

PR21-0225617

OPEN SOURCE INVESTIGATION REPORT (OFFICER NOTES INCLUDED)

Prepared by Detective



Cyber Support Services December 10, 2021

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I, Detective Constable Turczak #3321 of the Peel Regional Police am a member of the Cyber Support Services (CSS) unit since July 21, 2019.

On December 9, 2021, at approximately 2:18pm, CSS unit received a request from Constable Bird #3115 requesting a Twitter history of two accounts for a period of May 15 – November 30, 2021.

Below is the original officer request to Cyber Support Services unit.

Disclaimer Acknowledged: Yes **Occurrence Number:** PR210225617

Request Date: Thursday, December 09, 2021

Requested By: Bird, Jeff

Requested By Badge #: 3115
Lead Investigator/OIC: Bird, Jeff
Lead Investigator/OIC Badge #: 3115

Requesting Area: Fraud Bureau

Phone Extension: 3342

Type of Occurrence: ID Fraud

Incident Information: On May 28th 2021 unknown parties created a website in the name of

the victim in order to ruin, defame and tarnish his character

What information are you looking for ?: Seeking Twitter history of the suspects between the

time period of May 15th to Nov 30th 2021

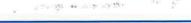
Glen PYLE @glenpyle

Scott WEESE @weese_scott

Victim Information: Byram BRIDLE Victim Location: Guelph Ontario

Suspect Information: Glen PYLE, Scott WEESE

Suspect Location: U/K





Software Used

The following software was used to view, capture and/or download data contained in this report.

Software	Version	
Google Chrome (web browser)	96.0.46664.93	
TechSmith SnagIT	2019.1.6	



Officer notes and Findings

December 9, 2021

At 3:54pm, I review the CSS request that was submitted by Constable Bird #3115 as well as PRP general report.

Utilizing the website Twitter.com, I go directly to the account that was provided in the CSS request (glenpyle) and take a screenshot (Image 1) of the account and obtain details summarized below.

Twitter Account Details

Name: Glen PYLE

Username: glenpyle
User ID: 408776066

Profile URL: https://twitter.com/glenpyle

Source: https://twitter.com/glenpyle

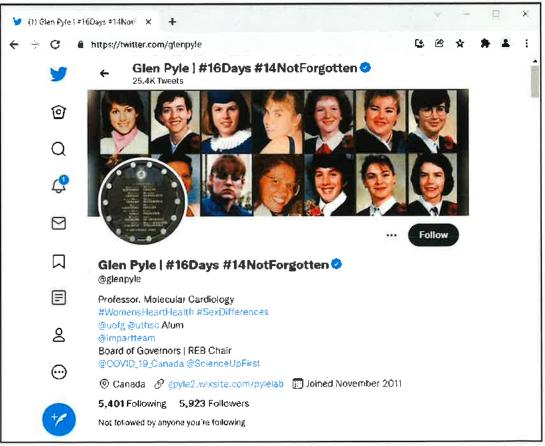


Image 1. Screen captured on December 9, 2021 at 4:09pm



I proceed the same way to obtain information on the second Twitter account (weese_scott). I take a screenshot (Image 2) of the account and obtain details summarized below

Twitter Account Details Name: Scott WEESE Username: weese_scott User ID: 1141022739421126658 Profile URL: https://twitter.com/weese_scott

