



**Questions and Answers for 2025-2026 Middle School Mock Trial Case, with Notes of Changes in Updated Case Document:  
*State v. Bushnell***

- (1) On page 6 in the "Long Form Information" AND in Sherlock's Witness Statement it says (on line 80 (page 22)) that the murder was May 21. But the Police Records (Exhibit 1 and 2) state that the murder happened on May 23.**

Consistent with the Stipulation ¶ 10 (p. 18), the references to May 21 in the Information and in Sherlock's witness statement (p. 22, line 80, p. 23, line 99, p. 25 line 181) have been changed to May 23.

- (2) My team is also wondering about Exhibit 11 (the text messages and phone calls) and whether the the dates of the calls and texts between Emerson and Willy W. are correct.**

The existing problem answers this question in all respects.

- (3) In Exhibit 4 (p. 64), the body is labeled "Bushnell's body." Is this correct.**

This is a typo and has been corrected to read "Hopyard's body."