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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On March 7, 1988, this investigator received a phone call from a TOMMY MADISON, black male, who lives in Alexander, Arkansas. Mr. MADISON stated to this investigator that he had received some information that might not mean anything, but he had heard that the night that the two boys were ran over by the train that there was a large party upon Alexander Mountain. Also he states that the Saline County Sheriff's Office had some Deputies to go up there to break up the party. He further states that he did not hear if the two boys were up there or not.

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INTERVIEW OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT

On March 3, 1988, at 11:30 a.m., this investigator interviewed a Confidential Informant at the EL-Rancho Club located at 1721 South Scott Street in Little Rock, Arkansas in reference to the death of a DON HENRY and LARRY KEVINS IVES that occurred on August 23, 1987.

This Confidential Informant states that she has been told that the area that the two boys died is a drop zone for dope coming out of Texas. The Confidential Informant states that there is a good possibility that the two boys were not ripping off a marijuana patch, but trying to rip off a drug drop that had either been dropped from an airplane or from a passing train.

The Confidential Informant also states that GAYLA HENRY, who is a sister to DON HENRY and her ex-boyfriend FREDDY POE, who is into drugs real heavy would possibly know who is picking up dope from that drop zone.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

CATHY CARTY
W/F
Saline County Sheriff's Dept.
Benton, Arkansas

Saline County Deputy, CATHY CARTY was interviewed by this investigator at the Saline County Sheriff's Department on 3-9-88 at 8:30 a.m. Deputy CARTY stated that earlier that night that two boys was ran over by the train, that she was at the Dairy Bar in the Ranchette subdivision when two girls pulled up and said that a man in camouflage clothes was on Highway 111 in the sharp curve back towards Alexander. This man matches the description of the man that shot at a Bryant police officer a few nights earlier. Deputy CARTY stated that she looked for the man on Highway 111 but could not locate him. Deputy CARTY stated that later on, she drove up on a large party on top of Alexander Mountain at the microwave tower. Other deputies arrived, and they made the kids pull out their beer. A Zack Motal, a white male, DOB: 3-24-69, was arrested and charged with public intoxication.

Deputy CARTY states that she did not see DON HENRY or KEVIN IVES at this party nor had she heard anyone say that they had been at that party.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

MICHAEL LEE HARPER, JR.
 DOB: 1/15/70, W/M
 ADD: 7720 Rebecca
 Little Rock, AR 72209
 PHONE: None (home)
 663-1400 (work)
 EMPLOYED: Brandon House Furniture
 12th and University
 Little Rock, Arkansas
 Attends McClellan High School where he is
 a Junior

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On Tuesday, March 15, 1988, at approximately 5:05 P.M., this investigator accompanied by INV. L. D. BROWN interviewed MICHAEL LEE HARPER at Brandon House Furniture located at 12th and University, Little Rock, Arkansas. MR. HARPER was interviewed in reference to the deaths of DON GEORGE HENRY and LARRY KEVIN IVES.

MR. HARPER related that: He has known DON HENRY for several years, since the 5th or 6th Grade. For a while they were neighbors and both attended Bryant Schools. He lived in a mobile home near where the HENRY'S mobile home is located. He and DON HENRY were good friends. Until DON'S death, they got together at least one or two weekends a month, either cruising Geyer Springs Road or at parties.

He only know KEVIN IVES through DON HENRY but not nearly as well as DON.

DON never discussed or revealed any problems or difficulties he had at home or with girlfriends. LAURA LARUE was DON'S girlfriend and he knows of no problems between them.

The last time he saw DON HENRY and KEVIN IVES was on Saturday night, August 22, 1987 at about 11:50 P.M. That night he had been cruising Geyer Springs and ran into DON and KEVIN at about 11:25 P.M. They all went to the Geyer Springs Ball Park and

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On March 16, 1988, this investigator met with INV. L. D. BROWN and Saline County Sheriff's Office Investigator CHUCK TALLENT at the Saline County Sheriff's Office in Benton, Arkansas. These investigators discussed information contained within INV. TALLENT'S investigative file relating to the deaths of DON GEORGE HENRY and LARRY KEVIN IVES which occurred on August 23, 1987.