Source: https://twitter.com/weese_scott

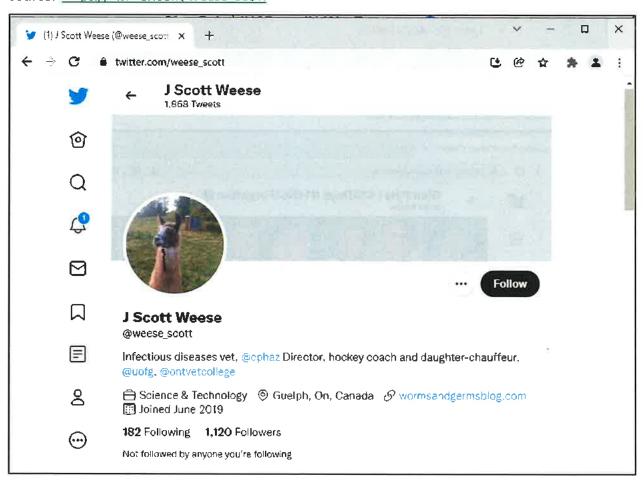
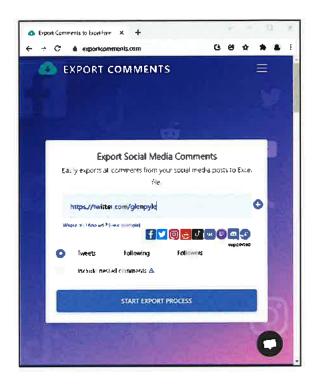
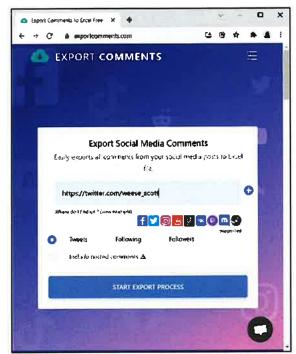


Image 2. Screen captured on December 9, 2021 at 4:10pm

At 4:57pm, I go to exportcomments.com website, enter in the URL of each Twitter account (shown below) in the export box and export tweets posted by each Twitter account.





I then download the Excel files and filter by requested date range of May 15 – November 30, 2021. Below are links to Excel files containing filtered tweet history for each Twitter account.

- Click <u>HERE</u> for glenpyle
- Click <u>HERE</u> for weese_scott

Lastly, I examine both Excel files and check that the data exported matches what I observe on the Twitter website for each account. Random tweets were selected from each Excel file and located on the Twitter accounts without any discrepancies (date and content match). Note that "nested comments" which are comments within comments are not included in either export as exportcomments.com was unable to export those for technical reasons.

ONTARIO COURT OF JUSTICE

(Central West Region)

INFORMATION AND AFFIDAVIT

IN THE MATTER OF an application for a Production Order for transcripts held at North Shore HR Consultant Inc. pursuant to section 487.014 of the Criminal Code

IN THE MATTER OF an application for a Production Order for subscriber information of Alexpierson.ca held at Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd pursuant to section 487.014 of the Criminal Code

INFORMATION

I, and of the Region of Peel, in the Province of Ontario, am a Peace Officer employed by the Peel Regional Police and hold the rank of Constable. I have personal knowledge of the facts hereinafter deposed to except where same are stated to be based upon information and belief.

I am aware of my obligations as an affiant under R v Araju, [2000] 2 SCR 992: namely, that I am obliged to submit an affidavit that sets out the facts fully, frankly and fairly for an authorizing judge or justice in order that he or she can make an assessment of whether these rise to the standard required in the legal test for the authorization.

I MAKE OATH AND SAY AS FOLLOWS:

THAT there are reasonable grounds to believe that an offence against the Criminal Code has been committed, namely:

That Scott WEESE on June 23rd 2021 at the University of Guelph did fraudulently personate Alex PIERSON with the intent to cause disadvantage to Alex PIERSON contrary to section 403(1)(C) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

And furthermore that

That Scott WEESE et al, knowing that Dr Byram BRIDLE is harassed or being reckless as to whether Dr Byram BRIDLE is harassed did without lawful authority repeatedly communicate directly or indirectly with Dr Byram BRIDLE thereby causing Dr Byram BRIDLE to reasonably, in all circumstances, fear for his safety. Contrary to Section 264 (2) (b) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

THAT IT IS PROPOSED THAT North Shore HR Consulting Inc. located at 521 George St N, Peterborough, ON produce the following:

 All transcripts of the witness recordings made in relation to the University of Guelph's investigation of Dr Byram Bridle.

