you had heard about it, correct?
- 16 A. Correct.
- Q. Mr. Sandusky called you looking for Dustin's information and he sounded concerned.
- 19 | Is that a fair statement?
- 20 A. That's a fair statement.
- Q. But he didn't discuss with you anything about this investigation, did he?
- 23 A. No.
- Q. He didn't ask you, if the police call, don't talk to them or don't tell them anything?

- 1 A. No, sir.
- Q. Would you periodically send Mr.
- 3 | Sandusky messages on holidays wishing him well
- 4 | and on days like Father's Day?
- A. Yes, I did that to many people.
- 6 Q. If you recall, did you send Mr.
- 7 | Sandusky a Thanksgiving Day note for
- 8 Thanksqiving 2009?
- 9 A. That's very possible.
- 10 Q. And do you recall saying in that text,
- 11 | "Happy Thanksgiving. I'm glad God has placed
- 12 you in my life. You are an awesome friend.
- 13 | Love you"?
- 14 A. That was -- yes -- that was what I
- 15 | call a corporate text.
- 16 Q. Yes.
- 17 A. I just kind of go through my phone
- 18 | book and --
- 19 Q. Yes.
- 20 A. -- reply that to everybody.
- 21 Q. But that was the text you --
- 22 A. That --
- 23 Q. -- sent?
- 24 | A. Yeah. I sent -- I --
- Q. "I'm glad God has placed you in my

life. You are an awesome friend. Love you. 1 From Zach." That's what you said? 2 Α. If that's what -- can I see that? 3 Oh, yes. Ο. MR. AMENDOLA: If I may approach, Your 5 6 Honor? 7 THE COURT: (Nodding head up and 8 down.) MR. MCGETTIGAN: Mr. Amendola? 9 (Whereupon, a discussion was held 10 11 between Mr. Amendola and Mr. McGettigan off the record.) 12 13 MR. AMENDOLA: And maybe I ought to mark this as Defense Exhibit No. 2 just so we 14 15 don't lose track of it. BY MR. AMENDOLA: 16 Now, Mr. Konstas, I'm going to show 17 Ο. you what's been marked as Defense Exhibit No. 18 2, and can you tell me if you recognize that 19 document? 20 Yes, that's certainly -- certainly one 21 Α. of the ones I would have sent out. 22 And so what I've just read to you is 23 what -- accurately depicts what you said in a 24 text to Mr. Sandusky on Thanksgiving 2009? 25

- A. "Happy Thanksgiving, bro. I'm glad God has placed you in my life. You're an awesome friend. Love you." Yes.
 - Q. And then I'm going to refer you to another time, and this would be on Father's Day, and I believe it appears to be the same year. Can you look at this and tell me if you recognize this text?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. And can you read that to the jury --
- 11 A. Sure.
- 12 Q. -- from Father's Day 2009?
- A. "Hey, Jerry, just wanted to wish you a happy Father's Day. Great things are yet to come."
 - Q. What happened between Father's Day and Thanksgiving 2009 and today that now makes you come to court and say that what you think happened to you and Mr. Sandusky in that shower back in 1998 was so bad?
- MR. MCGETTIGAN: Objection, Your

 Honor, I don't believe -- it misstates the

 witness' testimony. He never said he thought

 it was so bad or that it was so bad. He just

 testified to what happened. That's a

mischaracterization. 1 MR. AMENDOLA: He said it was 2 inappropriate, Your Honor. 3 THE COURT: Are you alleging that 4 there was a crime committed or that there 5 wasn't a crime? 6 MR. MCGETTIGAN: It's not a question 7 of what I'm alleging. It's a question of what 8 the witness has said and counsel's 9 characterization of what he said. 10 THE COURT: Overruled. 11 Thank you, Your MR. MCGETTIGAN: 12 13 Honor. BY MR. AMENDOLA: 14 15 Q. What happened between those texts in 16 2009, Mr. Konstas, and today? Α. What happened was, when I was 17 contacted in January of 2011, the state police 18 officer contacted me that this resurfaced, and 19 I told him I would cooperate with it. And he 20 said that he wanted me to think about what 21 22 happened in '98 again. And as I started to think about it, as I started to go over it in 23 my mind, I quickly realized my perceptions 24 changed, thinking about it as an adult as 25

opposed to as an 11-year-old, that that was inappropriate, what had happened to me.

- Q. But apparently your perception hadn't changed in 2009 on Father's Day or Thanksgiving when you sent those texts?
- A. Yeah.

- Q. How old were you in 2009?
- A. Twenty-two, 23.
 - Q. Certainly an adult, correct?
- 10 A. Yeah.
- 11 Q. You had been to college, correct?
 - A. Yeah. I hadn't thought about the shower incident. That was put out.
 - Q. When you talked with the police in this case, did the police tell you that there were other kids that Mr. Sandusky had abused?
 - A. They made mention, but they wouldn't give any details.
 - Q. And did your change in perception have anything to do with hiring private counsel, signing some agreement, the contents of which you're not sure about, and perhaps looking for some financial gain?
 - A. Can you repeat the first part?
 - Q. Yes. Did the change in your attitude,

your perception about what happened in that 1 shower back in 1998, have anything to do with 2 hiring an attorney, a civil attorney, and 3 thinking that there might be some financial 4 gain for you in this matter? 5 Α. Zero. 6 7 Ο. Zero? Α. Zero. 8 It just has to do with the change in 9 your perception? 10 11 Α. Just the change in my perception. After you were 22 years old and sent 12 13 those texts in 2009 to Mr. Sandusky telling him what a great guy he was, he was awesome --14 15 Α. (Nodding head up and down.) 16 -- and thank God -- thank God, God put him in your life -- you're telling us after you 17 sent those messages your perception changed? 18 Α. January of 2011. 19 MR. AMENDOLA: Thank you. That's all 20 21 I have. 22 MR. MCGETTIGAN: Briefly on redirect. REDIRECT EXAMINATION 23 BY MR. MCGETTIGAN: 24

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- years old, talking to the police and Mr. 1 Seasock and a few other people, did you spend a 2 lot of time thinking about the time you took a 3 shower with Jerry Sandusky? 4 Α. No. 5 Okay. Did you go looking for somebody 6 7 to tell that you took a shower with Jerry 8 Sandusky? Α. No. 9 Okay. Did you even think about it 10 between 1998 and 2008, '9, '10, '11, anything 11 like that? 12 13 I had moved on from it. No, I didn't think about it. 14 15 Ο. Was it a big deal when you were 11? 16 No, just the fact that I was interviewed by a lot of cops. 17 Okay. And I think Mr. Amendola --18 0. I'm sorry. What was that? 19 THE COURT: MR. MCGETTIGAN: Interviewed by a lot 20
- 23 BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:

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Q. And I believe Mr. Amendola said now all of a sudden you think it's such a bad

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of cops, I think. Was that --

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thing. Well, do you think it's inappropriate 1 for a middle-aged man to shower and pick up and 2 hug and --3 Objection, Your Honor. MR. ROMINGER: THE COURT: Sustained. 5 BY MR. MCGETTIGAN: 6 7 Okay. Were you mad at Jerry Sandusky Ο. 8 from 1998 to 2009, 2010, 2011? Not up until January of 2011. Α. 9 Are you really even mad now? 10 Q. 11 Α. I feel violated. I've gone through a lot of emotional roller coasters since then. 12 13 Okay. Has anybody ever asked you to say anything in particular about what happened 14 back in 1998? 15 16 Α. No one has asked me to change my story at all. 17 Has anybody said say something worse Ο. 18 or say something more or say anything different 19 other than the truth? 20 No, not once. Α. 21 22 Q. Okay. And did you speak with me? Α. Yes. 23 Did I ever tell you to say anything 24

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could tell us? 1 1972 to 2006. Α. 2 So that was your employment in 1998? 3 Q. Yes, sir. Α. Specifically in May of that year? 5 Ο. Yes, sir. 6 Α. Were you a detective, criminal 7 O. 8 investigator, something like that? Yes, sir. Α. 9 Okay. And I'd like to ask you if, 10 Q. 11 back in the early part of May of that year, you had occasion to have a conversation with a 12 13 woman by the name of Deb McCord? Yes, sir. 14 Α. 15 Ο. Okay. Your first contact with her, 16 was that telephonic or in person, if you recall? 17 Α. Telephone. 18 Okay. And what did Ms. McCord tell 19 Q. you? 20 She had a concern with her son, that 21 Α. her son had been in a shower with a staff 22 member from Penn State. 23 Okay. And did you call her or did she 24 25 call you?

- 1 A. She called me.
- Q. Did you know her when she called you?
 - A. No, sir.

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- Q. Okay. And did she tell you who the person involved was?
- 6 A. Not at that time.
 - Q. Okay. And so what did you tell her, if anything, over that telephone conversation?
- 9 A. I asked her to bring her son into the 10 police office.
- 11 Q. Okay. And did she do that?
- 12 A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Okay. Her son, Zachary Konstas?
- 14 A. Yes, sir.
- 15 Q. Did you interview Zachary?
- 16 A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury what Zachary told you when you talked to him that day?
 - A. He stated that he had met Jerry
 Sandusky through The Second Mile program and
 that Mr. Sandusky had contacted him about going
 to the gym at Penn State University, and that
 on one of the occasions that they were at the
 locker room there was an occasion where they

- 1 were in the shower and that Mr. Sandusky was in
- 2 the shower with him, that there was -- well,
- 3 | there was shampoo in his hair and Mr. Sandusky
- 4 held him up in the shower and washed the
- 5 | shampoo out of his hair.
- Q. Okay. Did he tell you about any other
- 7 | -- anything else about the physical contact, if
- 8 any, that occurred between Mr. Sandusky and
- 9 Zach?
- 10 A. That they wrestled in the shower; that
- 11 Mr. Sandusky came up behind him, put him in a
- 12 bear hug, made the comment that he was going to
- 13 | squeeze his guts out.
- 14 Q. Was there any other specific details
- 15 about -- that Zachary related to you about the
- 16 contact between himself and Mr. Sandusky, or
- 17 was that pretty much the extent of it?
- 18 A. Other than Mr. Sandusky picking him up
- 19 | in the shower, that was about it.
- 20 Q. And do you remember -- you spoke with
- 21 | Zach directly that day?
- 22 A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Okay. Was his mother present or do
- 24 | you recall?
- 25 A. His mother was present, because I

- 1 needed her permission to tape the interview.
- Q. Okay. And did Zachary appear particularly agitated when you spoke with him?
 - A. He was very laid back.
 - Q. Okay. During the whole time?
- 6 A. Yes.

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- Q. Okay. Was Mrs. McCord, his mother -- was she agitated?
- 9 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And after you completed that interview, did you take any other action in regard to this particular inquiry? Did you decide to make an inquiry?
- 14 A. Yes, sir, I did.
- Q. Okay. And what was the next thing that you did at that point?
 - A. I found out during the interview that there was another individual that had been in the shower with Mr. Sandusky. It was a friend of Zach's. I also contacted Centre County Children and Youth Services.
- Q. Okay. When you say another individual in the shower, you don't mean at the same time?
 - A. No, sir, at a different time.
- 25 Q. Okay. And now, at some point did you

- go to Mrs. McCord's home, that is, where Zach lived with his mother?
- A. Yes, sir.

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- Q. Okay. And did you direct her to take any action in regard to this defendant, Jerry Sandusky, at that time?
- 7 A. Yes, sir, I did.
 - Q. What did you tell her?
- A. Basically, in consultation with the
 District Attorney's Office, it was decided that
 Mrs. McCord would contact Mr. Sandusky and
 attempt to solicit conversation about her son
 being in the shower with him.
 - Q. And did she do so telephonically?
 - A. Actually, we set it up where Mrs.

 McCord actually contacted him and had Sandusky

 come to their residence.
- Q. Okay. And how long after the shower
 that the defendant (sic) took with Mr. Sandusky
 was it that you had this conversation with Mrs.
- 21 McCord?
 - A. It was within a day or so.
- Q. Okay. How long after that was the time that Mr. Sandusky was supposed to come to her home, if you recall?

- 1 A. There was a phone conversation back
- 2 and forth, and then it was decided that Mr.
- 3 | Sandusky would come over with his understanding
- 4 | that he was going to be picking Zach up.
- Q. Okay. So that's the method by which
- 6 Mrs. McCord got Mr. Sandusky to come to the
- 7 home?
- 8 A. That's correct.
- 9 Q. Okay. Were you present when the
- 10 defendant came to the home?
- 11 A. Yes, sir, I was.
- Q. Where were you and can you tell us
- 13 | what happened?
- 14 A. Yes. There was myself and
- 15 Investigator Ralph Ralston from State College
- 16 Police. He was hiding in the restroom area. I
- 17 was in the bedroom area in an attempt to
- 18 overhear the conversation that was going on
- 19 between the mother and Mr. Sandusky.
- 20 Q. Okay. And did the defendant,
- 21 | Sandusky, come to the home?
- 22 A. Yes, sir.
- 23 Q. And did he engage in conversation with
- 24 Mrs. McCord?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. Okay. Did you hear it?
- 2 A. Yes, sir.

- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen what was said between Mrs. McCord and Mr. Sandusky when he came there that day?
- A. Without going in detail with my report, there was basically -- Mrs. McCord expressed some concern about her son coming back, that she questioned him about his hair being wet. She said about him being in the shower naked with her son, that she didn't think that was right; that Zachary was having some difficulty sleeping. He just hadn't been -- her remark was that he just hadn't been the same. Mr. Sandusky went on to say, "Do you want me to talk to Zach?" something to the effect that he was very upbeat the last time I saw him. He asked several times if he wanted the mother to have him talk to Zach.
 - Q. Okay. And what did Mrs. McCord reply?
 - A. No, that she didn't think it was appropriate at that time.
 - Q. Okay. Did they have any further conversation at that time?
- A. At that time, no, there was not.

Okay. And did you do anything right 1 Q. I mean, did you just listen to the 2 conversation or did you intervene or become 3 involved?

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- No, I -- after we were done there Α. talking to Mrs. McCord, contacted the DA's office, gave them an update of what was going on, and there was a subsequent plan to make another phone call to Mr. Sandusky with the intent of having him come back to the house to solicit more conversation.
- Okay. And why were you in contact with the District Attorney's Office at that point?
 - Α. I contacted them early on in the investigation because of the allegations and the fact that Karen Arnold was the Assistant District Attorney that was handling childrelated cases, so I wanted to get them on board right away.
- Okay. And I want to go -- just take a step back a little bit. You interviewed Zach, and to your knowledge did anyone else interview Zach at or around the time that you interviewed him?

- A. He was interviewed by Alycia Chambers and he was also interviewed by John Seasock.
- Q. Okay. And who were those persons?

 Are they criminal investigators or something else?
 - A. Alycia Chambers is a psychologist, a psychologist that Zach had been seeing, and John Seasock was a counselor that was employed or contracted by Centre County Children and Youth Services.
 - Q. Was it your idea to have Zach interviewed by either or both of those people?
 - A. We were totally against it. The District Attorney did not want it. The police did not want it.
 - O. Whose idea was it?

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- A. Children and Youth Services and the State Department of Welfare.
- Q. Children and Youth Services from what county?
 - A. Centre County.
- Q. Okay. So moving forward again, after this first conversation that had been arranged at the home of Mrs. McCord, did you direct her to take any other action or ask her to take any

- 1 other action in regard to --
- A. I asked her to make another phone call.
- Q. Okay. To whom?
- 5 A. Mr. Sandusky.
 - Q. Okay. And did she do that?
- 7 A. Yes, sir.

- Q. Okay. Were you present when she did that or did you just tell her what to do?
- 10 A. I just told her to do it.
- Q. Okay. As a result of that, were any further arrangements made, if you know?
- A. Yes, there was a subsequent meeting scheduled at their residence.
- Q. Okay. And what plan, if any, did you have to involve yourself in this meeting?
- A. Basically, giving her an outline or we went over the type of questions or how to engage him in conversation.
- Q. And did the defendant come to the home?
- 22 A. Yes, he did.
- Q. Were you there when he came?
- 24 A. Yes, sir.
- 25 Q. Okay. Can you tell ladies and

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gentlemen of the jury as best you can recollect
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   what happened, where you were, where all the
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            During the course of the conversation,
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   Mr. Sandusky made the statement, "I wish I
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    open objection, if we can approach the bench.
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            THE COURT:
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delicti issue. 1 THE COURT: Overruled. 2 MR. MCGETTIGAN: May the witness 3 continue, Your Honor? 4 THE COURT: Yes. 5 6 THE WITNESS: I'm sorry. Would you 7 mind asking --BY MR. MCGETTIGAN: 8 You may continue. 9 Α. Did you want to ask --10 11 I think I was asking you if there's anything you noted about -- of the conversation 12 13 you overheard about the tone, manner, demeanor of the defendant? 14 15 Α. Right. Again, he was very upbeat when he came in. In fact, after the mother advised 16 him that she didn't think it was a good idea 17 that Zach would go with her, Mr. Sandusky stood 18 at the door continually talking while she was 19 attempting to have him leave, so there was 20 somewhat of an extended conversation. 21 22 Ο. Okay. And can you tell me -- I want to make sure I have this right. The defendant 23 said -- can you repeat what the defendant said? 24 25 I want to make sure --

A. From my memory, without looking at my report, he made -- something to the effect, "I would ask forgiveness. I know I will not get it from you. I wish I were dead."

- Q. Okay. And at that time did this expression of what seemed to be remorse cause you to believe the defendant was sorry for an inadvertent action or cause you to be more suspicious that there was more that Zachary hadn't told you that the defendant had done?
- A. I felt there was more that Zachary hadn't told me.
- Q. Okay. Now, after that, were you ever at the McCord household where Zach lived, and did the defendant ever come there again in your direction or to your knowledge?
 - A. No, sir, not that I'm aware of.
- Q. Okay. Did you have further consultations at that point with Ms. Arnold, Mr. Gricar, or anybody else?
- A. Yes, I had talked to Karen Arnold, I would say, probably at least two or three occasions and Mr. Gricar at least two occasions.
- Q. And the charges were not lodged at

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- 2 A. That's correct.
 - Q. Or at any point, actually?
 - A. That's correct.
- Q. Okay. Did you determine to take at this point any additional action in regard to this investigation that would include the defendant in your presence?
- 9 A. Yes, sir, I did.
- Q. Okay. Tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury about that, please.
- A. I contacted Mr. Sandusky at that time

 -- a few days later. I think it was on June

 14 lst, along with Jerry Lauro from the State

 Department of Welfare, and we went and
- 16 interviewed Mr. Sandusky.
 - Q. Now, Mr. Lauro, what was his role with the State Department of Welfare?
 - A. He was the program representative. He is the gentleman that, when I first contacted Centre County Children and Youth Services, they contacted the State Department of Welfare, stating that the State Department of Welfare was going to take over the investigation, and

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then it went back to the county.

1 | some confusion there.

- Q. Do you know why DPW -- Department of Public Welfare -- why they were involved as opposed to Centre County?
- 5 A. I can only assume.
 - Q. Nobody ever told you why?
- 7 A. No.

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- Q. Would that have been a normal process or would Children and Youth have stayed involved?
- A. Again, I'm not sure exactly what their protocol is as far as how they do things when
- Q. So in any event you said you had Mr.
 Lauro with you when you went to interview Mr.
 Sandusky?
- 17 A. That's correct.
- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury your recollection of the events that transpired when you went to interview Mr. Sandusky, the defendant, with Mr. Lauro in your company?
- A. Yes, went there, identified myself and Mr. Lauro, advised him that we were

25 | investigating an allegation of an incident that

occurred on May 3rd between 7 and 9 p.m. and 1 started talking to him about Zachary. 2 the course of the interview, asked him if he 3 had ever been in the shower with other young 4 He stated that he had. He was asked if 5 boys. there was anything sexual that took place. 6 He was concerned about the effect it 7 said not. would have on Zach as far as if he did anything 8 to upset Zach. The interview as far as my 9 questioning probably was about 15 minutes. 10

Q. And did the interview last longer than the 15 minutes during which you got to pose questions?

inappropriate, that he wouldn't do it again.

to the effect he did think maybe it was

did say to him, "I would tell you not to shower

with young boys again," and he stated something

- A. Yes. Mr. Lauro interviewed him or talked with little -- a bit longer about various things.
- Q. Okay. And you had said that the defendant advised you that he had showered with other boys?
- A. That's correct.

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Q. Okay. Did you make any further

- inquiry on that in terms of number, ages, or activities?
- A. No, sir, I did not.
- Q. Okay. And did the defendant volunteer any of that information, like how many young boys he showered with or what type of
- 7 activities he'd engaged in?
- 8 A. No, sir.
- 9 Q. He just said he showered with boys in 10 the past?
- 11 A. That's correct.
- Q. Okay. And did you advise him that he shouldn't do this?
- 14 A. Yes, sir, I did.
- Q. Okay. Did he appear to understand what you were saying?
- 17 A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Okay. Did he respond when you said don't do this again or you shouldn't do this
- 20 again? What did he say?
- A. I think he stated something to the effect that he -- he used the term bad judgment.
- Q. And what did he say about his future plans about showering with young boys, if

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anything?

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- A. Again, the best I recall was that he would not do it again.
- Q. Okay. Now, after this conversation
 with this defendant, did you have further
 consultation with Ms. Arnold from the District
 Attorney's Office or Mr. Gricar?
- 8 A. Mr. Gricar.
- 9 Q. Okay. And were any charges lodged as 10 a result of that?
- 11 A. No, sir.
- Q. Okay. At any point did you either draft a document or make a recommendation the charges be lodged, if you recall?
- 15 A. I felt there should be some charges, 16 something, but the DA didn't feel there should 17 be.
- Q. The District Attorney made that decision?
- 20 A. That's correct.
- Q. Okay. And did you ever have any further contact with the defendant?
- 23 A. No, sir.
- Q. Okay. Or Zach Konstas, for that
- 25 | matter?

