

# APPENDIX A

## CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET REGISTRATION SERVICE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Date 10/14/85

Full name DONALD SMERY  
(no initials if you can possibly get full name)

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City CRYSTAL State MN ZIP Code 55427

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ (This is important and should be exact.)

Approximate age 30 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known.)

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

Occupation COOK - JUNIOR KITCHEN

Education -S

Weight 210 Height 5-9 Race CAUCASIAN

Color of hair Brown Color of eyes \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding characteristics or interests \_\_\_\_\_

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

Spouse's name \_\_\_\_\_

### Scouting connections:

Unit No. 365 City CRYSTAL State MN Position SA Date registered 12/87 Date resigned \_\_\_\_\_

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

Suspended or denied registration for following reasons. \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION, AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE, OR SPECULATION):

*Added to CF file  
deleted from reg. file*

Signed Clarence Finemet  
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Viking - # 289

CONFIDENTIAL

OCT 28 1988

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JOSEPH C. ANGLIM

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December 2, 1988

Mr. Clarence M. Hammett  
Scout Executive  
Viking Council, No. 239

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Douglas Smeby

Dear Clarence:

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 Confidential File.

Sincerely,

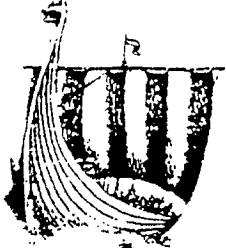
Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region

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*Viking Council*  
*Boy Scouts of America*

November 14, 1988

Paul Ernst  
Director  
Registration Service  
Boy Scouts of America  
PO Box 152079  
Irving, TX 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

RE: Douglas Smeby

Per your request, I have enclosed the following items for Donald Smeby's confidential file.

1. Letter of suspension
2. Copy of his signature

To clarify the statement regarding his nudity with youth; the New Hope Police Department contacted us regarding Donald Smeby. A concerned parent notified the police department regarding alcohol/drug abuse by adult leaders at a camping trip and that Donald was running around in the woods nude with youth members of Troop 365. There is no indication that sexual activity occurred. There is no police file or newspaper clippings to refer to in this case.

Sincerely,

Mark Holtz  
Director of Field Service  
Viking Council, BSA

612/545-4550  
5300 Glenwood Avenue  
Minneapolis, Minnesota  
55422-5192



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ROUTE SHEET

Status

REG. NO.	CNCL. NO.	DIST. NO.	NATL. UNIT NO.	LOCAL UNIT NO.	REGIS. TERM	EXPIR. DATE
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CHARTER FEE	20.00
<del>Y</del> Youth	108.00
Youth	
14 Adults	70.00
5 Boys Life	35.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>223.00</b>

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LAST YEAR	MEMBERS	LEADERS TRAINED	BOYS' LIFE
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THIS YEAR	25		5
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ADULT APPLICATION

ONE LETTER IN EACH SPACE - YOU ARE MAKING THREE COPIES.

PACK NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 TROOP NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 TEAM NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 POST NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 SHIP NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 LEADER POSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
 DISTRICT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME FIRST INITIAL AND LAST NAME: Michael Smedley  
 DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_  
 POSITION: MLC  
 UNIT CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL ADDRESS INFORMATION (if necessary)

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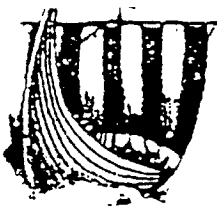
CITY: Crystal STATE: Ill ZIP CODE: 60142 SEX: M

CIRCLE B OR H:  B  
 PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: 9/15/66  
 PREVIOUS SCOUTING BACKGROUND: Scout COUNCIL: \_\_\_\_\_  
 OCCUPATION, EMPLOYER, AND BUSINESS ADDRESS: Backman Hardware SIGNATURE: [Signature]

CONTRIBUTION FEE: \_\_\_\_\_ BOYS' LIFE FEE: \_\_\_\_\_ TERM (MONTHS): \_\_\_\_\_ UNIT EXPIRATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 MONTH YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVAL-SEE COVER

If applicant has an unexpired membership certificate registration may be made under this unit. However, all new members must be registered under this unit. Certificate of membership is required.

LOCAL COUNCIL COPY



*Viking Council  
Boy Scouts of America*

October 4, 1988

Donald Smeby  
[REDACTED]

Crystal, Minnesota 55427

Dear Mr. Smeby:

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 that you may have with the Boy Scouts of America. A refund of your registration fee is enclosed.

You should understand that 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 meet the high standards of membership which the BSA seeks to provide for American youth.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed by a council review committee, please write to me, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a BSA member should be reinstated.

Sincerely yours,

Paul Curran  
President

PC/mr

612/545-4550  
5300 Glenwood Avenue  
Minneapolis, Minnesota  
55422-5192



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SCOUTING/USA

National Office  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

1325 Walnut Hill Lane, Irving, Texas 75038-3096  
Telephone: 214-580-2000

November 2, 1988

Mr. Clarence M. Hammett  
Scout Executive  
Viking Council, No. 289

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Donald Smeby

Dear Clarence:

I am sorry so many of these cases have recently been a concern to you, but I do need more information in order to complete the file.

We would like a copy of a paper with Mr. Smeby's signature if you have this available, as this aids in the identification process. Any applications, advancement reports, or any other form with his signature would be helpful.

We would also like to know if you gave Mr. Smeby a letter of suspension? If you or the Chartered Organization did this, we would like to have a copy of this particular paper.

You also indicate that the police had been notified that the leader had been nude with youth. Was there some sexual act performed, or can you get other information related to this? We would like copies of newspaper clippings, court records, or police reports if these can be secured, as these would aid in the identification process and also support our refusal of registration at a later time. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions, and send us whatever material is available for our files.

Thanks for your help in protecting the youth of America.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region  
E. Eugene Peterson, North Central Region

PLEASE NOTE NEW MAILING ADDRESS:

Boy Scouts of America, 1325 Walnut Hill Lane, P.O. Box 152079, Irving, Texas 75015-2079

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WATS CALL FORM

CALL BACK REQUESTED \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NO: \_\_\_\_\_

CALLER: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF PROBLEM

REGISTRATION \_\_\_\_\_

VETERANS \_\_\_\_\_

EXPLORING \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING \_\_\_\_\_

BOYS' LIFE \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT # \_\_\_\_\_

ISSUE # \_\_\_\_\_

EXP. DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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READY TO FILE

NOV 03 1988

ERIN GRILEY

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