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From: [Lisa Jones](#)
Sent: Friday, November 9, 2018 4:29 PM
To: [Arantxa Chavarria](#)
Cc: [LBPD Media Relations](#)
Subject: RE: Request for Comment

OK, thanks. Let me ask you specifically about the media relations detail. For the past several years, the media relations detail has publicly and repeatedly identified Todd Johnson as a LBPD homicide detective in press releases issued by the department.

At this time, is it accurate for the media relations detail to identify Todd Johnson as a LBPD homicide detective? It's a yes or no question.

Lisa

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From: [Arantxa Chavarria](#)
Sent: Friday, November 9, 2018 3:47 PM
To: [Lisa Jones](#)
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Subject: RE: Request for Comment

Like I mentioned earlier, we will not comment on case or staff assignments. Thank you.

Arantxa Chavarria
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From: Lisa Jones [mailto:[REDACTED]]
Sent: Friday, November 9, 2018 10:15 AM

To: Arantxa Chavarria <Arantxa.Chavarria@longbeach.gov>
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I understand. Can you confirm that Det. Johnson was removed from the homicide detail at the request of the L.A. County District Attorney's Office?

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From: [Arantxa Chavarria](#)
Sent: Friday, November 9, 2018 11:08 AM
To: [Lisa Jones](#)
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Subject: RE: Request for Comment

Ms. Jones,

Case assignments and staffing levels are at the discretion of commanders and bureau chiefs within each bureau. We will not further comment on those decisions.

Thank you,

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From: Lisa Jones [<mailto:> [REDACTED]]
Sent: Friday, November 9, 2018 9:06 AM
To: Arantxa Chavarria <Arantxa.Chavarria@longbeach.gov>
Cc: LBPD Media Relations <LBPDMediaRelations@longbeach.gov>
Subject: RE: Request for Comment

Thank you for confirming that Det. Johnson is no longer among the detectives investigating the murder of David Michael Gross. In press releases issued by the LBPD over the summer, Det. Johnson was named specifically along with Det. Collier as a detective for the public to contact with information about the case.

When and why was Det. Johnson removed from that investigation?

Thank you for confirming that Det. Johnson is assigned to the Investigations Bureau. Is Det. Johnson currently assigned to investigate domestic violence cases?

Please comment on the removal of Det. Johnson from the homicide detail.

Thanks again.

Lisa Jones
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From: [Arantxa Chavarria](#)
Sent: Thursday, November 8, 2018 5:11 PM
To: [Lisa Jones](#)
Cc: [LBPD Media Relations](#)
Subject: RE: Request for Comment

Ms. Jones,

Detectives Don Collier and Mark Mattia are currently investigating this case.

Thank you,

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To: Arantxa Chavarria <Arantxa.Chavarria@longbeach.gov>
Subject: RE: Request for Comment

Thanks. Was Det. Johnson removed from the investigation into the murder of David Michael Gross?

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From: [Arantxa Chavarria](#)
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To: [Lisa Jones](#); [LBPD Media Relations](#)
Subject: RE: Request for Comment

Ms. Jones,

That information is not accurate and Det. Johnson is currently assigned to the Investigations Bureau.

Thank you,

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From: Lisa Jones [<mailto:> [REDACTED]]

Sent: Thursday, November 8, 2018 9:55 AM

To: LBPD Media Relations <LBPDMediaRelations@longbeach.gov>

Subject: Request for Comment

Can you confirm that Det. Todd Johnson has been transferred out of homicide and has been reassigned to auto theft?

Does the Long Beach Police Department have any comment on this matter?

Thanks,

Lisa Jones

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