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Oath Keepers 2024

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1 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Log Number 2023-
2 0004935. This is the audio-recorded statement of
3 accused member Police Officer Alberto Retamozo,
4 Star Number 12815, assigned to the 17th District.
5 This is relative to an allegation made by
6 Sergeant Keshia Frierson.

7 This interview is being taken place at
8 Chicago Police Department Headquarters, located
9 at 3510 South Michigan Avenue on the Fifth Floor,
10 Bureau of Internal Affairs, on 1 February 2024,
11 in the conference room at 1224 hours.

12 My name is Sergeant John Bartuch, Star
13 Number 1598, and I'm the primary investigator
14 assigned to the Bureau of Internal Affairs. I'm
15 in charge of this investigation, recorded under
16 Log Number 2023-0004935, and will be the primary
17 interviewer during the course of this statement.
18 Also present in this interview is Sergeant
19 Tiffany Santiago, Star Number 1402, as secondary
20 interviewer.

21 This statement will be in audio-
22 recorded format and will concern itself with the
23 following allegation. It is alleged by Sergeant
24 Frierson that members of the Chicago Police
25 Department are members of the far-right terror

1 group, Oath Keepers, as documented in an email to
2 First Deputy Carter, and numerous news articles
3 by WBEZ.

4 Officer Retamozo, can you please state
5 and spell your name for the record?

6 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Officer
7 Alberto Retamozo, A-L-B-E-R-T-O, last name, R-E-
8 T-A-M-O-Z-O.

9 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Can you state your
10 rank, star number, and unit of assignment?

11 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: PO, unit of
12 assignment is 17.

13 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And your star
14 number?

15 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: 12815.

16 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: How long have you
17 been assigned to your present unit?

18 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Five to six
19 years.

20 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And what is your
21 employee number and date of appointment to the
22 department?

23 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: [REDACTED]
24 employee number. And 30 November, '98.

25 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Counsel, can you

1 please state and spell your name for the record?

2 TIM GRACE: Sure, my name is Tim Grace.
3 I am an FOP attorney and I'm here to represent
4 Officer Retamozo.

5 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Officer Retamozo,
6 prior to the start of the audio recording, were
7 you given CPD form 44.140, the Audio Recorded
8 Statement Instructions and Guidelines?

9 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes, I have.

10 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did you read and
11 understand -- did you read, understand, and sign
12 the instructions, and guidelines for the audio-
13 recorded statement?

14 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

15 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Do you have any
16 questions about the process of an audio-recorded
17 statement?

18 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

19 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Counsel, you are
20 reminded that in no instance will you answer
21 questions for or on behalf of your client.

22 TIM GRACE: Yes, sir.

23 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Have you been
24 advised, Officer Retamozo, of the allegations
25 made against you, the name of the complainant,

1 the date and time of the incident, and your
2 administrative rights?

3 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

4 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did you read and
5 understand these allegations and your rights?

6 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

7 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: You understand that
8 this is an official police department report and
9 that any deviation from the truth could result in
10 allegations or charges being placed against you?

11 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

12 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Rule 14 of the
13 Chicago Police Department Rules and Regulations
14 prohibits making false reports, whether written
15 or oral. You may be separated from the Chicago
16 Police Department if you make a false report. Do
17 you understand?

18 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

19 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Are you ready to
20 give your statement at this time?

21 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

22 TIM GRACE: Officer is going to give
23 his Garrity statement, but before he does that,
24 we have a couple of objections.

25 The first objection we have is that the

1 Oath Keepers, whatever they are, and my client is
2 not a member of them, has never been labeled a
3 domestic terrorist organization by the FBI,
4 Homeland Security, or any other organization, law
5 enforcement organization.

6 We are concerned about the fact that
7 the general orders do not -- as they are today,
8 as they were back in 2009, do not prohibit
9 officers from joining -- in the off-duty hours,
10 joining up organizations, and in organizations
11 that are not terrorist related. And we are
12 concerned about the First Amendment implications
13 of this CR being initiated due to the fact that
14 the First Amendment allows for freedom of speech
15 and freedom of assembly.

16 A lot of these -- most of these things
17 do not apply to this officer, but I wanted to put
18 that on the record as an objection.

19 We also are concerned about the fact
20 that the allegations were brought to the
21 department, and I understand that these Sergeants
22 were not the ones that initiated this CR.
23 They're just following their orders and
24 directives. It was brought by a news
25 organization, and it was brought by a letter from

1 the Anti-Defamation League, all things that are
2 concerning, that we should not begin
3 investigations based upon, you know, letters and
4 news articles regarding police officers. So, I
5 want that on the record and the officer will read
6 his Garrity rights.