Also on this same date, this investigator and INV. L. D. BROWN traveled to the death scene with INV. CHUCK TALLENT.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

TERESA LIGGANS
W/F, DOB: 4/27/57
ADD: 415 Spriggs
North Little Rock, AR 72118
PHONE: 758-7020

On Tuesday, March 15, 1988, at approximately 6:56 P.M. this investigator contacted TERESA LIGGANS by phone at phone number 758-7020. MS. LIGGANS was contacted in reference to a statement her daughter SHARON gave INV. CHUCK TALLENT of the Saline County Sheriff's Office.

MS. LIGGANS advised this investigator that her daughter is 14 years of age and that she was born March 24, 1973. But her daughter only knows what she was told by TAMMY GARRETT on the telephone (see TALLENT'S report). She said that the cousin in question in the investigative report is TAMMY'S cousin CHARLES BECK. (She was not positive about the first name). That CHARLES BECK reportedly was threatened by two black males on the morning of August 23, 1987 sometime after the deaths of DON HENRY and KEVIN IVES and near the scene of the deaths. The two black males reportedly were in a white pickup truck and told BECK that if he told anyone that they were down there near the death scene that BECK would be the next to die.

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Bill Clinton
Governor

State of Arkansas

ARKANSAS STATE POLICE

#3 Natural Resources Drive
P.O. Box 5901

Little Rock, Arkansas
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Colonel T. L. Goodwin
Director
Lt. Col. George K. Moyer
Ass't. Director

March 17, 1988

Joe Kelley Hardin
P. O. Box 507
Benton, AR 72015

Mr. Hardin:

Sgt. Barney Phillips has been assigned by our office at Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Richard Garrett's written request to assist in the investigation of the deaths of Kevin Ives and Don Henry.

Our understanding is that Mr. Garrett has some leads, or questions, concerning the investigation. Sgt. Phillips will need any and all leads developed during the Prosecutor's Inquiry, and otherwise, to be able to complete his assignment.

In our meeting with the Ives and Henry families, they indicated that all evidenciary items were to be sent to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Laboratory for analysis. Do you want the evidence submitted to another lab? If so, what lab, and what agency do you want to handle the submission of the evidence?

Also, it is our understanding that a petition has been filed to have the bodies exhumed for another autopsy. Should this occur, have arrangements been made for that autopsy by a forensic pathologist? If so, we will need who that is, as well as any and all results of the second autopsy.

Investigators Brown and Craig have also been assigned to assist in the investigation. Our investigators have reviewed the original file and are retracing the original investigation and reinterviewing persons in the file to determine if any new leads may be uncovered.

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DENNIS DEWAYNE BIGGS
 W/M, DOB: 5/30/68
 ADD: #23 Clements Drive
 Little Rock, Arkansas 72209
 PHONE: 565-1187
 EMP: Quality Foods
 3300 Brown Street
 Little Rock, Arkansas
 PHONE: 666-3765

TO: [Redacted]
 BY: [Redacted]
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On Wednesday, March 16, 1988, this investigator interviewed DENNIS DEWAYNE BIGGS at Quality Foods which is his place of employment in reference to the deaths of DON HENRY and KEVIN IVES. MR. BIGGS related the following:

That he was friends with both DON and KEVIN but he was not very close to either. He met them through MIKE HARPER. He saw them around and they would ride around some together. He had met DON HENRY in about 1982 or 1983 but he didn't see him for a two or three year period. He met KEVIN within the last two or three years.

He stated the last time he saw DON and KEVIN was at 11:50 P.M. the night before they were killed. He knew it was 11:50 P.M. because DON asked what time it was and said he had to be home at 12:30 A.M.

