

**THURSTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

☐ Suspect  
☐ Victim  
☒ Witness

Case #: 21-3298  
Date:  
Time: 1045 hours

NAME: Hans C. Stoker  
DATE OF BIRTH: 04/25/1956  
ADDRESS: 6945 76th Avenue NE, Olympia, WA  
INTERVIEWING OFFICER: Deputy Blankenship, 1P56, TCSO  
INTERVIEW LOCATION: 6945 76th Avenue NE, Olympia, WA  
ALSO PRESENT: None

1 Q All right Hans, do you understand that this statement is being recorded?  
2 A Yes.

3 Q Is this statement being recorded with your consent?  
4 A Pardon.

5 Q Is this statement being recorded with your consent?  
6 A Yes.

7 Q All right, so what happened today?  
8 A Well, I was upstairs at my office and then all of a sudden the front door opened and  
9 slammed shut. And I said, "What was that?" to my wife and she said, "Well, Selena's here."  
10 I said, "What?" And so, um, I don't trust her, uh, she can be violent. Um, I -- I didn't know  
11 what she had up her sleeve. So I came down to the first floor and she went to the TV room  
12 where the kids were and started interacting with the kids. I sat there in the TV room for a  
13 while and I told her, I said, you know, "The only reason we took any of this action was to  
14 prevent the kids from being a ward of the state." Because we didn't want them to go into  
15 the foster care system. Because this whole thing started when Thurston County Sheriff's  
16 Office paid us a visit to do a welfare check on the kids. And at Selena's last old address,  
17 which is on the other house on our property and then the -- the deputy gave us the number  
18 of the, uh, the CPS Security Officer in New Jersey of all places. Uh, and we contacted him  
19 and -- and he told us the conditions that she was dwelling in and what had happened and  
20 why they were after her. So, that's when we said, I don't want the kids -- Kat and I talked  
21 and talked about it and said we don't want the kids to go become wards of the state again.  
22 This happened once before with 101B in Colorado. When she got hospitalized in the  
23 psyche ward near Boulder and the kid, uh, 101B went into foster care. Um, it took us a  
24 long time to get her out of foster care and so we filed this action to prevent that from

1 happening. Uh, today, uh, that -- that's the back story. Uh, she lived at the upper house  
2 for, uh, the other house on our property for quite a while. Uh, and occasionally would let  
3 the kids come down. It was, uh, fairly cordial. Uh, but, uh, she fought with her boyfriend  
4 constantly, big fights, big fights. To the point where I have pictures of him being injured  
5 by her.

6 Q Okay.

7 A Um, and, uh, times she would just take off for weeks at a time. Sometimes -- one time  
8 leaving all the kids here with Jim, her boyfriend. We supported Jim up there, helped with  
9 the kids and then, um, then she took -- came back and then took off with all the kids. Ended  
10 up in New Jersey. US Marshal Service was chasing her across the country, um, I have tons  
11 and tons of, uh, toll booth, uh, violations and bills. And, uh, and it ended up, I think -- we  
12 think she ended up in Portland, we're not sure. Um, and then when she showed up today,  
13 she just burst in through the front door and wouldn't leave. And, uh --

14 Q And you asked her to leave?

15 A Yeah, yeah, we asked her to leave.

16 Q Okay and what did she say when you asked her?

17 A When we asked her, I think, uh, I think she said -- I didn't interact with her very much. She  
18 hates me, uh, and so, um, I didn't -- Kat asked her to leave and I think I asked her to leave  
19 and she said, "Well, you're going to have to get me arrested." Uh, and so, uh, I called --  
20 my wife called my other son, who is a mental health professional and he said, "Mom, just  
21 call the police, let them deal with it." Because Selena gets really violent, really combative.  
22 So, it -- it, you know, we just said, okay, we're going to wait until the police get here and  
23 deal with it that way.

24 Q Yeah.

25 A Um, and so I had very -- I had very little interaction with her. I just kind of -- she hates me  
26 and I just make it worse. And so I just went back upstairs to my office until the Sheriff's  
27 Office got here.

28 Q Okay and you -- you and Kathryn are guardians for --

29 A Yeah, we have emergency guardianship and applying for permanent guardianship. Uh --

30 Q And Selena --

31 A Just a second, I'm going to -- I'm going to -- I'll call her back.

32 Q Is Selena allowed to be here, have you invited her here?

33 A No.

34 Q Okay and how long ago did she live here in the other house?

35 A Uh, well it's so sporadic. Oh shoot, just a second. I'll have to call her back. Just one  
36 second. Um, sometimes she would leave for weeks.

37 Q Okay.

38 A Sometimes she'd take the kids, sometimes she'd leave the kids. Um --

1 Q When was the last time she lived at this house on the property?  
2 A This house?

3 Q Mm-hmm.  
4 A Um, I don't remember.

5 Q Was it --  
6 A Years, yeah.

7 Q Okay.  
8 A Yeah, years. Uh, years ago and only -- only temporarily, because she was an adult when  
9 she lived here. So she never lived here as a child.

10 Q With her behavior today was that normal for her that you've seen?  
11 A Yeah.

12 Q Okay.  
13 A Yeah, she's violent, uh, combative, angry, um, scary.

14 Q Mm-hmm  
15 A To be honest, you know. Uh, that's why I didn't want to engage her to try to get her out of  
16 my house and why we called the police.

17 Q Okay and did she make any threats to you or to Kathryn that you heard?  
18 A I don't think so.

19 Q Okay, okay. All right, do you have anything else you'd like to add to this statement?  
20 A Just that I grieve that we're having to do this. In my declaration of the court, I said, every  
21 parent wants their kids to grow up, be successful, raise their kids successfully and the fact  
22 that we've having to do this, to be here right now at our ages, it just grieves me.

23 Q Mm-hmm.  
24 A That's what I'd like to add.

25 Q Have any threats or promises been made to you since we started this interview?  
26 A Threats?

27 Q From me.  
28 A Pardon.

29 Q Any threats or promises have been made to you from me?  
30 A No.

31 Q Okay and at any time during this statement have you asked that the taping be stopped?  
32 A No.

33 Q Okay, we're going to conclude this interview. The time is going to be 1052 hours.  
34 A All right.

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2	Ending Time: 1052 hours