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Sent: Monday, October 11, 2004 6:04 AM
Subject: Re:

Steph:

Maybe we haven't explained the request very well. The statement we are asking you for is the same thing we've asked others to provide like Carmichael, Craig Nichols, Frankie, Och and others regarding the lies that David Walsh published in his book.

We're in the middle of a lawsuit with him and we're gathering witness statements from the people he says said certain things to Lance or about Lance back then...and very few of us have been around since then. I'm providing a statement myself too.

In the book Walsh asserts that you were in a room with Lisa Shiels, Betsy and Frankie, Chris and Paige and Lance and Dr. Nichols when Lance allegedly told Nichols that he had taken drugs as a cyclist.

We've asked each of the people who Walsh says were in that room to provide us with a statement saying that they never told Walsh that and that that conversation with Lance and Nichols never occurred.

Walsh keeps relying on this alleged conversation with Lance and Nichols to assert that Lance admitted taking drugs. And we all know that is not the truth.

So, we're just asking for you to review the witness statement for accuracy that Lawrence has drafted to help us fight off Walsh's lies.

I really hope you'll reconsider your view now that I've laid it out for you.

I'm on my cell Momday.

Hope you guys are well.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Stephanie McIlvain
To: Bill Stapleton
Cc: Lawrence Temple
Sent: Oct 10, 2004 10:14 PM
Subject:

Hi Bill,

Got your messages today, sorry I missed your call. I am not too sure why I'm being asked the same question over again. What is going on? Why do you

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want a statement from me? As I've said every time I've been asked, "no comment.....ask Lance yourself".

I choose to not make a statement of any kind on this matter.

I hope you understand.

Steph