He stated he was with MIKE HARPER in his (BIGGS') new car when they met DON and KEVIN at the Sears Parking Lot on Geyer Springs Road. DON and KEVIN were in DON'S Trans Am. At that time, DON said he was going by a liquor store and they all decided to meet between 11:15 and 11:30 P.M. at the Geyer Springs Ball Park.

When they met at the Ball Park, KEVIN and DON were not drinking, however they did show him a bottle of whiskey.

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It was a fifth and had a black label on it and there was some missing from the bottle.

He stated that KEVIN showed him some kind of pistol but he does not know whether it was a revolver or not or if it was loaded or not.

He stated that KEVIN asked if he and MIKE HARPER wanted to go hunting with he and DON but they declined.

He feels like they were up to something. DON and KEVIN said they were going hunting but they were nudging each other and snickering. DON did say that he had seen some deer earlier and that they were going hunting. But before they left they said they were going frog gigging.

He stated that KEVIN and DON had a flashlight, a large one the kind with a big battery. He is not sure of the color however.

He said DON'S girlfriend was LAURA LARUE but he knew of no trouble between them. KEVIN had two or three girlfriends, and one had been SANDRA LARUE which is LAURA'S sister and he knew of no problems.

DEWAYNE first stated that during that last meeting, that no pot was smoked but later said they had smoked only one joint between the four of them. He said however that it was not very potent. He said that he had heard that DON and KEVIN had smoked pot earlier that night but he did not know who told him that or who it was with.

He said that DON and KEVIN were "sort of high" but they talked and acted OK other than laughing.

He said that he has heard that DON was in debt for drugs but he does not know any names or who else might have information.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

EMMA WHITE
 W/F
 Rt 1, Box 614
 Benton, Arkansas
 (501) 847-0020

Ms. WHITE was interviewed on March 11, 1988, by this investigator at the office of Attorney RAY BAXTER. Ms. WHITE stated to this investigator that LLOYD WHITE, who is her stepson, was home with her and other members of her family the night the two boys were ran over by the train.

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LLOYD RAY WHITE
 W/M
 DOB: 11-01-59
 Rt 1, Bx 614
 Benton, Arkansas
 (501) 847-0020

Mr. WHITE was interviewed at Attorney RAY BAXTER's office March 14, 1988, at 4:20 a.m. by this investigator and was advised of his rights on ASP Form 116 in the presence of his attorney, Mr. RAY BAXTER.

During this interview Mr. WHITE stated that he had just been released from the Department of Corrections a few days before the boys were ran over by the train and that the night they were killed he was home with his family. He further states he did not know the two boys and that he had never been in the Arcade at Bryant.

He also states he heard that a MARK SANDERS was telling that someone had shot the two boys and placed their bodies on the railroad tracks.

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On 3/15/88 Investigator TOM CRAIG and Investigator L. D. BROWN of the Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division met with Sergeant BARNEY PHILLIPS of the Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division at the Saline County Sheriff's Office in Benton Arkansas. Investigators met with Deputy CHUCK TALLENT of the Saline County Sheriff's Office at which time a review was made of Saline County Sheriff's Office File Number 87-089 bearing Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division File Number 67-587-88 opened by Sergeant BARNEY PHILLIPS. Investigators CRAIG and BROWN familiarized themselves with the case file and questioned Deputy TALLENT regarding the location of individuals to be interviewed in this case.

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On 3/15/88 Investigators L. D. BROWN and TOM CRAIG along with Sergeant BARNEY PHILLIPS travelled to the Bryant High School located in Bryant, Arkansas and advised the Assistant Principal GREEN that investigators were compiling additional information regarding the deaths of two former Bryant High School students DON GEORGE HENRY and LARRY KEVIN IVES. Mr. GREEN stated that he had no further information to give investigators however several students in the school could still be heard talking about the incident.