Α. No, sir. 1 MR. MCGETTIGAN: Thank you very much, 2 sir. 3 CROSS-EXAMINATION 4 BY MR. AMENDOLA: 5 Mr. Schreffler, I don't have to tell 6 7 you who I am. It's nice to see you. Going 8 back to 1998, how long had you been a police officer prior to that? 9 Well, '72 I started there. 10 Α. So a long time? 11 Q. (Nodding head up and down.) Α. 12 13 0. And were all of those years with Penn State? 14 15 Α. Yes. 16 And how many years had you been an investigator? 17 Probably 28 years. 18 Α. And how would you categorize your 19 Q. relationship with Mr. Gricar? 20 21 Α. Very good. I enjoyed working with him. 22 Would you characterize Mr. Gricar as a 23 0. professional prosecutor? 24 Yes, sir. 25 Α.

- Q. To your knowledge, in 1998, how long had he been District Attorney in Centre County?
 - A. I really don't know.
 - Q. Over 10 years?

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- A. I would assume so, yes.
- Q. To your knowledge, had he ever done any sort of criminal defense work?
 - A. I think his primary jobs had been that of a prosecutor.
- Q. And it's your testimony today -- and maybe I'll back up first and say I assume that Mr. Gricar had all the information you and other officers had gathered regarding this case?
- 15 A. Yes, sir.
 - Q. And Mr. Gricar, with all of his years of experience as a prosecutor, determined there wasn't sufficient evidence to pursue criminal charges, didn't he?
- 20 A. That's correct.
- Q. Now, you had contact with Zach Konstas
 as a result of this incident?
- 23 A. Yes.
 - Q. And you interviewed him?
- A. Yes, sir.

- Have you had an opportunity to review 1 Q. that interview -- well, let me ask it another 2 To your knowledge, was there a 3 way. transcription of that interview made? 4 Yes, sir. Α. 5 And have you had an opportunity to 6 7 review that interview prior to coming into court today? because I realize 1998 is years 8 away. 9 I looked at it sometime ago, yes. 10 Α. 11 And obviously you're probably not going to remember questions and answers without 12 13 maybe taking a look at the document? Α. Correct. 14 15 MR. AMENDOLA: Your Honor, may I 16 approach the witness? THE COURT: Yes. 17 MR. AMENDOLA: I have to keep my 18 It's a thick document, but I'm not 19 place.
- Q. Can you take a look at this just to verify what this is?

going to read the whole thing, Your Honor.

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BY MR. AMENDOLA:

A. That is a copy of the transcribed interview of May 4, 1998, at 11:25 a.m.

- 1 Q. And who is the interviewer?
- 2 A. I am.

- Q. And who is being interviewed?
- A. Zachary Todd Konstas.
- 5 Q. Now again, at the risk of boring
- 6 everybody, I'm not going to read the whole
- 7 thing. I'm just going to ask you some
- 8 questions. On page 7 of that interview, you
- 9 asked the question, "Okay. Did he," referring
- 10 to Jerry Sandusky, "try to shampoo your hair or
- 11 anything?" Can you read -- K, I assume, stands
- 12 | for Zachary?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. Can you read the answer?
- 15 A. "No. He just gave me the bottle of
- 16 | shampoo and I shampooed my hair and
- 17 | everything."
- 18 Q. And then, on page 7 of the interview,
- 19 | it looks like M asks a question, "Okay. At any
- 20 | time in the shower, did Jerry's penis looked
- 21 | like it was -- " and Mr. Konstas said?
- A. "No, no." That would have been Miller
- 23 asking the question.
- Q. But you were there?
- 25 A. Correct.

- Q. And "No, no," in answer to that question. And then Mr. Miller asked another question, "Not at all?" And what was Mr.
- 4 | Konstas' answer?
 - A. No.

- Q. So it seemed he was very definitely saying no, Mr. Sandusky did not have an erection?
 - A. That's correct.
- Q. On page 9 of the interview, question by K -- well, actually a question by Mr. Miller again, "About four minutes. Okay. At what point did Jerry then -- you explained to me -- what did he do to you then?" And K says?
- A. "First -- first thing, like he was pretending to try to squeeze my guts out. He, like, -- after that he was, like, just trying to get the shamp -- the soap out of my hair, and he lifted me up. But he lifted me up pretty high so, like, my feet were just around his waist. My back was touching his chest."
- Q. On page 13, at the bottom of page 13, and Mr. Miller asked, "And are you telling me that he never touched you any place that was inappropriate?" And what does Mr. Konstas --

- who, of course, was then a little boy -- but what does he say?

 A. "No, he did not."
 - Q. Mr. Miller asked, "Did he ever ask you to touch him in any place inappropriate --" and we have to move to the next page. And Mr.
- 7 | Konstas said?

- 8 A. "No."
- Q. At the bottom -- and that's on page 14

 -- at the bottom of page 14, Mr. Miller asked,

 "Okay. Do you know what a good touch is and a

 bad touch is?" And going up to the top of page

 15, Mr. Konstas said?
- 14 A. "Yes, I do."
 - Q. And Mr. Miller said, "What is a good touch?" And Mr. Konstas said?
 - A. "A good touch is like shaking your hand or something, and a hug, and a bad touch is like touching something that you are not supposed to touch."
 - Q. And Mr. Miller then asked Mr. Konstas, "Okay, and I'm going to ask you -- you know that this is real important -- but you tell me, did Jerry ever touch you in a place that was inappropriate?" And Mr. Konstas said?

- 1 A. "No, he did not."
- Q. On the top of page 19 of this
- 3 | interview, Mr. Miller asked, "Okay. This is
- 4 | the last time I'm going to say this. Okay.
- 5 And I want you to know that it is very
- 6 important -- it is very important. See, we
- 7 | don't want to get anybody that doesn't deserve
- 8 to be in trouble -- do you feel that Jerry
- 9 touched you in an inappropriate way when he
- 10 | lifted you up?" And what does Mr. Konstas say?
- 11 A. No, I don't think so.
- Q. Mr. Miller then asked on page 19, "Did
- 13 he ever touch you on your private parts?" And
- 14 Mr. Konstas said?
- 15 A. "No."
- 16 Q. Mr. Miller asked, "Did he ever ask you
- 17 to touch his private parts?" And Mr. Konstas
- 18 | says?
- 19 A. "Definitely no. I wouldn't have done
- 20 | it anyways."
- 21 Q. So at that point he seemed to be very,
- 22 very affirmative that even if he had been
- 23 asked, he wouldn't have done it? Was that your
- 24 | impression from reading that?
- 25 A. Uh-huh.

- And then further -- and this goes on. Q. On page 20 of the interview, Mr. Miller again says, "Okay. One last time -- " and I guess this was like the third last time -- "One last time. Are you sort of not telling us everything to protect -- I just -- look at something here. Okay. Let me just look at something here. All right." And Mr. Konstas says?
 - A. "Well, I am just remembering this now, like, the locker room, like, when we were doing on the machine. I think I just remembered this now, like he -- like, when I was done the first time, when I was, like, done on the machines and everything, he just said good job and everything and then I like -- I could sort of feel like -- he, like, kissed me once or twice on the head, like you would kiss your child, like, on the head. You know what I mean?"
 - Q. Like you would kiss your child? Is that what he said?
 - A. That's what he said.
 - Q. Did he ever tell you that Mr. Sandusky inappropriately touched him?
- 25 A. No, sir.

And again, Mr. Gricar was a career 1 Q. prosecutor, wasn't he? 2 Α. Yes, sir. 3 And he told you in your investigation there wasn't enough evidence to pursue this 5 case, didn't he? 6 Α. That's correct. 7 MR. AMENDOLA: Thank you. That's all 8 I have. 9 MR. MCGETTIGAN: Briefly on redirect. 10 REDIRECT EXAMINATION 11 BY MR. MCGETTIGAN: 12 13 Mr. -- or excuse me -- Mr. Schreffler, do you remember this question being asked of 14 15 Zach while you were present and his response? The question by -- who was present with you? 16 John Miller. Α. 17 Mr. Miller was saying to Zach, Ο. 18 "Because I'm having a little bit of trouble 19 understanding you, okay? In part is because I 20 am a little tired and part is because I'm kind 21 of slow, okay? I just want to understand. 22 did you feel uncomfortable?" And Zach saying, 23 "It was a gut feeling." And Mr. Miller saying, 24

"Oh, okay, and sometimes gut feelings are

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important. Tell me about that gut feeling."
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   And Zach saying, "It just said this feels
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    "Okay. All right. "Has what -- has what you
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    told us tonight the truth?" "Yes." And then,
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- Α. Yes, sir. 1
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- And do you remember him saying -- I'm 4 trying to find the right page here. I believe 5
- Mr. Miller asked, "Okay. So which way -- show
- me with an arrow which way he came over then to 7
- do that, what he did." "He just picked me up, 8
- like, sort of, " was Zach's answer. And Mr. 9
- Miller asked, "From the front?" Said, "No, 10
- from the back. He said, 'Here, Zach, I'll get 11
- your head out of the soapiness.'" And Mr. 12
- Miller said, "Okay. So your butt was maybe 13
- near his chest or something?" And Zach said, 14
- 15 "No, I said he lifted me up pretty high."
- 16 you recall that?
- Yes, sir. Α. 17
- And Mr. Miller saying, "I understand Ο. 18
- that. Where did you -- and he lifted you 19
- where?" And Zach saying, "Up. My feet were at 20
- least like down by his penis. That's how far, 21
- I think, and that's like -- " and then it was 22
- interrupted. "And how close do you think he 23
- And Zach saying, "Half an inch away, and 24
- 25 maybe part of my body touched his chest at that

- 1 time." Do you remember those questions and
 2 answers?
- A. Yes, sir, I do.

- Q. And as for a bit on cross-examination, you were asked by Mr. Amendola about your work for some length of time with Mr. Gricar. You worked for him for some period of time?
- 8 A. Yes, sir, I did.
 - Q. And you discussed these events. And, well, it was your feeling that maybe some charges should be lodged; is that correct?
 - A. Yes, sir.
 - Q. And Mr. Gricar who, as Mr. Amendola points out, was a very experienced prosecutor and had been in this business for a long time -- and you and he disagreed?
 - A. Yes, sir.
 - Q. Okay. That happens sometimes?
- 19 A. Yes, sir.
 - Q. Okay. You did have a certain advantage over Mr. Gricar in that you interviewed both Zach and observed -- heard the defendant not once, but twice, including his comments and observed his demeanor and then confronted him with what he had done with Zach.

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You believed more had happened.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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            MR. AMENDOLA: Nothing further, Judge.
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             THE COURT: Ten minutes to 11.
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             (Whereupon, a recess was taken.)
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             THE COURT: You may be seated. We'll
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                         Mr. McGettigan.
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             THE COURT:
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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            May I have Jason Simcisko, please?
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        Whereupon,
                     JASON SIMCISKO
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    called as a witness and having been duly sworn,
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was examined and testified as follows:
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             MR. MCGETTIGAN: May I, Your Honor?
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             THE COURT: (Nodding head up and
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                   DIRECT EXAMINATION
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   BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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             Jason -- Mr. Simcisko, can you state
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   your full name and spell your last name for us,
   please?
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             Jason Simcisko, S-I-M-C-I-S-K-O.
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    was my middle name. Excuse me.
            Mike is your middle name. Okay.
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    Simcisko, I'm going to ask you how old you are
    today.
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             I am 25.
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             Okay. Why don't you slide your chair
    up a little bit?
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             And if you'll bend the microphone
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   back?
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             My knees are kind of --
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            Okay. And what's your date of birth,
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- 1 A. 1/1/87.
- Q. Okay. And I'm going to ask you about
- some events back in 1998, '99, and following,
- 4 but first let me ask you, how are you employed
- 5 now?
- 6 A. All right.
- 7 Q. Are you employed now?
- 8 A. What?
- 9 Q. Are you employed now?
- 10 A. Oh, no, I'm not. Oh, I'm in the Army
- 11 | National Guard.
- Q. Okay. And how long have you been in
- 13 | the Guard?
- 14 A. Six years.
- Q. Okay. And what type of job do you
- 16 | have in -- what's your position in the National
- 17 | Guard?
- 18 A. Infantry.
- 19 Q. Infantry. What's your rank?
- 20 A. Sergeant.
- Q. Have you served in Iraq?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q When was that, some years ago?
- 24 A. '08-'09.
- 25 | Q. Now, back in 1998 and 1999, do you

remember where you were living? 1 At my mother's. 2 Α. What town you were living in? 3 Q. Oh, Moshannon. Α. Moshannon, here in Pennsylvania? 5 Q. Yes. 6 Α. 7 And who were you living with? 0. 8 Α. Andrea Simcisko -- well, Glace now, my mother. 9 Anybody else? 10 Q. 11 Α. My little brother. Okay. Is he much younger than you, 12 Ο. 13 same -- close in age? He's 17. 14 Α. 15 Q. So he's eight years younger than you? 16 Α. Yes. Okay. And where was your dad? 17 Q. I don't know. 18 Α. Okay. When was the last time you saw 19 Q. 20 him? I can't recall. 21 Α. 22 Ο. And so he wasn't living with you in 1998? 23 24 Α. No. Was anybody else living with 25 Okay. Q.

you and your mother and brother, or just you 1 three? 2 Α. Just my mother and brother. 3 And when you were in about fifth 4 grade, what school where you in? 5 Mountaintop Elementary. 6 7 And did you hear of The Second Ο. Okay. 8 Mile program? Α. Yes. 9 Did you ever go to it? 10 Q. 11 Α. Yes. Okay. How did you end up getting O. 12 13 there? Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen how you ended up in The Second Mile? 14 15 Α. I believe it was the Big Brother Big 16 Sister program. You were in Big Brothers Big Sisters? 17 Α. Yes. 18 Okay. And if you can tell us just Q. 19 generally, how was life and how was your 20 21 behavior back when you were in fifth grade? I wasn't the best-behaved kid. 22 Α. Okay. And is that part of the reason 23 Ο.

you end up in Second Mile?

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- Q. Okay. And did you go to a Second Mile
 like just one-day events or did you go to a
 camp?
- 4 A. I went to the camp.
 - Q. Okay. Overnight stays?
- 6 A. Overnight stays, yeah.
- Q. And did you go to that more than one summer?
- 9 A. Yes.

- Q. Okay. And did you ever have occasion to meet the defendant, Jerry Sandusky?
- 12 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury where you met Mr.
- 15 | Sandusky? Tell us how that happened.
- A. I met Jerry Sandusky Casino Night at
 The Second Mile. One of the counselors brought
 me up to him, introduced him -- introduced me
- 19 to him -- and we talked for a while. And then
- 20 he asked me if I wanted to go to his football
- 21 camp. I agreed.
- Q. Was that the first year of the camp or a following year?
- A. It was the second year.
- Q. Okay. And did the defendant ask you

to go to that football camp when you first met 1 him at that Casino Night or was it another 2 time? 3 It was -- it was -- I think it was 4 that night. 5 Q. Okay. 6 I believe. It could have -- he could 7 Α. have called afterwards, but I -- I can't 8 recall. 9 Okay. And did you want to go to a 10 Q. football camp? 11 Α. Yes. 12 13 Ο. Okay. Why? I'd never been to a football camp Α. 14 15 before. 16 Q. Okay. And did you go? 17 Α. Yes. Okay. How did you get there? Can you 18 Ο. tell us how you ended up going to football camp 19 and where it was? 20 21 Α. Jerry drove me. Jerry drove me, and it was in Latrobe. 22 Okay. Was that overnight or just one 23 Q. day? 24

It was overnight.

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- Q. Okay. And when you say the defendant drove you, did he drive you alone or with other kids, or do you remember?
 - A. I can't recall if -- I think there might have been a passenger in the back, but I think it might have been on the way home the passenger was with us, but not on the way down.
 - Q. Okay. And did you like football camp?
- 9 A. Yes.

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- Q. What did you do there?
- A. Learned how to play football and stuff like that. I don't know. Went through drills and stuff like that. I don't know. It's hard to recall.
- Q. Was that the first time you'd ever done anything like that?
- 17 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Now, after that football camp

 -- you enjoyed that whole time?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Anything that happened during
 the whole time that made you feel uncomfortable
 or upset or anything like that, or was it all
 pretty much okay?
- 25 A. I think the hand on the knee thing

- 1 happened, like, right away. That was a big
- 2 thing for Jerry, rubbing the knee and the
- 3 inside of the leg and tickling me and stuff
- 4 | like that, so...

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- Q. Well, you didn't like that, but was everything else okay at that point?
- 7 A. I guess. Yeah. Yeah.
 - Q. Okay. Now, after that did you have -- soon after that did you have occasion to go anyplace else with the defendant?
- 11 A. Yes, I went to a blue and white game.
- Q. Okay. And tell the ladies and gentlemen what a blue and white game is.
- A. Penn State blue and white game. It's where Penn State faces off against, like, each other. It's just -- it's just a way to get the crowd into it for the year, I guess. I don't know. But that's what a Penn State blue and
- 19 white game is.
- 20 O. Where is it?
- A. It's in Penn State. It's at the big stadium.
- Q. Okay. And did you go to that game?
- 24 A. Yes.
- Q. Right after the football camp?

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- Q. Okay. And how did you like that, or did you? Tell us.
- A. It was -- it was awesome. I loved it.
 I hadn't been to a Penn State blue and white
 game before that. I hadn't been to any Penn
 State game before that. That was my first Penn
- 9 Q. And where did you watch the game from?
- 10 A. I watched the game from the sidelines.
- 11 Q. Okay. Who were you with?
- 12 A. Jerry Sandusky.
- Q. Okay. Was that pretty cool?
- 14 A. Yes.

State game.

- Q. Okay. After that did you go anyplace else that you remember with the defendant soon after that or any period -- any period of time after that?
- A. After that I stayed at his house pretty frequently, and we also went to Syracuse, New York.
 - Q. What did you do in Syracuse?
 - A. He was there to give a motivational speech, I believe, and he drove us up and we stayed in the hotel.

- Q. Now, was it just you and the defendant or were there other people with you?
 - A. It was just me and him.
 - Q. Okay. And was that okay with your mom? Did she ask -- did the defendant ask her or do you even know?
- A. I don't think -- I don't think Jerry asked her. I think I asked her and I told her that I was going with Jerry. I'm not sure if my mom later called him or not, but...
- Q. Okay. How were you getting along with your mom then?
 - A. Not very well. I was getting in trouble all the time, causing her a hard time.
 - Q. Now, did there come a time after that, after you went to Syracuse and stayed in a motel with the defendant, that you stayed at his house?
- 19 A. Yes.

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- Q. Okay. Did you stay at his house once or more than once?
- A. I stayed at his house frequently, like I would say 50 times over a three-year span.
- Q. Okay. And how did that come about?

 Did you invite yourself? Did the defendant

1 talk to your mother or did he just talk to you?

- A. He just talked to me.
- Q. Okay. And did you want to stay at his house?
- 5 A. Yes.

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- 6 Q. Why?
- 7 A. He was like a father to me.
 - Q. And where did you sleep in the house?

 Did you stay overnight?
- 10 A. Downstairs. Yes, I stayed overnight.
- Q. Now, when you were there, was it during the week most of the time or on the weekends, or can you recall?
- A. It was during the week most of the time.
 - Q. Okay. How would you get there? Tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury how it happened that you would end up staying overnight.
 - A. I would go to high school and then he would pick me up -- well, it wasn't really high school at the time. It was middle school, but it was attached to the high school, so I went to the middle school and he would pick me up from there, drive me over to his place or the

- 1 gym or racquetball or Holuba Hall or wherever
- 2 | we went at that time, and then he would drive
- 3 | me back to his place. We'd have dinner and
- 4 | then I would sleep over.
- Q. Was there anybody else who stayed with
- 6 | you when you slept over?
- A. No, but maybe once or twice, but not very often.
- 9 Q. Most of the time you were the only kid 10 there?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Was there anyone else in the
- 13 | house that you knew of? Was the defendant --
- 14 | did the defendant stay there?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. Okay. Did anybody else stay besides
- 17 | him?
- 18 A. Dottie.
- 19 Q. Okay. Dottie being his wife?
- 20 A. Dottie being his wife, yes.
- 21 | Q. Okay. Did you ever sleep upstairs or
- 22 | did you always sleep downstairs?
- 23 A. I always slept downstairs. Well, I
- 24 | slept upstairs once whenever, I think, Matt was
- 25 | home or something like that, Matt, his son.

- Q. Okay. Where downstairs did you sleep?
- A. In a room off to the right, like you
- 3 go downstairs and to the left there's, like,
- 4 | pool tables and shuffleboard and stuff like
- 5 | that, and then off to the right or straight
- 6 ahead, one or the other, but there's a room and
- 7 | it has a big waterbed, and that's where I
- 8 slept.
- 9 Q. Okay. Did you like that?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. Okay. Now, when you were at home with
- 12 | your mom, did you have much going on in life?
- 13 | Did you have a lot of stuff?
- 14 A. No, not really.
- Q. And when you went to the defendant's,
- 16 | you talked about football and pool tables -- or
- 17 pool table games. Did you play pool down
- 18 | there?
- 19 A. We played shuffleboard. I wasn't
- 20 | really into pool at the time.
- 21 Q. What else did you do downstairs?
- 22 A. That's pretty much it.
- Q. Did you go to any other football
- 24 games?
- 25 A. Yeah, I went to a few.

- Q. Okay. I'm going to ask you about a three-year period, say, from '99 to 2000-2001. Can you tell us how many games you think you might have gone to during that period of time?
- 5 A. Four or five.
 - Q. Okay. That's all?
 - A. Yeah.