7 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I would like
8 to preface this statement by stating that I am
9 not giving this statement voluntary, but under
10 duress. I am only giving this statement at this
11 time because I have been advised by Chicago
12 Police Department that if I do not give a
13 statement, I will face disciplinary proceedings
14 that will lead to termination of my employment.

15 On advice of counsel, I want to object
16 to the delay in investigation. This incident
17 occurred approximately 15 years ago. This delay
18 is prejudicial to my ability to clearly recall
19 the details of this instance so that I may defend
20 myself and provide a clear recitation of the
21 facts.

22 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Thank you, sir.
23 Officer Retamozo, prior to the start of the audio
24 recording, were you given Exhibit 1, a letter
25 emailed to -- emailed from the Anti-Defamation

1 League to First Deputy Carter?

2 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

3 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Is your information
4 included in that letter?

5 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

6 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Is that information
7 included in the letter correct?

8 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

9 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: No? Could you tell
10 me what's wrong?

11 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: The address
12 was changed.

13 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Was that your
14 address at some time?

15 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

16 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: At one time?

17 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

18 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Is that the
19 correct email?

20 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: It's an old
21 email.

22 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay.

23 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I don't use
24 it anymore.

25 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And is that a

1 correct phone number?

2 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

3 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Were you
4 ever notified by the Anti-Defamation League?

5 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

6 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Do you know why --
7 are you currently a member of the Oath Keepers?

8 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

9 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Have you ever been
10 a member of the Oath Keepers?

11 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: When I
12 initially signed up.

13 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: When you signed up.
14 Can you tell me about that?

15 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Someone was
16 telling me about this organization, that it
17 protects the Second Amendment. I had just
18 retired from the military, and there was military
19 members, I guess, that were, you know, there was
20 Navy, Marine Corps, and all that. It seemed like
21 a good organization that was going to protect the
22 Second Amendment. I joined at the same time, I
23 think, the Illinois State Rifle Association, and
24 that's approximately when I did it, 2009, 2012,
25 in between there.

1 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. I'm going to
2 just dissect what you just said. So, what year
3 was this?

4 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I believe it
5 was between 2009 and 2012.

6 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And now, you
7 said -- do you remember who told you about this?

8 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No, I don't.

9 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Do you know how
10 much you paid?

11 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I think for
12 the Oath Keepers, initially, \$50 a month, and I
13 believe Illinois State Rifle Association, same
14 time, \$50 a month.

15 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. So, in
16 total, for the two organizations, you were paying
17 \$100 a month?

18 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yeah, I was
19 going to -- yeah, well no -- yeah, yeah. For
20 both, yes, at the same time, yes.

21 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And how long were
22 you a member of the Oath Keepers?

23 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: After a few
24 payments, I -- probably three to four months, I
25 stopped.

1 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And what did you
2 know about the Oath Keepers when you joined?

3 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: When I
4 joined, it looked like to me, when I looked at
5 the website, like a good organization that's
6 going to help protect the Second Amendment, which
7 I believe in.

8 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did you believe at
9 that point that you were participating with any
10 hate groups or extreme groups, or that they were

11 --

12 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

13 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: -- anti-government?
14 Do you recall how -- what did the membership get
15 you or what did it mean to you?

16 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I thought it
17 was just an organization that after everybody's
18 attacking the Second Amendment that it was going
19 to try to protect it, help protect it.

20 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And how were you
21 going to help protect the Second Amendment?

22 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Just
23 basically being a member of an organization that
24 showed, you know, people are really interested in
25 the Second Amendment and the Bill of Rights. So,

1 that's why.

2 TIM GRACE: (Indiscernible).

3 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yeah,
4 basically the legal challenges involved in
5 protecting the Second Amendment.

6 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And you said
7 you had this membership for three or four months,
8 correct?

9 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

10 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And do you know
11 what type of membership you had?

12 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I do not
13 recall; I just remember signing up. After some
14 months, after making some payments, I stopped
15 making payments to them because I just saw
16 nothing on the website that were showing
17 anything, doing any progress. So, I thought it
18 was a waste of money at the time.

19 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And now, do
20 you remember what email address you gave them?

21 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: It would
22 have to be this one, I'm assuming. That's my
23 only old email, [REDACTED]

24 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay.

25 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Which I had

1 for several years.

2 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And did you
3 participate in any events --

4 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

5 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: -- for the Oath
6 Keepers? Did you ever receive emails from the
7 Oath Keepers during this time?

8 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I don't
9 recall. I don't believe so, because all I saw
10 was the website. I didn't receive any emails, I
11 don't believe.