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On 3/15/88 at 11:00 A.M. Investigator CHUCK TALLENT of the Saline County Sheriff's Office travelled with Investigators TOM CRAIG and L. D. BROWN to the scene of the deaths of victims in this case DON HENRY and EARRY IVES located a Union Pacific railroad track near Alexander, Arkansas. This excursion was made to familiarize Investigators CRAIG and BROWN with the scene of the incident. No physical evidence or detailed examination were made of the scene.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

LAURA LARUE
 W/F: DOB: 1/2/69
 2329 Pinewood Loop
 Little Rock, Arkansas
 Current Telephone Number 405-933-4345

Miss LARUE was interviewed telephonically at 9:00 P.M. on 3/15/88 by Investigator L. D. BROWN of the Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division. Miss LARUE was contacted at telephone number 405-933-4345, a telephone number supplied by Miss LARUE's mother who currently resides at 2329 Pinewood Loop, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Miss LARUE was interviewed regarding statements given to Investigator CHUCK TALLENT of the Saline County Sheriff's Office on August 28, 1987, 3:25 P.M. in an interview conducted by Investigator TALLENT. Miss LARUE reiterated that she had seen DON last on Thursday, August 20, 1987 at DON HENRY's home. As stated in the interview dated August 28, 1987 Miss LARUE stated that DON HENRY had personal problems with which she would not confide in Miss LARUE about. Regarding an incident related to her by DON HENRY involving being shot at on a railroad track near the Bauxite Hole Miss LARUE stated that DON HENRY had never elaborated on the incident and that she had no further information regarding the purported incident. Miss LARUE stated that she did not know KEVIN IVES very well and only knew him through her boyfriend DON HENRY. She stated that in fact she had only seen KEVIN IVES several times. When asked if she had further information regarding the incident that may have come to her attention since the time of the August 28, 1987 interview, Miss LARUE stated that she had no further information and that she frequently talked with the incident with friends of the family. Miss LARUE stated that she was currently staying in Oklahoma and could be reached at 405-933-4345 however would be available to come to Arkansas if needed for testimony. Interview was terminated at 9:10 P.M.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

KELLYE SMITH
 W/F: DOB: 10/29/68
 Route 2, Box 267 C
 Alexander, Arkansas
 Telephone Number 847-4606
 Employed: Look Video, Kavanaugh and Van Buren Streets, Little Rock, Arkansas
 Telephone Number 666-0429

KELLYE SMITH was interviewed on 3/15/88 at 5:30 P.M. by Investigator L. D. BROWN of the Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division at her place of business, Look Video, Kavanaugh and Van Buren Streets, Little Rock, Arkansas. Miss SMITH was questioned to the content of Saline County Sheriff's Office report indicating her interview on August 27, 1987 at 3:35 P.M. by Investigator CHUCK ALLEN of the Saline County Sheriff's Office. Miss SMITH told Investigator BROWN that the only omission from this report was information known to her through other friends, names unknown that KEVIN IVES had possibly gotten into verbal argument with another subject who is the owner of a video arcade in Bryant, Arkansas the night before his death. She also stated that she knew personally that a white male named MICHAEL CONEY was not interviewed regarding the investigation however had seen KEVIN IVES the night before his death. She stated that she could contact the CONEY subject and refer him to Investigator BROWN for an interview regarding his knowledge of the whereabouts of KEVIN IVES and DON HENRY on the night before their death. Miss SMITH reiterated that she had not seen KEVIN IVES the day or night before his death however that she had talked to him on the telephone while working at the Ottercreek Video store where she was employed at that time. She stated that IVES had nothing in particular to say and that she could not talk long to him because of her work duties at that time. The interview was terminated at 5:45 P.M.

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talked until about 11:50 P.M. He knew it was 11:50 P.M. because DON or KEVIN asked the time. During the visit, DON and KEVIN made at least two references to deer hunting. One, that they were going to spotlight deer and, second, that "We've got to go check on some deer." He felt like they were referring to deer and not to dears because of the way they were talking. He said he used to go hunting with DON HENRY.

