

BASELINE SYNOPSIS

Tab 1 – Original police report of Phoenix DR 2005 51799055, the Sexual Assault of Alejandra Lara that occurred on September 20, 2005.

- **This is the original double sexual assault where the breast swabs were recovered.**

Tab 2 – Request for Lab Analysis on sex kit of Alejandra Lara. Request dated September 22, 2005 by Arthur Haduch

- **2 days after the crime, police requested the crime lab analyze the sexual assault kit containing the breast swabs.**

Tab 3 – Sex Crime Evidence Screening Notes from the Phoenix crime lab dated October 9, 2005. On page 3 it shows 2 swabs from the left breast. That analyst is identified by the initials “AKS.”

- **The first analysis of the sexual assault kit showed that both right and left breast swabs were in the kit.**

Tab 4 – Report on the Examination of Physical Evidence authored by Allison Sedowski on October 30, 2005, listing:

- Item # 3384388-0001.04B – Two right breast swabs
- Item # 3384388-0001.04B01 – Portion of right breast swabs
- Item # 3384388-0001.04C – Two left breast swabs

The results state that nucleated cellular material was detected on **1.04B** (right breast swabs) and **1.04C** (left breast swabs). Page 4 shows that, as of October 30, 2005, item **1.04C** was in frozen storage, having been put there by Alison Sedowski on October 9, 2005.

- **This report shows that there was biological material suitable for DNA examination on the left breast swab.**

Tab 5 – Phoenix crime lab Assignment Notification Report showing a request by Frank Durna dated October 30, 2005, assigned November 21, 2005. Items assigned included **1.04B01** (portion of right breast swabs), but not **1.04B** (right breast swabs) or **1.04C** (left breast swabs). The assignment was made to Jennifer Palmer (note the handwritten initials “JP”).

- **The left breast swab was not sent to the DNA section for analysis. It remained in the crime lab freezer.**