

"Testimony on LCO #3471"

Re: ACCOUNTABILITY

IF THE **POLICE OFFICERS'** BODY CAM(S) **CONVENIENTLY** GET TURNED OFF DURING AN ENCOUNTER, AND IT BOILS DOWN TO THE POLICE OFFICER(S) WORD AGAINST THE PERPETRATOR'S WORD, WHO IS BELIEVED?

BODY CAMS ARE SUPPOSED TO EQUALIZE THAT ISSUE, AND MANY TIMES, THE CAMS CONVENIENTLY HAVE A MISHAP. WHO DO YOU THINK BELIEVES THAT EXCUSE? .

WHEN THIS HAPPENS,THE PERPETRATOR **SHOULD BE GIVEN** THE BENEFIT OF THE DOUBT!!!!!!

WHAT EXCUSE WOULD A POLICE OFFICER HAVE, IF THEIR WEAPON/GUN HAD A MISHAP DURING THE COURSE OF AN ENCOUNTER?

WOULD THE RESPONSE BE, "OH WELL, THINGS HAPPEN SOMETIMES"?

Thank you for the conversation.

Stay safe,

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