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August 24, 1990

Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe Scout Executive Heart of America Council, No. 307

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUEJECT: JACK Z. STEWART

Dear Jere:

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter. This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent Ineligible Volunteer File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region

SEXUAL ASSAULT

Ex-Scout leader gets 6 years

A former Boy Scout leader convicted of

molesting two boys in his Kansas City home was sentenced Wednesday to six years in prison. Jack Stewart, sentenced in Jackson County Circuit

Court on his 70th birthday, was allowed to remain free on \$2,500 bond pending his appeal.

Stewart was found guilty in June of twice sexually assaulting a 15-year-old boy and of one count of assaulting a 16-year-old boy. The assaults took place as he was helping the boys plan camping trips in the "Scout room" of his home.

Circuit Judge William F. Mauer sentenced Stewart to four years for one count, six years for another and four years for the third count. Mauer made the sentences concurrent for a total of six years.

The father of one of the boys asked at a hearing before sentencing that the judge have the terms run consecutively for 14 years.

MEMORANDUH

TO:

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FROM:

KEITE H. AVERILL, JR. KNA

DATE:

AUGUST 29, 1990

RE:

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA/GENERAL CORPORATE

JACK STEWART SUBFILE - BOY12/57845

Jack Stewart's sentencing has been set for September 3, 1990 at 3:30 p.m. The prosecutor intends to ask Judge Mauer to impose a penitentiary term pursuant to the jury's recommendation at trial.

cc: Terry Kilrey

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AUG 24 1990 ERIN ORILEY

Boy Scout leader convicted

Man molested two youths, jury says.

By KAREN BLAKEMAN Staff Writer

A longtime Boy Scout leader molested two Kansas City Eagle Scouts as he helped them plan cross-country camping trips last year, a Jackson County jury decided Tuesday.

The jury deliberated more than four hours before returning three guilty verdicts with the recom-mendation that 69-year-old Jack Z. Stewart spend 14 years in prison, 10 years for twice assaulting a 15-year-old boy and four years for

15-year-old boy and four years to assaultifig a 16-year-old boy. "I think we spoke the verdict the public wanted," one juror said. "It was not an easy verdict."

Slewart refused to comment as he left the courthouse. His lawyer, L.R. Magée, would not say whether he would seek another trial or a lighter sentence for his

The Jury acquitted Stewart on two charges of assaulting the 16year-old, who was unable to recall

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dates of some of the incidents. Joth boys testified that Stewart I asked them to read edpies of hographic stories before he lested them in the "Scout m" of his residence in the 3600 ck of West Roanoke Drive. ice found the stories in a desk

drawer in Stewart's basement.

After the verdicts, the boys said that they were glad they had reported the crimes, and they encouraged children in similar situations to do the same.
"Don't hold back. Just go ahead.

and do it," one boy advised.

Stewart, who testified Tuesday,

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the boys but denied that he assaulted them.

Witnesses for Stewart testified that he had been a trusted Scout

leader for nearly 30 years.
Chip McKenzie, a prosecutor, said that justice had been served and that he hoped that Stewart's actions had not blemished the

"No one should see this as anything but the abnormality of one man," he said.

Circuit Judge William F. Mauer released Stewart on \$2,500 bond Tuesday evening until sentencing and ordered a pre-sentence invesligation.

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Tuesday, June 12, 1990 The Kansas City Star B-3

Scouts accuse ex-lead

They testify in his trial that he had them read sexual stories and molested them.

By AMY SNIDER Staff Writer

A "High-adventure" camping trip to Canada two years ago was marked by a Scout leader's sexual perversions, a Kansas City Eagle Scout told a Jackson County jury on Monday.

The Scout, now 18, testified against 69-year-old Jack Z. Stewart, telling the jury how Stewart molested him on the camping trip.

He also told the jury about how Stewart invited him into his house in the 3600 block of West Ro-anoke Drive, where other assaults occurred.