He stated he saw a bottle of whiskey in DON'S Trans Am but not much if any was missing out of the bottle. DON and KEVIN were smoking pot, however they were not "bombed". He did not see them drink anything and if they had been drinking, they had not drunk much because he could tell by their behavior.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

GARY DALLAS
Chief Chemist
Arkansas State Crime Laboratory
#3 Natural Resources Drive
Little Rock, Arkansas
Telephone Number 227-5747

On 3/16/88 at 10:30 A.M. Chief Chemist of the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory GARY DALLAS was interviewed at his office at #3 Natural Resources Drive, Little Rock, Arkansas regarding Laboratory Case Number Test 87-065-02. Chief Chemist DALLAS told Investigator BROWN that the analysis ran on that particular case number was to determine if the sample which was 1.9 grams of vegetable material contained marijuana. Mr. DALLAS told Investigator BROWN that the test performed by him on that particular sample determined positive for marijuana. Investigator BROWN asked Chief Chemist DALLAS if this particular test determined the level of Delta Nine Tetrahydrocannabinol. Mr. DALLAS stated that this test could not and did not show the level of Tetrahydrocannabinol in the sample and that a separate and specific test would have to be run to determine the level. Interview was terminated at 10:40 A.M.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

DR. FAHMY MALAK
 Medical Examiner, State of Arkansas
 Arkansas State Crime Laboratory
 #3 Natural Resources Drive
 Little Rock, Arkansas
 Telephone Number 227-5747

Dr. FAHMY MALAK was interviewed at 3:45 P.M. on 3/16/88 by Investigator L. D. BROWN and Investigator TOM CRAIG of the Arkansas State Police, Criminal Investigation Division, Little Rock, Arkansas at his office #3 Natural Resources Drive, Arkansas State Crime Laboratory. Dr. MALAK was asked if he had requested specific tests from the Toxicology Section of the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory to determine the level of Delta Nine Tetrahydrocannabinol on the victims in case file number 67-587-88, DON GEORGE HENRY and LARRY KEVIN IVES. Dr. MALAK stated that the cannabinoid results received from Chief Chemist KENNETH MICHAU would show the level of marijuana which included the cannabinoid and the Delta Nine Tetrahydrocannabinol as well. Dr. MALAK then went on to show investigators a series of photographs taken of the body of each victim and reiterated his findings that there had been no trauma inflicted to each of the victims and that each victim was alive at the time the train hit them. Having the information requested by investigators regarding the Toxicology test investigators terminated the interview at approximately 4:10 P.M.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

LISA GRIFFIS
 W/F: DOB: 10/23/69
 10305 Pleasant Oaks
 Mabelvale, Arkansas
 Telephone Number 847-8798
 Student J. A. Fair High School
 Little Rock, Arkansas

This interview was conducted at J. A. Fair High School by Investigator L. D. BROWN of the Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division at 10:40 A.M. on 3/17/88. Subject being interviewed is LISA GRIFFIS white female, date of birth 10/23/69 who had seen the victims in this case DON GEORGE HENRY and LARRY KEVIN IVES the night before their deaths on August 23, 1987.

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At 10:40 A.M. Miss GRIFFIS gave Investigator BROWN the following information regarding her interview on August 16, 1987 by Investigator CHUCK TALLENT of the Saline County Sheriff's Office, Benton, Arkansas. Regarding her interview by Investigator TALLENT Miss GRIFFIS states that the boys that were in KEVIN IVES' blue Camaro were named DWAYNE BIGGS and MIKE HARPER at approximately 8:30 on August 22, 1987. Miss GRIFFIS stated that she has no further information other than that given to Investigator TALLENT and that she had seen KEVIN and DON at the Geyer Springs Exxon located at its intersection with Interstate 30 around midnight the night before their death. She stated that she did not see them drinking alcohol or smoking marijuana and that they appeared to be in good humor at the time she had seen them. The only thing noteworthy that Miss GRIFFIS felt she should mention to Investigator BROWN was the fact that she had heard DWAYNE BIGGS testified that she was not in the vehicle belonging to KEVIN IVES the night before his death but that she believed she had seen him in the vehicle around 8:30 P.M. as stated in the interview with Investigator TALLENT on August 26, 1987. Interview was terminated at 10:50 A.M.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

