

Knarich Curtis 84

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REGISTRATION, SUBSCRIPTION AND STATISTICAL SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

APPENDIX A

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DATE October 18, 1984

FULL NAME Curtis H. Knarich SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER Unknown
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)
ADDRESS PSC 3 Box 6841
CITY Travis AFB STATE California ZIP CODE 94535
DATE OF BIRTH February, 1960 (This is important and should be exact)
APPROXIMATE AGE 24 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)
RELIGION Unknown NATIONALITY American
OCCUPATION U. S. Air Force Sergeant
EDUCATION Unknown
WEIGHT 175 lbs. HEIGHT 6' RACE Caucasian
COLOR OF HAIR Dark Brown COLOR OF EYES Hazel
OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS -
MARRIED OR SINGLE Single CHILDREN None
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)
NAME OF SPOUSE _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>UNIT #</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>DATE REGISTERED</u>	<u>DATE RESIGNED</u>
T-150	Travis AFB	CA	MC	1/84-1/85	-

SPECIAL RECOGNITION Unknown

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:
(Please see attached newspaper article) - Military has informed us that Knarich has five appeal processes to go through at this time.

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):

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Signed 
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

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Council Golden Empire Council
P. O. Box 254946
Sacramento, CA 95865

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JOSEPH L. ANGLIM

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April 30, 1985

Mr. Larry J. Leighton
Scout Executive
Golden Empire Council, No. 47

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Curtis H. Knarich

Dear Larry:

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: Western Region

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Robert A. Bennett
225 Natick Court
Vacaville, CA 95681
22 Oct 84

National Office
Boy Scouts of America
1525 Walnut Hill Lane
Irving, Texas 75062-1296

Dear Sirs:

Reference my letter of 4 Jul 84 and your letter of 19 Jul 84 regarding an Assistant Scoutmaster Curtis H. Knerich.

Your letter indicated that a copy of the letter was also being forwarded to Larry J. Leighton, Council 47, Western Region. However, Larry nor anyone from the Sacramento office has ever contacted me.

I am forwarding a reproduced copy of the "Saturday Reporter", a newspaper published in Vacaville, CA, dated 29 Sep 84. This article is about Curtis Knerich and the sentence he received from his courts-martial.

If you have any further questions or need additional information, I will be glad to provide the information if it is available and/or releasable to the public.

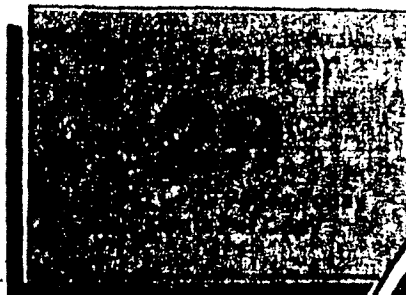
Yours in Scouting.

Robert A. Bennett

ROBERT A. BENNETT
Committee Chairman
Boy Scout Troop 150
Travis AFB, CA

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Travis child molester: 15 years at hard labor

A Travis Air Force Base sergeant who admitted to sexually molesting 13 boys was dishonorably discharged Friday and sentenced to 15 years of hard labor.

Sgt. Curtis H. Knarich, 24, was sentenced after a six-member court-martial panel reviewed evidence -- including a 17-page

rich -- of sodomy and commission of other indecent acts against boys between the ages of 12 and 16.

Knarich entered guilty pleas to all 30 charges filed against him in accordance with a pre-trial settlement that included a maximum sentence "cap" of 15 years.

tiated by Patrick Clancy, Knarich's attorney, and the Air Force, according to Maj. Mike Cox, public information officer for Travis Air Force Base.

The court-martial panel was intentionally not advised of the sentence provision of the settlement, Cox said, and recommended Knarich be sentenced to

they included child pornography and inducing minors to have sex with a woman. She also said Knatch faced a possible 76 years in prison.

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CITY	STATE	COUNTY, DISTRICT	LOCAL UNIT NO.	CURRENT EXPIRATION DATE	NEW EXPIRATION DATE	TERM (MONTHS)
TRAVIS AFB	CA	SULANIT, SCLAND	150	1/31/84	1/31/85	

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CHARTERED ORGANIZATION
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COUNCIL NO. 50
NATIONAL UNIT RENEWAL

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~~JAMES A GARRETT~~ 181 FITZGERALD DR TRAVIS AFB
TRAVIS AFB CA 94535 H4379227

