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**TO:** Deputy Chief M. Miller  
**FROM:** Sergeant Joseph Walsh

**DATE:** 4-24-19

**SUBJECT:** Reentry Conference 2019

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Sir,

On April 18, 2019 I along with Detectives from the Special Investigations Unit provided security for the Annual Reentry Conference that took place at Saint Peters College. This conference has numerous dignitaries and politicians that attend and arrive at all different times during the conference.

I was stationed by the door just outside the elevators when Hudson County Prosecutor Esther Suarez and Executive Assistant Prosecutor Gene Rubino were exiting the event and walking into the hallway where the elevators are located. Just seconds after they walked past me I heard Prosecutor Suarez state "don't touch me". I observed a white male with gray hair wearing a light blue colored shirt standing near Prosecutor Suarez. I walked over to Prosecutor Suarez and asked was everything alright? Prosecutor Suarez stated everything was fine and she wanted to take the stairs down to her vehicle. I then advised Prosecutor Suarez and Assistant Prosecutor Rubino I would escort them to the parking lot. While walking down the stairs Prosecutor Suarez stated that the male that touched her arm was a reporter named Tom Moran who was attempting to ask her a question. Prosecutor Suarez and Assistant Prosecutor Rubino were then escorted to the parking lot without incident.

I then met with Saint Peters Security Supervisor Edward Hanley who let me view the camera footage located near the elevator. The video shows Prosecutor Suarez and Assistant Prosecutor Rubino along with Tom Moran walking towards the elevators. Seconds later Prosecutor Suarez and Assistant Prosecutor Rubino were observed walking towards the stairwell. The video Supervisor Hanley stated he would burn a copy of the footage and supply it to the Jersey City Police Department.

Respectfully Submitted

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Sgt. Joseph Walsh".  
Sergeant Joseph Walsh