

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

DATE May 1, 1963

Full Name Anthony Charles KleTaker
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Local Addresses 1113 No Federal Highway, Lake Worth, Fla.

425 1st Street, Apt. 306, West Palm Beach, Florida

City West Palm Beach State Florida

Age 24 ^{Born N.Y. City 12/8/39} (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Roman Catholic Nationality American Citizen

Occupation Dredge Worker, Shoe Salesman

Education unknown

Weight 140 Color Caucasian Height 5' 8 1/2"

Color of hair Brown Color of eyes Brown

Outstanding characteristics or interests: dark complexioned

Married or single Married/Separated Children one son
Wife Canadian (Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name unknown

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS: Skilled in Scoutcraft, apparent Scouting Background

Unit # _____ City _____ State _____ Office _____ Date Reg'd. _____ Date resigned _____

Attempted to align with two local Troops, this Council, was arrested before registration could be completed, letter attached indicates continued desire to align after conviction of charge

Special recognition _____

Recommended for Confidential file for following reasons:

Arrested 4-13-63 by officer E.T. Case, W.P.B. Police Dept.

Charged with - Crime against nature - committed same date as arrest with one [redacted], Jr., a minor

Trial 4-15-63 - Palm Beach County Criminal Court, Judge Russell McIntosh

Arraignment plea - Guilty

Adjudged - Guilty

Sentenced - 60 days, County Jail Signed Paul A. Luce
Dist. Scout Executive

GC-204-31

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ACCOUNTING SERVICE

Date February 18, 1964

Please refund to

MONMOUTH COUNCIL, NO. 347

\$.90

for ~~Boy Scouts~~

~~Expenses~~

Adults

MONEY REFUNDED

FEB 20 1964

Cashiers Service

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
RE: ANTHONY C. KLECHER

Director of Registration

GC-203-110

Produced Pursuant to Protective Order in Case No. 03-23747-9

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February 18, 1964

Mr. J. Fred Billett
Scout Executive
Monmouth Council, No. 347

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
Re: Anthony G. Klecher,
Assoc. Advisor, Post 2084

Dear Fred:

Per your answer to our confidential inquiry dated February 4, 1964, we are herewith refunding Mr. Klecher's registration fee of \$1.90. We regret to inform you that we cannot accept Mr. Klecher's application.

When informing Mr. Klecher about this, please make no mention of the confidential file, but simply tell him that the National Council does not wish to accept his registration in the Boy Scouts of America. If Mr. Klecher should raise any questions as to reason, you might indicate to him that registration in the Boy Scouts of America is a privilege and not a right and that the National Council reserves the prerogative to accept those individuals it feels will best serve the interests of the organization.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL DIVISION

Howard Boyd
Director of Registration

HB:vh
Encl. \$1.90

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MONMOUTH COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DEAL AND MONMOUTH ROADS, OAKHURST, NEW JERSEY TELEPHONE XE1000 1-2634
 TRAINING CENTER AT FARMINGDALE, N. Y. - MOUNTAIN CAMP AT FORESTBURG, N. Y. - REGION 2-247

To Howard Boyd

February 10, 1964

Dear Howard:

It appears that the Anthony C. Klecher,
 referred to is the same.

Please advise further action.

FORM O-1075-25C-483

CONFIDENTIAL INQUIRY REPORT

Sincere

RETURN PROMPTLY TO:

Director of Registration
 Boy Scouts of America

(MARKED PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL)

COUNCIL No.	UNIT
347	Post 2084
COUNCIL SCOUTER	

Date 2-4-64

SAME MAN
FEB 18 1964

SCOUTER: Anthony C. Klecher

VIOLET UR

Applying for registration as Assoc. Advisor
 (On your Transmittal No. 4)

Ever located in Lake Worth or W. Palm Beach, Fla. ?

If so, when?

Where was he living in 1963 ?

Is his middle name Charles?

Is he 5'8½" tall and weigh about 140 lbs.?

Was he separated from his wife & have 1 son in 1963?

Ever a shoe salesman or dredge worker?

Does he have brown hair & brown eyes?

Date..... Signature.....