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- Q. Okay. And who took you to the games?
- 9 A. Normally family members. Jerry was a 10 coach at the time.
- Q. Okay. And did you tailgate or anything beforehand?
- 13 A. No, no.
 - O. Okay. Now --
 - A. The blue and white game, I did.
- Q. Oh, you've tailgated at the blue and white game?
- A. Yeah. Well, it wasn't really a tailgate. It was like a -- it was like a formal get-together of the players and coaches and stuff like that, so it was kind of a tailgate, but not really.
- Q. Now, I'm going to go back to the
 period of time I asked about in the beginning
 of my questions, where you had met the -- after

- you'd met the defendant at Casino Night and gone to Latrobe to the football camp and then gone to the blue and white game. Was it after that that you stayed at the defendant's house that you think?
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- Q. Okay. That you began to?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. Okay. And you slept downstairs. Did
 10 you sleep alone or were there other kids
 11 around?
- 12 A. I slept alone.
- Q. Okay. Did the defendant ever come downstairs when you were sleeping down there?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. Okay. And did anything ever occur in those first few times that you slept there that made you feel uncomfortable or that you thought was weird?
 - A. Yes. I didn't really think it was weird at the time, until later on, but he would come in and he would have his shirt off, and I would be in all my clothes, and he would say to me that -- or he would ask me why I would want to sleep with all my clothes on. So eventually

- I would strip down to my underwear. So I'd be 1 in my underwear to sleep in and he would be in 2 shorts and a -- not a T-shirt -- no shirt, 3 shorts and no shirt, and he would sit on the 4 edge of the bed and he would talk to me and 5 make me laugh or something like that. Whenever 6 he made me laugh, he got excited and jumped 7 into bed with me and started tickling me, and 8 he would start rubbing my stomach, blowing on 9 my stomach and pelvis. He would also -- at 10 11 times he would touch my penis.
 - Q. And did he do this the first time you slept there, all these things?
 - A. It was frequent, pretty frequent.
 - Q. Now, I'm asking you about the first time you stayed there, did he do all the things that you told us about or did he start --
 - A. I'm not sure if it --

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- O. -- with one or the other?
- A. -- was the first -- I'm not sure if it was the first time or every other time after that. Like, I couldn't tell you -- I couldn't tell you days, specific days that specific things happened, but I could tell you that it did happen.

- Q. And I want to -- I have to go through these one-by-one. You said that he tickled
- 3 you. Where on your body did he touch you when
- 4 he tickled you?
- A. My stomach, anywhere really, the inside of my leg. He had a -- he had a big thing for grabbing your kneecap and tickling it
- 8 and then working his way up your thigh.
- 9 Q. And did this make you feel uncomfortable?
- 11 A. Yes.
- 12 Q. Did you tell him to stop?
- 13 A. No.
- Q. Why not?
- A. I was enjoying the things that I was getting too much and stuff like that.
- Q. And other than tickling you said he blew on your stomach. Can you describe what you mean by that?
- A. Like put his face down on my stomach and blow on it, like you would blow on a little kid's stomach.
 - Q. Now, did that make you laugh or --
- A. Yeah.

Q. Did you say anything about that?

A. No.

- Q. And what else did he do in terms of physical contact or touching with you, if anything?
- A. He would rub my shoulders, kiss my shoulders. That's about it.
- Q. And did you do this on one occasion or more than one occasion?
 - A. More than one occasion.
- Q. Now, you said you stayed over there, over at the defendant's house, at least 50 times over this three years. Did he do it on some or most or all of those occasions, if you remember?
 - A. Most.
- Q. Okay. And did he touch any other parts of your body when you were sleeping there, and if so, can you tell us how?
 - A. No, not that I can recall.
- Q. And did you ever go to any place else with the defendant, the gym or any activities?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. Did he take you out to dinner?
- A. Here and there, yeah.
- Q. Where did you go?

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- get me to do some things at the gym, but he would work out.
 - Q. After he worked out and you kind of worked out or sat around --
 - A. Yeah.

- Q. -- what happened then?
- 7 A. Then we would go back and get a 8 shower.
 - Q. And do you remember the first time that happened?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury what happened the first time you took a shower.
 - A. The first time we took a shower, I got

 -- I went into the shower room and I was
 nervous because I had never showered with
 another man, let alone a grown man, before, so
 I was kind of nervous about taking off my
 clothes and stuff like that, and he coaxed me
 and forced me into taking off my clothes, and
 he went over and turned on the showers. He
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that was further away from him because I was

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   my back. He would pick me up and bear-hug me,
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- were there alone with the defendant and he was in bed, that you remember?
- 3 A. No.
- Q. Okay. And in 1999 you were 12 years old; is that right? You were born -- what's your date of birth?
- 7 A. 1/1/87.
- Q. Okay. So after January 1st of 1999, you were 12. You were starting to grow up a little bit?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Did you feel funny about the things that were happening in bed with the defendant?
- 15 A. Yes.

- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury if the defendant did anything else to you while you were in bed that made you feel funny as you were starting to grow up here?
 - A. He touched my penis.
- Q. Tell the ladies and gentlemen of the jury what he did, what response you had and how you felt about it.
- A. He would touch me and rub me and grab

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me, and he gave me an erection. And at that
time I would roll over and try to get away from
him, and that's -- that's pretty much where it
would stop. I wouldn't let it go any further.

Q. Why would you do that? Why would you
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- Q. Why would you do that? Why would you roll away from him? Did you know what was happening to when you were that age?
- A. Not really. I mean, I knew -- I knew that I wasn't supposed to have one from a man. I mean -- I mean, I was a kid. I'd obviously saw, like, pornographic videos and stuff like that, so I would know kind of what was going on and that it wasn't natural for an older man to --
 - Q. Did you want that to happen?
- 16 A. No.

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- Q. Did you ever tell him, "Don't get in bed with me," or anything like that?
- 19 A. No.
- Q. Why not?
 - A. Because he made me feel like I was a part of something, like a family. He gave me things that I had never had before. I just didn't want to give any of it up.
- Q. Well, did you go other places with the

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defendant?
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    family with your mother and your brother at
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    that time?
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- Q. Now, did you continue to go to the defendant's house and sleep with him during 1999 and 2000, into 2001?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. Did you want to go, be in his company and be around him and go places and do things?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. Did you want him to do to you the things he was doing to you in bed at night?
- 10 A. No.
- 11 Q. Okay. But you let him do it?
- 12 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Jason, how were you doing in school then?
- 15 A. Average, I guess. I had average 16 grades. I was getting in trouble, but not as 17 much.
 - Q. Did your behavior get better or worse as you got a little bit older?
 - A. It worsened.
 - Q. Okay. And did there ever come a time when you lived someplace when you weren't at the defendant's? Did there come a time when you weren't someplace -- when you weren't living with your mother and your brother?

- A. Yeah. The reason why I broke it off
 with Jerry is because I had to go away. I got
 sent away to a group home, to two different
 group homes and then in foster care, where I
 eventually graduated out of. I had no further
 contact after that point.
 - Q. Well, you didn't really break it off with the defendant, did you?
 - A. No, not really, but --
- Q. When you went to foster care, were you mad at your mother?
- A. No -- well, a little bit, yeah,
 because she had sent me there. I mean --
- Q. Was there anybody else you were mad at?
- 16 A. Jerry.
- 17 Q. Why?

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- A. He never contacted me, never -- my mom never even heard from him to find out where I was.
- Q. And how long were you in the group home and then in foster care?
 - A. I'd say about three years.
- Q. And after you got out of foster care, what did you do for a living?

- 1 A. I joined the Army.
 - Q. How did that work out for you? Okay?
 - A. Yeah.

- Q. Okay. You've told us that you stayed over at the defendant's house over 50 times over the course of those years. Was it mostly on school nights or weekends? Which, school nights or weekends or both?
 - A. Oh, it was mostly on school nights.
- Q. And how did you get from school to the defendant's house?
 - A. He would come pick me up at school.
- Q. And did he do -- on most or some or none or all of the nights that you stayed at his house, did he do the things that you've told the ladies and gentlemen of the jury that he did, that is, kiss you on the shoulders, tickle you, rub your stomach, blow on your stomach, and touch your penis?
 - A. Most, like practically all.
- Q. Were you even mad then? Were you mad at him then?
- 23 A. No.
 - Q. Are you mad at him now?
- 25 A. Yes, I'm infuriated right now.

- Are you just mad or is there something 1 Q. else? 2
 - I'm mad. I'm enraged. I'm hurt. Α.
 - Why are you hurt? Ο.
 - Because he could just forget about me Α. like I was nothing after I got sent away. got sent away and that was it, no more Jerry.
 - Q. Did you still care about him when you were in your group home?
 - I would pray he would call me Yes. and maybe find a way to get me out of there, adopt me or something. That never happened.
- Now, Jason, I want to just ask you a few more questions. Did you go looking to tell 14 the police about what happened to you?
- 16 Α. No.

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- And did the police come to you?
- 18 Α. Yes.
- And when they found you, did you want 19 Q. to talk to them? 20
- 21 Α. No.
- 22 Ο. Did you tell them everything that happened the first time you talked to them? 23
- Α. 24 No.
- 25 Why not? Q.

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             THE COURT: Mr. Amendola.
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            MR. AMENDOLA: Thank you, Your Honor.
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    BY MR. AMENDOLA:
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            Mr. Simcisko, my name is Joe Amendola.
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    I represent Mr. Sandusky. I'm going to ask you
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    some questions. If you're not sure what I'm
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    asking you, and a lot of people get confused
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    sometimes about what I ask, but if you're not
15
    sure, let me know. I'll ask it a different
16
17
   way. Okay?
        Α.
             Okay.
18
            When were you involved in The Second
19
   Mile, about?
20
            '98 to 2001, I would say.
21
        Α.
22
        Ο.
            Do you know Brett Swisher Houtz?
23
        Α.
             Yes.
            Did you know him back then in The
24
    Second Mile during the time that you were in
25
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The Second Mile?

- A. Kind of. Like, I knew him -- like, I
- 3 never really knew him-knew him, like I knew of
- 4 | him. I've seen him around and stuff like that.
- 5 He would go to the youth center that I went to
- 6 and stuff like that, but he was older than I
- 7 | was, so I didn't spend much time with him.
- Q. To your knowledge, have you and Brett
- 9 | Swisher Houtz lived in close proximity to each
- 10 other recently?
- 11 A. Not recently, no.
- Q. Well, when I say recently, between,
- 13 for example, 2010 and 2012, earlier this year?
- 14 A. No.
- 15 Q. Spring Brae Apartments, is that where
- 16 | you lived?
- 17 A. Oh, yes.
- 18 O. Pardon me?
- 19 A. I didn't -- yeah, I didn't know he
- 20 | lived there. That was probably about four
- 21 years ago.
- Q. Okay. Let me back up then. Did you
- 23 ever live at the Spring Brae Apartments?
- 24 A. Yes, I did.
- 25 | Q. What's your recollection as to when

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you lived at Spring Brae Apartments?
             What's that?
        Α.
2
             When did you live at Spring Brae
        Q.
 3
    Apartments?
4
             Before '08. I'd say '06 to '08.
        Α.
5
             So not recently?
6
        Ο.
7
             No, not recently.
        Α.
        Ο.
             If records show that you lived there
8
    recently, they would be incorrect?
9
             That would be incorrect.
10
        Α.
             Now, you indicated in response to a
11
        0.
    question by Mr. McGettigan that when you were
12
13
    first interviewed by the police, that you
    didn't tell them that anything inappropriately
14
15
   had gone on between you and Mr. Sandusky?
             MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                               Objection.
16
                                           That
   misstates the question and answer, Your Honor.
17
    My question was did he tell them everything, I
18
   believe.
19
             THE COURT:
                         I'm sorry?
20
21
             MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                               My question was, I
22
   believe, did he tell them everything, I
   believe.
23
             MR. AMENDOLA:
                             I'll ask it another
24
25
    way, Judge.
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BY MR. AMENDOLA:
1
             Do you recall the first time you spoke
2
    with police about this issue?
3
        Α.
             Yes.
 4
             Do you recall it was in July of 2011,
5
    the summer of 2011?
6
             Somewhere around there.
7
        Α.
        Q.
             And do you recall who you spoke with?
8
             Yes, Officer --
        Α.
9
             Was it Mark Yakicic?
10
        Q.
11
        Α.
             Yes.
             And I'm probably butchering the name.
        Ο.
12
13
    I apologize, but --
        Α.
             Yes, him and his brother.
14
             Pardon me?
15
        O.
             Yes, him and his brother.
16
        Α.
             If you can just speak into the mic a
        Ο.
17
    little bit. I'm having --
18
             Yes, him and his brother.
19
        Α.
        Ο.
             Robert?
                       Bob?
20
             I don't remember.
        Α.
21
             Now, during that interview, did you
22
        Ο.
    tell them that nothing inappropriate ever
23
    happened between you and Mr. Sandusky?
24
25
        Α.
             Yes.
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Did you tell them that you could not 1 Q. believe that charges were filed against him and 2 he was arrested? 3 Α. No. 4 Did you tell them that you hoped he 5 was found not guilty? 6 7 Α. No. Q. Did you tell them that Mr. Sandusky 8 had inappropriately touched you? 9 Α. No. 10 Did you tell them that anything 11 inappropriate had happened between you and Mr. 12 13 Sandusky? Α. 14 No. 15 Are you represented by an attorney now, a civil attorney? 16 17 Α. Yes. Do you understand that in a criminal 18 Ο. process it's the government attorneys who 19 usually, generally, represent complaining 20 21 witnesses, people who are witnesses for the 22 government? 23 Α. Yes. Can you tell us when you hired private 24 Q.

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counsel?

- A. I didn't really hire them. Well, they approached me because they were representing someone else.
 - Q. To your knowledge who were they representing?
 - A. Dustin.

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- O. Dustin Struble?
- A. Dustin Struble, yes.
- 9 Q. And your testimony is they approached 10 you?
- 11 A. Yes, they approached me.
- 12 O. What did they --
- A. I was a witness for something or
 another. They approached me, called me in, had
 a talk with me, and then asked me if I would
 like to be represented, and I said sure.
- 17 | That's it.
 - Q. When did they approach you?
- A. Later on after the -- after the preliminary hearing or -- yeah, it was after the preliminary hearing.
- Q. Was it after that July 1st interview in 2011 with the state troopers or the agents from the Attorney General's Office?
- 25 A. I can't recall. It was -- it was a

- 1 | while back, but I can't recall exactly when.
- Q. You're not sure whether it was before or after you made that first statement that nothing happened between you and Mr. Sandusky?
 - A. It was before -- or it was after the grand jury and it was after the preliminary hearing.
- Q. Now, which preliminary hearing was that?
- 10 A. The one that was, like, kind of 11 canceled here. I was going to come here and 12 the -- for the -- I don't remember, but --
 - Q. How many times have you met with those attorneys since they approached you about representing you?
 - A. I met with them six times.
 - Q. And have you met with them?
- 18 A. Yes.

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- Q. Have they talked to you about your testimony?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. What you're going to say in court?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. Have you paid them any money between the first time that they approached you and

today? 1 What's that? Α. 2 Have you paid them any money? Have 3 Q. they given you any fee statements and asked you 4 for money? 5 Α. No. 6 7 Have you signed any agreements with 8 them in terms of their representation? Α. Yes. 9 Do you know what the agreement says, 10 Q. what the conditions are of that agreement? 11 THE COURT: The answer was no. 12 13 BY MR. AMENDOLA: Oh. Oh, you haven't signed an 14 15 agreement. I'm sorry. 16 Α. Oh, no. You -- just so I'm sure, is your 17 testimony you have not signed any agreement 18 with them? 19 I thought I saw -- or signed 20 something. I signed -- I signed the paper, but 21 22 I don't know. I don't remember what it was. You signed the paper? 23 Ο. 24 Α. Yes. 25 Do you have a copy of that paper? Q.

- 1 A. Yes, at home.
- Q. Have you ever heard the phrase
- 3 | "contingency fee agreement?"
- 4 A. What's that?
 - Q. Contingency fee agreement?
- 6 A. No.

- Q. But your testimony is today you signed some paper?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. You have a copy a home?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. And you've never paid these attorneys
- 13 any money?
- A. I've never paid them, no.
- Q. Are they in court today?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. Now, today you indicated in your
- 18 testimony on direct examination by Mr.
- 19 McGettigan that Mr. Sandusky at times kissed
- 20 your shoulder?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. Do you recall prior to today ever
- 23 telling anybody that information before?
- 24 A. No.
- 25 Q. That was new today?

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It was just today -- well, I mean, I
1
    told -- okay. I told my lawyers and I told
2
    Joe, but no one else --
3
             When did you tell your lawyers and --
        Ο.
             -- friends and family.
        Α.
5
             -- Joe, meaning Mr. McGettigan, that?
6
        0.
             What's that?
7
        Α.
        Q.
             How long ago did you tell Mr.
8
    McGettigan and your lawyers that?
9
             Like the first time we met.
10
        Α.
             And when was that?
11
        Ο.
             Back in January.
        Α.
12
13
        Ο.
             I'm sorry.
                         When?
        Α.
             Back in January, I think.
14
15
        Q.
             Of this year?
16
        Α.
             February maybe.
             Of this year?
        Q.
17
             Yes.
18
        Α.
             And today you indicated -- and again I
        Q.
19
    had some difficulty hearing you -- but
20
21
    something about washing his butt in the shower?
             Washing my butt.
22
        Α.
             Mr. Sandusky washed your butt in the
23
        0.
    shower?
24
25
        Α.
             Yes.
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Prior to today did you tell anybody
1
        Q.
    that information?
2
        Α.
             No.
3
        Ο.
             No?
             Well, I'm -- yes, Joe. I told Joe and
        Α.
5
    I told my attorneys, but I had not told family
6
7
    or friends. I've told -- everything that I've
    said today, I've told him before.
8
        Ο.
             Back in January?
9
10
        Α.
             Yes.
11
        Q.
             But before January had you told
    anybody?
12
13
        Α.
             No, I had not told anybody.
        Ο.
             And in January you had these attorneys
14
15
    who --
16
        Α.
             Well, I mean, I told them at the grand
    jury.
17
             You told the grand jury that?
18
        Q.
             Yes.
19
        Α.
             You're sure about that?
20
        Q.
        Α.
             I told some of it to the grand jury,
21
    what I recalled back then.
22
             And you told the attorneys who
23
    approached you to represent you -- you told
24
25
    them that, too?
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1 A. Yes.

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- Q. Now, today I believe you said that you were over at the Sanduskys' house 50 times or so?
 - A. Somewhere around there.
 - Q. Do you recall testifying before the grand jury in this matter?
 - A. (No response.)
 - Q. And the grand jury testimony would have been on August 18, 2011.
- 11 A. Yes, I --
- Q. And I'm -- yeah, I'm not asking you for the exact date. I wouldn't remember it, either.
 - A. I was at the grand jury, yes.
 - Q. Do you recall telling the grand jury attorney from the Attorney General's Office when asked how many times did you stay over at the Sanduskys' house, you said upper 20s?
 - A. Yes, but then I thought about it more, like, everything -- everything that's coming out now is because I thought about it more. I tried to block this out of my brain for years.
- Q. Did you indicate -- and again I had some difficulty hearing you at times, but --

- and I apologize if I misheard you. Did you 1 indicate you were in counseling or something or 2
- had had counseling when you were younger? 3
- Α. I had the Big Brother Big Sister 4 5 program.
- Okay. Prior to telling the police --6 Ο. not on the first time, because the first time
- in July of 2011 you said nothing happened 8
- between you and Mr. Sandusky, but after that --9
- prior to telling the police or the attorneys 10
- 11 for the Commonwealth that something -- or your
- attorneys -- that something had happened, had 12
- 13 you ever told anybody that Mr. Sandusky had
- inappropriate contact with you? 14
- 15 Α. No.
- 16 When you were over at Mr. Sandusky and
- Mrs. Sandusky's house, were other kids ever 17
- there? 18

- No, not usually. Maybe once or twice, Α. 19
- but that's it. 20
- So all the other 50 or so times it was 21
- 22 just you?
- Just me and him. Α. 23
- And during those 50 or so times, did 24
- Mr. Sandusky and/or Mrs. Sandusky ever drive 25