And furthermore

THAT IT IS PROPOSED THAT Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd (namecheap.com) located at 4600 East Washington Street Suite 305. Phoenix, AZ 85034. USA produce the following:

 Detailed account information to include but not limited to first name, last name, date of birth, address, email address, phone number, registration information, IP addresses used to create/maintain/access the account and payment details for domain name Alexpierson.ca

of May 2022 when Detective Constable or his designate by electronic mail deliver the production order to Nick Duley nick@northshorehr.ca of North Shore HR Consulting Inc. and to Legal@namecheap.com for Namecheap.com

IT IS FURTHER PROPOSED THAT the requested records be produced within 30 business days of the execution of the Production Order

IT IS FURTHER PROPOSED THAT upon completion of the request that Constable Bird #3115, be advised via telephone (905)453-2121 ext. 3342 or email at 3115@peelpolice.ca and that the records be sent via courier or electronically 3115@peelpolice.ca to associated to the address of 180 Derry Rd, Mississauga, Ont L5T 2Y5.

THAT the facts being relied upon to justify my belief that the person(s) who is/are the subject of this order has possession or control of the requested records together with the particulars of the offence are as follows

I, am a Police Officer with the Peel Regional Police and have been so employed since August 2006. I have experience with the Criminal Investigation Bureau, and the Homicide and Missing Persons Bureau, Neighborhood Policing Unit and Uniform Patrol. I am currently assigned to the Fraud Bureau. As a member of the Fraud Bureau, it is my responsibility to investigate Fraud related offences occurring in the Region of Peel and elsewhere. I believe that the contents of this affidavit are true.

Investigative Sources

In this Information, I will be referring to several acronyms for computerized police information networks or police and government agencies I have become familiar with because of my police experience. The following definitions will apply to these acronyms:

Twitter- is an American <u>microblogging</u> and <u>social networking</u> service on which users post and interact with messages known as "tweets". <u>Registered users</u> can post, like, and retweet tweets, but unregistered users can only read those that are publicly available. Users interact with Twitter through browser or mobile <u>frontend</u> software, or programmatically via its <u>APIs</u>.

SUMMARY

On June 30, 2021, the complainant, Dr. Byram Bridle, on the counsel of his lawyer, attended the Peel Regional Police Fraud Bureau, located at 180 Derry Road East, in the city of Mississauga, in order to file a report based upon Identity Fraud/impersonation, which has caused ongoing negative ramifications on his medical career and personal life. As a result of this appointment, the following information was obtained:

For the past fourteen years, Dr. Bridle, has been employed as an Associate Professor of Viral Immunology at the University of Guelph, in Ontario, Canada. Dr. Bridle is a tenured faculty member, who directs a team of eight scientists in research and medical grant submissions.

As a Virologist, Dr. Bridle, has a high degree of expertise, with regard to overall vaccine application used to combat community illness. Due to his knowledge base and experience level, he has recently been summoned to speak at numerous media events concerning the response to the pandemic. Specifically, on these platforms he has outlined his general concerns with adverse effects of the Covid vaccine, especially in young people. It should be noted, Dr. Bridle, has only offered his medical opinion, of which is supported by current peer-reviewed scientific documents, as well as other physicians. Moreover, Dr. Bridle, has stated he is in favour of vaccines, and other well established medical interventions, however, he also advocates for a more balanced approach, further data collection and open debate of the pandemic policies in place.

Due to, Dr. Bridles's, recent speaking engagements, he has amassed a following as a scientist and public figure. As of recent, a website in the name of "ByramBridle.com" and other unauthorized online profiles (twitter "Not Dr. Byram Bridle") were generated by unknown persons(s) with the intent of publically discrediting and impersonating Dr. Bridle. These sites have utilized Dr. Bridle's good name and professional standing to damage and cause disadvantage to career and personal life. As a result, this has had a detrimental effect on his scientific research, funding and overall well-being. For these reasons, Dr. Bridle, believes he is being unfairly targeted, due to his forthright approach to the pandemic.

Through further investigation by a US based cyber company employed by Dr. Bridle, it has been revealed that the defamatory websites (Byrambridle.com) are operating out of a system (withheldforprivacy.com) based in Iceland.

The introduction and promotion of the "byrambridle.com" was a conscious endeavour to dismantle the reputation of Dr Bridle, which left him vulnerable in securing much needed funding for further research, his research teams survival and subsequently his family life balance.

Since the introduction of the website Byrambridle.com, Dr. Byram Bridle's reputation as a credible immunologist has been openly questioned which in turn has caused many government-funding organizations to distance themselves from him and his work thus causing a distinct disadvantage to his career.

