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JOAO DEPINA: What was you saying? What was you saying? Oh, last December. Shit. Yeah. Yeah. Good.

Oh. It's just her. This is going to be great. This is going to be amazing. All right. Ready, guys.

DA ROLLINS: Thank you. (Inaudible) facts of the case. As you know, (inaudible) district attorneys of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

JOAO DEPINA: And what happens when civilians are hurt?

DA ROLLINS: So right now in the last three days we had multiple --

JOAO DEPINA: In the last 40-something years I've been alive we had several black men in Boston shot.

DA ROLLINS: -- emotional --
JOAO DEPINA: So we need to really get emotionally correct and help ourselves. And then we sit there and we got to get answers from our DA.

DA ROLLINS: -- right now --
JOAO DEPINA: And so our DA can give us answers and allow us to survive. PTSD is real in Boston. And --

DA ROLLINS: -- emotionally disturbed people -JOAO DEPINA: I am very emotionally disturbed because she is emotionally disturbed because she has a duck for a boyfriend and she's very nasty to people and she's, she abuses her power.

UNKNOWN: Excuse me, sir. Excuse me. I'm sorry.

JOAO DEPINA: To lock up black men in the community.

DA ROLLINS: -- since I --
JOAO DEPINA: And this is how it's going to happen because we got to stand up for ourselves.

Every guy, let everybody know what really happens with our fake ass DA, because what happens is she comes and she tells us lies.

And when people get shot, we should get answers. Everybody deserves answers in Boston.

Every single family --
DA ROLLINS: -- right now --
JOAO DEPINA: Every single family deserves answers. Like mine.

DA ROLLINS: -- wonderful --
JOAO DEPINA: My mom needs answer, too. My mom needs answers. DA ROLLINS: -- three days we've had -JOAO DEPINA: My mom needs answers and my mom needs answers, Rachael. My mom needs answers for the murder of my brother, Rachael.

Michael DePina was murdered in the streets of Dorchester and we still have no answers and the DA's office is still not doing that because she is very in tuned into, into locking black and brown men up for petty crimes, and that is what's going on. Yeah.

Imagine what the police are going through right now. I am emotionally disturbed because of Rachael Rollins. I am emotionally disturbed because, yeah. And our families get stabbed and shot and raped, and Rachael Rollins' office don't give two shits about us.

DA ROLLINS: -- going into this --

JOAO DEPINA: Thank you. And you should not be confirmed because you are no good. You abuse your power. Let's keep going. DA ROLLINS: Just remember -JOAO DEPINA: Just remember, abuse of power is not good for an elected official. And this is what we're dealing with all the time because we deal with --

DA ROLLINS: -- men and women -JOAO DEPINA: You put your life at risk? You sit behind a desk, Rachael.

DA ROLLINS: This is nothing. JOAO DEPINA: Yeah. This is nothing. Just like you are nothing. Let's ask your duck boyfriend. Let's ask your duck boyfriend if this is nothing.

This is what will happen, because when we don't like you, Rachael, because you are turning your back on black and brown people like we said that you would, Rachael.

Yes, Rachael. We're going to get a
little louder so everybody can hear us, Rachael. Yes. Because this is what's going to happen. I don't care about the press. You know,

I don't care. Sorry, press. Sorry, people. Freedom of speech. This is beautiful. This is called freedom of speech. When Channel 10 wants to answer a question, just let me know. I'll be quiet, sir.

DA ROLLINS: No one --
JOAO DEPINA: Telemundo.
DA ROLLINS: -- in order to --
JOAO DEPINA: But, yeah. You can't sign
up for a job that you're going to get killed and they don't get paid enough. And you treat the police like shit.

DA ROLLINS: -- people --
JOAO DEPINA: The city of Boston been
treating the police like shit. You make them work overtime. You make them get tired. They don't get good recovery time. The poor police.

DA ROLLINS: The men --
JOAO DEPINA: Yes. They need better services. The poor police shouldn't have to come to a job after they witness a traumatic situation. The police should deserve to have two days off and have time with their family, Rachael.

DA ROLLINS: Well, they were grateful --
JOAO DEPINA: The police are always under stress, and they're grateful that people like me are speaking up for them because nobody else speaks up for the police.

Hey, Rachael Rollins, I'm here talking to you, honey. Yes. I'm talking to you. Freedom of speech, isn't that a bitch. Huh.

Freedom of speech. Freedom of speech. Free press. Free speech. You won't get a good interview with me around, ever. Ever. Ever. Because what you're doing is abuse of power, Rachael.

Let's talk about the state rep going to Michigan and using state funds. And let's talk about the state rep that is using, that used a cell phone that is from a state issued cell phone to talk derogatory to other women, to other black women like you, Rachael.

Aren't you black? Aren't you black, darling? Yeah. This is what mental health looks like, huh, Rachael? Because that's what you just told the press. This is what mental health is. This is what mentally disturbed
people look like.
And what does, what does mentally disturbed lawyers look like? What does a scorned woman look like? Oh. Oh. Oh. You want me tell you about it.

Why did BU fire you? They fired you. They fired you, Rachael. And then also, let's talk about your ex-boyfriend, your ex-duck boyfriend, Rachael. The same one that you be watching their kids for. Yes. And let's talk about your current boyfriend, Rachael, your other duck boyfriend. Everybody knows him.