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you places, pick you up, take you home?
1
        Α.
             Yes.
2
             Take you to football games?
 3
        Α.
             Yes.
             Did you ever see a silver-colored
5
    convertible, them driving a silver-colored
6
    convertible?
7
        Α.
             No.
8
             Well, you're making a face like that's
9
10
    like a strange --
             I can't -- I can't recall. I'm trying
11
    to recall. I've never seen a silver-colored
12
13
    convertible, no.
             Okay. All the times that you stayed
14
15
    at the Sanduskys, did Mr. Sandusky ever ask you
    to perform oral sex on him?
16
17
        Α.
             No.
             Did he ever perform oral sex on you?
18
        Ο.
        Α.
             No.
19
             It's just the kind of touching that
20
        Q.
    you're telling us about today?
21
22
        Α.
             Yes.
             Have you been in contact with Brett
23
        Ο.
    Houtz at all recently?
24
25
        Α.
             No.
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I think you indicated earlier you're
1
   currently at -- you're in the National Guard.
2
    Is that a weekend thing? That's not a full-
3
    time thing?
4
            National Guard, just a weekend thing.
5
            What's it, one weekend a month?
6
            One weekend a month and three weeks in
7
        Α.
8
    the summer.
            Summer. Yeah. I was there, too.
        Ο.
9
   remember.
10
11
            MR. AMENDOLA: Thank you. That's all
   I have.
12
13
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Very briefly on
   redirect.
14
15
                 REDIRECT EXAMINATION
   BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
16
        Q. You didn't get to go to Irag one
17
   weekend a month and a month in the summer, did
18
19
   you?
            No, no. I went to Iraq for a whole
20
       Α.
   year.
21
22
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Your Honor, may I
   approach the witness?
23
            THE COURT: (Nodding head up and
24
25
   down.)
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BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
1
             And I told you I'd show you a picture.
2
        0.
   Do you recognize the photograph there that's
3
    been marked Commonwealth's C-75?
4
             Yeah, that's me.
        Α.
5
             How old were you there?
6
        Ο.
7
            Probably around 13.
        Α.
        Q.
             Was that around the time that you were
8
    spending time with the defendant?
9
             Yes.
10
        Α.
             Okay. And it's a black-and-white
11
        Ο.
   picture?
12
13
        Α.
             Yeah.
             Do you remember me asking you if you
14
15
    could get another picture for me?
             Yeah, and I didn't -- I didn't find
16
        Α.
    any. I don't really have many pictures of me.
17
    I avoided cameras. I hated them.
18
            No pictures?
19
        Q.
        Α.
             No.
20
                    Mr. Amendola asked about --
             Okay.
21
22
    asked you about your meetings with your lawyers
    and your meetings with me. Did I ever ask you
23
    to say anything that wasn't true?
24
25
        Α.
             No.
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Q.
            Ever?
1
        Α.
            No.
2
            Did I ever ask you to say anything
3
    just because you said it before --
4
        Α.
            No.
5
        Q. -- or just because I thought it was a
6
7
    good thing or anything like that?
        Α.
8
            No.
            Okay. Did I ever ask you to say
9
    anything that made the defendant look worse,
10
    better, or different, or just ask you to say
11
    what happened?
12
13
            Just asked me to say what happened,
    and that's all I've done.
14
15
        Q.
            Is that what you've done?
16
        Α.
            Yes.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Jason, thank you very
17
   much.
18
             I have nothing further, Your Honor.
19
            MR. AMENDOLA: Nothing further, Your
20
21
   Honor.
22
             THE COURT:
                         Thank you. You can step
23
    down.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              May I see you at
24
    sidebar, Your Honor?
25
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(Whereupon, the following discussion
1
   was held at sidebar:)
2
            THE COURT: Which number is he?
3
                              Three, I believe,
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
4
   Your Honor, but I'm going to have the list --
5
            THE COURT:
                         No. 3.
6
7
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: I'll promise I'll get
    it before lunch.
8
                       Yeah, he's No. 3, or I can
            MR. FINA:
9
    just go through and tell you, but --
10
11
            MR. AMENDOLA: I'm not going to
   object. If you're going to have him mark
12
13
   things that you've marked as exhibits, I mean,
   unless we've already objected to it, I'm not
14
15
   going to object. We could even stipulate.
            MR. FINA: No, there's other stuff.
16
   want to -- I don't --
17
            MR. AMENDOLA:
18
                            Okay.
            MR. FINA:
                        I would rather -- Your
19
   Honor, could we go to lunch now? I didn't have
20
   a chance to go through the exhibits that we're
21
   going to do with the agent, and I just want to
22
   be sure there's not going to be any issues
23
   during his testimony. We only have two more
24
25
   witnesses. We're definitely going to be done
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today, so if we could just break now so I can
1
    go through every exhibit with Joe and make sure
2
    there's no problems and, if there are, we can
3
    take care of them before the witness gets on
4
    the stand. I just think that's the best way to
5
    do this.
6
            MR. AMENDOLA: And if we do it that
7
    way, Your Honor, I think you could probably
8
    tell the jury we have expectations that this
9
    will be done --
10
                         That we have what?
11
             THE COURT:
            MR. AMENDOLA: You could probably let
12
13
    the jurors know that we have expectations we're
    going to be done probably by late afternoon,
14
15
    because if we stip -- if we can resolve these
16
    exhibits.
                         That's fine.
             THE COURT:
17
            MR. FINA:
                        You know, I mean --
18
                        Do you want --
            THE COURT:
19
            MR. FINA:
                        -- if he's not going to --
20
    I don't believe --
21
22
             THE COURT:
                         Do you want an extended
    lunch hour or just --
23
                            No, I don't think --
24
            MR. AMENDOLA:
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              That might be a
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little bit convenient --
1
            MR. AMENDOLA: So --
2
            MR. FINA: Yeah --
3
            MR. AMENDOLA: Oh, okay.
4
                       Yeah, because I don't
            MR. FINA:
5
   believe that Agent Sassano would be more than
6
7
   an hour, maybe an hour and 15 minutes, and
8
    then --
                              Then I have the
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
9
   victim.
10
            MR. FINA: Then we have the victim,
11
   and that will be it.
12
13
            MR. ROMINGER: We can deal --
                              Then what?
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
14
            MR. ROMINGER: We'll have to deal with
15
16
   that --
            MR. AMENDOLA: Unless Mr. Rominger
17
   cross-examines him. It might be a little
18
    longer, Judge.
19
            THE COURT: We have to deal with --
20
            MR. ROMINGER:
                           With doing the tape,
21
22
   the tape as well, that much.
            MR. AMENDOLA:
23
                            The tapes.
    talking about the NBC --
24
25
            THE COURT: Oh, the NBC tape. Okay.
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Well, that would give us --
            MR. FINA:
1
    I guess all of us -- time to consult with the
2
   Court as well.
3
            THE COURT:
                         If you ask for a mistrial,
    I think I might have to colloquy Mr. Sandusky
5
   whether he wants to do that, because there are
6
7
   potential appealable issues now in the case
    that would be lost or potentially lost, and I
8
   would want to make sure that he understands the
9
    consequences of a new trial.
10
                            Judge, believe me when
11
            MR. AMENDOLA:
    I say the last thing I want is a mistrial.
12
13
   Then I'm caught between a rock and a hard spot.
                         No, I absolutely
            THE COURT:
14
15
   understand. All I'm saying is if we're going
    to do that, we'll have to build the time in for
16
   me to do that.
17
            MR. AMENDOLA:
                            Well, we should plan --
18
   we should at least plan on that, because that's
19
    the indication we're getting.
20
            THE COURT: Because we've got the --
21
22
   well, I'm not going to go through the issues I
    think are potential --
23
24
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              May we excuse the
25
    jury before Mr. Amendola has more to say?
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THE COURT: Yeah. 1 (End of sidebar discussion.) 2 THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen, what 3 we were just talking about here at sidebar is 4 how we can expedite this case, and I am going 5 to do another extended lunch hour today, and 6 we'll reconvene at one o'clock, and it is my 7 expectation that the Commonwealth will conclude 8 its case this afternoon, so they need --9 counsel need a little bit of time to work out 10 11 what are called stipulations or agreements about the admission of certain evidence that 12 13 you'll hear this afternoon. If they can work that out, then there's a very good likelihood 14 that we will conclude the Commonwealth's case 15 this afternoon, and then I'll tell you about 16 the consequences of that afterwards if that 17 actually happens. Okay. So we'll remain 18 seated while you're taken out and we'll plan on 19 one o'clock to reconvene. 20 (Whereupon, the jury exited the 21 22 courtroom.) THE COURT: We will be in recess until 23 one o'clock. 24 25 (Whereupon, a luncheon recess was

taken.) 1 THE COURT: You may be seated. 2 afternoon. 3 (Whereupon, the jury entered the 4 courtroom.) 5 There's a couple things 6 THE COURT: 7 that I just need to explain. I think to put some of this little background information 8 about how these trials work, some sort of 9 context for you, every once in a while you may 10 see me look to the back of the courtroom and 11 There's a guy on a camera back there smile. 12 13 that has a big sign that says, "Turn on your microphone." And every once in a while I 14 15 forget to do it, because when the lawyers come 16 to the bench, I'm supposed to turn it off, and then I forget to turn it back on. So that's 17 what that big orange sign means. That way --18 there is another courtroom across the street 19 where some members of the media are working, 20 and they can hear. Otherwise, if I don't have 21 22 that microphone on, they can't hear. So that's what that's all about. 23 The second is that there are things 24 25 that arise during the course of a trial that

So when

are unexpected and unanticipated. These are 1 not scripted events. These are real people and 2 sometimes things happen that we don't plan and 3 anticipate. And the way I normally try to work 4 this out is to make sure that we are solving 5 these problems over the noon hour so that it 6 doesn't extend the day for you. Occasionally, 7 it happens that those problems can't be worked 8 out in an hour. Some things were worked out 9 over the noon hour regarding the admission of 10 exhibits, which will substantially speed things 11 along, but there was another issue that it was 12 13 important that we talk about and I want to explain that to you now. 14 15 Yesterday afternoon you heard an audio of a television interview. There were, in that 16 audio, some errors. And the Commonwealth 17 presented this in a way that they did not catch 18

21 transcript of the correct version of that audio

you go out to deliberate, there's going to be a

22 that you heard. So it will be critically

that those errors were in that audio.

23 | important that you rely -- that your memory is

24 based on the transcript, the correct

19

20

25 transcript, rather than the audio, which was

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erroneous.
                Okay. I'm not going to tell you
1
    what the errors were. I'm not going to replay
2
    it again. We're not going to do that.
3
    transcript is what you'll rely on. Okay. All
4
    right.
5
            Mr. McGettigan, go ahead.
6
7
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: I'm going to defer to
8
   my colleague, Mr. Fina.
             THE COURT: Mr. Fina.
9
                              Thank you, Your
10
             MR. MCGETTIGAN:
11
    Honor.
            MR. FINA:
                        Thank you, Your Honor.
12
                                                 The
13
    Commonwealth calls Anthony Sassano to the
14
    stand.
15
        Whereupon,
16
                    ANTHONY SASSANO
    called as a witness and having been duly sworn,
17
    was examined and testified as follows:
18
                   DIRECT EXAMINATION
19
   BY MR. FINA:
20
21
        Ο.
            Are you ready?
22
        Α.
             I am.
             Can you state your name for the record
        Ο.
23
    and can you spell it as well, your last name?
24
25
        Α.
            Anthony Sassano, S-A-S-S-A-N-O.
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- Q. And what is your current occupation, sir?
- A. I'm an agent with the Attorney
 General's Office.
 - Q. And how long have you been so employed?
 - A. Approximately 12 years.

- Q. And before you were an agent with the Office of Attorney General, what was your employment?
- A. I was employed with the City of
 Altoona Police Department for 20 years, the
 last 13 as a detective.
 - Q. Okay. And can you give us a brief recitation of the type of cases and work you did when you were an Altoona police officer?
 - A. Well, the first seven years, when I was patrol, whatever radio call I got we responded to, anything from a broken window to a homicide. Auto accidents were in there, too, burglaries, thefts, whatever. Whenever a person called in 911 and needed assistance, I responded to this. Subsequently, upon promotion to the rank of detective, I conducted

follow-up investigations on similar crimes of

- the Crimes Code, could be criminal mischief up to criminal homicide.
 - Q. Did you investigate sexual assaults as part of your police work with the Altoona
 Police Department?
- 6 A. I did.

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- Q. And as an agent with the Office of Attorney General, have you conducted various forms of grand jury investigations?
- 10 A. Yes, I have, numerous ones.
- Q. And various forms of complex investigations?
- 13 A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Now, before you were a cop, tell us
 what your education was.
- A. Altoona Area High School graduate and a 1975 graduate of the Penn State University.
- Q. Did there come a time in your
 employment with the Office of Attorney General
 that you were assigned to this matter?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. Do you remember exactly -- do you remember approximately when that was?
- A. April, May of 2009, somewhere in that area. I think May.

- Q. Okay. And was this investigation
 being conducted just by the Office of Attorney
 General or was it being conducted jointly with
 another law-enforcement agency?
 - A. It was a joint mutual investigation with the Pennsylvania State Police.
 - Q. And has it remained joint and mutual since that time?
 - A. It has, yes.

- Q. Can you tell us how this case began, what prompted this investigation?
- A. The investigation was prompted on or about December of 2008, I think December 12th, at which time Trooper Joe Cavanaugh of the Pennsylvania State Police Lamar Barracks, which is up near Lock Haven, participated in an interview of Aaron Fisher in which allegations were made of sexual contact with that man right there (indicating) with the gray hair, Jerry Sandusky.
- Q. Okay. And that's the same Aaron Fisher who testified here in court?
 - A. Yes, it is.
- Q. Did there come a time after Mr. Fisher
 first came forward that this matter came to the

Office of Attorney General? Was it a case that 1 we automatically were involved in? 2

- Α. No, we didn't have primary jurisdiction. The state police did. At least it was believed that they did initially. The offenses were learned to have been committed in College Township here in Centre County, but the state police nonetheless kept the case.
- And under a normal circumstance would the Office of the District Attorney have handled the sexual assault in Centre County?
 - Yes, they would have.
- But did something happen that resulted in it coming to the Office of Attorney General?
- Α. Yes, the District Attorney at that time had a conflict of interest with the case, so it was transferred to our office for prosecution.
- After it was transferred to our Ο. office, did there come a time when it was placed in the grand jury?
 - Α. Yes.

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- Do you remember approximately when 0. that was? 24
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- of April, beginning of May, at or about the time I was assigned to the case, but I don't think we testified for the first time until
- Q. So approximately six or eight months
 later, after Mr. Fisher's initial allegations,
 ti went into the grand jury?
- 8 A. Yes, it did.

June of 2009.

- Q. Now, can you tell us, after it went into the grand jury, whether or not a lead or a discovery led you and other investigators to Mr. McQueary?
- A. Yes, there was something that broke that led us to Mr. McQueary. Do you want me to explain that.
 - Q. Yeah, can you describe that for us?
 - A. An anonymous e-mail was sent to Centre County District Attorney Stacy Parks Miller. She forwarded that to the trooper I was working with at the time, Scott Rossman, and he forwarded it to me. And essentially that e-mail indicated from an anonymous individual that -- reference to the Sandusky investigation -- we needed to speak to Mike McQueary, that he

25 had some information.

- 1 Q. And did that subsequently occur?
- 2 A. It did.

- Q. Can you briefly tell us what other efforts were being made during the investigation to identify other potential victims?
- A. Surveillance was conducted of Mr. Sandusky at certain points in time.

 Additionally, other doors were knocked upon to try to find other victims that were in the case. It was a daunting task to try to get other victims to come forward.
 - Q. And why was that?
- A. To get -- well, everyone here saw these young men testify. Let's go back three years. Aaron, for example, was 15. Another individual who will testify later was 14, 15, and to get them to admit to having been sexually abused by a man and for them to perform sex acts on that man was a daunting task, to get them to admit to that. It's not something -- it would be just like I wouldn't want to sit here and discuss with you my sexual experiences, and I'm sure none of you would want to sit here and discuss your sexual

experiences. 1 Well, what about the challenge posed Ο. 2 by even identifying names, of identifying 3 people to talk to? 4 That was difficult also, yes. Α. 5 And why was that? 6 0. 7 This -- through the investigation we Α. 8 determined that this had been going on for a long period of time. It was kept very 9 secretive, of course, and people wanted to 10 maintain that secret, I believe. 11 Well, let's talk a little bit about 12 13 The Second Mile. Can you give us a feel for how many children were involved in The Second 14 15 Mile program over the years? According to them, hundreds of 16 Α. thousands per year. Now, they include whenever 17 they pass out these little football cards or 18 whatever as children being treated in the 19 20 program. 21 THE COURT: Counsel, could you 22 approach the bench, please? (Whereupon, the following discussion 23

THE COURT: Let's not blow this case

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             THE COURT: Do you need to approach
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             (Whereupon, Mr. Fina conferred with
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            MR. FINA:
                        Thank you, Judge.
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    BY MR. FINA:
            Agent Sassano, did the Office of
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    Attorney General and the Pennsylvania State
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    Police obtain lists of the children who had
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    attended Second Mile camps?
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    to identify who on those lists would be
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- and divided those individuals up and divided up the interviews, and we went out and interviewed all those people.
 - Q. Can you tell us what efforts were made through photographic means?
- A. Well, at one point in time we obtained the book *Touched*, and in that book there are several photographs, and from those photographs we were able to identify a couple individuals and eventually got to interview those individuals.
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- A. That's -- I think it's an autobiography. It's definitely a book written by Mr. Sandusky.
 - Q. Okay. And that book contained photographs?
 - A. Yes, numerous photographs, yes.
 - Q. And is it my understanding that lawenforcement identified the -- tried to identify the other people, specifically the children in the photographs with the defendant?
 - A. That's correct.
- Q. And then, after they would be identified, interviews would be attempted?

- 1 A. Yes, that's correct.
 - Q. Was that same type of effort performed with other photographs that were acquired?
 - A. It was, yes.

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- Q. And where would other photographs be acquired from?
- 7 Chronologically -- well, the various Α. kids who are now young men that we talked to 8 had photographs. They would provide us with 9 information, who the kids were, the other kids 10 11 were, in the photographs. Eventually, a search warrant was obtained. We obtained photographs 12 13 from Mr. Sandusky's house. Additionally, not too long ago, actually, we obtained a bunch of 14 15 photographs from the Pennsylvania State 16 University which were kept in a storage room that had Mr. Sandusky's abandoned office 17 supplies. 18
 - Q. Were leads developed that led you to, for example, the janitors, to interview janitors?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. Can you describe that for us?
- A. Well, after McQueary we decided to see if there were any other events that occurred on

Penn State property, so we went to The
Pennsylvania State University Police Department
and asked them to do a search of their records,

4 and that led us to the Zach Konstas report.

What was the rest of your question?

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Janitors. We all sat down and Α. brainstormed about it and who would be in the building on off-hours. We saw two events with Constance and with McQueary that happened on nonpeak hours in the Lasch Building or the East Area Locker Building. They were in the evening. No one was around, so who would be around typically? Janitors. So we started going to the janitors, plus Mr. Petrosky called in, and we canvassed quite a few janitors who we were able to determine worked in the East Area Locker Room. Now, once again, in order to obtain the employee's names, we issued subpoenas to Penn State. And Penn State, to be quite frank, was not very quick in getting us our information.

Q. Would information also be acquired from word-of-mouth? When an interview would be conducted of a young man, would he lead you to

Yes, it would be. Jason Simcisko Α. 2 comes to mind with that. I interviewed an 3 individual in the Port Matilda area and he 4 indicated nothing happened to him, but he 5 suggested we go talk to Jason Simcisko. 6 7 MR. ROMINGER: Objection. That's 8 hearsay. MR. FINA: It's not being offered for 9 the truth, just --10 11 THE COURT: Overruled. THE WITNESS: He suggested we talk to 12 13 Jason Simcisko because he said Jason spent a lot of time with Mr. Sandusky. 14 BY MR. FINA: 15 16 And was that fairly common in the course of this investigation? 17 Α. It was. It wasn't always fruitful, 18 but it was common that would happen and we'd 19 follow up on those leads. 20 Let's talk a little bit about the 21 Lasch Building and the locker that's been the 22 subject of a great many of the discussions 23 24 here. 25 Α. Okay.

other leads?

- Q. Have you been in that building in the course of your investigation?
 - A. I have, numerous times.

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- Q. Okay. Can you describe for us briefly the locker room in question in this case?
- There's two -- there's three locker Α. rooms, one for the football players, but that's completely out of play in this discussion. other two are the coaches' locker room and the staff locker room. Whenever you enter the front door of that building, which is all enclosed in glass, you walk through double-The first locker room -- and there's a long corridor down the middle of the building. The first locker room on your left is the coaches' locker room. That's where all the -even assistants -- well, they're mostly all assistants except for the head coach -- so all the coaches have their lockers in there.

The next locker room you run into is the assistant or the staff locker room. I apologize for that. It's a staff locker room in which people like the equipment manager, trainers, graduate assistants, staff such as -- that are affiliated with the program but aren't

coaches out on the field -- that's where they
have a locker. So if they choose to work out,
they can change there.

- Q. And the shower that is contained in that locker room, can you tell us approximately how big it is?
- A. Thirteen feet by nine feet -- or, I'm sorry, by six feet. It's not very big. It has three showerheads on the back wall and one showerhead on each side wall.
- Q. And we've seen photographs of that shower and that locker room, but let me ask you, in terms of its size and visibility, if someone were to stand, say, in front of that shower, not within the shower, but in front of it, could that person see anybody else in that locker room?
- A. Yes, they could. The shower -- the pictures sort of didn't do it justice. The shower is extremely bright. It has multiple lights all over the place. Basically, the floor and the walls are essentially light-colored, white with blue trim. It's very bright in there.
 - Q. The players' locker room, just for a

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point of comparison, what would be the size
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   differential? And I'm not asking for a square
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            The players' locker room is huge.
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    on the football team, and each of them have a
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    feet. I could be wrong on that, but it's very,
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   very big compared to this locker room, which is
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   doors, then it expands right and left maybe 30
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    it's made for a much smaller group of people,
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            Now let me ask you about the Sandusky
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    the Sandusky residence?
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            130 Grandview Road, State College, PA,
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    in College Township.
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- Q. -- without square footage or anything, just a description of the home?
- It's a two, two-and-a-half story 3 I would call it colonial. Whenever you 4 walk into the front door, immediately to your 5 left there's a bedroom and then there's a long 6 corridor back to the kitchen, and off to your 7 right is the living room. They used to call 8 it, in my day, a parlor. I don't know what 9 they call it now, sort of a seating area up 10 towards the front. The kitchen is in the back, 11 and attached to the kitchen in the back is a 12 13 family room or a rec room, basically a den or a lounge, something like that. In other words 14 15 there was a couch there, a TV, a fireplace. 16 Off to your left also is a two-car garage. Also, when you enter -- there's a bathroom down 17 there also -- and when you enter, the steps are 18 in front of you, a little off to your left, and 19 you go upstairs. I believe there's four 20 21 bedrooms upstairs and I know at least one bath,
 - Q. Did you go down into the basement?