It is the writer's belief that WEESE being a colleague at the University would have knowledge on how to tarnish one in a similar position, being BRIDLE, by directly targeting their reputation, causing immediate professional and personal harm in addition to monetary loss.

On July 23rd 2021, University of Guelph contacted North Shore HR consulting Inc., a firm to conduct an Investigation into an on campus incident on July 21st 2021.

On November 30th 2021 North Shore found BRIDLE to be in violation of Workplace Harassment Prevention Policy Article 42 of the Collective Agreement

On September 22nd 2021 Ontario Justice of the Peace JANAND reviewed and authorized the production order seeking email records from University of Guelph, namely IP addresses for the time of May 27th to June 2nd 2021.

On October 12 2021, Ontario Justice of the Peace BUTANY-GOYAL granted authorization of emails related to gpyle@uoguelph.ca. from the University of Guelph encompassing the time period of May 27th to June 2nd 2021

On November 9th, the writer came in receipt of the emails, reviewed and learned that WEESE played a role in setting up the website and promoting an ongoing character assault against BRIDLE.

It is the writer belief that WEESE, PYLE and others colluded to target and defame, discredit and smear BRIDLE and Alex PIERSON in order to ruin their reputation and careers due to different views in regards to the COVID-19.

It should be noted, this application is not in reference to valid or invalid scientific hypothesis but rather a deliberate course of action commenced with the intent to utilize Dr. Bridle's identity to discredit his professional standing in the scientific community. Therefore, I believe the offence of Identity Fraud contrary to section 403 (1) C of the C.C. has materialized.

BACKGROUND TO THE INVESTIGATION

- On June 30 2021, Dr Bridle attended 180 Derry Road for a video interview regarding the report peel Police report PR2102256170. I made notes during the interview and learned the following:
 - a. BRIDLE is a viral Immunologist with University of Guelph.
 - b. BRDILES expertise is in the field of vaccines i.e. (Covid-19).
 - c. BRIDLE submits approximately 10 proposals a year to private and government organizations seeking funding for his research and is successful on 2 to 3. Monetary grants range from thousands to hundreds of thousands of dollars.

- d. Funding is crucial for the day to day operational of the research lab and personnel.
- e. BRIDLE states that funding criteria is based off three specific points
 - i. premise of the paper
 - ii. the school/research team
 - iii. The reputation of the author
- f. BRIDLE states that, "reputation" is a very important criteria in this matter.
- g. Months prior to May 27 2021 BRIDLE had appeared as an expert on multiple media outlets in Canada and throughout the US of A.
- h. BRIDLE has received funding for the research of Covid-19 vaccine by federal and provincial governments.
- i. On May 27 2021, BRIDLE attended the radio show by Alex PEIRSON and BRIDLE stated that he has comes across evidence regarding the vaccine distribution throughout the body and therefore young people and females should not be taking the vaccine until further studies are completed.
- j. The Alex Pierson radio show was 8 minutes in duration.
- bue to time constraints was not asked what evidence nor to further explain his findings.
- I. BRIDLE was in possession of PFZIER documents via Freedom of Information explaining the bio-distribution of the vaccine on young male/females.
- m. On May 28 or 29 2021, learned about the website Byrambridle.com defaming his character and wrongly misrepresenting his science.
- n. BRIDLE is aware that colleagues Dr PYLE and Dr WEESE have been openly against him.
- BRIDLE has no social media and therefore is not up to date on what is being said and relies on others to share information

