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WORK PRODUCT

CASE: STATE VS Billy Lee Oatney C962556CR

WITNESS: Santa Clara and Santa Cruz County Civil and Criminal Records

ATTORNEY: John P. Manning

DATE: 7 February 1997

TIME: 14:30-17:00

Searches of records in Santa Clara and Santa Cruz Counties produced no information on Wilford Johnston.

Interviewed was Yvette Ott on alternative ways to legally obtain records in this state. Somebody, like a P. D.'s office might assist us on the matter who is connected to CJIC (California version of OJIN). However, the cost is \$9.50 per county search for each name, and for each of criminal and civil records, and they do not have a State-wide alphabetical index like Oregon does. Hence, they have to do a county by county search and there are at least 70 counties in the state of CA. Obviously, then, the cost will be in excess of \$700.

I don't suppose that there is any way to talk the DA into a copy of Johnston's rap sheet so that I can just gather the info rather than search for it, is there? Since he's not our client, this poses a problem for the P.D.'s office to assist, too.