



DUTCHESS COUNTY COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



BOX 2006 HYDE PARK, N. Y. 12538-2006

October 27, 1987

Mr. Paul Ernst
Registration, Subscription and Statistical Service
National Council, Boy Scouts of America
1325 Walnut Hill Lane,
Irving, Texas 75062-1296

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Stephen Belford

Dear Paul:

Today, I had the occasion to have a discussion with Mr. Stephen Belford. He has been out of jail for 6 months time. The original charges for endangering the welfare of a child had been reduced to lesser charges & he had been placed on probation. He was jailed for third degree larceny. During this conversation he stated that although the circumstances concerning the endangerment of the child were only conversational and that there had been no overt action, he was nevertheless gay and was continuing in that lifestyle.

Since Steve seems to indicate an interest in Scouting, I thought it would be appropriate to enter this in his file should he desire to register at some future date.

I have previously sent in appendix A, and you have previously indicated that he is on the confidential file.

Best regards:

Sincerely, Yours in Scouting


Douglas E. Fullman
Council Scout Executive



January 30, 1986

Mr. Douglas C. Fullman
Scout Executive
Dutchess County Council, No. 374

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Stephen Belford

Dear Doug:

Thank you for the detailed information concerning the above Scouter. We have reviewed this case with our Attorney and have now placed this man on the Confidential File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Northeast Region

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JAN 30 1985
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December 4, 1985

Mr. Douglas C. Fullman
Scout Executive
Dutchess County Council, No. 374

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Stephen P. Belford

Dear Douglas:

Thank you for the material which you recently sent us concerning Stephen P. Belford. This will be most helpful to us and enable us to refuse registration should Mr. Belford attempt this in some other council.

If you have any other material which is available to you, we would certainly like to have this to strengthen our files. The more material we have the better able we are to refuse registration in other locations.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Northeast Region

Ready to file
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DUTCHESS COUNTY COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



BOX 2006 HYDE PARK. N. Y. 12538-2006 PHONE [REDACTED]

November 22, 1985

Mr. Paul Ernest
Registration, Subscription & Statistical Service
National Council, Boy Scouts of America
1325 Walnut Hill Lane
Irving, TX 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is material supporting the request to deny registration of Stephen P. Belford. In addition to pleading guilty of the charges indicated, according to Detective Richard Hutch of the Town of Poughkeepsie Police he has been twice treated against his will at the Hudson Valley Psychiatric Center. Although a direct contact homosexual episode was not proven in this specific instance, there is high suspicion that it would have happened if not caught in time and that previous (though undocumented) experiences had occurred.

The fact remains that Stephen pled guilty to "endangering the welfare of a child" which should be sufficient for us to deny registration with the BSA.

If I may be of further assistance in this matter please call.

Sincerely, Yours in Scouting

Douglas C. Fullman
Council Scout Executive

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August 16, 1985

Mr. Douglas C. Fullman
Scout Executive
Dutchess County Council, No. 374

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Stephen P. Belford

Dear Douglas:

We recently received a letter from your registrar concerning Stephen Belford. It was indicated that he has registered as an Assistant Scoutmaster in Troop 17. We were asked to remove him from the mailing list and the charter of Troop 17.

We would like more information concerning this matter. We understand that this may be an individual that we will not wish to register and who should be placed on our Confidential File.

I am enclosing a Confidential Record Sheet which I would like to have completed so that we may identify Mr. Belford should he try to register at a later time. We would like to have all the information which would document the refusal of registration.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Northeast Region

Enclosure

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DUTCHESS COUNTY COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



BOX 2006 HYDE PARK, N. Y. 12538-2006 PHONE [REDACTED]

August 13, 1985

Registration/Subscription/Statistical
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
1325 Walnut Hill
Irving, Texas 75038-3096

Re: Stephen P. Belford - S0017 Tri-Valley District

Gentlemen:

Stephen P. Belford is currently registered as an Assistant Scoutmaster with S0017; please delete him from this charter and remove him from all mailing lists.

If there are any further questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Lorry McKay
Lorry McKay
Registrar

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*This is a Scout
Confidential. Scout
Executive is on vacation
He will call when he
gets back. 8/21/85*

AUG 15 1985



FOOD CHARTER RENEWAL

STATE	NY	COUNTY, DISTRICT	BUTCHESS, IRI VALLEY	LOCAL UNIT NO.	17	CURRENT EXPIRATION DATE	11/30/86	NEW EXPIRATION DATE	11/30/85	TERM (MONTHS)	12
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LINE	BUYS	PC	MO.	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
15	MC	5		JAMES A PALATUCCI	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	MC	15		JOEL WICKHAM	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	7	EUGENE K PATTERSON	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	11	NICHOLAS ADAMS	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	17	STEPHEN P BELFORD	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	12	EDWARD ALLAN MAYES	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	6	HERBERT MASARENKO	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	8	STEPHEN C ROSE	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601
15	SA	SA	10	KENNETH R SAMBELLS	[REDACTED]	POUGHKEEPSIE	NY	12601

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