12 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And now, at
13 the same point, you mentioned the Illinois Rifle
14 Association. Was that part of the Oath Keepers?

15 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No, it was
16 separate. They were just separate.

17 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Do you
18 remember how you paid for the membership to the
19 Oath Keepers?

20 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I want to
21 say either credit card or a debit card.

22 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And you did
23 say for the record, you never participated in any
24 Oath Keepers events?

25 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No events,

1 no meetings.

2 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: So, it's possible
3 that your credit card information or debit card,
4 would have been associated with the Oath Keepers
5 leaked information?

6 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I believe,
7 maybe.

8 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And the
9 information you provided to get this membership,
10 what did you have to provide to become an Oath
11 Keeper?

12 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I don't
13 recall.

14 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Could it
15 have -- did you have to provide your name?

16 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

17 TIM GRACE: (Indiscernible).

18 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Okay.

19 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did you have to
20 provide your address?

21 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

22 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And your email?

23 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

24 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And a phone number?

25 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

1 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Did you ever
2 participate in any Oath Keepers private chat
3 rooms --

4 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

5 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: -- during this
6 time? Do you have any social media platforms?

7 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

8 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Do you follow any
9 social media platforms?

10 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

11 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: After the three
12 months of stop payment, did you have any other
13 involvement with the Oath Keepers?

14 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

15 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did you ever
16 receive any literature or emails from them?

17 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I think,
18 initially when I signed up, they sent an envelope
19 with a pocket-sized Constitution.

20 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay.

21 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I think it
22 also included a Bill of Rights.

23 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. How long did
24 you get information from the Oath Keepers?

25 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: That was it.

1 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And now,
2 what do you know about the Oath Keepers today?

3 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Exact what I
4 see on the news, that they're a far-right wing
5 extreme group.

6 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And did you believe
7 that you still had any -- do you believe at this
8 point you had any involvement with the Oath
9 Keepers from back then?

10 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I'm sorry,
11 can you repeat the question?

12 TIM GRACE: Do you have continued
13 connection --

14 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Yeah. Did you
15 believe that you had a continued connection to
16 the Oath Keepers?

17 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No. No.

18 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And no one
19 from the Oath Keepers ever tried to contact you
20 to get remark --

21 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Never.

22 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Okay, I
23 showed you prior to the start of the audio
24 recording, I showed you this NPR article,
25 identified as Exhibit 2, which you initialed,

1 went through and initialed.

2 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

3 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did anyone from the
4 newspaper attempt to try to call you?

5 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

6 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Did you give
7 a statement?

8 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: He asked me
9 questions pertaining to my membership to the
10 organization, but not speaking on the behalf of
11 the department.

12 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And what did
13 you tell him?

14 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: At one time,
15 I -- basically, the same thing, that I initially
16 joined the Oath Keepers, because it was the
17 Second Amendment was under attack and I just felt
18 like it was an organization that might be helpful
19 for that.

20 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And who was
21 attacking the Second Amendment?

22 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Basically
23 the, I guess everybody was, they wanted to get
24 rid of the Second Amendment, at that time. I
25 think that even Illinois, I think maybe

1 federally, but more Illinois, I think.

2 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And this is back in
3 2009 and --

4 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: In 2009,
5 2012, somewhere around there. I can't remember -
6 -- recall exactly what year I signed up.

7 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Did you ever make -
8 - did make any other comments to this NPR?

9 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Not that I
10 can recall.

11 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: During the time
12 that you were a member of an Oath Keeper, did you
13 ever not comply with an order given to you by a
14 CPD supervisor because it conflicted with --

15 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

16 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: -- what the Oath
17 Keepers were saying?

18 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

19 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Were you
20 ever disciplined for not complying with an order
21 or directive because it didn't comply with the
22 Oath Keepers?

23 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

24 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. Did you ever
25 notify a supervisor that the newspaper reached

1 out to you for comment?

2 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Supervisor?

3 No.

4 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay. And then did
5 you ever generate any reports or documentation
6 about being notified by the newspaper?

7 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

8 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Okay.

9 SGT. SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: So,
10 approximately between 2009 and 2012 is when you
11 joined the Oath Keepers?

12 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

13 SGT. SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Where were
14 you assigned?

15 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I want to
16 say it's either, I was in MSF, or I was teaching
17 NATO. I just can't remember when.

18 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Okay. And then
19 how did you hear about the Oath Keepers?

