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From: John Galway
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Hey guys,

I went over this document, with regards to the exhibits. Most of the exhibits, which RIOUX suggests be sent to the lab, have already been sent off. There are, however, three items that were not sent. They are as follows:

- 1. clothing of the deceased for GSR pattern.**
- 2. GSR kits from the autopsy**
- 3. ammunition from the rifle**

In reviewing Cst. NIPPARD's correspondence with Sgt. Mike MERRITT, from the lab, two of these items were addressed. Here is what Sgt. MERRITT had to say:

- 1. Unfortunately, the lab can't approve the deceased's clothing for GSR, because he was shot, and finding GSR on his clothing is inevitable, and therefore not probative**
- 2. Unfortunately, GSR samples from a shooting victim aren't examined. The reason being that someone who is shot will undoubtedly be contaminated with GSR, and Trace Evidence can't differentiate between the GSR from one firearm to another**

With regards to DUNPHY's clothing, both of his shirts were sent off. Not for GSR testing, but for bullet trajectory testing.

The live .22 rounds that were seized were not mentioned in the C-414, nor by Sgt. MERRITT.

Let me know if you need anything else.

John

>>> Kent Osmond 2015/04/22 10:42 AM >>>

Please see attached e-mail from Sgt SAUNDERS. He offers a list of materials required to be sent to the lab.

I know we have already sent exhibits, but please ensure same is reviewed and followed up on, if not already completed.

Thanks

Kent