The boy testified he went to Stewart's house to plan Scout trips. But once he was there, Stewart allegedly had him read

after first asking permission, Stewart molested him.

"I was kind of reluctant at first, but he asked me again and I said " the boy said.

Stewart, a Boy Scout leader who had been involved in the organization since 1969, is charged with two counts of first-degree deviate sexual assault and three counts of second-degree deviate sexual assault.

The first-degree counts carry a maximum punishment of seven years in prison, and the seconddegree charges carry a maximum sentence of five years in prison.

The charges stem from the alleged sexual molestation of two boys who were both 16 years old at the time of the assaults. One boy said he was assaulted in Jahuary 1989, according to court rec-

The other victim, who testified Monday, said he was assaulted several times from April to September 1988, including incident that occurred while he and Stewart shared a tent on a Boy. Scout-sponsored a camping trip, called a "high adventure

trip.
"We were in the tent, and Mr. Stewart had a story for me to read, and it was a rather lengthy story," the boy testified.

While he was reading the stories, the boy said; Slewart molesta ed him.

The other victim has told police he also was molested while Stewart had him read sexual sto-

Stewart was arrested and charged after one victim told police last summer about the incidents. He was removed from Scout activities shortly after the



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February 27, 1990

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Paul Ernst, Director Registration Service National Office Boy Scouts of America P.O. Box 152079 Irving, TX 75015-2079

Re:

Jack Z. Stewart.

Dear Paul:

With regard to the above individual, I received a letter from an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney in December of 1989, stating that I had been listed as a witness in State of Missouri vs. Jack Z. Stewart. The Prosecutor assured me that he would notify me if the case was disposed of without a trial.

We will keep you advised of further developments.

Sincerely,

Jere B. Ratcliffe Scout Executive

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February 12, 1990

Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe Scout Executive Heart of America Council, No. 307

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Jack Z. Stewart

Dear Jere:

Periodically, we follow up on all of our cases and noticed we had never received the outcome of the legal action related to this individual.

We would like to know if the trial has been held and what the final outcome was. This will be most helpful to us in completing our file.

Thanks for all the other material which you previously sent.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region



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September 29, 1989

JACK Z. STEWART

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Paul Ernst Registration Service National Office Boy Scouts of America P.O. Box 152079 Irving, TX 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

In reply to your letter of September 27, 1989, we enclose confidential record sheet completed as nearly as possible.

We will keep you informed of further developments.

Sincerely,

Jere B. Ratcliffe Scout Executive

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A. GRAVES

September 27, 1989

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Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe Scout Executive Heart of America Council, No. 307

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Jack Z. Stewart

Dear Jere:

Thank you for the material you enclosed concerning this individual. This is most helpful as we start a file.

I am enclosing a Confidential Record Sheet which I would like to have completed, so we can identify Mr. Stewart should be attempt registration in some other location.

We would also like to have the outcome of the legal action, once it has been completed. This will then give us a file that will lead to refusal of registration anywhere in the country.

Thanks for your help: The state of the state

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region



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September 21, 1989

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Paul Ernst Sum 108 National Office Boy Scouts of America P.O. Box 152079 Irving, TX 75015-2079

Re:

Jack Z. Stewart

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is copy of letter to above individual which is self-explanatory. We are also enclosing copy of registration and other pertinent information.

We have been informed that Mr. Stewart was arrested yesterday.

We have removed Mr. Street from our membership file and placed his records in a confidential file. We will keep you advised of further developments.

Sincerely,

Jere B. Ratcliffe Scout Executive

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Re: Jack Stewart September 15, 1989 Note to file from Marcus Mack, DFS father of called me to share the following information: had completed his first session with the therapist Joe Menendez, M.S. of St. Luke's Hospital. thought session went well. is back in regular routine of activities, work, school, Scouting, church, said Dr. Menendez thought would need one or two more sessions only. also shared information on the status of Jack Stewart legal case. indicated that charges had been filed against Jack-Steward on five counts of sodomy, one count against and four counts against thought that the authorities might want to speak with the Heart of America Council at some point in the future. I assured that the Heart of America Council and legal advisors would be

cooperative.

