

**WINSTON-SALEM POLICE DEPARTMENT
TRANSCRIPTION OF TAPE**

Subject: Detective D.R. Williams and Detective M.N. Barker Interview with Kenneth Earl Lamoureux

Location of Interview: Lamoureux's residence at 4960 Thales Rd.

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During this interview, a police radio is heard in the background.

Williams and Barker are walking.

Williams: Yeah....

Barker: ...*Inaudible*....

Williams: ...12-18-95 at 1431 hours.

Barker: *Inaudible.*

Williams: Huh, uh, I'm going in here to talk to Mr., uh, Kenneth Lamoureux. Barker and D.R. Williams.

Barker: *Inaudible.*

Williams: Do what? Yeah, uh, apartment A.

Knocks on door.

Lamoureux: *Inaudible.*

Williams: Detective Williams.

Lamoureux: Alright, come on in.

Williams: Can you come to the door, sir?

Door opens.

Lamoureux: Come on in, guys.

Williams: How you doing?

Lamoureux: Come on.

Williams: How you doing?

Lamoureux: Alright, come on in.

Barker: Pretty good, thank you.

Williams: Thank you, sir.

Lamoureux: You can sit anywhere...*Talks on a phone...*A gravel road on Kender Road. It'd be a gravel road on Kender Road? Okay.

Williams: *Inaudible.*

Lamoureux: Okay...okay...third trailer on the left...okay...alright, I don't know. I, I have to go to Mount Airy, I think. I'll, I'll just have, I'll just have to wait to get back to you. I'll try and make this as quick as I can, okay? I don't know. Is it gonna be before seven o'clock that I can make it to there?

Williams: Oh, yeah, oh, we're good.

Lamoureux: Yeah, yep, yep, okay, yep.

Williams: Okay.

Lamoureux: Yep. Okay, great, alright. Thanks a lot, bye. *Hangs up phone.* What can I do for you?

Williams: How you doing?

Lamoureux: Good.

Williams: I'm Detective Williams. This is Detective Barker. You gotta light? Thank you, sir.

Lamoureux: Uh, huh.

Williams: Uh, your name has come up in an investigation, sir, we're investigating right now and what we'd like to do is talk to you for....

Lamoureux: ...Investigation for what?

Williams: Investigation?

Lamoureux: Um, hum.

Williams: I can't go into the nature of the investigation, but we would like to talk to you as soon as we can.

Lamoureux: Right, okay. Does it concern me?

Williams: Yes, sir, it concerns you. Your name come up in the investigation.

Lamoureux: Alright, let's have a sit down.

Williams: Do you mind, mister, uh, Mr. Lamoureux?

Lamoureux: Just call me Ken.

Williams: Ken?

Barker: Ken?

Lamoureux: Ken.

Williams: Ken, this, this is Mike Barker. I'm Don Williams.

Lamoureux: Okay.

Williams: Will you come down with us to the police department and talk to us? You're not under arrest or anything; I want you to understand that.

Lamoureux: Just a minute, I want to call my lawyer.

Barker: Okay.

Lamoureux: I just, this, this, I, I don't know what the hell is going on.

Williams: Well, that's fine, you, just tell him you're not under arrest. We just want to talk to you.

Lamoureux: *Dials a phone...*It's going to be some more shit that my wife is throwing up, I just know it...*talking on the phone...* Yeah, this is Ken Lamoureux, let me talk to Todd Peters immediately, please. Boy, you just, it's just a miracle that I'm even here. I just had a delivery up the road here that I need to go on.

Williams: You work?

- Lamoureux: Yeah, I still got some more baggage I need to get delivered, I think. I need to know if this is gonna take a long time.
- Barker: Nah, nah, it shouldn't.
- Williams: No, it's not gonna take that long. Uh, like I say, it'll probably take maybe an hour, an hour and a half at the most, maybe.
- Lamoureux: We can't do this in about three hours? I mean, I've gotta run to Mount Airy and drop all this off....
- Barker: ...Yeah....
- Lamoureux: ...See what I'm saying...?
- Williams: ...Yeah, if you'd like to come back down and come, come down there and meet with me, yes, sir, that'd be fine. You don't have to go now.
- Lamoureux: Okay...*talking on phone*...Todd, I'm, I'm standing in my house. I got two detectives standing here, okay? They're saying that my name has come up in some sort of an investigation and they want me to go down, downtown to talk to 'em....
- Williams:They've asked you....
- Lamoureux: ...They, they've asked me. I mean, they're, they're not here to arrest me....
- Williams: ...No, sir....
- Lamoureux: ...No, no warrant or anything like that...?
- Williams: ...No, sir....
- Lamoureux: ...No, nothing like that and they, they won't tell me what it's about. I just, uh, they, they are gonna allow me, I do have to make a run up to Mount Airy and then one down on Kender Road and they told me I could come in later tonight to talk to them, so I don't have to go with them right now, but it's just, I just wanted to let you know. I'm sorry, this, God, I just know this is more shit that this woman is pulling on me. I just know it...Your name again, sir?
- Williams: Detective D.R. Williams and Detective Barker.
- Lamoureux: D.R. Williams and Detective Barker?
- Barker: Barker, yes, sir.

