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RE: Captain Dave Kain, Tehama County Sheriff's Office

Dear Sir,

I have recently become aware that you published Captain Kain's name on a "Brady" list. This is very concerning to me. I am fully aware of the case you have referred to and was provided by a reportedly anonymous source.

I happen to know that Captain Kain was fully exonerated of any wrongdoing and was credited with providing a truthful statement. His credibility throughout his career has never been an issue. The case you have elected to use occurred over twenty years ago.

Publishing his name without confirming the information was irresponsible. It is obvious that whoever supplied you with that information is politically motivated to smear a high-ranking officer within the Tehama County Sheriff's Office.

This act carried out by you was not just irresponsible, it was done so with malice. I am hopeful those who are responsible are held civilly accountable for this wrongdoing.

Sincerely,

Phil Johnston Assistant Sheriff