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8 WITNESS #1: You know what I mean? So,
 9 anyways, so whatever happened or whatever and he
 10 was like, yeah I got a surprise for Ocasio as of
 11 Monday and I was like, what? He said, I'm putting
 12 him back in uniform and his post is going to be the
 13 front door. So, I said, can you do that? He's
 14 like, I do what the fuck I want to do. He was
 15 like, and I'm closing the modulars. And I was
 16 like, are you serious? He's like, yeah. He said,
 17 I'm closing the modulars and he's like, because
 18 they want to talk about some -- the budget or
 19 whatever. He was like, you know, I want the whole
 20 building to be utilized, and right now, I'm closing
 21 the modulars down.

22 So, I was like, oh. So then he was like,
 23 --(indiscernible)-- and I was like, what? He was
 24 like, I don't know what this is, or whatever, but
 25 he said that he's putting civilians in the main.

1 In the main -- so whatever, he getting rid of the
2 control -- the few patrol ones they have left,
3 he's, you know, getting rid of.

4 So, he was like, so I said, you're
5 planting civilians there. He was like, yeah, and
6 he's like, do -- like about, you know, four or five
7 counties that are actually, you know, doing this or
8 whatever. So I said, Eady, I said, you don't think
9 that's dangerous to have civilians, you know, that
10 like -- your life may depend on that damn civilian.

11 OFFICER OCASIO: Right.

12 WITNESS #1: You know what I mean? At
13 least we are trained to look for certain things --
14 to do this -- you know, to do certain things
15 because when you saying that civilians could do
16 this and that, they are saying that we went through
17 a police academy for no reason.

18 OFFICER OCASIO: Right.

19 WITNESS #1: Right?

20 OFFICER OCASIO: Yeah.

21 WITNESS #1: If anybody -- just anybody
22 could do it. So, he said that -- he said something
23 about -- something about the budget or whatever and
24 he was like, they wanna play? He was like, all you
25 got to do is let the Freeholders know. But other

1 than that he said, that a minimum that a officer
2 make is 64 or whatever. He was like, so -- he's
3 like, why would I pay Jack, you know, any overtime,
4 when I can just put a civilian there who already
5 makes \$30,000 something.

6 So, that's his new plan. So, you might
7 want to, you know, be aware that he's going to do
8 that.

9 OFFICER OCASIO: All right. Why -- he's
10 just -- so he's going to do this all out of spite?

11 WITNESS #1: In my opinion?

12 OFFICER OCASIO: Hm-hm.

13 WITNESS #1: What other reason would it
14 be?

15 OFFICER OCASIO: Yeah. No, let's say
16 he's the one -- you know what it is, like, he has
17 to take blame for whatever is going on himself.

18 WITNESS #1: Right.

19 OFFICER OCASIO: Because he's the one
20 that's doing people the way he's doing people.
21 It's just like --

22 WITNESS #1: Right.

23 OFFICER OCASIO: -- why him and Omar --
24 like the supervisors they just got, they are the
25 one that took EDPD Law down to like, our -- what do