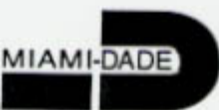


MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA



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MIAMI LAKES DISTRICT
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March 14, 2003

Major David L. McCarter Jr.
Florida Highway Patrol
1011 NW 111 Ave.
Miami, Florida 33172

Dear Major McCarter:

This letter is being written to advise you of the professional actions that Trooper Dominic Jones took on the night of March 14, 2003. I was traveling northbound on I-95 just north of N.W. 151 Street when I observed a two-car crash. I stopped to check on injuries and thankfully there were none. However, I decided to wait on a Trooper's arrival due to the fact that one of the drivers was extremely upset and very nervous. Trooper Jones arrived very promptly and I briefed him on the circumstances surrounding the accident. I was extremely impressed as to how he talked to both drivers, his investigation at the crash scene and his all around professionalism. He is to be commended for his actions. I might further add that Trooper Jones' uniform appearance and demeanor exudes not only professionalism on behalf of the Florida Highway Patrol but all law enforcement officers.

Please see to it that this letter is placed into the personnel file of Trooper Jones. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Caroline Klaus', written over a horizontal line.

Detective Caroline Klaus
Miami Lakes Station
Auto Theft Unit