Have you ever met a DA that has a duck for a boyfriend? Today you meet him. Today you meet Rachael Rollins. Hi, honey. I'm here to give it to you. I'm here. I'm here for it. I'm here for it, honey.

Rachael, just tell them the truth. You don't care. All you care about is going to the next position. You don't care about our black and brown community. You're worried about going to the next position, Rachael. Yes. You got a good picture of me?

Make sure, Rachael, make sure they know
that you only worry about yourself and becoming the U.S. attorney. That's, you don't get, you don't, you -- no. Because I'm blocking their stuff. I'm sorry but I told you guys this. Rachael, Rachael, I'm here, honey. Here comes the other counterparts. Okay. We'll let the Commissioner Long talk. Come on, Commissioner Long. He's a nice guy. Now we let him have an interview.

COMMISSIONER LONG: Good evening. At about 9:30 this morning officers assigned to District B-3 reported (inaudible).

JOAO DEPINA: Bye, Rachael.
COMMISSIONER LONG: Upon arrival -JOAO DEPINA: Love you still. I'm mentally disturbed. Don't forget that. You said it on camera so when we go to court I'm going to use it.

COMMISSIONER LONG: -- individual
(inaudible). As a result, SWAT assets were brought down here (inaudible) negotiations. Negotiations went on for about five or six hours with this individual in an attempt for him to surrender peacefully.

At some point this afternoon during the negotiations the individual fired, fired at the officers, striking three officers on scene.

JOAO DEPINA: Three officers were shot. COMMISSIONER LONG: As a result of being fired upon, officers on scene returned fire, threatened the suspect. The suspect suffered multiple gunshot wounds and was pronounced on scene.

JOAO DEPINA: Told you guys.
COMMISSIONER LONG: The three officers were taken to local area hospitals where they all suffered nonlife-threatening gunshot wounds. Multiple other officers were also brought to local area hospitals for evaluation.

This is still --
JOAO DEPINA: Good. Get them help.
COMMISSIONER LONG: -- an active crime scene. Witnesses are being interviewed. Still canvassing for video.

You know, I want to highlight and make note of this, that in the last three days we've had four Boston police officers suffer injuries as a result of facing --

JOAO DEPINA: Yes. She did say that. COMMISSIONER LONG: Again, this highlights the dangers the men and the women of the department every single day they put on their uniforms. I can't say enough about the professionalism, courage and bravery that officers show every day, not just on Saturday night and not just here today, but every day they put on the uniform.

NEWSPERSON: Commissioner, how are the officers doing and what was that like, to go to the hospital (inaudible) your officers?

COMMISSIONER LONG: It's never a good thing, right. You know --

JOAO DEPINA: That was a stupid question.
Like whoever wants to see somebody hurt.
COMMISSIONER LONG: -- it's emotional for
their (inaudible). You know, we have officers (inaudible) last couple days. Emotional (inaudible). It's a strong department and they continue to do, they'll go out and (inaudible). JOAO DEPINA: Thank you. COMMISSIONER LONG: Like I said, all I know is at the time (inaudible) investigation.

That this individual is (inaudible) pointed a firearm at officers (inaudible).

NEWSPERSON: Did he live there?
COMMISSIONER LONG: We're investigating. JOAO DEPINA: He was visiting. COMMISSIONER LONG: -- three officers. JOAO DEPINA: He's been here for ten days.

COMMISSIONER LONG: I can't give you (inaudible). That's still under investigation. JOAO DEPINA: Oh. Come on. Stupid, stupid questions for the press.

COMMISSIONER LONG: On behalf of (inaudible).

UNKNOWN: Last question. COMMISSIONER LONG: They were inside. JOAO DEPINA: It's not okay to shoot at anybody.

COMMISSIONER LONG: I'll tell you. This is a great neighborhood (inaudible). No. JOAO DEPINA: It's not okay to shoot at police officers. It's not okay to shoot at anybody. This is ridiculous. We should not have to live in a war zone.

COMMISSIONER LONG: (Inaudible).
Speaking with them.
JOAO DEPINA: How many questions?
COMMISSIONER LONG: (Inaudible).
Downtown. It goes to the city street.
JOAO DEPINA: You buried that?
COMMISSIONER LONG: -- officer training.
Again, every time we see this (inaudible)
training (inaudible) put in the practice (inaudible).

NEWSPERSON: You mentioned that the injuries are nonlife-threatening?

COMMISSIONER LONG: Nonlife-threatening. JOAO DEPINA: Yes. They're alive. NEWSPERSON: How bad are they?

COMMISSIONER LONG: I'd categorize (inaudible).

JOAO DEPINA: Yes.
NEWSPERSON: Can you go over again
(inaudible). The officers (inaudible).
COMMISSIONER LONG: Like I said --
JOAO DEPINA: That's too much. Too much. They start -- he got a lot of work to go do.

Thank you, Commissioner Long, for all
your great work you guys been doing. COMMISSIONER LONG: Appreciate that. Thank you. JOAO DEPINA: Thank you for all your great work, Commissioner Long. We appreciate you.
(End of video clip.)

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