August 14, 1989

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Jack Stewart

Kansas City, MO 64111

Dear Mr. Stewart:

After careful review, we have decided that your registration with the Boy Scouts of America should be suspended. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations you may have with the Boy Scouts of America. This would include proposed trip commencing August 14, 1989.

You should understand the BSA membership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies. We reserve the right to suspend registration whenever there is a concern that an individual may not measure up to the high standards of membership the BSA seeks to provide for American youth.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed, please write to me within 60 days of the date of this letter, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a BSA member should be reinstated.

Sincerely,

Richard C. Ray Deputy Scout Executive

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LEADER FILE MAINTENANCE LEADER INFORMATION NAME LOOKUP

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We hereby verify that we consider the leadership of this tour adequate in every way, that the foregoing statements are correct, and that the policies and procedures for tours and expeditions of the Boy Scouts of America, as designed by the national Out-

August 28, 1989

Memo to fil	le: Re:	Jack Stewart
	, August 11, 1989, extremely upset, due to a con	
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that an arother	nd two other boys,	and were scheduled to go Jack Stewart which would begin on Monday,
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this time shared with	reiterated the urgency of me as a result of another ex	called me at my home about 10 p.m. As f this matter. More detailed information was motional testimony with the country of how Jack Stewart operates:
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Jack's tour permit, which must be filed by each unit leader, for each trip he/she may be taking, was not in our local files. A log sheet did reflect that Jack had filed a tour permit and did have another leader to go with him, as it states in B.S.A. policy; however, father of doesn't think any other adult was scheduled to attend this trip.
As these items were being done I was calling the sex crimes unit, Sgt. Orth as instructed by the Hotline to report this case. Sgt. Orth took my information and told me to tell to call him to set up an appointment as soon as possible with was done on 8/17/89.
Also letter was sent to Jack explaining that because of information that had been brought to our attention, we were revoking his membership in the Heart of America Council, Boy Scouts of America. Also we strongly recommend that he not go on this trip.
This letter was delivered at 4:00 p.m. on August 14, 1989. The parents of the other youth who were scheduled to attend this trip were called and made aware that the trip had been cancelled, due to Jack Stewart's membership being revoked by the Heart of America Council.
The trip has not taken place to date. The police department and the family are now working to file criminal charges against Jack Stewart.

On Monday I immediately began to check Jack's membership status with B.S.A. It was

found that Jack was registered in three different places.

Boy Scout leader in KC arrested on sex charges

By Steve Kraske staff wnter

69-year-old Kansas City Boy Scout leader was arrested Wednesday after being charged with five counts of deviate sexual assault involving two 16-yearold scouts.

Jack Z. Stewart of the 3600 block of West Roanoke Drive has been released from custody after posting \$2,500 bond.

He was arrested without inlent about noon Wednesday vis home.

This came as a complete surprise to everybody involved," said Detective Ashley Hurn of the sex crimes unit who investigated the case. "He was considered a model leader."

Boy Scout officials told police Stewart had been a Scout for about 25 years. He took groups of three to four boys on "High Adventure" camping trips at least once a year to Canada and northern states.

Detectives did not know

whether Stewart was involved in other Scout activities. Officials at the Heart of America Council of the Boy Scouts of America, which oversees Scouts in parts of Missouri and Kansas, were unavailable for comment today.

According to police records, the boys said they were assaulted in separate incidents at the Scout leader's home.

One boy first notified police about the man in August. He told detectives he had been assaulted several times from April to September 1988.

The second boy told police he was assaulted Jan. 16. The boy described a similar scenario involving a sex act after the boy read pornography.

Police obtained a search warrant and found pornographic stories inside a desk drawer in the basement "Scout Room."

Stewart, who had no police record in Kansas City, refused to discuss the alleged incidents with police, the reports said.

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