KENNETH MICHAU
 Chief Toxicologist
 Arkansas State Crime Laboratory
 #3 Natural Resources Drive
 Little Rock, Arkansas
 227-5747

KENNETH MICHAU, Chief Toxicologist for the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory was interviewed on 3/16/88 at his office, #3 Natural Resources Drive, Little Rock, Arkansas at 10:40 A.M. Interview was conducted by Investigator L. D. BROWN of the Arkansas State Police Criminal Investigation Division.

Mr. MICHAU was questioned as to specific tests ran on sample number 87-06495 and 87-06496 which were blood sample taken from two victims in case file number 67-587-88. Mr. MICHAU stated that an identical test which in part detected the level of cannabinoids was ran. In sample number 87-06495 on Victim LARRY KEVIN IVES the cannabinoid result in the blood level was 97.9 nanograms per milliliter. On case sample number 87-06496 on Victim DON GEORGE HENRY the cannabinoid level was listed as 122.4 nanograms per milliliter. Mr. MICHAU was questioned by Investigator BROWN as to the determination made as to level Delta Nine Tetrahydrocannabinol. Mr. MICHAU stated that the tests ran would not show the specific level of Delta Nine Tetrahydrocannabinol and that a more specific test would need to be run. Interview was terminated at 10:45 A.M.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

JOHN CONNER
 W/M
 901 Marshall
 Little Rock, Arkansas
 Phone: 374-0251

MR. CONNER, who is the Director of the Drummond Funeral Home in Little Rock was interviewed by this investigator on March 17, 1988 at 10:45 A.M. and MR. CONNER stated that they used a powder called Action on DON HENRY'S body. This powder is an embalming powder that they use when they can't use embalming fluid.

MR. CONNER also states that they did try to do some repair work to DON HENRY'S face due to his mother wanting to see him.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

DOUG HAWKINS
W/M
Narroway & Main Street
Benton, Arkansas
Phone: 778-2544

MR. HAWKINS, who is the Director of the Ashby Funeral Home in Benton was interviewed by this investigator on March 17, 1988, at 9:30 A.M. and MR. HAWKINS stated to this investigator that they were unable to do anything to KEVIN IVES' body except use lime on the body to help preserve it.

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INTERVIEW OF WITNESS

JEFFERY CHARLES BENNETT
 W/M, DOB: 12/28/66
 ADD: 9405 Stardust
 Mabelvale, AR
 PHONE: 565-1088

MR. BENNETT was interviewed at the Saline County Jail by this investigator on March 18, 1988 at 4:00 P.M. and he related as follows:

I have known KEVIN and DON for about 4 or 5 years. The last time I saw them was about a month before they were killed. We were living in Bryant when they were killed. The last time I saw GAYLA, DON'S sister, was also about a month before they were killed. GAYLA had come by my house in Bryant to visit. I used to buy pot from GAYLA. I have never bought any from KEVIN or DON.

I have heard some rumors about their death that someone either caught them ripping off a marijuana patch and I've also heard talk that the mafia had them killed.

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EXHUMATION HEARING

On March 18, 1988, Circuit Judge JOHN COLE ruled that there is sufficient evidence to approve the request of Deputy Prosecuting Attorney RICHARD GARRETT to exhume the bodies of KEVIN IVES, W/M, age 17 and DON HENRY, W/M, age 16. Judge COLE'S order is contingent upon engaging the services of a qualified pathologist, who has to be approved by Judge COLE.

Also according to DPA GARRETT, Saline County Sheriff JIM STEED volunteered to make the money available from the drug fund in the Sheriff's Office to pay for these expenses. Judge COLE states that this fund was established to pay for expenses of this type, because the two deaths appear to have been drug related.

