

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL  
B. S. A.

DATE September 8, 1967

Full Name Robert E. Newman  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 30418 Elmira

City Livonia State Michigan 48150

Age 30 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age \_\_\_\_\_ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Episcopal Nationality \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation Engineer for Kelsey-Hayes Company

Education \_\_\_\_\_

Weight 160 Color White Height 5' 10"

Color of hair Blond- Receding hair line Color of eyes \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding characteristics or interests Always wears bow tie

Married or single Single Children \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name \_\_\_\_\_

**SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:**

Unit #	City	State	Office	Date Reg'd.	Date Resigned
			Ehm. Dist. O & E Committee-Huron District	Jan. 1967	March 13, 1967

Special recognition \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Arrested on morals charge.

Signed: [Signature]  
Scout Executive

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**DETROIT AREA COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

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September 8, 1967

Mr. Howard Boyd  
Director of Registration  
National Council, B. S. A.  
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

Dear Howard:

Enclosed is a national report on a Robert E. Newman who was formerly the District O & E Chairman of our Huron District.

This man was arrested on a morals charge in April of 1967 but was allowed to plead guilty to a disorderly charge. The case was tried in the Canton Township court in Belleville in April of 1967. He was found guilty of being a disorderly person and was placed on probation for one year providing he would receive psychiatric treatment. The man should not be registered in the Boy Scouts of America under any circumstances.

Sincerely,

DALE E. CHRONIC  
Assistant Scout Executive

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OFFICERS: President - Wallace E. Wilson . . . Vice Presidents - Charles F. Adams, William J. Bird, Hugh C. Daly, R. T. Johnstone . . .  
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ROBERT E. NEWMAN

On January 20, 21 and 22 of 1967, Robert Newman attended a skiing campout with Troop 1139 and Troop 754 at the ski lodge at Hubbard Lake.

During the course of the weekend, he made advances to [REDACTED] a Scout in Troop 1139 and had immoral relations with him. Robert Newman at that time was the District O & E Chairman and had been working with these two Troops in the possible formation of an Explorer Unit.

The father [REDACTED] has told this story to the state police and action is pending from the prosecutor's office.

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al. Cause No. 2007-0001749  
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ROBERT E. NEWMAN

In January and February of 1967, Robert E. Newman was the District O & E Chairman of Huron District. He was assisting in the organization of Troop 754.

During February he visited the home of one of the Patrol Leaders of the Troop, [REDACTED] on the pretext of helping the boy make a patrol flag. At the time it did not appear to be necessarily out of line because he had been working very closely in the organization of this Troop. During the course of the visit at the boy's home, he made advances to [REDACTED] and had relations with him while the parents were out of the house. The parents did not find out about the situation until April and at that time signed a complaint against Newman.

After a number of court delays, he was prosecuted in the Canton Township Court in Belleville, Michigan. He was allowed to plead guilty to a lesser charge of being a disorderly person. The court found him guilty, fined him \$75.00 and he was put on probation for one year on the condition that he get psychiatric help. Detective Robert Johnson of the Michigan State Police, Ypsilanti Post, has been the investigating officer in both cases.

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al. Plaintiff's Exhibit 731  
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September 20, 1967

Mr. Joseph H. Brinton  
Scout Executive  
Detroit Area Council, No. 262

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Robert E. Newman

Attention: Dale E. Chronic, Assistant Scout Executive .

Dear Joe:

Thank you for your letter of September 8 and the confidential record sheet you enclosed concerning Robert E. Newman, currently registered as O & E chairman, District five. We have placed this information in our files and have taken steps to have his name deleted from the Council roster.

The information you have provided will enable us to identify Mr. Newman should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely yours,  
PERSONNEL & TRAINING DIVISION

Howard Boyd  
Director of Registration

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