I'm not real clear on that.

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Q. Can you describe that?

Α. Yes. When you go into that front 1 door, you walk the whole way to the back of the 2 house where the kitchen is, and then there's a 3 set of steps, which typical houses have one set 4 of steps that goes up to the basement and ones 5 go -- are in the same direction, but could go 6 the opposite way. So that set of steps from 7 the kitchen goes towards the front of the 8 And if I went down the last step of the 9 house, the front wall of the house is here 10 (indicating), and I believe there's a utility 11 room off to my right. If I were to circle 12 around to my left -- which I can't go further 13 to the front -- if I circled around to my left, 14 15 you're basically in an arcade or a family room. There's a couch there and there's a lot of 16 games for people to play, video games, things 17 of that nature. If you were to sort of circle 18 back around again over to my right, which I 19 hope you can follow me on all this, is a 20 bedroom with a waterbed in it. 21 Let me ask you about the search 22 warrant -- well, let me ask you this. Did you 23 conduct a search warrant at the home of the 24

defendant?

- 1 A. Yes, we did.
- Q. And approximately when did that take place?
- 4 A. June 21, 2011.
- 5 MR. FINA: Your Honor, may I approach?
- 6 THE COURT: Yes.
- 7 BY MR. FINA:
- Q. Now, sir, I want to go through some of
- 9 the materials that were recovered from the
- 10 defendant's home.
- 11 A. Okay.
- Q. If you look under the first green tab
- 13 there, there's a group of documents.
- 14 A. Paper-clipped together?
- 0. I believe so. I believe so.
- 16 A. Okay.
- Q. Now, were photographs found at the
- 18 | defendant's home?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. And without describing all of them,
- 21 | were some of them victims in this case?
- 22 A. They were, yes.
- Q. And looking at C-39 through, I
- 24 | believe, C-47, what can you tell us about those
- 25 | photographs?

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             They're photographs of Aaron Fisher at
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   various sporting events and in a residence I
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   believe to be Mr. Sandusky's residence.
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            And these were all recovered from his
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            MR. FINA: Your Honor, may I publish
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    exhibits that you've agreed on are not
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   problematic, correct, Mr. Amendola?
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            MR. AMENDOLA: Yes, Your Honor.
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            MR. FINA:
                        That's Commonwealth's 39,
    Commonwealth's 40.
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   published to the jury.)
   BY MR. FINA:
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             Is that picture within the Sandusky
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   home, sir?
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             It appears to be Aaron with wet hair,
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    the dog, and Mr. Sandusky in this residence,
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A. Aaron and another individual I know
with an adult that I don't know seem to be at a
stadium, most likely a football game.
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- Q. Forty-three?
- A. Aaron at a wrestling match.
- 6 Q. Forty-four?

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- A. Aaron competing in the high jump at a track meet.
- Q. Do you know -- was this photograph in an album or was this on the defendant's computer? Do you know?
- 12 A. Photo album. It could have been on 13 his computer, too, a duplicate, but these were 14 in a photo album.
 - Q. Forty-five?
- 16 A. Same thing, Aaron at a track meet.
- 17 Q. Forty-six.
- 18 A. Once again, Aaron at a track meet.
- 19 Q. And 47?
- A. Aaron and a dog, I believe at Mr.
- 21 | Sandusky's residence.
- Q. Do these photographs account for all of the photographs of Mr. Fisher that were found at the defendant's home?
- 25 A. No.

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Do you recollect approximately how
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   many photographs of Mr. Fisher there were found
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    at the defendant's home?
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   but I can't give you a specific number.
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    alleged victims found at Mr. Sandusky's home?
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             I believe there were, yes.
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             The next document there, sir, can you
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    identify that for us, after the photographs?
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             Exhibit 78?
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             THE COURT: Seventy-eight? Is that
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    one that we had discussed earlier?
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             MR. FINA: No, Your Honor.
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                        I can assure you those have
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    all been extracted.
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             THE COURT:
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    BY MR. FINA:
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            Can you identify Commonwealth's 78,
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   me as camper lists. That's a list of kids who
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   participated in Second Mile camps, I believe,
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    at Penn State University. It says "University
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    Park, Boys, Week 1." There's no date on that
    one list. And the second list is "University
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    Park, Boys, Week 2, July 31st to August 5,
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             Starting with the first -- where was
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    this document found, sir?
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             In Mr. Sandusky's -- or I'm sorry,
    this is from the search warrant at his
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    residence.
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            Was this found on a computer? Was it
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    electronic data or was it found as a copy?
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             It was a paper copy found in a closet,
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    I believe, in a briefcase or with other
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   documents.
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                        Your Honor, may I publish?
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             MR. FINA:
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             THE COURT:
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    to the jury.)
    BY MR. FINA:
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- Q. Sir, is this the first page of the document?
- 3 A. Yes, it is.
- Q. And is it a simple listing of names, alphabetically, with addresses?
 - A. Yes, but there's a little more.
- Q. If we can go to, I think, page 6, on page 6 of the document, sir, is there a particular name that is noteworthy?
- 10 A. A name that what?
- 11 Q. That is noteworthy?
- 12 A. Yes, Sabastian Paden, the top middle.
- 13 O. And who is that?
- 14 A. He'll be testifying next.
- Q. There's handwritten markings next to that name, correct?
- A. Yes, there's stars or asterisks, two
 of them, right beside that name.
- Q. If you would then go to AF-9, sir,
- 20 page 9, and is this another list that was
- 21 found?

- 22 A. Yes.
- 0. And what's the date on this one?
- A. July 31st to August 5th of 2005.
- Q. And if I can refer you to the next

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page, is there a name on that page that's
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   noteworthy?
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    Fisher is highlighted by a star or asterisk.
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    list, sir --
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             THE COURT: Just for purposes of
    clarification, I think the original document
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    doesn't actually have it highlighted in yellow,
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    correct? It's just a star --
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            MR. FINA:
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             THE COURT: -- but the document
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            MR. FINA:
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   Honor.
           There it is without the highlight, Your
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   Honor.
    BY MR. FINA:
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            Do you see the next list, sir?
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            Yes, I do.
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            And where was this list found?
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    Sandusky's residence.
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    list, if we may enlarge it, Your Honor, so it
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    can be read. I'll get out of his way.
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- 1 name Sabastian Paden on this list, on page 2?
- 2 A. On AF9-010, yes, it is.
- Q. And is there just a small marking next to that name?
- A. Yes, there's a dash beside that name.
- Q. Now, at the top of the page, is there a handwritten name?
- A. Yes, Sabastian Paden, and in
 parentheses, Angela. I know Angela to be his
 mother. And then his phone number at that time
 is also written there.
- MR. FINA: Go to the next page, Mark.
- 13 BY MR. FINA:

- Q. Sir, going to the next page on this list, the fourth name from the bottom --
- A. Yes, I see Aaron Fisher's name there with a dash beside it.
- Q. And if you move across that row, was that his address at the time?
 - A. I believe so, yes.
- 21 Q. And then is there a name written in?
- A. On the far right-hand corner, his
 mother's name is Dawn, and I believe that says
 Dawn.
- 25 Q. Now, if you'll go to the last page of

that exhibit, is there handwriting in the lower
right-hand portion of that document?

A. Yes, sir.

- Q. And what does it look to be? What does it look to say?
- Up in the top of that -- where the handwriting section is -- in the bottom righthand corner is the name Sabastian, medium, 9 And then if we go down three more names -- I'm sorry -- yeah, to the fourth name, so go down three names to the fourth name, Aaron, medium, 9, and there's other names written in there also.
 - Q. Sir, if we can go to the next document, in the course of the investigation, were you led to look at a Sports Illustrated magazine?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. Can you tell us about that?
 - A. Brett Swisher Houtz had told us he was in a Sports Illustrated magazine with Mr. Sandusky from the time period in which he was in a lot of contact with Mr. Sandusky. He had the copy of that at his residence and he provided it to us for safekeeping, and these

- 1 are photographs of the cover of the magazine
- 2 | and items inside the magazine -- or an article
- 3 inside the magazine.
- Q. Is this the cover of that magazine?
- 5 A. Yes, it is.
- 6 Q. Next page.
- 7 A. And that's dated December 20, 1999.
- Q. Is this a copy of the first page of the article therein?
- 10 A. Yes, it is.
- Q. And is there handwriting or any kind
- 12 of notation on this article?
- 13 A. Yes.
- 14 Q. Is the notation signed by Jerry
- 15 | Sandusky?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. Next page.
- 18 A. This is a photograph. I believe this
- 19 one also appeared in the book Touched, a black-
- 20 and-white copy, I know -- I think -- and
- 21 | immediately to the front, in the gold or
- 22 | yellow-colored jersey, is Brett Swisher Houtz
- 23 -- Houtz. I'm sorry.
- Q. Is this the type of photograph that
- 25 | investigators would use additionally to try to

identify other children?

was December 26th.

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- A. Yes, this is a typical example.
- Q. Move to the next document, sir. Can you tell us what this is? It's marked
 Commonwealth 14.
- Bear with me a second. What this is 6 -- either -- on November 4th of 2011, when it 7 was announced in the media that we were going 8 to arrest Mr. Sandusky, I went home after work 9 that day and was watching Channel -- the WTAJ 10 Channel 10 News, and they talked about the 11 arrest and they showed this highlight clip of 12 13 Mr. Sandusky on the sideline. And as it flashed through the screen, which I rec --14 15 anyway, when it flashed through the screen, I recognized Brett Fisher Houtz -- Swisher Houtz 16 -- standing right along the sideline at a game 17 immediately behind Mr. Sandusky. Now, in all 18 fairness, Mr. Sandusky was to the right, and in 19 the video clip he was moving to the left, so 20 initially he wasn't in front of Mr. Swisher 21 Houtz, and I was able to determine that this 22 was at the 1999 Alamo Bowl in San Antonio, 23 Texas. I believe the actual date of the game 24

- Q. Was a copy of that clip obtained?
 - A. Yes, via subpoena we obtained a copy of the clip and were able to make -- take one picture, which is before us here today.
 - O. This is a still --
 - A. From that clip.

- Q. -- from that clip?
- A. Yes, it's a still from the clip. I
 believe Mr. Swisher Houtz is highly
 recognizable.
- Q. Was other evidence acquired showing that Mr. Swisher Houtz had attended both the Alamo Bowl and the Outback Bowl with Mr. Sandusky?
- 15 A. Yes, it was.
 - Q. Can you tell us how those efforts were pursued?
 - A. We obtained copies of e-mails, various individuals at Penn State's computers, and one of those individuals is -- I believe he was titled Director of Football Operations at the time. His name is Tom Venturino. He has since been moved to another employment capacity. And anyway, on his computer was the itinerary for both the 1999 Outback Bowl and the 1999 Alamo

- Bowl that I just referred to in that photograph

 or by that photograph.
 - Q. The document before you marked as Commonwealth's Exhibit 80, are those the copies of both those itineraries?
- A. Yes, they appear to be the copies of the itineraries off Mr. Venturino's computer.
 - Q. I'm now displaying -- is that the first page of the itinerary for the Outback Bowl?
- 11 A. Yes.

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- Q. And it reads 1998-1999 Outback Bowl?
- 13 A. Yes, it does, departure itinerary.
- 14 Mr. Venturino has it down -- a bus from
- 15 | football building to the airport, the airport
- 16 | plane list. If you're going to go through
- 17 | everything, which I assume you are, you'll see
- 18 he has a it pretty well documented.
- Q. We'll just show some samples here,
- 20 | sir. I'd take you to page 8.
- A. Okay. Mr. Sandusky's name is there
- 22 approximately in the middle, to the left.
- Q. If you go across from his name, what
- 24 | is the notation in the far right column?
- 25 A. He was requesting a cot for his room

- at the game -- or in the hotel in Florida.

 Q. Jump ahead to page 13. This is
- entitled "Bus Passenger List" from the Outback
- 4 | Bowl, correct?
- 5 A. Yes, sir.
- 6 Q. Going down the first column --
- 7 A. Approximately in the middle of the 8 page.
- 9 Q. Do you see the names Dottie Sandusky
 10 and Brett Swisher?
- 11 A. I do.
- Q. Next page is the plane list, Mr.
- 13 Swisher again listed as the 13th passenger
- 14 | there?
- A. He is, and Dottie is No. 12.
- Q. And are there similar documents and
- 17 lists contained in the Alamo Bowl documents?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. The Alamo Bowl was in 1999, in
- 20 December of 1999, correct?
- 21 A. Yes, it was.
- Q. Go to the next document. Was there an
- 23 investigation conducted, sir, as to the date
- 24 | that Mr. McQueary allegedly observed what he
- 25 observed in the Lasch Building?

A. Yes.

- Q. Can you describe for us one of the efforts that was made regarding what Mr.

 McQueary alleged he was watching on television that night?
- A. Yes, Mr. McQueary advised he was watching a television program on one of the cable channels, definitely he indicated not a video or -- I guess there were DVDs back then. I'm not sure. Not a VHS tape, definitely a television program, and he indicated he was watching the movie *Rudy*, which got him, in his words, quote, "fired up," and he went into work.
 - Q. So what did you do to try to track this down, to try to verify what the date might have been?
 - A. I bought 20 television guides, basically 10 covering February through March of 2001, then another 10. Of course, they bleed over a little bit -- another 10 from February to March of 2002, and I searched through those, looking for the movie *Rudy* on a cable network channel as opposed to a CBS or NBC affiliate.
 - Q. In Commonwealth's Exhibit 82, which TV

- Guide is this? 1 That's the one with the date of Α. 2 February 3rd through February 9th of 2001. 3 That's a Saturday through the following Friday. 4 And on page -- I believe it's 234 of Ο. 5 that TV Guide --6 At 8:05 p.m. on TBS is the movie Rudy, 7 8 and it lasted two hours and 40 minutes, and the date is February 9, 2001. 9 What day of the week was that? 10 Q. 11 Α. Friday. What did you find in looking, for Ο. 12 example, in March of 2002 at the TV Guides? 13 Other movies other than Rudy. Α. 14 You did not find Rudy on a Friday 15 Ο. evening in March of 2002? 16 That's correct. 17 Α. What about February of 2002? 18 Ο. No, it was not listed. Of the 20 that Α. 19 I had, this was the only one listing Rudy as a 20 movie. 21
- A. In conversations with Mr. McQueary, he

try to triangulate or target a date for Mr.

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McQueary?

And what other efforts did you make to

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indicated that, as I heard him testify, he
1
   called Coach Paterno. Coach Paterno said he
2
   didn't -- was not going to get the job or the
3
   position.
               Mr. McQueary turned over to us
4
   documents indicating that there were two
5
   openings after the 2000 season. Of course, the
6
    2000 football season would have been over in
7
   December of 2000, and getting into February of
8
    2001, the vacancies existed. Al Golden left
9
   the staff for Virginia and I'm not sure who the
10
   other coach was who left the staff.
11
   subsequently in 2001, earlier in that year,
12
13
   Kenny Carter was hired as a coach for the Penn
   State University football team, and I don't
14
15
   recall what position, and Ron Vanderlin -- or
   Vanderlinden, I believe, is the actual
16
   pronunciation -- was hired as the linebacker
17
   coach.
            So those are the two openings that Mr.
18
   McQueary referred to. Those two individuals
19
   filled those openings in 2001, early in the
20
   year.
21
22
        Ο.
            Did you also acquire information from
   Dr. Dranov?
23
                     I spoke to Dr. Dranov and he
24
        Α.
            I did.
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indicated it could have been 2002 that this

- 1 incident occurred in which he was called over
- 2 to the John McQueary residence, but he believed
- 3 | it was 2001, and he believed that because he
- 4 | recalled it being a Friday night, and on
- 5 | Saturday he recalled he had to go to Boston for
- 6 two parts -- or for two purposes. I'm sorry.
- 7 One, to see his daughter up there, and the
- 8 other was to attend a conference for continuing
- 9 education credits at Harvard. And he had his
- 10 diploma, which indicated he attended that on
- 11 | February 12, 2001, which is on Monday.
- Q. Were you also able to confirm travel
- 13 records?
- A. I don't recall travel records, no, but
- 15 he provided me with his certificate for that
- 16 course that he attended on February 12, 2001.
- Q. Did there come a time, sir, where
- 18 records were recovered from Penn State
- 19 University that were permanent to Mr.
- 20 | Sandusky's office?
- 21 A. Yes, sir.
- 0. Can you describe that for us?
- A. After a lengthy period of time, we
- 24 | were finally able to search a building or
- 25 search a room in the East Area Locker that we

were advised was abandoned property, 1 essentially since 2008, by Mr. Sandusky. 2 Basically, it was a desk, a little bit of 3 office furniture, and approximately 18 boxes of 4 paperwork or other items that he had in his 5 office. And on --6 What is --7 Ο. Α. -- on April 12th --8 Referring to Commonwealth's 83, sir, 9 before you, what is that? 10 11 That's a photograph I took of the door that contained all of these articles -- or 12 13 these 18 boxes. And this is a door in the East Area 14 15 Locker Room? 16 Α. Yes, Room 134. And the next page? 17 Ο. That's a shot inside this very small Α. 18 room, and you'll see the boxes up top there on 19 the cabinets. 20 Next page? 21 Ο. 22 Α. I said 18. There might -- I saw the number 20 on one of those boxes. Maybe there 23 were 20 boxes instead of 18. But definitely, 24

if you look at the other -- this is over on the

- 1 other wall. You can see the name on the one
- 2 box, the second down from the top, far right.
- 3 It's hard to read up there, but on mine, yeah,
- 4 it says Sandusky.
- Q. Some of the boxes were marked with he name Sandusky?
- 7 A. Yes, sir.
- Q. And can you generally describe for us
- 9 the type of materials that you found in these
- 10 boxes?
- 11 A. Videotapes, basically videotapes and
- 12 documents, paper documents, and that trophy
- 13 that Brett ident -- Brett Swisher Houtz
- 14 identified earlier in the week.
- Q. Well, let me ask you this. Were the
- 16 | materials that you found in these boxes
- 17 consistent with them being owned or related to
- 18 Mr. Sandusky?
- 19 A. Yes.
- 20 Q. I'll show you Commonwealth's 38.
- 21 A. Yeah, that's a makeshift trophy that
- 22 | we found in one of the boxes at the East Area
- 23 Locker Room that Mr. Swisher Houtz referred to.
- Q. It has the name Brett on it?
- 25 A. It does. Brett Williams, it says on

the top line. 1 Were there photographs found in these 2 Ο. boxes? 3 Yes, there were a number of Α. 4 photographs found. 5 Was this one of the photographs? 6 7 Α. Yes. Q. And who is depicted in this 8 photograph? 9 Brett Swisher Houtz is depicted in 10 that photograph in the No. 11 uniform, which is 11 -- or at that time was that of college 12 13 superstar, I guess, basically, LaVar Arrington. And do you know where this photograph 14 was taken? 15 East Area Locker Room. 16 Α. Commonwealth's 85? Ο. 17 Brett Swisher Houtz and Mr. Sandusky. 18 Α. Also in the East Area Locker Room? Q. 19 Yes, sir, same -- all of these are in 20 Α. the same room. 21 Also recovered from these boxes? 22 Ο. Yes, sir. Α. 23 Commonwealth's 86? Q.

Brett once again, in front of the

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lockers.
1
            Commonwealth's 87?
        Ο.
2
        Α.
            Once again, Mr. Swisher Houtz.
3
            Eighty-eight?
 4
        0.
             Same thing, Mr. Swisher Houtz in the
        Α.
5
    LaVar Arrington uniform.
6
7
        Ο.
            Eighty-nine?
        Α.
            Brett Swisher Houtz again.
8
             THE COURT: For clarification, I
9
   believe the witness identified himself as Brett
10
            Am I correct?
11
    Houtz.
            MR. FINA: I believe you are correct,
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    Your Honor.
             THE COURT: Then --
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            MR. FINA: For the record --
15
             THE COURT: -- to clarify who it is
16
   he's talking about.
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             MR. FINA: Yes.
                              For the record, all
18
    references to Swisher or Swisher Houtz would be
19
   Brett Houtz as he utilized on the stand, and
20
   we'll --
21
22
             THE WITNESS:
                           Yes.
                       -- we'll use that name.
23
            MR. FINA:
24
             THE WITNESS: Okay. Brett Houtz.
25
    BY MR. FINA:
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- 1 Q. Commonwealth 90?
- 2 A. Brett Houtz once again.
 - Q. Now, was there a tape recovered from these boxes that involved linebacker training?
 - A. There was.

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- 6 Q. Can you describe that?
- 7 A. There was a -- I don't recall the name 8 of the company. I tracked it down to Colorado.
- 9 They are no longer in existence. It was dated
- 10 | 1999 and it was an instructional linebacker
- 11 video. It appeared to be, if you were to
- 12 listen to it, one in a series of various
- 13 position -- football position tapes that were
- 14 | made. This particular one was -- involved Mr.
- 15 | Sandusky. Coach Paterno is in that video
- 16 | briefly, giving a little speech, and Coach Tom
- 17 Osborne from Nebraska is in it, giving a little
- 18 speech, but the emphasis of it is drills or
- 19 | linebacker play techniques.
- Q. Was there somebody recognizable in
- 21 | that video beyond the coaching staff?
- 22 A. Yes.
- 0. And who was that?
- A. Brett Houtz.
- Q. And were stills made from that video?