Lamoureux: Yeah, well, there's no need for that. They'll let me run to Mount Airy and run this down, and I'll be happy to go, I'll, I'll go over there with them if, if they give me just...*inaudible*...yeah, if, if I can say roughly between five and five-thirty, is that gonna be okay with y'all?

Williams: Should be, I don't see no problem with that all.

Lamoureux: That okay with y'all?

Williams: Okay.

Lamoureux: Yeah, yeah, okay, I just wanted to let, I understand, I understand, I, I won't, not depending on what the nature of it is, if there's any problems then I'll just, you know, I'll just hold off until I can talk to you again. Okay, but I just wanted to let you know that, what's going on. Okay? Alright, Todd. Thanks, um, bye-bye.
Hangs up phone.

Williams: I wanna give you....

Lamoureux: ...I, I don't, any other time, any other time, I'm faced with this, I'll get in the car and go with you right now, but I'm sure....

Williams: ...I understand....

Lamoureux: ...I'm sure this has something to do with my wife. I'm almost positive a 100%.

Williams: Let me give you my card here, so you can....

Lamoureux: ...We're going through a hell of a damn hell...hellacious divorce.

Williams: That's, that's my card, uh, Ken, uh.

Lamoureux: Okay. Public Safety Center? Uh, that's where the jail is, right?

Barker: No.

Williams: No, huh, uh, you know where, uh, 725 North Cherry? You know, where the Ben...Benton Convention Center is.

Lamoureux: No, see I know the LJMV. The Benton Convention Center?

Williams: That's down on....

Lamoureux: ...Oh, wait a minute, oh, yeah, yeah, down by the Fire Department, down....

Williams: ...Yes, sir....

Lamoureux: ...Down the hill, yeah....

Williams: ...You just come north, two more blocks....

Lamoureux: ...Yeah....

Williams: ...The Public Safety Center'll be on your right....

Lamoureux: ...Okay....

Williams: ...Just park in the bottom lot there....

Lamoureux: ...725 North Cherry Street....

Williams: ...There's a visitor's lot. Just come to the doors and there's, there's probably an officer or somebody sitting at the desk.

Lamoureux: Alright.

Williams: Just tell them Detective Williams, and I'll come out and meet you.

Lamoureux: Alright.

Williams: It'll probably take about a hour and half, uh, at the most two hours of your time if you can....

Lamoureux: ...Alright....

Williams: ...Spare us that.

Lamoureux: Alright, like I say, I gotta run to Mount Airy.

Williams: That's fine.

Lamoureux: And when I come back, I, this, I gotta run down....

Barker: ...You got a beeper or something we can call you on or, uh...?

Lamoureux: I have absolutely, positively nothing.

Williams: Who, who you work for now, Ken?

Lamoureux: I don't work.

Williams: You don't work? Oh, I thought you, you're delivering luggage?

Lamoureux: I'm just, I'm just doing something, something, some, a favor for someone is what I'm doing right now.

Williams: Oh, oh, oh, okay, I, I understand.

Lamoureux: I'm just doing a favor.

Williams: Are these your shoes here?

Lamoureux: Yes, they are.

Williams: Do you mind if I look at them?

Lamoureux: Go right ahead.

Williams: Thank you, sir. Okay. I appreciate it.

Lamoureux: Um, hum.

Williams: Uh, if you can, well, as soon as you get there, just tell them, I'll be back there in the back in my office....

Lamoureux: ...Alright....

Williams: ...And just tell them you need to see Detective Williams. I'll come out and meet you....

Lamoureux: ...Alright....

Williams: ...And we'll talk about it, okay?

Lamoureux: Alright.

Williams: Thank you, Ken. I appreciate it.

Door closes.

Lamoureux: Alright, I....

Williams: ...You take care.

Williams, Barker and Lamoureux start walking.

Lamoureux: Alright, I, like I say, under any other, any other circumstances....

Williams: ...I understand, I understand....

Lamoureux: ...I'd be more than happy. I wouldn't even question it.

Williams: I understand.

Lamoureux: I'm sure this is something to do with my wife.

Williams: Okay.

Lamoureux: Therefore, I just....

Williams: ...We appreciate it.

Lamoureux: Alright.

Barker: Thanks a lot.

Lamoureux: ...*Inaudible*...?

Williams: No, sir, that ain't necessary.

Barker: ...*Inaudible*....

Williams: What, let me ask you....

Barker: ...Huh?

Williams: This, this your car here?

Lamoureux: Yes, sir, the...*inaudible*....

Williams: ...*Inaudible*....

Lamoureux: ...*Inaudible*....

Barker: Uh.

Williams: Okay, I appreciate it.

Lamoureux: Sure thing.

Williams: Thanks, Ken.

Lamoureux: Um, hum, alright.

Williams: We'll see you after while then.

Williams and Barker continue walking.

Lamoureux: Yeah, it'll be about, like I said, about five or five-thirty.

Williams: Okay.

Barker: Dammit.

Car door opens; car door beeps.

Barker: ...No...*inaudible*....

Williams: ...That's...*inaudible*....