- p. BRDILE is aware of David FISMAN (@dfisman) promoting the website Byrambridle.com.
- q. BRIDLE is extremely bothered how FISMAN tweeted out that BRIDLE'S parents refused to get the vaccine. This is private information and FISMAN's tweet is unprofessional.
- r. BRIDLE is aware of the twitter handle "@Notbyrambridle"
- s. BRIDLE has advised that the Terry Fox foundation has expressed concern about the recent social media posting and have cautiously distanced themselves from him and his research
- t. BRIDLE advises that the Terry Fox foundation have consistently provided funding to him and his research for many years.
- u. BRIDLE is under lots of stress as he doesn't understand why his colleagues are unable to civilly debate his research and recent findings.
- v. BRIDLE has stated that debates are very common and encourages that scientist debate/discuss their research with others.
- w. BRIDLE is concerned for his welfare, career and the overall well-being of his family as they all are being unfairly targeted.
- 2) On May 1 2021, Peel Police Cyber unit conducted a search on the website Byrambridle.com. I made notes and learned the following:
 - a. The website domain is associated to the company Withheldforprivacy.com based in Iceland.
 - b. Withheldforprivacy.com does not hold any information of its subscribers and instead refer them to the domain registrar of Namecheap.com
 - c. Namecheap.com have stated that all the information is private and will consult with the subscriber if served with judicial authorization before/if they choose to reply.

3) On May 28 2021, a website by the name of ByramBridle.com was posted and promoted on the social media by FISMAN via Twitter handle @DFisman. It shall be noted, Byram Bridle did not authorize this site nor did he provide consent to the websites operation.



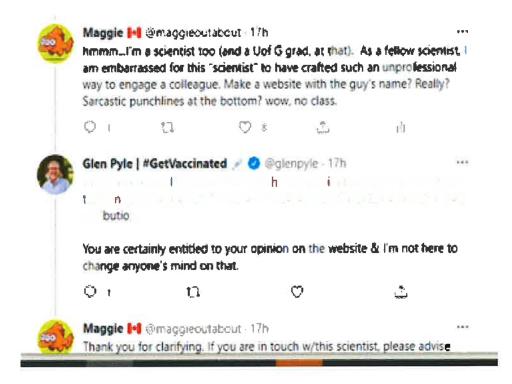
4) On the same above thread a party by the name of @Maggieoutabout replies to @DFISMAN questioning the validity of the Byrambridle.com:



5) In response to @maggieoutabout Dr Glen Pyle using the twitter name @glenpyle replies:



6) At this point, @glenpyle and @maggieoutabout further engage in a back and forth on Twitter:



7) On July 6th 2021 I spoke with who is @Maggieoutabout and reviewed her tweets and I learned the following:

- a. She is a University of Guelph Grad and studied Toxicology.
- b. Knows Dr BRIDLE via the Canadian Covid Care Alliance.
- Observed the tweet made by FISMAN introducing the Byrambridle.com website.
- d. Created the twitter handle @Maggieoutabout.
- Believed the actions of the fake BRIDLE account have vilified the character of BRIDLE.
- f. Believes that Dr PYLE may have knowledge of the originator of the fraudulent BRIDLE account.
- g. And shared the following letter submitted by University of Guelph staff Dr PYLE and Dr WEESE.

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- 8) On August 25th 2021 I reviewed emails from BRIDLE (<u>bbridle@uoguelph.ca</u>) dated May 28th 2021 sent to University of Guelph personnel advising of his knowledge about the website Byrambridle.com.
 - a. "It has been brought to my attention that a smear campaign has been launched against me because I answered a question about COVID-19 vaccines that was posed to me by a radio show host. Everything I said is backed up by peer-reviewed scientific articles. Of course, however, I had no way to show these references in the context of a radio interview. FYI, this libelous website was set-up... http://byrambridle.com/"
 - ". Of incredible concern was this tweet that was forwarded to me...

https://twitter.com/glenpyle/status/1398810510234206210

b. I demand to know what Glen's role is in this. Did he condone this? Was he part of this? He certainly knows who made the website and did not speak out against it. The website also uses an article that Glen wrote to try to slam me. I will wait to see if this can be handled internally.

