

MEMORANDUM

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From: *JE* Hickman Ewing

To: File

Subject: Chris Ruddy

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At noon, Saturday, November 4, 1995, I checked my Little Rock voicemail. Brett Kavanaugh had called at 5:50 p.m. on Friday, November 3 leaving a voicemail to the effect: "I got a voicemail message from Ruddy. He said he had talked to Patrick Knowlton. He said that Knowlton was disappointed by the way he was treated in the grand jury. He said he was treated as a suspect. Ruddy knows some of the questions that Brett Kavanaugh asked. Why did Brett ask Knowlton if the guy in the park grabbed his genitalia.

Brett said on the voicemail to me, "I didn't ask him that. I did ask him about sexual advances by the other man in the park. John Bates and I want you to call Ruddy - at least get him off the genitalia part. I am worried about that. Ruddy left his number as 718-229-8209.

I telephoned Chris Ruddy at that number at 12:09 p.m. on Saturday, November 4. He said he would call me back in about five minutes. He called back at 12:13 p.m.

I told him I had just checked my voicemail, that I had received a voicemail from Brett, in which Brett advised me of Chris's call, and I was returning his call to Brett.

Chris said that he had talked to Knowlton. He said that Brett asked him the following questions, to which he responded, "No." Brett asked him the following questions about the man Knowlton saw in the park:

1. Did he talk to you?
2. Did he threaten you?
3. Did he touch your genitals?

According to Ruddy, Knowlton said he answered "No" to all of these questions. But he wanted to know why we were asking questions like that.