20 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I think
21 someone just mentioned it to me, and to take a
22 look at it. It looked like a good organization,
23 and that was it. I -- at that time I looked at
24 it, myself personally went through the website
25 and I looked at the Illinois State Rifle

1 Association, and that's when I made a decision to
2 go ahead and support it.

3 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Was there a
4 correlation between the Rifle Association and the
5 Oath Keepers?

6 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I just felt
7 like they were, at that time, both organizations
8 were going to protect the Second Amendment, or
9 try to help protect them, you know, with legal
10 help, you know.

11 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Okay. Was
12 there something specific that made you stop being
13 a member of the Oath Keepers?

14 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I got
15 nothing on that website when I was looking at it,
16 monthly to see where, you know, what they were
17 doing, you know, with my membership, and it
18 seemed like they weren't really doing anything,
19 and so I just stopped making payments.

20 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: And then that
21 Hotmail address that I think is in Exhibit 1 --

22 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

23 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: -- what time
24 frame did you use --

25 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I used this

1 when I got activated from 9-11, I believe, so
2 probably 2001 through maybe when I got separated,
3 probably about five or six years ago. So, 2018,
4 maybe -- 2019.

5 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: And did you
6 stop using it or did you deactivate it?

7 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No, I just
8 stopped using it. I have old military guys that
9 still send me emails through there.

10 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Okay. So, do
11 you still utilize that email address -- the
12 Hotmail?

13 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I don't use
14 it as my -- no, I just use it to -- when people
15 send me email from the military, that's it.

16 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Okay.

17 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I don't use
18 it for anything, except to get emails from all
19 the guys.

20 SGT. TIFFANY SANTIAGO: Okay. That's
21 all I have.

22 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Do you know if the
23 Oath Keepers is a 501(c)(3)?

24 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: I don't even
25 know.

1 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Hum. Okay. At
2 this point, Officer Retamozo, I'm going to read
3 to you a verbal and direct order identified as
4 Addendum A.

5 You are hereby ordered both verbally
6 and in writing form, by me, Sergeant Bartuch,
7 Star Number 1598, on Thursday, February 1st,
8 2024, at 1239 hours, at 3510 South Michigan,
9 Bureau of Internal Affairs, the following
10 administrative order.

11 Police Officer Alberto Retamozo, you
12 are ordered to deliver to the Bureau of Internal
13 Affairs, a package addressed to me, Sergeant John
14 Bartuch, Star Number 1598, on or before,
15 Wednesday, 7 February 2024 at 10:00. This
16 package will contain the following listed
17 documents, any membership information that you
18 still might have regarding the Oath Keepers, all
19 dates for Oath Keepers meetings you may or may
20 not have attended, all material gathered at Oath
21 Keeper meetings, brochures, pamphlets, news
22 articles, any payment information regarding Oath
23 Keepers events and membership, any material you
24 received from attending Oath Keepers events,
25 pamphlets, brochures, news, and any emails, mail,

1 or text messages received from the Oath Keepers.
2 This order is hereby acknowledged at 1240 hours
3 on 1 February 2024 by PO Alberto Retamozo.

4 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yeah.

5 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: And I'm going to
6 give you this. This is the written order by --
7 you're going to acknowledge it and sign it
8 regarding the order that I just gave you, the
9 verbal order. And I think your counsel is going
10 to want to say something about this.

11 TIM GRACE: Yeah, we'll acknowledge
12 that the order, we believe this is an illegal
13 order. Chicago Police Officers are not supposed
14 to follow illegal orders. We don't think this
15 illegal order is coming from Sergeant Bartuch or
16 Sergeant Santiago. We understand it's coming
17 from other people above us.

18 But we -- saying that we'll comply with
19 this order in the sense that Officer Retamozo has
20 no such information.

21 Is that accurate?

22 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: Yes.

23 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: Hereby
24 acknowledged. Okay. Officer Retamozo, at this
25 point, is there anything you'd like to -- you

1 wish to add to this statement? Is there anything
2 relative to this incident that you wish to add to
3 this statement?

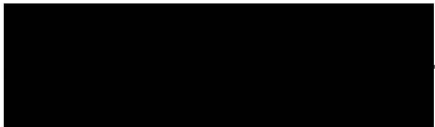
4 OFFICER ALBERTO RETAMOZO: No.

5 SGT. JOHN BARTUCH: This now concludes
6 the audio-recorded statement of Police Officer
7 Alberto Retamozo, Star Number 12815, conducted by
8 the Bureau of Internal Affairs, Investigator
9 Sergeant John Bartuch, Star Number 1598, on 1
10 February 2024 regarding Log Number 2023-4935.
11 Statement concluded at 1241 hours.

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I, Sonya Ledanski Hyde, certify that the foregoing transcript is a true and accurate record of the proceedings.



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