

To: Dave Fenne (<u>dfenne@isspathfinder.org</u>)

From: Tom Wreke (twreke@isspathfinder.org)

Subject: Urgent Potential Compromisation Of Research On Board

Dave,

I'm writing to you because of an incident that was reported to me by one of the staff members in the botany lab earlier this week. I would like to offer you the opportunity to clarify your side of the story, before doing something as hasty as launching a formal investigation. If this was simply a misunderstanding, then it's no skin off of anyone's nose.

I'd ask for your honesty, because this could potentially be a very serious violation of not only personal conduct outlined in the Research and Development sector handbook, but also compromise the meta study of plants on board currently being conducted. I'm sure that Dr. Dallas and you have thoroughly discussed the importance of this work, and you would not want to possibly endanger either of your positions on board the ISS Pathfinder. If you two cooperate, no one has to face any serious repercussions. I'll see to that myself. But if we have to escalate it further to the Board, this might end poorly for everyone involved. It's out of my hands, and Dr. Scoresby's hands, when it comes to their decisions to blackball staff or otherwise penalize personnel.

Am I right to believe that an unknown member of staff going by Teddy was allowed into the lab earlier this week?

Respectfully, Tom Wreke, P. Eng.



To: Tom Wreke (<u>twreke@isspathfinder.org</u>)

From: Dave Fenne (dfenne@isspathfinder.org)

Subject: Response: Urgent Potential Compromisation Of Research On Board

Dear Tom,

I deeply appreciate your sensitivity and willingness to extend a platform for both of us to speak our piece. I understand that these sorts of inquiries are not made lightly, and that no one on board would want to have to make things any more convoluted than they need to be. While I am aware that Bradley Shanks was in the botany lab with Dr. Dallas and I on Sunday night, while I was waiting for her outside of the lab itself to finish cleaning up so that we could go stargazing together, I'm afraid that he was mistaken.

A Teddy was not allowed into the lab. What was allowed into the lab was a gift from me and our mutual friend Theodore Sylvester, who goes by the nickname Teddy. Nina loves monstera plants, and I'd recently gotten a mug from the stockpile in the main lounge with a monstera print on the side, and Teddy had sent a little bear to hide inside of it as an extra surprise. Theodore was a fellow undergraduate, and helped Nina secure her year abroad in the arctic after our four years. He and Nina have not been in contact since, due to his work in Houston with nuclear fusion, which had recently led to his transfer on board due to his exemplary work. He made contact with me first, since he still had my personal cell phone number, but Nina had changed hers since. Their meetup has been rescheduled repeatedly due to conflicting work schedules, and the stargazing was supposed to be it this time.

Kind regards, Dave Fenne



To: Dave Fenne (<u>dfenne@isspathfinder.org</u>), Tom Wreke (<u>twreke@isspathfinder.org</u>)

From: Theodore Sylvester (tsylvester@isspathfinder.org)

Subject: RE: Urgent Potential Compromisation Of Research On Board

To Whom It May Concern,

It has been brought to my attention that an informal inquiry has been made relating to an incident in Dr. Scoresby's botany lab recently. I am more than happy to provide a statement that verifies the information that Specialist Fenne has already provided.

This would include documents pertaining to my work with nuclear fusion, my transfer to the ISS Pathfinder, and photographic evidence that Dr. Dallas, Specialist Fenne, and I went to the same alma mater and fell out of touch until recently if required. Additionally, I am attaching a timelog pulled directly from the U.R.S.A's publically maintained record of those who use the telescopes provided near the cockpit for recreational use, as part of an initiative created by Communications to ensure that any potential damage could be tracked down to the correct originator and charged accordingly to finance potential repairs as proof.

I apologize for the inconvenience that this situation may have spawned, and am more than happy to get in touch in person with either Tom Wreke or Laurel Scoresby if a character witness is needed, or if it would be more amenable to either of your schedules.

Best Regards, Dr. Theodore Sylvester, PhD.



To: Dave Fenne (<u>dfenne@isspathfinder.org</u>), Theodore Sylvester (<u>tsylvester@isspathfinder.org</u>)

From: Tom Wreke (twreke@isspathfinder.org)

Subject: Urgent Situation Resolved

Dave, Theodore,

Thank you for your responses. After further discussions with Dr. Dallas and Dr. Scoresby, we've come to the conclusion that no further movement will be made with regards to case escalation or consultation with the board.

Dr. Sylvester is free to compile the information he has and forward it to my e-mail address if that would give him peace of mind, but as of this point in time, no further action is required on either party's side. The investigation will not move forwards, thankfully. Nor will anyone be penalized, as there are no grounds for us to do so. I would appreciate if either of you could send an e-mail containing the resources I linked in 'Resources: Staff Health' to Dr. Dallas, as I feel it would come easier to her from either of you than myself. She was particularly agitated following inquiries from Dr. Scoresby, and I feel she could do with the extra support.

I will be speaking to Dr. Shanks later on tonight, but rest assured that none of you will be implicated in the discussion. It will be framed strictly as a professional response after much debate and inquiry between Dr. Scoresby and I as pertinent to his initial report. Thank you for your patience, and I sincerely apologize for any upset this may have caused, particularly for Dr. Dallas.

Respectfully, Tom Wreke, P. Eng.