



# **TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT**

## **Judicial Questions with Case Writer Responses**

**Is 9274 Brushings Lane Averys apartment complex?**

- Yes.

**Where is Atlas apartment on the map?**

- 9274 Brushings Lane. Bottom, center on the map.

**In Arlos statement to the police, it says, I called a person named Atlas on Friday. This should be on Tuesday correct?**

- Yes, this should be Tuesday.

**In Arlos statement to the police the finish time is 12:05 AM in 2021. It should be 12:05 PM in 2022.**

- Yes, this should be 2022.

**Who took the Exhibit 8 and 9 pictures?**

- Noble Wilkins

**In Noble Wilkinss testimony, she references Exhibit 10 " stains on the console, but Exhibit 10 is a picture of the body.**

- The bracketed reference to Exhibit 10 will be removed.

**How long would it take to drive from Averys apartment to Arlos house?**

- Refer to affidavits. No additional information will be provided.

**How is Exhibit 10 supposed to be used? It does not need to be authenticated, right? Can you just say, Using Exhibit 10, please note the location of the injuries to Mr. Doyle.**

- Correct. Exhibit 10 is an aid for a demonstrative exhibit.

**Can Exhibits be enlarged (like Exhibit 10) to use in court?**

- Yes, within the parameters given in the Rules of Procedure.

**Can whiteboards be used in court to draw evidence, such as the inside of the car?**

- Yes, within the parameters given in the Rules of Procedure.

**Is there a name to the town, or is this just Bruda County?**

- No town, it's all County.

**Where is the Mercy Meadows Park located on Exhibit 4?**

- On the map, the park is located on the right side of the river. Witnesses who have knowledge of where the body was found can testify that it was found at the end of Park Road where it dead-ends into the river.

**Which witnesses are prosecution, and which are defense?**

- See Trial Court Case, Page 2.



**Can exhibit 1 be objected to as hearsay?**

- Evidentiary rulings will be made by the trial court Judge during the trial.

**Can exhibit 1 be objected to as a non-voluntary or coerced admission?**

- There is no such objection in the Rules of Evidence for this case. Teams can argue what they wish during closing arguments.

**Can we argue that Det. Fletcher Cruz conducted an illegal search when he arrived at the defendant's when he went to the garage?**

- Texas YAG does not provide procedures for suppression hearings based on illegal searches. Teams can argue what they wish during closing arguments.

**Is the stain on Exhibit 2 - top left blood or is it part of the logo for the bar?"**

- Yes, Page 9 lines 12-13 should state "...on Oct 25, 2021, which had blood spatter on the top left corner (Exhibit 2)."

**Can we put in exhibit 3, the death certificate, in during pre-trial?**

- Yes, Rule 902 should be considered to include the following " (4) Death Certificates. Copies of a death certificate."

**Exhibit 1 shows that Arlo began interrogation at 11:17 AM and ended at 12:05 AM. Is it supposed to be 12:05 PM to align with Cruz's affidavit?**

- Yes.

**In the newsletter you mentioned guidance for the judges on aggressive teams with objections, where is that language? Will this also be added to the evaluators guide so they don't give team like this points.**

- Yes, updates will be added to the website under Trial Court.