Scout Executive

—PLEASE ANSWER ON THIS FORM—

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CHECK ONE:

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER

ADDITIONAL ENROLLMENT

OFFICE COPY FOR TRANSMITTAL TO NATIONAL OFFICE, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Re-Reg. New Sep. Rereg. Post No. 84 Local
 City Long Branch, State N. J.
 District 1 County Monmouth
 EXPIRATION DATE OF UNIT 11-64

REGION NO. 2 COUNCIL NO. 347 DISTRICT NO. 1
 Post Type of Unit NATIONAL NO. 2084

INSTITUTION, ORGANIZATION, OR GROUP OF CITIZENS APPLYING FOR CHARTER (COMPLETE FOR CHARTER APPLICATION ONLY)

NAME (If a religious body, state denomination or sect.)
 ADDRESS Unit meets at Day Time
 EXECUTIVE OFFICER TITLE TEL
 ADDRESS

CERTIFICATION OF THE SCOUT EXECUTIVE

The council has received and approved the original application bearing the personal signatures of the adults registered below. We transmit herewith \$1.00 membership fee for one year (or a prorata fee), half of which is to cover subscription to SCOUTING magazine for the period of membership for each adult listed below.

FULL NAME (Please type. Be sure copies are clear.)	MAIL ADDRESS Street and Number	CITY, ZONE, AND STATE	TELEPHONE	Amer. Citiz.	Age	Relig. Pref.	If now registered and fee paid in another capacity, indicate where	STATUS*	If partial fee use margin to indicate amount
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Comm.			BH						
Unit Ldr.			BH						
Asst. Ldr. Anthony G. Klecher	524 Bath Ave., Long Branch, N.J.		BH 222-5734	C	24	C		SR	.90
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*Status N = new; Re = reregistering; SR = separated-reregistering; T = transferred; M = multiple

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May 8, 1963

Mr. Paul A. Luce
District Scout Executive
Gulf Stream Council, No. 85

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
Re: Anthony C. Klecher

Dear Mr. Luce:

Thank you very much for your confidential record sheet of May 1 and the enclosed correspondence concerning Mr. Anthony C. Klecher. We have placed this information in our file.

This information will enable us to identify Mr. Klecher, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL DIVISION

John D. Webster
Assistant Director
Registration Service

JDW:jw

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A May 2, 1963

Anthony Klecher
425 1st St., Apt. 306
West Palm Beach, Florida

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of April 29th, 1963.

You are correct in some of the statements made in your letter, and very incorrect in many others. I do know very little of you, but I did take time to secure a copy of your case, plea and sentence, and to discuss your case with the presiding judge. I "have asked questions."

There is no place for you in Scouting, and I strongly recommend you never again attempt to apply for membership in the movement. You must look elsewhere to prove yourself. This is a matter that has been decided not by myself, but by your own conduct. You have had your day in court and have been dealt with leniently and with justice as a first offender.

This abominable thing for which you have been convicted has apparently made little or no impression upon you regarding your personal need for help. My advice to you is to seek psychological assistance and relocation, but stay out of youth work, particularly Scouting.

Sincerely,

Paul A. Luce
District Scout Executive
Gulf Stream Council, B.S.A.

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From Case Record, Clerk of Criminal Court, Palm Beach County
Notes

Anthony Klecher, born 12-8-39

Arrested 4-13-63, West Palm Beach, Florida

Arresting Officer - E. T. Case, W.P.B. Police Dept.

Charge - Crime against nature

Excerpt from case file

... April 13th, 1963 in the County and State aforesaid.

"unlawfully did then & there commit the abominable & detestable crime against nature by then & there

Taking the penis of one [REDACTED] into his, the said Anthony Klecher's mouth.

"Court interrogated defendant as to age and education and finds defendant competent to plead voluntarily to this charge without Counsel."

Plea - guilty.

Adjudged - guilty.

Sentenced, Palm Beach County Jail, 60 days with credit for jail time already served

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to the Scouts. If there is no
one there, they will be let
down. I was married to a
Canadian girl I have a son
to. This all happened while
I was in the service. When
I went back to work with the
Scouts I found a new life. One
of being needed. But also I need
them to fight the people. If
you see me unfit to take over
this troop, you will let down
the Boy Scout Oath - Law - It
won't be me. It's funny how
people condemn things without
asking any questions. It seems
the only thing that gets in the
papers is what the press wants
to put in. They give know one
a chance to defend them self.
Every body believes what they
read. This whole mess made
me lose my life. They don't

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Apr. 29 1963

Dear Mr. Luce.

I received a letter from
 Mr. Gyzmonski. He said it was
 not up to him to let me work
 with the troop. He said you
 controlled ^{(as per instr. from DE) TM} the and. O.K. so
 now I am asking you. What
 I had done was very simple.
 Some thing that cannot be ex-
 plained in a letter. I know there
 are many things going through the
 minds of many people. I could
 have ~~try~~ fought it but had
 no money to do so.

Look Paul you know very
 little of me. It is hard for
 you to give me this job. But
 John is going ~~to~~ to quit the
 troop there is know one to take
 it over. These boy look forward

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