1 A. Yes.

- Q. Commonwealth's 16 is now being displayed. Who is that?
- 4 A. That's Brett Houtz.
 - O. And Commonwealth's 17?
- A. Once again, on the far left of the two youthful individuals, the far left, No. 2, is Brett Houtz.
- 9 Q. And that videotape again was from 10 1999?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. If I could refer you to Commonwealth's
- 13 93, what is that document?
- A. Ninety-three is information from The
 Second Mile, from their summary challenge
 database on Jason Simcisko.
- 0. And where was this found?
- A. In Mr. Sandusky's office -- boxes in the office he abandoned in the East Area Locker Room.
- Q. And how do you recognize this as being from The Second Mile?
- A. I've looked at their database. Summer Challenge is one of the names on the program.
- 25 The thing that really gave it away -- it says

- 1 | Second Mile on it, on the top.
- Q. One of those lawyer questions. And is
- 3 | there handwriting? Is there anything in
- 4 | handwritten form on this?
- A. Yes, there appears to be a phone number up top and a phone number in the middle
- 7 | -- two phone numbers. I'm sorry.
- Q. If you go to Commonwealth's 94, what
- 9 is this document?
- 10 A. Just as in the search warrant with the
- 11 two camper lists from The Second Mile, one
- 12 undated, saying first week, and one dated July
- 13 28th to August -- whatever the day would have
- 14 been -- 2005, this is a camper list from 1995,
- 15 same type on it, the kids, the various
- 16 attendees names with some handwriting on some
- 17 of the documents.
- 18 Q. At the top it says "1995 Camper
- 19 Address List, and the names, they're
- 20 | alphabetical like the other ones?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. Will you go to page 4, middle of the
- 23 page? Is there a name there relevant to this
- 24 case?
- A. The middle of the page to the right,

there's an asterisk name or starred name, 1 Dustin Struble, and it has written in there --2 it looks like to me to be "first house." 3 Were there a number of these camper lists recovered? 5 6 Α. Yes. 7 Going to Commonwealth's 95, is that 8 another one? Yes, it is. Α. 9 And what's the date on that? 10 Q. July 26th through July 31st of 1998. 11 Α. Moving ahead to page 3 of that Ο. 12 13 document, the first column, is the name Ryan Rittmeyer there with an asterisk next to it? 14 15 Α. Yes, the second name down was Ryan 16 Rittmeyer with an asterisk. Moving down that column 17 Ο. alphabetically, Jason Simcisko --18 Yes, Jason --19 Α. Ο. Also with an asterisk? 20 Α. Yes. 21 Were there also writings found in 22 Ο. those boxes? 23 Yes, there were a variety of writings 24 Α.

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or letters.

Commonwealth's Exhibit 1, was that Q. 1 found in the East Area Locker Room? 2 Α. It was. 3 And this is an exhibit previously reviewed by Mr. Houtz, correct? 5 Yes, sir. 6 Α. Commonwealth's 24, another writing, 7 Q. 8 also to Mr. Houtz and also reviewed by Mr. Houtz? 9 Yes, sir. 10 Α. MR. ROMINGER: Your Honor, can we have 11 a point of clarification, where these were 12 13 I'm not sure I'm clear on that. BY MR. FINA: 14 15 Q. Where were these documents found, sir? East Area Locker Room, 134, the office 16 boxes abandoned by Mr. Sandusky. 17 MR. ROMINGER: 18 Thank you. BY MR. FINA: 19

Commonwealth's 29, another letter to

- A. Another letter to Mr. Houtz?
- 23 Q. Yes.

Mr. Houtz?

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- 24 A. Yes.
- Q. Also found in those boxes?

- Α. Yes, it was, same as the previous 1 2 ones.
- Commonwealth's 96? 3 Ο.
- Found in those boxes just like the previous letters were. 5
- Now, Mr. Houtz also identified some 6 7 program contracts when he testified. Were you 8 present for that testimony?
 - Α. I was.

- And those contracts, where were those 10 Ο. 11 found or copies of those found?
- Α. Same location, Room 134, East Area 12 13 Locker Room.
- I'm now showing Commonwealth's 98. 14 What is this document, sir?
- It's purported to be a Second Mile 16
- positive action program document, agreement, 17
- January 7, 1999, to June 15, 1999, an agreement 18
- between Brett Swisher Houtz and Jerry Sandusky, 19
- in parentheses, The Second Mile. 20
- And if we scroll down to the bottom of 21 22 this document, this is not signed, correct?
- Yes, you're correct. Α. 23
- But was there a signed version of this 24 Ο. document found, if you look at Commonwealth's 25

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31?
1
             I have to find 31.
2
        Α.
             It's the next document.
3
        Q.
             Mine is 98.
        Α.
             After 98.
        O.
5
             Okay. Yes, there is a signed version.
6
        Α.
7
             Now, are they the same? If I can
        Ο.
8
    refer you to the rewards section?
             Yes, they're the same, paying $26 per
9
    week.
10
             Looking at 31, under the rewards?
11
             I am, yes -- I'm sorry, 31?
12
13
    apologize for that. I was still on 98.
    Thirty-one is different from 98 in that the
14
    money being paid -- and that's not the one on
15
    the screen -- 31 pays $60 a week instead of 26.
16
             Is this consistent with a drafting
        0.
17
    effort or an effort to create these documents?
18
        Α.
             Yes.
19
             Now, 31, that is signed, correct?
20
        Q.
             Yes, you're correct.
        Α.
21
22
        Ο.
             And this was also recovered from those
    boxes?
23
             It was, Room 134.
24
        Α.
             The next document is Commonwealth's
25
        Q.
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- 1 25. This was also identified by Mr. Houtz. 2 Where was this found?
 - A. Same location, in a box, Room 134.
 - Q. Sir, can I ask you to read this document?

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The title of the document is 6 Α. Yes. 7 "The B-J Story: " Very few people know about 8 this story and probably less care. I quess that I'm writing it for me. I'm Jer. Brett is 9 a young man that came into Jer's life. 10 It was a difficult time for Jer because he had lost 11 Jer and his dad shared so many -- or his dad. 12 13 I'm sorry -- shared so much, did many things together. Brett comes along and he and Jer 14 15 seemed to enjoy the same experiences. seemed to be in need. They loved playing 16 games, competing, singing, laughing, sharing 17 experiences, just being themselves. 18 remembers driving Brett home. Brett would say, 19 quote, "Tell me another story Jer," unquote, 20 Jer, of course, being filled with them, would 21 22 come up with one. Jer remembers how he didn't want those rides to end. 23

Jer became attached to Brett and always will be. Brett loved justice and

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Staush, S-T -- I can't make it out -- A-U-S-H.
1
   I think it's Staush -- and love him.
                                          He and
2
   Jer played Polish soccer, wrote papers
3
    together, rode Brett's four-wheeler even though
4
   Jer was scared to death, studied in the
5
   playground, roller-skated, ice-skated, jet-
6
   skied, went to a bowl game, spent days at the
7
   football and soccer camp, canoed, traveled, and
8
          He met and did things with Penn State
9
   football players and spent many hours with them
10
11
              It wasn't Brett, Jer, LaVar, Mac,
   Courtney, David, Anthony, Josh, et cetera.
12
13
   was "we," in quotation. Times were not always
   perfect.
              There were ups and downs.
                                          There were
14
15
   arguments, fights. They cared. No matter
16
   what, there was a connection that would help
   them last through these difficult times.
                                               There
17
   was always a sensitive, caring feeling deep
18
    inside. Jer had learned through many
19
   experiences that life isn't perfect, even with
20
    someone he considers to be his best friend --
21
    in parentheses, his best friend.
22
            Life is far from perfect at this
23
            Something or things have come to
24
   stage.
25
   Brett's life that appear to have taken him
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over.
           It's powerful, a cloud of smoke that has
1
   engulfed him. For Jer, it has been a dark
2
   cloud.
           Brett seemed to fight it, coming over,
3
    trying to do hockey, but couldn't pull it off.
4
   He seems to be losing these battles more and
5
           Inch by inch, the cloud has choked him
6
   more.
   and taken over. This smothers -- it has
7
    smothered sensitivity and love, taken away his
8
   caring and enthusiasm. His enthusiasm has been
9
   replaced by sleep, his caring replaced by
10
11
   apathy, closed -- or parentheses, no concern.
   Ouotation, "Tell me another story, Jer," end of
12
13
   quotation, has been replaced by, quotation, "I
   don't care," end of quotation. This cloud has
14
15
   destroyed soccer and hockey, choked smiles and
               There is fear that it has reached
16
   laughter.
   his insides, killing his feelings.
17
   believes that there will always be something
18
   special inside Brett. He hopes that it will
19
   last, return, if it has left. The players miss
20
         They say, quotations -- or -- "Come back,
21
22
   Brett, " quotations, "Stay with us, Brett." Jer
   would love to have the good times back.
23
   players shout, parentheses -- or quotations --
24
    "Be with us to the end." Jer would love to
25
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- hear, quotations, "Tell me another story, Jer," 1 end of quotations. Jer may not be worthy, but 2 he needs to be -- needs a, quotations, "best 3 friend." It doesn't feel -- it doesn't look 4 real good. 5 Jer understands life and its changes. 6 7 He's proud, too proud, to beg for a friend, extended family member. The story will end the 8 way Brett wants it to -- or the way Brett wants 9 it. Jer wants to be there to the end, but 10 that's Brett's call. If Brett ever needs him, 11 he'll come. 12 13 Regardless, they have had an experience that others won't. Jer will not 14 15 forget and always care. 16 The next document, sir, is Commonwealth's 23. Was that also recovered 17 from the East Area Locker Room? 18 Α. Yes, sir. 19 And these photographs are hard to make 20
 - A. The originals that we obtained were hard to make out. It appears to me to be three individuals basically standing there, dressed in some kind of costumes, I believe. It is

out. What are they images of?

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1 difficult to be 100 percent certain on that.

- Q. And then what is the text?
- A. Up top is says "The Great Pretenders."
- 4 | The paragraph says: Yes, I am a, quote, "Great
- 5 | Pretender, " unquote. I pretend that I can
- 6 | sing. I pretend about many things. However, I
- 7 | can't pretend about my feelings. I want you to
- 8 always remember that I care. Not always a
- 9 great pretender, Jer, in parentheses.
- Q. Not always a pretender, Jer, right?
- 11 A. Pardon me? Not always a pretender,
- 12 Jer.

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- Q. And this was also identified by Mr.
- 14 | Houtz, correct?
- 15 A. Yes, it was.
- 16 Q. Going to the next documents, did you
- 17 have cause to get brochures from The Second
- 18 | Mile?
- 19 A. Yes, I did.
- 20 Q. And why was that done?
- 21 A. Just to get some documentation from
- 22 them to see what programs they had, et cetera,
- 23 what documents may be laying down -- laying
- 24 around -- additional photographs that they may
- 25

have.

Was it also part -- yeah, exactly. 1 Q. Was it part of the effort to get photographs 2 and potentially identify some of the minors 3 that were accompanying Mr. Sandusky? 4 Yes, it was. Α. 5 And what is Commonwealth's 48? 6 7 Forty-eight is one of those pamphlets Α. 8 that I obtained from The Second Mile -- or it's a copy of the pamphlet. 9 And does it have a picture of Aaron 10 11 Fisher? Yes, in the center, a little south of 12 13 center, there's a picture of Aaron, and Mr. Sandusky is on the far right. Aaron is sort of 14 front and center. 15 16 MR. FINA: That's all I have, Your Honor. Thank you. 17 Any cross? 18 THE COURT: Just briefly, Your 19 MR. AMENDOLA: Honor 20 21 CROSS-EXAMINATION 22 BY MR. AMENDOLA: Agent Sassano, in reviewing the 23 records for the Outback Bowl and the Alamo 24

Bowl, I believe they were Commonwealth's

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Exhibits 80 and 81 that had the itineraries and
1
    who was on the trip. Did you discover that
2
   Matt Sandusky also went on both of those bowl
3
    trips?
4
             If I may look at them, I remember
        Α.
5
    seeing his name, but I don't know if it was one
6
7
    or both off the top of my head.
        Q.
             Thank you.
8
             Do you want me to look at them or
        Α.
9
    bring them up?
10
            Well, either one.
11
        Ο.
        Α.
            Okay.
12
13
             I can show them to you.
        Ο.
                        That's cool.
        Α.
            Oh, okay.
14
15
            MR. AMENDOLA: If I may approach, Your
16
   Honor?
             THE COURT:
                         You may.
17
    BY MR. AMENDOLA:
18
            And I'll first show you what's been
19
        Ο.
    marked as Commonwealth Exhibit 80, which is the
20
    1998-99 Outback Bowl, and again just referring
21
22
    you to -- and you can identify this, which
    appears on page 8, if you want to take a look
23
              Do you have everything?
24
    at that.
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I've got it, yeah. 1999 Outback Bowl,

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and No. 19 from the bus passenger list from the
1
   Wyndham to the airport is Matt Sandusky, yes.
2
        Ο.
            And then in regard to the 1999 Alamo
3
   Bowl --
4
        Α.
            Okay.
5
             -- looking again at what was marked as
6
7
   Commonwealth Exhibit No. 81, can you identify
    on what appears to be page BS-12-015, whether
8
    or not Matt Sandusky's name appears on that?
9
             That's the plane list, and No. 19
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11
    listed on there is -- yes, you're correct --
   Matt Sandusky.
12
13
        Ο.
             Thank you.
                         Now, you mentioned finding
   a number of exhibits that you brought over, a
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15
   number of Commonwealth exhibits, in boxes in
    East -- it's the East Locker Room?
16
   what it's called?
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             I think it's actually East -- the East
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   Area Locker Building, but it's commonly
19
    called --
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        Ο.
            Can you tell --
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        Α.
             -- at least in my brief experience --
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-- at Penn State, locker room also.

Can you tell us how many boxes you

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Α.

Q.

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I'm sorry.

1 found in that area that had Jerry Sandusky 2 materials in them?

- A. All of them, we believe, are Mr. Sandusky's, and I initially indicated 18, but when I looked at the pictures, there was one with a number 20 on it, so I would assume the Penn State staff numbered them chronologically and there were 20 boxes there. So, to answer your question, 18 to 20, I believe, would be approximate.
- Q. And were they all filled with materials?
- A. They were, yes.

- Q. And I know you pointed out a number of pictures today identifying certain individuals. Were there a number of other pictures of other participants in The Second Mile?
- A. I believe we retained all the pictures that we found in there, once again possibly to identify new individuals who may have been involved in this matter. Brett came to -- I knew Brett. Brett came to mind right away. It seemed like there were an awful lot of documents concerning Brett. So, to answer your question, there could have been other pictures

- there, but I can't tell you that off the top of 1 my head. 2
- Q. And in terms of brochures, did you 3 find a lot of brochures of Second Mile material 4 in the boxes? 5
- I believe there were some. I don't 6 7 know that I would say a lot.
- Some meaning -- can you give us an 8 idea? 9
- Well, I don't know if you're referring 10 to these agreements here, which are -- purport 11 to be Second Mile, but -- which would have been 12 13 testified to aren't Second Mile documents, so I believe there were some items in there from The 14 Second Mile.
- One of the exhibits, and I missed it. 16
- I don't know whether -- it might have been 17
- Commonwealth Exhibit 25, the one that had The 18
- Great Pretenders --19
- Α. Yes. 20

- -- caption, and I'm not sure if that 21 was Exhibit 25. Is that what it is? 22
- I'm looking. No. 23
- 24 MR. FINA: Twenty-three.
- Twenty-five is the B-J 25 THE WITNESS:

Story. 1 BY MR. AMENDOLA: 2 Q. Twenty-three. Mr. Rominger has my 3 exhibits. 4 Okay. I'm looking at that one. Α. 5 Did you see other documents with that 6 Ο. 7 heading in any of the boxes that you found? What heading, The Great Pretender? Α. 8 With The Great Pretender. Ο. In other 9 words --10 It comes to mind there was another --11 there was something else that said Great 12 13 Pretenders. I believe it was some singing group or skit, group, that Mr. Sandusky 14 15 participated in or was a member of, I believe. 16 If I told you that every young person who participated in The Second Mile camp got 17 that very -- got that very document, would that 18 surprise you? 19 No, that wouldn't surprise me. 20 Α. So you realize that maybe this was a 21 22 form-type piece of document or a piece of 23 paper? It appears it could be, yes. 24 Α.

And that when one of the kids or all

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Q.

- 1 the kids completed The Second Mile camp, they
- 2 got one of these?
- A. Oh, it could be, because there were
- 4 other documents or forms in there that appeared
- 5 to be mass -- or produced for mass
- 6 distribution.
- 7 O. Now, I believe earlier you testified
- 8 | you found a number of things in Mr. Sandusky's
- 9 residence; is that accurate?
- 10 A. A number of things?
- 11 Q. A number of pictures and things like
- 12 that.
- 13 A. A number of pictures and some
- 14 documents, yes, and three computers.
- Q. Did you find pictures of other kids
- 16 | also in those materials?
- 17 A. I believe there were other pictures of
- 18 kids other than -- what other kids? You mean
- 19 other than Aaron, I'm assuming is what you
- 20 mean. Yes, I believe so.
- 21 Q. So not just the kids that we talked
- 22 | about today?
- A. You're correct.
- Q. Do you recall how many albums of
- 25 | pictures that you took from Mr. Sandusky's

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home?
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            I do not. Several, I believe, but I
        Α.
2
   don't recall the number.
3
        Q. And they contained a number of
4
   pictures, I take it?
5
        Α.
            Yes, sir.
6
            Of a number of kids?
7
        Q.
            Yes, sir.
        Α.
8
                            Thank you. That's all
            MR. AMENDOLA:
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    I have.
            MR. FINA: No redirect, Your Honor.
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            THE COURT: Thank you. You can step
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13
   down.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: May we see you at
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    sidebar again, Your Honor?
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            THE COURT: (Nodding head up and
   down.)
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            (Whereupon, the following discussion
18
   was held at sidebar:)
19
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Your Honor, I'd love
20
    to take a break, at the very least because I
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22
   have to go to the bathroom.
            MR. AMENDOLA: You need a cigarette.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: No, bathroom.
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            THE COURT:
                         Is this your last witness?
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MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              It is my last
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   witness, Your Honor, and I would anticipate
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    even with my direct and his cross, counsel's
3
    cross, we would be done before the five o'clock
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   hour.
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                            Unless I get tired and
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            MR. AMENDOLA:
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    let Mr. Rominger --
            THE COURT: And then I do want to do
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   motions. Are you prepared to do that?
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            MR. AMENDOLA: I have Mr. Rominger
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   working on those, Judge.
            THE COURT: Okay. Okay. Yeah, I'll
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   announce it.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Fifteen to 20
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   minutes, Your Honor?
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            THE COURT: Yes.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Thank you, Your
17
   Honor.
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            (End of sidebar discussion.)
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            THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen,
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   despite our extended lunch hour, we're still on
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22
    track to get the Commonwealth's case wrapped up
    this afternoon, but we are going to take a
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    short recess before we do that.
                                     There is a
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    technical problem that we have to address
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again, so we'll be in recess. We will remain
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    seated while the jury is taken out and we will
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    reconvene at 3:20. I'm advised that they're
3
    having trouble in the auxiliary courtroom with
4
    the exhibits.
                   Okay.
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             (Whereupon, the jury exited the
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    courtroom.)
                        We are in recess until
            THE COURT:
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    3:20.
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             (Whereupon, a recess was taken.)
            THE COURT: Counsel, would you
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    approach the bench?
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Yes, Your Honor.
             (Whereupon, the following discussion
14
    was held at sidebar:)
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            THE COURT: I have just been
    approached by counsel for the Commonwealth with
17
    a very unusual request for an ex parte
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    conference, and I don't know that I am in a
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   position to reveal the substance of that right
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21
          However, I am not going to -- it involves
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   possible new evidence. I'm not going to
    require the Commonwealth to rest its case after
23
    this witness to give the Commonwealth an
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25
    opportunity to investigate this.
                                       I have
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directed that Mr. Fina contact you tonight,
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   hopefully.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Maybe later, but
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    we'll be here for a while, so --
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             THE COURT:
                         Yeah.
                                As soon as they are
5
    able to confirm the -- as soon as they are able
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7
    to confirm the veracity and reliability of this
    information.
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            MR. AMENDOLA:
                            So we'll have to sit on
9
    the edge of our seats, Your Honor?
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             THE COURT:
                         Yes.
                               I will say that I am
    very sensitive, as are counsel for the
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13
    Commonwealth, about the ex parte meeting.
    Given the very superficial explanation that I
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15
    was given, because I didn't want to know very
16
    much more, I do believe it is appropriate that
    their request be granted, but I also have
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    directed them that they confirm with you at the
18
    earliest time, preferably tonight, what that
19
    information is.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Certainly, Your
            We will.
22
   Honor.
             THE COURT:
                                Fair enough?
23
                         Okay.
                            Thank you, Your Honor.
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             MR. AMENDOLA:
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             THE COURT:
                         Do you want to ask any
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questions or ask me to --
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            MR. AMENDOLA: It lets us have
2
    something exciting to look forward to since
3
   we're not in court tomorrow.
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            THE COURT: Yeah. But about this
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   meeting, is there anything -- I mean, if you
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7
   want to put anything on the record about this,
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   now is the time to --
            MR. AMENDOLA: No, Your Honor.
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   Your Honor, we trust you. We trust --
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: We'll be --
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            MR. AMENDOLA: -- Mr. Fina.
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13
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: -- again after court
    closes for the day, in any event, and counsel
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15
   can --
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            THE COURT:
                         Okay.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Thank you, Your
17
   Honor.
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            THE COURT: All right. Okay.
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            (End of sidebar discussion.)
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            THE COURT: Would you bring the jury
22
    in, please?
             (Whereupon, the jury entered the
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24
    courtroom.)
            THE COURT: I think we're ready to
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proceed, Mr. McGettigan.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Your Honor, if I may,
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   as we walked back here, counsel -- Mr. Amendola
3
    and I discussed a brief stipulation regarding
4
   Mr. Petrosky's testimony. And if the Court
5
   will permit, I will offer it to the jury or I
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7
    can provide it to the Court to offer.
            THE COURT: I'll explain what a
8
    stipulation is and you can offer it.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Thank you, Your
11
   Honor.
            THE COURT:
                         Ladies and gentlemen,
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    there's lots of ways that evidence is presented
            You've seen a number of them.
                                             You've
14
    seen from the witness stand. You've seen
15
   physical objects and exhibits displayed to you.
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   You've heard the testimony played for you.
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                                                 The
    other way is simply by agreement of counsel.
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   The lawyers agree that if a witness were to be
19
    called to testify, he would say a certain
20
    thing, and they agree that the witness would
21
               So counsel -- in order to avoid
22
    say that.
    calling that witness back, in order to save
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    time for all of us, counsel have reached a
24
    certain stipulation about a particular fact,
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which Mr. McGettigan will now state for the
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   record.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Thank you, Your
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            Your Honor, may it please the Court,
4
   and thank you, counsel. Ladies and gentlemen
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   of the jury, there's been a stipulation entered
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    into, an agreement, as the Court has defined to
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   you, between counsel for the defendant, the
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   defendant, and counsel for the Commonwealth,
9
   and that is that if Ronald Petrosky, the
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   witness who was called yesterday, were to be
   recalled to the witness stand, that he would
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    testify in a fashion that was consistent with
    the testimony that he provided before the grand
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    jury when asked about his estimate of the age
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    of the young boy that he had seen with the
   defendant in the Lasch Building leaving that
17
   night, the night he testified to -- about --
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   with Mr. Calhoun, and that Mr. Petrosky, if
19
    called, would testify that his estimate of the
20
    age of the young man that he saw with the
21
22
   defendant that night was between 11 and 13
                   So stipulated, counsel?
   years of age.
23
                            That's fine.
24
            MR. AMENDOLA:
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Thank you, Your
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Honor.
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            THE COURT:
                        To clarify my previous
2
    explanation of a stipulation, they're agreeing
3
    that if the witness was called, that's what he
4
    would say. It's up to you to decide whether
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   you want to believe it, okay, based on other
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7
    things that the witness said or other testimony
    in the case. They're not agreeing that that's
8
    true, only that if the witness was called, he
9
    would say so.
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            All right. Go ahead.
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Thank you, Your
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   Honor.
            Your Honor, may I call my witness, Your
   Honor?
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            THE COURT:
                         Yes.
                              Thank you. Sabastian
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
    Paden, please.
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            MR. FINA: Your Honor, may I approach?
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            THE COURT: Thank you. This is just a
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    list of numbers of victims.
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            MR. AMENDOLA: I trust Your Honor and
22
    I trust Mr. Fina.
                        I gave him copies.
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            MR. FINA:
                              May I, Your Honor?
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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            THE COURT:
                         Yes.
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Whereupon,
1
                     SABASTIAN PADEN
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    called as a witness and having been duly sworn,
3
    was examined and testified as follows:
4
            MR. MCGETTIGAN: May I, Your Honor?
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             THE COURT: (Nodding head up and
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7
   down.)
8
            MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                              Thank you.
                   DIRECT EXAMINATION
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   BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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11
        Q. Can you state your full name, please,
   nice and loud?
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13
            Sabastian Ryan Paden.
             I'm going to ask you to lean forward,
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15
    Sabastian. Can you do that?
16
        Α.
            Yeah.
            Okay. Can you pull the microphone
17
    down a little closer to you?
18
            Better?
        Α.
19
            Yes. Thank you. Okay. The first
20
    thing I want to ask you is what's the matter
21
22
    with your eye?
             I got an abrasion in it.
23
            Okay. Are you're okay?
24
        Q.
25
        Α.
             Yeah.
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Sabastian, I'm going to call you Mr. 1 Q. Paden today. Is that okay with you, too? 2 Α. Yeah. 3 Okay. Can you tell us your date of 4 birth? 5 Α. 7/29/93. 6 7 Okay. And that makes you how old now? Ο. Α. Eighteen. 8 Q. Okay. And have you graduated from 9 high school? 10 Α. 11 Yes. How long ago? 12 0. 13 Α. This year. How long ago this year? 14 Q. Like a few weeks ago. 15 Α. Okay. Now, Sabastian, I'm going to 16 Q. ask you about some events that started in 2004, 17 2005, okay? Do you understand? 18 Α. Yeah. 19 Okay. First of all, do you remember 20 Q. talking to the police? 21 22 Α. Yeah. About what happened to you? 23 Q. Α. Yeah.

