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AFFIANT says of his/her own personal knowledge:

What is your opinion of Maj Scarselli as a Marine Officer? As the Provost Marshal? Please explain in as great of detail possible.

Having served under Maj Scarselli since his time as the Provost Marshal of MCAGCC I have the following opinion. Maj Scarselli's character as an Officer in the work place set an exceptional tone for the Marines working under his command. He led by example and showed nothing but professionalism. I have served under three Provost Marshalls and I have to say that Maj Scarselli was the most productive. I always saw him boosting moral by involving himself with others on a regular basis. Motivating the Marines at PMO was a high priority for him. I can say that because I have first hand knowledge. Every training Tuesday he would address the Marines and Civilian Marines of what was happening in the work place. He explained what was in the present and future for us and the unit. He also asked for ideas and took detailed notes on how we could improve the workplace. I never saw that from Maj Prater nor have I seen it from Col Green as of yet. I can recall seeing Maj Scarselli numerous times in the work place of PMO, i.e. Desk Sergeant Area. He took time out of his busy schedule just to see the Marines and ask how things were going. Those acts tell me that he personally cared. Maj Scarselli set up multiple events for us as a PMO family. Most of which were at his expense. At no time did I ever witness anything that would cause me to put his integrity or character into question.

What is your opinion regarding Mr. Gill's interview/investigation technique and process (please elaborate)? Was the IG investigation objective in your opinion or subjective? Explain.

My opinion of Mr. Gill's interview technique and process was necessary to resolve the issues going on at PMO. He asked me basic questions regarding rumors and alleged allegations. I think this interview/investigation was both objective and subjective. It had importance due to serious allegations but at the same time rumors are just rumors.....

What is your knowledge regarding adultery allegations against MGySgt Humberston and other Marines and Maj Scarselli's duty or failure to investigate those allegations?

I do have some first hand knowledge of those adultery issues of MGySgt Humbertson and Sgt Ellestad. I don't know if Maj Scarselli investigated those allegations or not. I was not directly involved with that process.

What is your knowledge regarding any loyalty oaths issued by Maj Scarselli?

I have never heard of any loyalty oaths issued by Maj Scarselli.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli attempting to influence or intimidate any Marine as part of the IG investigation conducted?

I have no knowledge of Maj Scarselli influencing or intimidating any Marine or person as a part of the IG investigation. I can say that he never influenced nor intimidated me.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli debriefing Marines after any IG interviews? Please explain.

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I have no knowledge what so ever of Maj Scarselli debriefing Marines or personnel after any IG interviews.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli upholding height and weight standards at PMO? Rifle qualifications?

I was never involved with Maj Scarselli's height and weight standards. Nor did I know about his rifle qualifications.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli taking a PFT around the time period of December 08?

I have no knowledge of Maj Scarselli taking a PFT around Dec: '08.

What is your knowledge regarding Maj Scarselli tolerating or promoting the hazing of Marines at PMO?

I have never known Maj Scarselli to promote hazing. Hazing has never been promoted within PMO.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli doing MCMAP training with SSgt Baker at any time? What is your knowledge of SSgt Baker's MCMAP qualifications?

I have no knowledge of Maj Scarselli doing any MCMAP training, nor SSgt Baker's qualifications on MCMAP.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli trying to arrange for a PMO/Big Bear Cabin trip?

To my knowledge Maj Scarselli was looking into PMO spending a weekend at Big Bear. I did not hear any specific details regarding this event.

What is your knowledge regarding how family nights were conducted? Were proper customs and courtesies regarding ranks observed? Were the events professional?

Family nights were conducted in a professional manner regarding proper customs and courtesies and ranks being observed. Food and beverages were offered at family nights. This included alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages. Maj Scarselli personally invited everyone from PMO and their family's to attend. I saw this as a unit function with everyone who attended. I even recall children and spouses attending.

What is your knowledge regarding Maj Scarselli allowing underage Marines at PMO to drink alcohol?

As I recall he made sure the underage individuals knew there were non-alcoholic beverages available.


What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli fraternizing with any enlisted Marines at PMO?

I did not witness any fraternization with Maj Scarselli and enlisted personnel. Nor did I hear any rumors of this.

What is your knowledge of Maj Scarselli ever borrowing money from Marines at PMO?

I never heard of Maj Scarselli borrowing money from any person.

What is your knowledge of the hiring of a civilian by the name of Robert Lemmons and his access to the 29 Palms base? What is your

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knowledge concerning what access to base Maj Scarselli may have given this individual? Please explain.

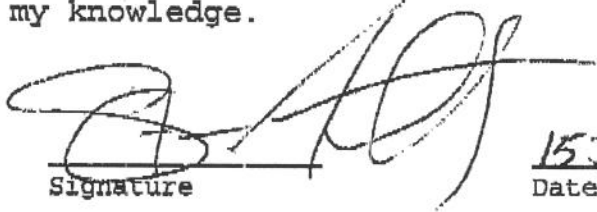
I have never heard of Robert Lemmons nor have any knowledge of him and Maj Scarselli.

What other information would you like to communicate regarding Maj Scarselli?

Maj Scarselli was the finest Commanding Officer that I have ever served under. He did nothing but care for the Marines under his command. At no time did he ever compromise his character or integrity. All he cared for were his Marines and nothing else. He sacrificed time, money and energy to make sure we had a better department and well being. Don't prosecute him for the few bad apples that served below him. If Maj Scarselli can be prosecuted for lies and rumors than it can happen to anyone.

I swear that the above official statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

STEVEN S. ANDREWS  
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