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JEFFREY NEAL MADDEN
W/M, DOB: 5/15/68
ADD: #16 Crain
Bryant, Arkansas
PHONE: 847-0990

MR. MADDEN was interviewed at the Saline County Jail by this investigator on March 18, 1988, at 3:15 P.M. and he related as follows:

I had not known DON and KEVIN very long. I had never talked to KEVIN although I knew who he was. The last time I saw either of them was about a month before they were killed and I just saw DON then. The last time I saw DON was at BARRON O'NEAL'S house in Bryant and some girl was with DON then.

I used to work for BILL RUMMEL at SUN-MAR. While I was working for MR. RUMMEL I never did see DON or KEVIN at SUN-MAR. I did hear MR. RUMMEL say one time that he knew one of the boys that had been killed.

I had smoked pot and did some cocaine with DON one time. I also bought some cocaine from DON one time last summer. I used to buy most of my dope from GAYLA, DON'S sister. GAYLA was into dope real heavy. She not only sold drugs, she also used drugs pretty heavy. The last time I talked to GAYLA, she told me that she had gotten off of drugs and had stopped selling it also.

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ROBERT CLAY DAVIS
 W/M, DOB: 2/7/68
 ADD: 153 Quapaw Drive
 Alexander, Arkansas
 PHONE: 847-3095

MR. DAVIS was interviewed at the Saline County Jail by this investigator on March 18, 1988, at 2:40 P.M. and he related as follows:

I went to school with DON HENRY and KEVIN IVES and we were good friends until I dropped out of school and then we went our separate ways. I dropped out of school about two years ago.

The night they were killed I was in Little Rock on Geyer Springs Road and had pulled up to a stoplight when DON and KEVIN pulled up beside me. I hollered at them and we pulled into the Sonic Drive-In and talked for a while. They said they had some marijuana and asked me to go smoke a joint with them. We drove down Geyer Springs Road and pulled off on our left on a side road that was a dead-end road. We parked side by side and passed a joint back and forth to each other. We smoked I think about five joints while we were there. I never did get out of my car and they never said anything to me about going deer hunting nor did they say anything about going to rip off anybody's dope. Also, I never saw any whiskey bottle or gun in their car, in fact I never got out of my car.

I have heard alot of rumors since they were killed. I heard they were going to rip off a cocaine deal and I also heard that they were going to rip off the guy that was supplying DON'S sister with her dope.

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On 3/21/88, this investigator went to MIKE CONEY'S residence, office at Springdall Road in Saline County to interview him in reference to the deaths of KEVIN IVES and DON HENRY. When this investigator turned on the gravel road that goes up to the CONEY'S residence a white male was observed going in the residence through the front door. This investigator knocked on the front door, but could not get anyone to come to the door.

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

3/21/88, this investigator went to MR. GARY PULLIUM a black male's residence in Alexander to interview him in reference to the deaths of KEVIN IVE\$ and DON HENRY. Upon arriving at MR. PULLIUM'S residence this investigator was met at the door by a black female who stated that GARY PULLIUM did not live there that he just stayed there sometimes. This female refused to give this investigator MR. PULLIUM'S phone number because it was unlisted. This investigator gave this female my phone number and asked her to have him to call me but to this date MR. PULLIUM has not returned my call.

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INVESTIGATOR'S NOTES

On 3/21/88, this investigator went to BAKER'S Grocery Store in Alexander, AR, to interview MR. GERALD BAKER in reference to the deaths of KEVIN IVES and DON HENRY. After arriving at BAKER'S Grocery Store this investigator was informed that MR. BAKER was in the BAPTIST Hospital in Little Rock with a back injury. This investigator then went to the BAPTIST Hospital in Little Rock, but upon arriving at the hospital this investigator was informed that MR. BAKER was undergoing test and will be undergoing test most of the day.

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