Do you remember talking to a grand

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Q.

jury? 1 Α. Yeah. 2 Q. Okay. And you understand that you're 3 here today not just to repeat what you said 4 some other time? Do you understand that? 5 Α. 6 Yes. 7 What are you here today to do? Do you 8 know? Speak the truth. 9 Α. Are you going to do that? 10 Q. 11 Α. Yeah. Well, back in 2004, 2005, when you O. 12 13 were -- oh, let's see. You would have been in fourth or fifth grade. Can you tell the ladies 14 15 and gentlemen of the jury where you were 16 living? 17 Α. In McClure, with my mom. Say again. 18 Q. McClure, like between Lewistown and 19 Α. McClure. 20 Who did you live with? 21 0. 22 Α. My mother. And did you live in a house, an 23 Q. apartment? What did you live in? 24 A trailer. 25 Α.

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1 Q. Okay. And where was your dad?
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- A. I don't know. He wasn't around.
- Q. Okay. At that time did you remember the last time you'd seen him?
- A. No, I didn't.
- Q. Was there ever anybody else living in the house with you back in -- when you were in fourth and fifth grade?
 - A. My mom's boyfriend.
- 10 Q. What was his name, first name?
- 11 A. Dave.

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- Q. Did he stay with you for a long time or just awhile?
- A. Between. Between. Like, he had his
 own place and my mom --
- Q. And now, before you lived in that trailer near McClure with your mom, had you been living with anybody else?
- 19 A. No.
- Q. Did you live in any other kind of setting, though, besides with your mom?
- 22 A. No.
- Q. Did you ever live in foster care?
- A. Yeah.
- 25 Q. Was that --

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1 A. But that was after.
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- Q. Oh, okay. How old were you then?
- A. I can't remember.
- Q. Now, do you remember what The Second Mile program was?
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. Okay. Did you ever go to it?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. Three or four times, three or four
- 10 summers?

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- 11 A. Yeah.
- Q. And did you like it?
- 13 A. Yes.
- 14 Q. What did you like about it?
- 15 A. It was -- it was fun. I mean --
- Q. Are you nervous?
- 17 A. Yeah, a little bit.
- 18 Q. Now, at one of those Second Mile
- 19 camps, did you have occasion to meet the
- 20 defendant, Jerry Sandusky?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Can you tell the ladies and
- 23 gentlemen of the jury how you met him, if you
- 24 remember?
- 25 A. In the pool.

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Q. Well, what happened in the pool that caused you to meet him?
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- A. He was playing with the kids in the pool and I went over there, started playing with the kids and him, and he started talking to me, asking me if I wanted to hang out outside the camp, and I gave him my mom's number and stuff, and then he called my mom. They talked, and I started going over to his house.
- Q. Well, when you first met him and he asked you if you wanted to hang out, that seemed like a good idea to you?
 - A. Yeah.

- Q. Why?
- A. Because he's a well-known guy and he seemed nice.
- Q. Okay. And where's the first place you went, if you remember -- that you went with the defendant?
 - A. His house and football games.
 - Q. Okay. Now, the first time, the first year that you met him, did you go to football games that year?
- A. Yeah.

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Q. Do you remember any of the ones you went to?
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- A. I went to the home games.
- Q. Did you go to one or more than one, or do you remember?
- A. More than one.
- Q. Okay. The very first year you met him, you went to more than one?
- 9 A. Yeah.

- 10 Q. Okay.
- 11 A. More than one.
- Q. How long after you met the defendant was it that you stayed at his house for the first time, if you remember?
- 15 A. A few weeks, I think, a few weeks.
- Q. Okay. Now, I'm going to ask you how
 long -- over how long a period of time did you
 stay at the defendant's house, more than a
 couple years?
- 20 A. Yeah, like three, four years.
- Q. When was the last time you stayed at his house, if you remember what year that might have been?
- 24 A. I was 15, so I was --
- 25 Q. You were 15?

- 1 A. Yeah.
- Q. Would that have been 2008 into 2009?
- A. Yeah, I think so.
- 0. Is that correct?
- 5 A. Yeah, I think.
- Q. And how old were you when you met him,
- 7 | if you remember?
- 8 A. I was 12.
- Q. Well, did anything happen to you when
- 10 | you first went to the defendant's house that
- 11 | made you feel uncomfortable?
- 12 A. Not really, no. At first he was nice
- 13 and stuff.
- Q. Did you like going there the first
- 15 | time?
- 16 A. Yeah.
- 17 Q. What did you do?
- 18 A. I played games, went to games, went
- 19 | out to eat and stuff.
- 20 Q. Did the defendant give you any gifts?
- 21 A. Yeah.
- 0. Like what?
- A. He got me a running suit,
- 24 | racquetballs, and a tennis racket, and I can't
- 25 remember anything else.

- 1 Q. Okay.
- A. And some shoes.
- Q. Some shoes?
- 4 A. Yeah.
- 5 0. Shoes or sneaker?
- 6 A. Sneakers.
- Q. Okay. And at some point when you're staying at his house, did he do something to make you feel uncomfortable?
- 10 A. Yeah.
- 11 Q. I'm sorry?
- 12 A. Yeah.
- Q. What's the first thing -- Sabastian -Mr. Paden, what's the first thing that happened
 to you that made you feel uncomfortable?
 - A. He would come to the bedroom with me when I would go to bed and start rubbing my stomach and stuff and cracking my back and hugging me and kissing me all over and stuff.
- 20 Q. And did you like that?
- 21 A. No.

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- Q. Did you say anything to him that day?
- A. Yeah.
- Q. What did you say?
- A. I told him to stop.

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1 Q. And did you tell your mom?
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A. Yeah.

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- Q. What did you tell your mom?
- A. I told her that he was a touchy-feely type of person, but other than that, nothing.
 - Q. You just told her he's touchy-feely?
- 7 A. Yeah.
- Q. Did your mom want you to go to Mr.
- 9 | Sandusky's house?
- 10 A. Yes.
 - Q. Why? Do you know? Did she tell you?
- A. No. She just thought it would be a good idea for me.
- Q. Do you know where your mom was working then?
- 16 A. The Major League.
- 0. Okay. What kind of business was it?
- 18 A. It was a -- it's a bar.
- Q. Okay. Now, after the defendant
- 20 | started hugging you and stuff in bed, did he do
- 21 anything else? What's the first thing beyond
- 22 that, if anything, that he did after he started
- 23 | hugging you?
- A. Before that?
- Q. After that.

- A. After that? Telling me he loves me and stuff and he wants the best for me, and started taking me to the pool and stuff, and the gym, and we would be -- like, if we were in
- 4 | the gym, and we would be -- like, if we were in
- 5 | the pool, he would never let go. Like, he
- 6 | would always have his arms around me and
- 7 | hugging me.
- 8 Q. Did you like that?
- 9 A. No.
- 10 Q. Did you ever say anything about that?
- 11 A. Yeah.
- Q. Now, Mr. Paden, I'm going to ask you,
- 13 you're getting kind of tall now. How big were
- 14 you when you first met the defendant?
- A. I was like 67 pounds. I was probably
- 16 | like five foot, I think. I don't know.
- 17 Q. You weren't that big.
- 18 A. I was small. I'm five-eleven right
- 19 now.
- 20 Q. You said the defendant would hug you,
- 21 | and did he kiss you?
- A. Yeah.
- 23 O. Where?
- A. At first, on the cheeks.
- Q. Did he kiss you anyplace else?

- 1 A. Yeah.
 2 Q. Where?
- 3 A. On the lips.
- Q. What else did he do after he did that?
- A. He started getting physical, like had me touch his penis and stuff.
- 7 Q. Did you want to do that?
- 8 A. No.
- 9 Q. Now, after he hugged you and kissed 10 you and made you touch his penis, did you want 11 to keep going back to his house?
- 12 A. No.
- Q. Why did you keep going?
- A. Because I was just -- my mom wanted me to go.
- Q. Did you tell her he was doing any of these things?
- 18 A. No.
- 19 Q. Why not?
- A. How are you supposed to tell your mom something like that?
- Q. Is that why you didn't say anything?
- A. Yeah.
- Q. Did you say anything to anybody else growing up at the time?

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1 A. No.
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- Q. After the defendant hugged you and kissed you and made you touch his penis, what's the next thing he did that made you feel uncomfortable? Can you tell us?
- A. He made me give him a -- oh, how do
 you -- suck his penis, is how you put it.
- Q. I told you I'd have to ask these
 guestions, didn't I?
- 10 A. Yeah.
- 11 Q. Are you going to answer them?
- 12 A. Yeah.
- Q. Okay. Sabastian, how did that happen the first time?
- A. He came into the room, pulled his
 pants down, laid on top of me, kind of forced
 it in.
 - Q. Did he say anything?
- A. Yeah, he said suck -- suck my penis, is how you'd have to put it.
- Q. Did you want to do that?
- 22 A. No.

- Q. The first time it happened, did you try not to do it?
- 25 THE COURT: Wait. I think the jury is

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having a little trouble.
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             MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                               Hearing the witness?
2
             THE WITNESS:
                            I can't bend it any
 3
4
    more.
    BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
5
             Why don't you slide up a little
6
7
    closer? The first time it happened, did you
    want to do that?
8
        Α.
             No.
9
             Did you want to do it any time it
10
11
    happened?
        Α.
12
             No.
13
             The first time it happened, what did
    you say, if anything, or did you say anything?
14
15
        Α.
             No.
                  What was I going to do? I mean,
    look at him.
16
                  He's a big guy. He was bigger
    than me at the time, way bigger than me.
17
             Did he ever touch your penis?
18
        0.
             No.
19
        Α.
             Never?
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        Q.
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        Α.
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             After the first time that the
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    defendant made you suck his penis, did he ever
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    do it again?
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How many times did you stay at the 1 Q. defendant's house over the course of about 2 three years, between 2005 and into 2008, 2009? 3 Α. Every weekend from Friday to Saturday, so over --5 Every weekend, almost every weekend? 6 Ο. 7 Α. Almost every weekend. Q. Do you know how many times that was? 8 No. Α. 9 More than 20? 10 Q. More -- more than that, between 150 11 Α. maybe, maybe 100. I don't know. 12 13 And did the defendant kiss you on all, some, none, or all of those occasions? 14 All of those occasions. 15 Α. 16 Did he make you suck his penis on some of those occasions, none of those occasions, or 17 most of those occasions, or all? 18 Some of the -- some of those Α. 19 occasions. 20 And where did you sleep when you 21 stayed overnight at the defendant's house? 22 In the basement. Α. 23 Was anybody else ever down there with 24 Q.

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you?

- A. No, just Jerry. Sometimes he would have another kid with us, but that was on different occasions.
 - Q. Did anybody ever sleep downstairs with you?
- 6 A. No.

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- Q. Did the defendant ever sleep the whole night downstairs with you or would he just come down and be in bed?
 - A. Just come down and be in bed.
 - Q. How long would this take?
- A. I don't know, awhile.
- Q. How were you dressed?
- 14 A. Sweatpants and a T-shirt.
- Q. And was the defendant dressed the same way every time or different ways?
- 17 A. Usually khakis and a T-shirt.
- Q. Did he do anything else to your body that you haven't told us about yet?
- A. He put his penis in my butt. That's how you'd have to put it.
- Q. Do you remember how old you are when
 the first time he did that?
- 24 A. No.
- Q. Do you remember approximately -- do

- you know what approximately means? Do you know? Do you have an idea how old you were?
- A. Maybe 13 and 14, maybe 15, between them, a few years.
- Q. Tell the jury what happened the first time he did that.
 - A. He came in. I sucked his penis, and then he got real aggressive and just forced me into it, and I just went with it. There was no fighting against it.
 - Q. Did you want to do that?
- 12 A. No.

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- Q. Did you do anything to try and get away?
- 15 A. Yeah.
- 16 0. What?
- A. Sometimes scream, sometimes tell him
 to get off me, but other than that, who was
 there? You were in the basement. No one can
 hear you down there. You're always down there.
- Q. Now, did you ever call your mom when you were at the defendant's house?
- A. One time.
 - Q. Tell us what happened that time.
- 25 A. It was the last time I stayed at his

- 1 house. I called my mom and I told her to come
- 2 | pick me up. I didn't tell her why or for what.
- 3 | I just told her to come pick me up and she came
- 4 and picked me up.
- Q. Why did you want her to come pick you
- 6 up?
- 7 A. Because he was trying to be physical
- 8 | with me and I had enough of it, and I kind of
- 9 just called my mom, because I had a cell phone
- 10 | finally, and I called my mom and told her to
- 11 come pick me up, and she came down to State
- 12 | College, to his house, and picked me up.
- Q. Now, Mr. Paden, when you used to go
- 14 over to the defendant's house, where would he
- 15 pick you up, at the trailer or at school or
- 16 | both or neither?
- 17 A. Both.
- 18 Q. Okay.
- 19 A. Sometimes it would be at the trailer
- 20 or at school.
- 21 Q. Okay.
- 22 A. It just depended on what we were doing
- 23 at the time.
- Q. And you said you stayed most of the
- 25 | time on weekends?

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- Q. Did you stay more than a couple days or was that the most you ever stayed?
 - A. More than -- sometimes, like, if I had school and we had, like, holidays for Monday or something, I would stay, but other than that, mostly weekends.
- Q. And besides what was happening to you at night in bed, was the defendant nice to you at other times?
- 11 A. Yeah.
- Q. Did he buy you stuff?
- 13 A. Yeah.
- 14 Q. Take you places?
- 15 A. Yeah.
- 16 Q. Give you gifts?
- 17 A. Yeah.
- Q. Did he ever tell you how he felt about you?
- 20 A. Yeah.

- O. Tell the folks what he said.
- A. He told me he loved me and he wished the best for me and he wants no harm towards me and stuff like that.
- Q. What did you think about that?

- A. It was creepy, but I was -- I was a kid, so what would I know?
 - Q. Mr. Paden, after the defendant put his penis in your butt that one time, did he ever do it again?
- A. Yeah.

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- O. Once or more than once after that?
- 8 A. More than once.
 - Q. A lot?
- A. No, just a few times. I got to the point after that to where I had enough of it.
- I just quit going. My mom would try to tell me to go and I would just tell her no and get real bullheaded and stubborn.
- Q. Did you start acting out a little bit?
- 16 A. Yeah.
- MR. MCGETTIGAN: May I have one --
- 18 | just one moment, Your Honor, please?
- 19 BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
- Q. Did you ever go to a gym or swimming with the defendant?
- A. Yeah.

- Q. Where did you go swimming?
- A. I think it's called the Holiday Inn.
- Q. And where was that? Do you remember?

Α. Right down the street from his house. 1 MR. MCGETTIGAN: May I approach the 2 witness, Your Honor? 3 THE COURT: 4 Yes. BY MR. MCGETTIGAN: 5 Can you see it with your one eye? 6 Yeah. 7 Α. Q. You can hold it. So, Mr. Paden, you 8 have been handed two photographs that have been 9 marked Commonwealth's 102 and 103. Can you see 10 them with your one eye there? 11 Α. Yeah. 12 13 Okay. And who are they? Well, who is the first one, 102? 14 15 Α. That's me. 16 Ο. Okay. How old were you there, Seb? I don't know. 17 Α. Well, let's look at the date 18 0. underneath here and see how good your math is. 19 Α. 2006. My math is really bad. 20 And I'm going to ask you to take a 21 22 look at the next one, at 103, and can you tell us who all was in that photograph? 23 The kid that usually came to the 24

football games with us and Jerry and me.

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Okay. And do you know how old you
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        Q.
    were in that picture?
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             You're not sure?
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                    Sabastian, at some point did
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    you stop going to the defendant's house?
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    becoming bad not listening to my mom, just quit
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    going because I just didn't like being there.
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    I didn't like the things that happened there.
        Q. Did the defendant call you on the
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    phone after you stopped coming and try and get
    you to come?
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             Yeah.
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        Α.
             What did you do?
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             Came up with some kind of excuse not
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    to go.
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             Were you behaving right with your mom
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    then?
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             No.
             Now, eventually you talked to the
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    police?
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- 1 A. After my mom called the cops.
- Q. Tell us how that happened.
- A. I woke up in the middle of the
 morning, at nine o'clock, and the cops were on
 their way to my house and I didn't know why,
- 6 and my mom told me because of Jerry.
- 7 Q. And did you want to talk to anybody?
- 8 A. No.
- 9 Q. Why not?
- A. Who would believe you? I mean, he's an important guy. Everybody knows him and he's a football coach. Like, for real, who would
- 13 believe kids?
- Q. Well, did you tell the first cops you talked to everything that had happened to you?
- 16 A. No.

- 17 Q. Why not?
 - A. Because I didn't trust them.
- Q. And did you want to be involved in the investigation?
- 21 A. No.
- Q. And did you tell the grand jury everything that happened to you?
- A. Yeah.
- Q. Are you sure? The grand jury, do

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remember talking to the grand jury?
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             Yeah -- no. You're the first person I
        Α.
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    told everything to.
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             Well, do you have a lawyer now?
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             No.
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             Did you ever go looking for a lawyer?
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        Q.
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        Α.
             No.
        Q.
             Did your mom tell you she was going to
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    get a lawyer?
9
             No, you're my lawyer.
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        Α.
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        Q.
             Are you going to pay me?
             Yeah, I'm going to try.
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        Α.
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        Q.
             Are you working now, Mr. Paden?
        Α.
             No.
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             Okay. Did anybody tell you to say
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        Q.
    anything other than the truth?
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        Α.
             No.
             Did I ever tell you to say anything in
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    particular?
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        Α.
             No. You just told me to tell you the
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    truth.
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             Did anybody force you to come here
    today?
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Did you want to?