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S CERTIFICATION (SEE STATEMENT ON PACK) SIGNATURE

TROOP MEETING PLACE AND DAY
TRAVIS AFB YOUTH CTR WEDNESDAY
SOUTH HALL Bldg MONDAY

BOYS' LIFE INFORMATION
NO. PAID SUBSCRIPTIONS
BOYS' LIFE SUBSCRIPTIONS
TERM _____ BEGIN 4/84 END 3/85
100% BOYS' LIFE

REGISTRATION
BOYS' LIFE
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PAID DL SUBSCRIPTIONS
TOTAL REGISTRATION
BOYS' LIFE
SPECIAL INTEREST
RETARDED

297 MONTHS COMPLETED UNIT TENURE
TROOP ON BASIC BUDGET PLAN

SIGNATURES
cc Robert A. Bennett

LEADER ROSTER

BOYS' LIFE POS. NO.	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	PHONE

CO 47

September 24, 1984

Mr. Larry J. Leighton
Scout Executive
Golden Empire Council, No. 47

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Mr. Curtis H. Knarich

Dear Larry:

In July we received a letter from one of your Scout masters, Mr. Robert A. Bennett. At that time, he sent us a newspaper clipping and indicated that one of his Assistant Scoutmasters, Mr. Curtis H. Knarich, had been indicted for illicit sex with youth.

We have not heard from you since that time and would like more information concerning this matter. It would be helpful to know if this case has come to trial and the outcome. Was the Assistant Scoutmaster court-martialed out of the military service?

I am enclosing a Confidential Record Sheet so that you may complete this, it will be most helpful to us in identifying this individual should he try to register at some later time.

Please let us know if we can be of any help from this office.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Western Region

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July 19, 1984

Mr. Robert A. Bennett
125 Natic Court
Vacaville, CA 95688

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Mr. Bennett:

Thank you for your letter of July 9, concerning one of your Assistant Scoutmasters, Mr. Curtis H. Knarich.

We certainly appreciate the information which you have sent us, and have notified the council executive of your council, by copy of this letter to you. I am sure he will immediately contact you related to this situation.

I appreciate your immediate response in dropping Mr. Knarich as an active leader in Troop 150.

We will need much more information before this situation is ready for our files, and I would appreciate your contacts with your Scout Executive, Mr. Larry J. Leighton.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: Larry J. Leighton, Council 47
Western Region

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PLEASE HANDLE PROMPTLY. J.L.T.

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_____	M. GENE CRUSE	0400
_____	JULIAN DYKE	0400
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_____	G. JAY HEIM	0221
_____	DAVID K. PARK	0400
_____	NORMAN E. SWAILS	0400
_____	ROBERT L. UNTCH	0400

P. Ernst

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PLEASE:

Review and Comments to me

For reply - copy of response to me

Prepare letter for my signature

Prepare letter for the President's signature

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

Acknowledge

THANK YOU

J. L. TARR
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Robert A. Bennett
Committee Chairman
Boy Scout Troop 150
125 Natick Court
Vacaville, CA 95688
9 Jul 84

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Boy Scouts of America
National Office
1325 Walnut Hill Lane
Irving, TX 75062-1296

Dear Sirs:

One of my Assistant Scoutmasters has been indicted regarding illicit sex and making advances at children, which includes sodomy and indecent acts with minors. This individual has also taken photographs of minors in various sexual situations. This individual's name is Curtis H. Knarich, who currently resides on Travis AFB, CA. I am attaching a reproduced portion of the newspaper article that appeared in the Vacaville Reporter, a local newspaper from Vacaville, CA, on 8 Jul 84.

I am writing this letter for the purpose of barring this individual from having any involvement with the Boy Scouts of America in any future activities. I am calling a Troop Committee Meeting on 11 Jul 84, at which time this individual will be dropped from the roles of Boy Scout Troop 150.

If you have any questions, I will be glad to answer them for you.

Yours in Scouting,

Robert A. Bennett

ROBERT A. BENNETT
Committee Chairman

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Reporter • Vacaville, California
Sunday, July 8, 1984 3

Travis Man Suspected of Illicit Sex

Sergeant Investigated for Making Advances at Children

A Travis Air Force Base sergeant is under investigation in connection with criminal sexual acts with minors, a spokesman for the base reported Friday.

As a result of an Air Force Office of Special Investigation inquiry, the 24-year-old suspect is in the custody of military police.

Curtis H. Knarich, who was assigned to the operating room at David Grant Medical Center, is suspected of one charge of sodomy and indecent acts with minors.

According to Lt. Pat Louis, deputy public information office at Travis, the sergeant is suspected of making sexual advances and taking photographs of children in sexual situations.

More than one youngster was

believed involved, Lt. Louis said, but the exact number of victims is still to be determined.

Knarich was placed in custody July 3, she said.

A pretrial confinement hear-

ing is pending to determine if the suspect should continue to be incarcerated. An investigation will consider evidence to determine whether a general court martial is warranted.

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