

Incident Narratives

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On 2-11-2020 at approximately 10:00 A.M. I, Detective Z. Overton, met with ██████ at ██████ ██████ in Brazil. ██████ had been in contact with Brazil Police Chief McQueen who requested I meet with ██████. During our meeting, ██████ advised me that his neighbor of approximately 14 years, Frank Kiefer, had been looking through his 17 year old daughters bathroom window while she is in the shower.

██████ recalled that on 1-30-2020 between the hours of 10:00 P.M. and 11:00 P.M., he noticed that the family dog inside his home was acting peculiar. ██████ said that he looked outside and saw what he thought was someone standing against his home. ██████ stated that he turned on the outside lights to his house and stepped out to find Frank standing against his daughters bathroom window (██████ says his daughter ██████ was in the shower at this time). ██████ says he can without a doubt tell me that it was Frank standing against the window. When ██████ stepped out to find the male, he said "Frank, what are you doing?" Franks reply was that he was looking for his dog. He then walked off. After this incident, ██████ bought and installed video surveillance cameras. ██████ showed me a video from the previous night at approximately 9:55 P.M. that shows the edge of the patio leading to the front door of ██████ residence, as well as ██████ bathroom window. In the video, you can see a male walk up through ██████ property, through the landscaping, and up to ██████'s bathroom window. The male appears to be somewhat older, wearing a stocking hat, jacket, and loose fitting pants while walking a small dog on a leash. The male can clearly be seen, with the dog behind him on the leash, walking up to the window, puts his hands on the window frame, and peers through the bathroom window with his face up to, or very close to the glass. ██████ says that the clothes worn by the male in the video, were the same clothes worn by Frank the night of the 30th.

During the time of the video recording date and time stamped for 2-10-2020 at 21:55:47, it is evident that the someone is in the restroom as the light is on, and movement can be seen in a gap between blinds and the window. ██████ says that this is the time of night when she routinely showers in the bathroom.

I asked ██████ wife ██████, and ██████ how well they knew Frank. ██████ explained to me that they have been Frank's neighbor for approximately 14 years. Franks had also been ██████ physician for a majority of her childhood. I then asked the three if they have ever had issues with Frank before him looking into windows. ██████ says that Frank often watches a young grandchild and Frank would bring the grandchild over to see their cats. ██████ recalled two specific instances that struck her as odd. ██████ said that in one instance, Frank was on their back patio where they have large windows that run from floor to ceiling and one would be able to see inside their home. The second instance ██████ recalled, was when she arrived home one day, opened the overhead garage door, and Frank was inside the garage with his grandchild.

I asked ██████ specifically if Frank had ever done or said anything to her that would cause alarm. ██████ said that Frank is a very nice person, but sometimes would touch her back when speaking to her, and would hold his hand on her back for a period of time that she thought out of the ordinary. ██████ also recalled one night sometime in January of this year at approximately midnight when she arrived home in her vehicle, which she described as having very dark tinted windows. ██████ said that she pulled into the driveway facing the garage, shut her vehicle off, and sat in her car for a moment on her phone. As she looked up, she saw Frank walk between the garage and her vehicle. ██████ says she exited her car and Frank said, "your out late". Frank then turned and walked back to his residence.

The ██████ family informed me that they had discussed the matter among each other and wished to file charges.

Later the same day, I drove to Frank's residence and asked him if he would be able to meet with me and talk about an investigation I was working. Frank informed me that he had a family member that had passed and was going to

the funeral service. Frank and I made arrangements for the following day to meet and discuss the matter.

2-12-2020 @ 9:30 A.M. The following is a brief summary of an interview conducted with Frank. For the full interview, reference the attached video and audio recording.

At the above date and time, Frank drove to the Clay County Sheriff's Office to meet with me. We occupied interview room 1. Our conversation was video and audio recorded and a copy will be forwarded along with this report. After getting Frank's information, we spoke briefly about dogs. Frank informed me that he has a 14 year old pug that he often walks and keeps her on a lead. We then spoke about the █████ family. Frank mentioned that he knows the █████ and that they are good people. Frank said that they are good friends, and spoke of █████ and █████ without being specifically asked about them, however did not mention █████ I asked Frank if he has ever treated █████ as █████ told me he has. Frank said that he would see her from time to time and spoke of █████ college plans. I asked Frank "do you guys talk often". I was referring to Frank and █████ thinking that was evident considering Frank was just telling me about █████. Frank started telling me that █████ doesn't get out often due to health issues and said that his wife and █████ are friends.

I asked Frank if he ever walks his dog at the █████. He said he does walk his dog in their yard. He often walks the dog between 9:30 P.M. and 11:00 P.M. I questioned Frank specifically about the night of January 30th 2020 and asked if anything had happened that night. Frank's reply was "don't know for sure, nothing comes to mind". I told him what █████ had told me about seeing Frank up by the house the night of the 30th. Frank then remembered the night and said that █████ had come outside in shorts appearing to be half asleep. Frank said that he was not up against the window. He then paused to try to recall what had happened. Frank eventually said that one of the places his dog will sniff is by the porch where █████'s dog will lay. Frank said that his dog had defecated in that area and Frank had removed the feces from the mulch. Frank said that he told █████ hi, and that the dog was peeing in his yard. I then asked Frank if he ever looked in the window. Frank said that if a light is on, he will glance over to see if anyone is standing there, but does not go up to the window.

Frank stated that for the most part, he wears the same clothes every time, however he does have a couple different pairs of flannel pants. He wears the flannel pajama pants, a blue St. Vincent coat, and a Notre Dame stocking hat. I then asked Frank if he has ever gone up to a window of the █████ home and peered in. Frank said he has not. He said he was close to the house but did not look in. Frank told me the window he was close to was the bathroom window by the door, indicating to me that he knew the layout of the residence. I told Frank that I was not familiar with the layout of the house and Frank informed me that his wife's aunt built the house and he explained to me the layout of the bedrooms and bathrooms of the house.

The next question asked of Frank was, "if there were video, would there be any reason why you would be on video looking through windows?". Frank's reply was, "I don't think so". I then asked Frank, "if I had a video would you be able to tell me if it were you or not?". Frank said "sure". I had the video surveillance footage provided to me by █████ on my cell phone and showed it to Frank. Frank watched the video and said "you know, I don't remember doing that, I wish the part of the video was there when I picked up the dog poop too". Frank then said "I'm not gonna say I didn't go up there and glance in the window, but there's a full blind there". I pointed out to Frank that even in the video, there is a gap between the window and the edge of the blind and you can see that there is someone in the bathroom moving and that the light is on. Frank said "where, let me see it". I showed Frank the video again and said, see the gap. Frank agreed with me that he could see it. Because Frank said that he did not remember looking into the window, I asked if it were common for him to forget things, or if he were on any medications that would effect his memory. Frank said no to both questions and said that he takes blood pressure medication. Frank followed the question by saying, "obviously that's me, I'm not saying that's not me. I went up there, if I glanced that direction I guess I glanced that direction but I'm not peeping, that's something perverts do". I spoke with Frank briefly about the situation and he said, "there it is on the video, I don't know what else to say, I just wont go there anymore".

I finished the interview by serving Frank with a trespass warning that was completed in ECWS, printed, and given to Frank. I explained to Frank that until this situation is resolved, he is to stay off of the [REDACTED] property or he could potentially be arrested for criminal trespass.

I am requesting the following charge be filed against Frank Kiefer: I.C. 35-45-4-5(b)(2)(A) Voyeurism BM

This report is being forwarded to the Clay County Prosecutors Office for review and charging.

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