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Α. No. 1 Just one more question: Can you do 2 Ο. something right now, Sabastian? Can you point 3 out the man in this courtroom who placed his 4 penis in your mouth and placed his penis in 5 your butt? 6 7 Α. (Indicating.) Q. Can you look at him? 8 I won't look at him. Α. 9 You can't point out a person unless 10 Q. you can look at them. 11 Α. (Indicating.) 12 13 O. Who are you pointing at? Α. 14 Jerry. 15 MR. MCGETTIGAN: Thank you. I have 16 nothing further, Your Honor. THE COURT: Mr. Amendola. 17 MR. MCGETTIGAN: Thank you, Your 18 Honor. 19 CROSS-EXAMINATION 20 BY MR. AMENDOLA: 21 22 Mr. Paden, my name is Joe Amendola. represent Mr. Sandusky. I'm going to ask you 23 some questions. If you're not sure what I'm 24

asking you, let me know, okay? and I'll try to

1 ask you a different way.

- A. All right.
- Q. When did you get involved in The
 Second Mile? Do you recall what year it was?
- A. I don't know the year, but I was,
- 6 like, 12 or 13.

- 7 Q. You were 12 or 13?
- 8 A. Yeah.
- 9 Q. And how long were you in The Second
- 10 | Mile? Do you remember?
- 11 A. A few years.
- Q. Did you continue to see Mr. Sandusky
- 13 after you stopped your involvement in The
- 14 | Second Mile?
- 15 A. Yeah.
- 16 Q. For how long, how many more years?
- 17 A. Until I was 16, I think. I --
- 0. And when did the first sexual contact
- 19 take place, not the exact day, but was it --
- 20 | not even the exact month -- but was it that
- 21 | first year you were in The Second Mile, the
- 22 second year, the third year?
- A. Second year.
- Q. So that would have been 2005, if your
- 25 | first year was 2004?

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             Yeah.
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             At his house.
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             And when that took place at his house,
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    do you recall, was it a weekend? Was it a
    weekday?
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             It was a weekend.
        Α.
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             It was a weekend?
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        Q.
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        Α.
             Yes.
             Was it a Friday or Saturday? Do you
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    recall?
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             That was -- I don't --
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        Q.
             I'm sorry.
                          What?
             I don't remember.
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        Α.
             Was it at night?
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        Q.
             Yes.
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        Α.
             Was anybody else home?
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        Q.
             His wife, but she was upstairs.
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        Α.
             And once you started going to Mr.
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        Q.
    Sandusky's house, would that have been in about
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    2005?
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             In the summer between 2000 and --
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    yeah, because I just started going to his house
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in the summer between 2004 and 2005.
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- In the summer? Ο.
- Α. Yes.

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- So that would have been one of those 4 So would it be reasonable to say it was 5 2005, in the summer of 2005 you started going? 6
- 7 Α. In between the summer of 2004 and 2005. 8
- So in between. Okay. Do you recall 9 whether it was cold? Was it wintertime or 10 11 spring?
 - It was probably winter. Α.
- 13 Ο. Were you in school?
- Yeah. Α. 14
- 15 Q. And so how would you get over to his Would Mr. Sandusky pick you up? 16 house?
- Α. He would pick me up. 17
- And drive you back? 18 Ο.
- Yes. 19 Α.
- And once that process started, once 20 you started going to Mr. Sandusky's house 21 between 2004 and 2005, how often did you --22 well, on average, how often did you go to his 23 house, weekly or monthly?
- Every weekend of the month. 25 Α.

- Q. So every weekend. Did you stay the whole weekend?
 - A. Yeah.

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- Q. So when you started between 2004 and 2005, once you started going to Mr. Sandusky's house, you went every weekend?
- 7 A. (Nodding head up and down.)
- Q. And you have to say yes just for the court reporter.
- 10 A. Yes.
- Q. And you would stay from Friday night till Sunday?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. And this continued for how long, how many years?
- 16 A. Till I was 16, 15 or 16.
- Q. And in 2005 how old were you?
- A. In 2005 I was -- I was 12 whenever I started going to The Second Mile camp.
 - Q. So you're telling us today that between the time that you were 12 in 2005 and the time that you stopped going to Mr.
- 23 | Sandusky's in what would have been when you
- 24 were 16, which would have been four years
- 25 | later, I guess, 2009, your testimony is you

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were there virtually every weekend?
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             Yes.
             Did you see any other young kids
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    there?
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             Yes.
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             Do you remember any of the names?
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                  That's been a long time.
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             Were other young kids there all the
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        Q.
    time?
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             Sometimes, like -- like, sometimes it
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    would -- like, this one time we went to a
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    kid in the picture went with us to that
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    donation and we played golf and stayed in a
    hotel room. And then there was another boy
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    that would come, which I think he was from
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    Mount Union, and I don't remember his name.
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             Were any of those other kids that
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    you're talking about -- were any of those other
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    kids there almost all the time like you were?
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             So they were just there once in a
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    while?
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A. Yeah.

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- Q. Would you say you were there on those weekends during 2005 and 2009 usually by yourself, no other kids?
- A. Yes, usually by myself.
- Q. Okay. And did you usually sleep downstairs in the basement?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. In the room that had the -- I guess
 10 the small TV?
- 11 A. At the time it didn't have a TV.
- 0. Did it have a waterbed?
- 13 A. Yes, it had a waterbed.
- 14 Q. So that's the bed you slept in?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. Did you ever sleep upstairs?
- 17 A. Once.
- 18 0. Just once?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. Out of all those times?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. Now, you mentioned that Mr. Sandusky did a lot of things, but one of the things I think you said to Mr. McGettigan was that Mr.
- 25 | Sandusky had anal sex with you?

- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. And by that you mean that he inserted
- 3 his penis in your butt?
- 4 A. Yes.
- Q. Did you ever need medical attention
- 6 | for that?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. Did you ever bleed?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. Did -- you never sought --
- 11 A. I just dealt with it.
- 12 O. I'm sorry. What?
- 13 A. I just dealt with it. I have a
- 14 different way of coping with things.
- Q. You never sought medical attention for
- 16 any sort of injury to your butt?
- 17 A. No.
- Q. And you were, what, about 10 years old
- 19 at the time, 11, 12?
- 20 A. I never told anybody. I didn't even
- 21 | tell my own mom.
- Q. Did your mom wash your clothes when
- 23 | you were at home?
- 24 A. Yes.
- Q. Did she ever see blood on your

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underwear?
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             No.
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             Now, did I hear correctly that you
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    said on one occasion, when you were with Mr.
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    Sandusky in the basement, you screamed?
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             Yes.
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             And you believe -- you said that Mrs.
    Sandusky was home?
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        Α.
             Yes.
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             And she didn't come to your aid?
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        Q.
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        Α.
             I think the basement is soundproof.
    don't know.
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             You think the basement is soundproof?
            Yes. It's a big basement.
        Α.
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             And you mentioned that you were always
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    forced to stay downstairs?
             MR. MCGETTIGAN: Excuse me.
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    Objection.
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             THE COURT: Sustained. Being forced
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    is the --
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             MR. AMENDOLA: I apologize, Your
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    Honor.
    BY MR. AMENDOLA:
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             You stayed downstairs?
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        Α.
             Yes.
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And who directed you, if anyone 1 Q. directed you, downstairs? 2 Α. Jerry. 3 Were you alone on those occasions? Α. Yes. 5 So Mr. Sandusky told you to go 6 0. 7 downstairs and stay there by yourself? Α. No, like, I would go down there and 8 play games and stuff because down the basement 9 he has, like, a pool table, an air hockey 10 11 table, one of them shuffleboards and a TV, a couch, a dartboard, a bathroom and then a 12 13 bedroom, and there's games and stuff down there. 14 15 Did you ever come upstairs for dinner or for lunch? 16 No, I never really ate there. 17 Α. So your food was brought downstairs, Ο. 18 too? 19 I never really ate there. 20 Α. You never ate anything? 21 Q. Α. Not really. 22 You stayed there every weekend for 0. 23 about four years and you never ate anything? 24

I would -- if he took us out, like, if

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- he would take me out somewhere, we would get something to eat going out somewhere, but we really never ate at his house.
 - Q. And other kids were never there when you were there except for the times you've told us a little while ago?
- 7 A. Excuse me?

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- Q. I said other kids were never downstairs with you other than the times that you have just told us a few minutes ago.
- A. I mean, like, if he had -- like, this kid was with us. He would come down to play games with me, but, like, if one kid stayed with us, one would sleep upstairs and one would sleep downstairs. They would switch if another kid stayed with us.
- Q. Did Mr. Sandusky continue to have sex with you until you broke off this situation?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. All kinds of sex that you described previously?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. And you were 16 when you stopped going there?
- 25 A. Yes.

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So you were well beyond puberty,
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    correct, at that point? In other words, you
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    were turning into a young man?
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        Α.
             Yes.
             And your testimony is Mr. Sandusky
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    still continued to have sex with you?
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        Α.
             Yes.
        Ο.
             He didn't lose interest because you
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   had gotten older?
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             I mean --
             MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                               Objection, Your
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   Honor.
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             THE WITNESS:
                           I didn't hear what he
    said.
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                               Excuse me.
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             MR. MCGETTIGAN:
                                           Excuse
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         Objection to the form of the question.
   He's saying Mr. Sandusky didn't lose interest.
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    The construction of the question is confusing
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    to me.
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             THE COURT:
                         I understood the question.
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    Go ahead.
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                            Pardon me, Your Honor?
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             MR. AMENDOLA:
                         Go ahead.
             THE COURT:
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                             Thank you.
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             MR. AMENDOLA:
                         The objection is
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             THE COURT:
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If the witness is confused by the overruled. 1 question, then --2 BY MR. AMENDOLA: 3 I'll ask it another way. Did Mr. Sandusky lose interest in you because you had 5 gotten older? 6 I don't know 7 Α. Ο. Now, when did you find out that Mr. 8 Sandusky was being accused of sexually abusing 9 kids? 10 I didn't find out. My mom did. 11 never watched the news. I was -- I was 12 13 sleeping when the cops came and I woke -- I was woke up by my mom saying the cops are here to 14 talk to you. And I said for what? 15 And they said for the Jerry Sandusky thing. 16 And do you recall when that was? Ο. 17 Was that last year or the year before? 18 I don't know when it was. It was the Α. 19 last time he -- he called me, actually. 20 It was -- that was the last time. 21 Did you ever discuss with anyone, your 22 mom or someone else, any articles in the 23 newspaper that came out a couple of years ago

about Mr. Sandusky being investigated for

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- A. I didn't hear about that.
- Q. Do you recall a phone call between you and Mr. Sandusky in the spring of 2010, when you told Mr. Sandusky you had heard -- and I'm sorry, 2011, so that would have been a year ago, in the spring of 2011, that you heard that he was being investigated for abusing kids?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. And did you tell Mr. Sandusky in that conversation you couldn't believe he did that because he was such a nice quy?
 - A. No, I don't.
 - O. You never told him that?
 - A. No, I -- the last time he called me, he called me and asked me to -- like, if anybody comes and asks me questions, to, like, stick up for him, like --
- 19 Q. He asked you to help him, correct?
- 20 A. Yeah.
- Q. Now, by that time, that was after he was arrested, wasn't it?
 - A. I don't know. I think. I'm not sure.
- Q. Do you recall the first time you spoke with police about this situation?

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A. The first time, I -- I remember, but I don't remember the day.
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- Q. And I understand that. But if I told you the records indicated the first police report indicating you were interviewed was November 9, 2011?
- 7 A. It was -- it was last year. I know 8 that.
- 9 Q. Was it late last year?
- 10 A. Yeah, it was -- actually, it might 11 have been mid.
- 12 Q. Are you --
- 13 A. I'm not sure.
- Q. Are you good with computers? I'm sorry. I didn't mean to cut you off. Go
- 16 ahead.
- A. I'm not sure. Like, I don't remember.
- 18 | It was -- it was pretty cold out. I do
- 19 remember it was chilly out, so it was probably
- 20 | either like late --
- 21 Q. Well --
- 22 A. -- of last year.
- 23 Q. -- go ahead.
- A. (No response.)
- Q. If an officer were to testify at some

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point in this trial that the first contact he had with you was November 9, 2011, you wouldn't disagree with that, would you?
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- A. No, I -- I -- like I said, I don't remember when they came to talk to me. Like, I was sleeping, and then my mom told me she called the cops and they all just started coming in, one after another, and talking to me, asking me questions.
 - Q. Are you computer literate, Mr. Paden?
- 11 A. No, I'm not good with computers.
- Q. Do you get the paper back home where you live, your mom?
- 14 A. Yeah, but I don't read it.
- Q. Were you over to see Mr. Sandusky
 anytime in the last couple of years?
- A. One time I seen him at a football -
 18 he took me to a football game and I had a

 19 friend with me.
- Q. In fact, that football game was last fall, wasn't it?
- 22 A. Yeah.

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- Q. In September, wasn't it?
- A. I think it was the Illinois game, I think.

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Q. And did you call Mr. Sandusky and ask if he could get you tickets to go to the game?
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- A. I don't -- no, no.
- Q. Well, how did the game come up?
- A. He called me up the one day and he said, "I have a couple tickets. Would you want to go to a game, you and your mom?" And I said my mom couldn't go, but I have a friend that could come with me.
 - Q. And did he -- go ahead?
- 11 A. He agreed that he would take me and my 12 friend.
- Q. And, in fact, he went to the town
 where you lived and picked you up, didn't he?
 - A. Yeah.
- 16 Q. And your friend?
- 17 A. Yes.

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- 18 Q. And took you to the game?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. And your friend at halftime decided he had to leave, right?
- 22 A. Yes, his daughter --
- Q. And Mr. -- go ahead.
- A. His daughter was in the hospital. He had a kid, like, at -- he had a kid

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    problems, and he got a call that his daughter
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    was rushed to the hospital.
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    at halftime, didn't he?
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        Α.
             Yes.
        Q.
             Now, do you know Todd Reed?
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             Who?
        Α.
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             Todd Reed.
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        Q.
             Yes, I know Todd.
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        Α.
             And was Todd around during that game?
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        Ο.
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        Α.
             Yeah.
             Did you go back to Mr. Sandusky's
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    house later that day, that night?
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        Α.
             No.
             Are you sure about that?
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             Yes. My friend did, but I didn't.
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        Α.
             But you didn't.
                               Now, in September of
        Q.
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    2011, this was after all these terrible things
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    had happened, wasn't it, all the things that
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    you've described to us today that Mr. Sandusky
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Can you ask that question again?

What?

did to you?

Α.

Q.

I'm sorry.

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- A. Can you ask that question again?
- Q. Yes. I'm saying when you were picked
- 3 | up by Mr. Sandusky, you and your friend, taken
- 4 to the Penn State football game -- I believe
- 5 | you said against Illinois last September 2011
- 6 | -- that was pretty much a long time after Mr.
- 7 | Sandusky had done all of these horrible things
- 8 to you, wasn't it?
- 9 A. Yes. The only reason I went was
- 10 | because --

- 11 Q. Including, as I recall --
- MR. MCGETTIGAN: Excuse me. Excuse
- 13 me, Your Honor. I think the witness has more
- 14 to his answer.
- MR. AMENDOLA: I'm sorry.
- 16 THE WITNESS: The only reason I went
- 17 | that time was because I had a friend with me,
- 18 and my friend didn't like him at the time
- 19 anyway. And, like, if anything went down, my
- 20 | friend had my back at the time. And he wanted
- 21 | -- my friend had never been to a football game,
- 22 and I -- I -- he -- I had -- Jerry said he
- 23 | would take me to a football game and a friend
- 24 of mine. And my friend had never went -- been
- 25 | to a football game. So we went up to Subway

- 1 and met up with him there at the square in
- 2 | Lewistown, and after that we went to the
- 3 football game. And at -- and then the halftime
- 4 came and he had to go back to the hospital
- 5 | because his daughter was having problems.
- Q. But that was after all the terrible things you told us about today occurred, right?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. Did you ask your friend to give Mr.

 Sandusky a picture that night when he came back after the football game, of you?
- 12 A. No.
 - O. You're sure about that?
- A. Yeah. My friend just forgot his bag
 in the car. He had a backpack with him and he
 forgot it in the car, and that's why my friend
 went back to his house.
 - Q. And you're certain today that the various times that Mr. Sandusky had anal sex with you, that you never required any sort of medical treatment?
 - A. I'm positive.
 - Q. And your mother never noticed anything wrong with your underwear?
- 25 A. Like I said, I -- I handle things

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differently than a lot of people.
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            And she washed your clothes, right?
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Objection.
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                                           That's
    asked and answered, I think, Your Honor.
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             THE COURT: Overruled.
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    BY MR. AMENDOLA:
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            She washed your clothes, correct?
        Α.
            Yes.
8
                            Thank you.
            MR. AMENDOLA:
                                        That's all
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    I have.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Very briefly on
    redirect, Your Honor.
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            THE COURT: (Nodding head up and
   down.)
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                  REDIRECT EXAMINATION
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   BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
            Mr. Paden, I think -- I just want to
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   make sure I understood some of the questions
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    that Mr. Amendola asked and you answered. Did
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   you meet the defendant, Jerry Sandusky, the
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    first year that you were at Second Mile or the
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    second year?
             The first -- no, second year.
        Α.
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        Q. Okay. And the football game that you
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    told -- said you went to with your friend?
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1 A. Yes.
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- Q. Did you call the defendant or did he call you?
- 4 A. He called me.
- Q. Okay. And that was last year
- 7 A. Yes.

sometime?

- Q. Okay. And that was after he had begun or he knew he was being investigated, so --
- 10 and he called you?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And did he want you to bring a friend or did he want you to come alone?
- 14 A. He said he had two tickets.
- Q. And when he called you on the phone after that, that was after he was being investigated, too, or do you know?
- 18 A. I wasn't keeping up with it. My mom
 19 was.
- Q. Okay. Did he ask you to stick up for him?
- 22 A. Yes.
- MR. MCGETTIGAN: Okay. I have nothing further, Your Honor.
- MR. AMENDOLA: If I may just have one

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or two more questions in light of Mr.
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   McGettigan's questions, Your Honor?
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                  RECROSS-EXAMINATION
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   BY MR. AMENDOLA:
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            Mr. Paden, isn't it true that you and
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   your family went to football games as the guest
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   of Mr. Sandusky the last three years, last
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   year, 2010, 2009?
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            Me and my mom went to a football game
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    -- I don't know when -- with him the one year,
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   and I took -- and he took my dad, too, but that
   was a while ago.
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            So if there was evidence that Mr.
    Sandusky took you and/or members of your family
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    to football games in 2009, 2010, 2011, you're
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   not disputing that, are you?
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            No, but I can't remember when, though.
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    I don't know if it was at that time.
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   remember him taking my mom and I to a football
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   game. Then the one year he took me and my dad
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    to a football game.
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            And this was after and at the end of
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    the terrible things you've told us he did
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    today, right?
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Α.

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After, yes.

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MR. AMENDOLA: Thank you. That's all
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    I have.
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                  REDIRECT EXAMINATION
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    BY MR. MCGETTIGAN:
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            Sabastian, Mr. Amendola asked you a
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    lot of questions about things you did with the
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   defendant before and after the defendant did
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    things to you.
        Α.
            Yeah.
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            Okay. Could you tell the jury -- did
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   he do the things to you that you said he did?
            Yes, he did.
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            And that -- well, I'll leave it at
    that.
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: Thank you, Your
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   Honor.
            MR. AMENDOLA: It's over, Judge.
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    Thank you.
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            THE COURT: Thank you. You can step
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   down.
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             Is that it for today?
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            MR. MCGETTIGAN: For today, yes, Your
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   Honor.
            THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen,
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    that's going to conclude the testimony for
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today and we are not going to hold court 1 On Monday, we, of course, will tomorrow. 2 resume, but I don't know yet what time. 3 court administrator, when you go into the jury 4 room, will give you a phone number that you 5 will be able to call and we'll set the time 6 I may have some matters I will have to 7 then. take care of with the attorneys, and so there's 8 no sense having you sit around in the jury room 9 if we're not going to start till 10 o'clock as 10 11 opposed to having you here at nine or some other time. So that number they will give to 12 13 you, and then that will fix the time that we're going to start the trial on Monday morning. 14 15 Now, between now and then we've got three days I can't tell you, although I've 16 of temptation. tried to express any number of times, how 17 important it is that you not talk, text, tweet, 18 watch television, let anybody talk to you about 19 it, share any information, particularly share 20 any opinions about what you think may be going 21 22 on in the case. It's better to say absolutely nothing, because it is, as I've explained so 23 many times, so critically important that at the 24 25 end of the day nobody can say they heard

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something from you during the trial or said
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    something to you during the trial, because that
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    could throw everything into chaos, okay?
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            So, with that admonition, I will
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    excuse you for the week with my thanks and
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   appreciation, and we'll see you sometime Monday
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   morning. Okay.
            Now, you have some stuff for me yet.
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            We will remain seated until the jury
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    is taken out.
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             (Whereupon, the jury exited the
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    courtroom.)
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            THE COURT:
                        As I have explained to the
    jury, I don't know what time we're going to
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    start on Monday morning. There are some
   matters that I will have to take care of, but
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    that will be posted on the county's website as
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    soon as a firm date has been set. That would
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   be the best way that we will be able to
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   communicate that. With that, we are in recess.
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            Thank you.
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            THE COURT:
                         Counsel, can you approach
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    the bench, please?
             (Whereupon, a discussion was held at
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    sidebar off the record.)
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(Whereupon, the proceedings were
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