

1 MR. NEGANGARD: Okay. Now, at some point you became aware that
2 an investigation, a criminal investigation with
3 regard to the actions of Daniel Brewington was
4 ongoing. Is that correct?

5 JUDGE HUMPHREY: That's correct.

6 MR. NEGANGARD: And at that time you were still the Judge on the
7 case. Is that correct?

8 JUDGE HUMPHREY: That's correct.

9 MR. NEGANGARD: Um, there was a period of time however though that
10 you waited before you recused yourself or excused
11 yourself from the case, um, once you became aware
12 of the criminal investigation, why didn't you recuse
13 yourself right away?

14 JUDGE HUMPHREY: I contacted Adrian Myrie who is counsel for judicial
15 qualifications and discussed the situation with her.
16 She is there to help give advice to judges regarding
17 ethical issues and our decision was to remain on the
18 case because if I recuse myself some other judge
19 would be put on the case and have to deal with the
20 same thing.

21 MR. NEGANGARD: And that was discussed with Adrian Myrie?

22 JUDGE HUMPHREY: Yes it was.

23 MR. NEGANGARD: And so uh you waited to recuse yourself until the
24 appropriate time?

25 JUDGE HUMPHREY: I did. I mean the case was also on appeal which as I

1 remember once the record is certified to the Court
2 of Appeals, then jurisdiction over the case would go
3 to the Court of Appeals at that time.
4 **MR. NEGANGARD:** Now um, has the Defendant's actions in this case
5 changed your life?
6 **JUDGE HUMPHREY:** Yes it has.
7 **MR. NEGANGARD:** Could you tell the jury how?
8 **JUDGE HUMPHREY:** Well as I've indicated, we now have a firearm
9 prepared in case it's necessary. I would hope it
10 never would be but it is. We installed a burglar
11 alarm system in our house which is on. There have
12 been times based upon other events that we've had
13 police officers sitting outside of our house for a
14 week at a time. We have had, when my wife used
15 to work at the airport, she had to be followed to the
16 airport and there was one occasion where I had to be
17 followed home because of some observations I was
18 made aware. The answer is yes. I notified my
19 children's, my youngest son's high school at the
20 time. I notified the security department at my other
21 son's college. Those are some of the actions that
22 we took.
23 **MR. NEGANGARD:** Did you notify the Greendale police?
24 **JUDGE HUMPHREY:** Yes I did. I notified Greendale police which is, I
25 live within the city limits and they've also taken