



PINAL COUNTY
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT



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National Institute For Truth Verification
Attn: Dr. Charles Humble, Founder Chairman & CEO, N.I.T.V.
1140 Fortune Circle
West Palm Beach, Florida 33414

Dear Dr. Humble,

I was assigned to become a Certified Voice Stress Analyst, with Patrick Flood as the course instructor, in December of 2002. Since being certified, I have had numerous opportunities to utilize this system.

I first used it with a case in which the intent was to eliminate suspects to where several people were possibly involved. During the examinations I identified several people as actually being suspect rather than eliminating them. Near the end of the investigation, I had one of the suspects fail the CVSA and then admit to having committed the acts he was accused of. That suspect then gave information that the other subjects had also been involved and validated their test results.

Twice since then I have used the CVSA in homicide cases. In both investigations the system saved valuable time and resources by allowing us to identify suspects and witnesses quickly, and was instrumental in obtaining confessions. During the first homicide investigation the results from the examination gave the investigators the confidence to pursue a line of questioning that resulted in the identification and arrest of a suspect in a previously titled, "unsolvable" homicide. The past experience in the accuracy of the system was a contributing part in that confidence.

In the second homicide investigation, the CVSA was instrumental in breaking the suspect's story and gaining admission from him. The ability to eliminate suspects, confirm stories and obtain confessions has made this system all but indispensable. To date, the save in man-hours and resources have not been calculated, but are expected to be ample.

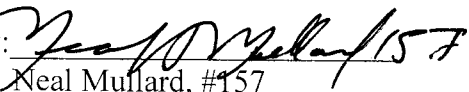
Other investigators continue to inquire into the availability of the CVSA to be utilized in their cases, and all have profited by it. Not only have we been able to use it in identifying suspects and witnesses, but also in clearing persons of alleged crimes, especially in the case of an alleged child abuse.

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We currently have three Certified Voice Stress Analyst in this department and only one system. I believe the cost of the system is easily offset by the savings in man-hours and resources, and that the department should seriously consider purchasing another one or more systems and having other investigators trained in its use.

Sincerely,

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