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Your Honor -

We would like to
have the testimony
shown or read to
us from Sherry
Culhane on Mon,
Feb. 26 on her
DNA results on
Ex. 164.

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Thanks You
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(Cross-Examination by Attorney Buting on 2/26/07.)

Q. As well as the license plates from the RAV 4 and to check the .22 caliber gun, Item DD, for any indication of the victim's blood on the barrel, right?

A. Yes.

Q. And also to swab the trigger guard area to compare with Steve Avery?

A. Correct.

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1 (Cross-Examination by Attorney Buting on 2/26/07.)

2 Q. And you checked the Item DD, .22 caliber gun,
3 that's a rifle, right?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. You looked for any blood of the victim on the
6 barrel, right?

7 A. Correct.

8 Q. You found no DNA of Teresa Halbach on that
9 barrel?

10 A. Correct.

11 Q. You looked at the trigger guard as well, not just
12 the trigger guard, but the trigger itself?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. You swabbed both, right?

15 A. Yes.

16 Q. And you found no DNA of Mr. Avery, right?

17 A. Correct.

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1 (Cross-Examination by Attorney Buting on 2/26/07.)
2 Q. Now, you also looked, or asked to look, we saw
3 that message earlier, at the .22 rifle swabs that
4 were taken from it, right?
5 A. Yes.
6 Q. The purpose there was not to see if you would
7 find Teresa Halbach's DNA, but to see if you
8 would find Mr. Avery's DNA, right?
9 A. Was that item DD?
10 Q. Yes.
11 A. I believe I was requested to look for possible
12 blood on the barrel part and DNA from the trigger
13 area.
14 Q. And you found neither, correct?
15 A. That's correct.
16 Q. You did not find Mr. Avery's DNA on that weapon
17 anywhere, did you?
18 A. On the trigger guard is the only place I swabbed,
19 but, no, I didn't.
20 Q. And you did not find Teresa Halbach's DNA
21 anywhere on the barrel either?
22 A. Correct.
23 Q. Are you familiar with close -- close, almost
24 contact type shootings?
25 A. I don't know what you mean by that.

1 Q. Are you familiar with the term blow back?
2 A. Yes.
3 Q. You know that if someone shoots another human
4 being with a gun, that's very close to them,
5 there may be blow back, a spatter of blood onto
6 that weapon?
7 A. I assume that's possible.
8 Q. Well, that's what you were looking for?
9 A. I was simply looking for blood stains, yes.
10 Q. On the barrel?
11 A. Correct.
12 Q. And you found none?
13 A. Correct.
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