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To: Military Judge

Subj: **CHARACTER STATEMENT FOR CARLOS ROWE, MAJOR, U.S. MARINE CORPS**

1. I am currently assigned as the 9MCD, Kansas City, MO. I've been in the Marine Corps 14 years. My current duties include district Comptroller & SACO.
2. Carlos and I worked down the hall from one another for approximately one (1) year. We were located in bldg 710 on Richards-Grabaur Air Force Base. We were the OICs of our respective sections, working in concert to ensure the logistical and fiscal requirements of the district were met.
3. **(Observation and Opinion of Character Traits)**
 - A. Military - Carlos exhibits confidence, command presence, and MOS proficiency. He's friendly and social, free with complements and good humor. The commander's priorities are his priorities, always looking the part of a Marine Officer in appearance and demeanor.
 - B. Opinion on Military Character - Carlos is a natural leader who makes every effort to build camaraderie among his Marines while meeting mission objectives. He holds his Marines accountable for their actions and initiates after work activities used to develop esprit de corps. He's a professional warrior with a combat mindset.
 - C. Law Abidingness/Truthfulness - Same as above
4. **(Closing)** - Carlos is a Marine Officer who exhibits an innate ability to lead. His Marines would follow him anywhere. He protects those under his stewardship and expects them to be professional and proficient in their duties. POC information: (816) 843 - 3946.

Respectfully Submitted,