



OFFICE OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE
CHICAGO

25 February 1982

Dear Mr. Daley:

I have received the enclosed letter from Dr. John M. Raba, Medical Director of Cermak Health Services.

As you can see from the contents of the letter, Dr. Raba indicates that Mr. Andrew Wilson sustained certain injuries subsequent to his arrest.

I have obtained a C.R. Number which initiates an internal investigation of the allegations. But, because the person in question is one of the defendants in a matter presently pending before the Criminal Division of the Circuit Court of Cook County, I am seeking your direction as to how the Department should proceed in the investigation of these allegations.

I have publicly stated that we will scrupulously investigate every allegation of police misconduct brought to our attention. However, in pursuing this posture I also do not want to jeopardize the prosecution's case in any way. I will forbear from taking any steps other than the one previously mentioned in connection with these allegations until I hear from you or one of your assistants.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, which appears to read "Richard J. Brzeczek", is written over a horizontal line.

Richard J. Brzeczek
Superintendent of Police

Mr. Richard M. Daley
State's Attorney of Cook County
500 Richard J. Daley Center
Chicago, Illinois 60602

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February 17, 1982

Richard J. Brzeczek
Superintendent of
Chicago Police Department
1121 S. State Street
Chicago, Illinois

Re: Examination of Andrew Wilson

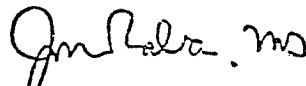
Dear Mr. Brzeczek:

I examined Mr. Andrew Wilson on February 15 & 16, 1982. He had multiple bruises, swellings, and abrasions on his face and head. His right eye was battered and had a superficial laceration. Andrew Wilson had several linear blisters on his right thigh, right cheek and anterior chest which were consistent with radiator burns. He stated that he had been cuffed to a radiator and pushed into it.

He also stated that electrical shocks had been administered to his gums, lips, and genitals.

All these injuries occurred prior to his arrival at the Jail. There must be a thorough investigation of this alleged brutality.

Sincerely,



John M. Raba, M.D.
Medical Director
Cermak (Prison) Health Services

cc: Mr. William M. Doyle
Mr. Leonard R. Bersky, Director
Sheriff Richard J. Elrod
Mr. Phillip T. Hardiman, Executive Director
Department of Corrections

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JMR/fm:

in your message to his agent.

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