- 9) On August 25 2021, I reviewed emails with BRIDLE sent to University of Guelph personnel and advising of his knowledge about the website Byrambridle.com.
 - a. "I just received this... https://twitter.com/DFisman/status/1398756044004802565
 Glen Pyle is all over this. He seems to be loving the bashing I am taking. He even states embarrassment when correcting someone to note that I am from OVC, not OAC. Is David Fisman the one who made the website?"
- 10)On August 25th 2021, Dr Bridle (<u>bbridle@uoguelph.ca</u>) shared email communication with himself and Dr PYLE (<u>gpyle@uoguelph.ca</u>). These emails are in response of BRIDLE learning of the website in his name defaming his character. I have taken excerpts from the email and noted them below.
 - a. "Can you please explain your role in the smear campaign against me? Who is the scientist that made the website to slander me? I need this information now! ...or are you going to continue to revel in the harm being caused to a colleague that you are embarrassed about? If I do not receive a reply from you by noon on Monday, I will contact the police to see if they can get the information from you " sent on: Sunday, May 30, 2021 4:10 AM
 - b. "I was just sent even more tweets from you that slam my interview. This is absolutely disgusting. You do realize don't you that I could not possibly show the scientific basis for my statements on a radio show, right? Since you are 'just down the hall from me' why don't you drop by sometime for a real scientific debate. You are obviously the local expert on COVID-19 vaccines, not me. If you have issues, why not talk to me directly? Why, instead, are you slamming me behind my back and in public forums?" 2021-05-30 4:24 AM (GMT-05:00)
- 11) At this time, PYLE (gpyle@uoguelph.ca responds to BRIDLE (bbridle@uoguelph.ca with the following email sent on May 30th 2021 at 11am
- a. "I am not slamming you behind your back. As you note, it is a public forum and I am presenting data from studies."

At 1pm, PYLE <u>gpyle@uoguelph.ca</u> pens a lengthy letter to BRIDLE bbridle@uoguelph.ca explaining his role and disassociated himself of the website:

- b. "Second, I don't know who made the website. You've mentioned you are not on social media so you may not be aware that some people chose to remain anonymous. The website was flagged to me and that was the info I was given. Others tried to tag it to Dr Fisman and someone mentioned a hacker. I simply clarified that my understanding was this was not the case. I think you can appreciate that had someone been mistakenly linked to material they didn't create, that could create stress for them"
- 12) On September 01st 2021, I captured post on twitter of PYLE using his Twitter handle @glenplye posting a number of tweets calling BRIDLE assertions as "misinformation" in direct response to the tweet promoted the link to the Alex PIERSON radio show: dated on May 28 2021:



Matthew B @Wontevertweet27 · May 28 · From Late Last Night: Mechanism of injury explained by Canadian Prof Dr. Byram Bridle at University of Guelph. Includes description of spike protein damage and mobility (including passing through breast milk to cause GI bleeding in infant).



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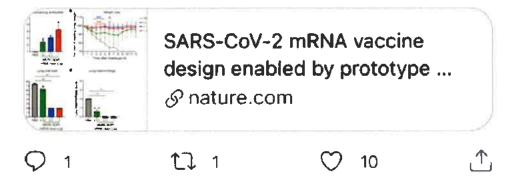
Replying to @Wontevertweet27 @Aly_Meek and @WesternU

No, this is a hypothesis, and nothing is reviewed or published. A few points:

 Claims the first access to biodistribution studies. In fact EMA reported these data last year & updated in Feb 2021.



2. Spike protein causes damage. It does. But the vaccine spike protein is engineered to stay in the pre-fusion form (nature.com/articles/s4158...). This prevents it from fully binding.





Glen Pyle | #GetVaccinated 💉 🤣 · May 28 💮 · •••

3. Spike protein gets in the blood. In small amounts yes. Concentration around 0.3 pM. Kd of ACE2 binding is ~1.5 nM.

This means the concentration in blood is 5-fold less than needed to bind ACE2. And that doesn't even consider engineering to limit binding.



Glen Pyle | #GetVaccinated 💉 🤣 · May 28
Even cardiologists recommend the vaccine:



COVID-19 vaccine benefits still outweigh risks, despite possible rare heart complications \mathscr{S} newsroom.heart.org

13) On August 25th 2021, I reviewed emails forwarded by BRIDLE regarding tweets distributed by @Dfisman and linked to @glenplye dated on May 30 2021:

a.

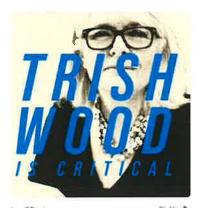


David Fisman @ @DFisman · May 30 ··· An excellent follow for good immune science from @UofGuelphOAC is Dr @glenpyle , who has addressed some of the misinformation in these interviews in his own tweets

- 14) On Sept 2 2021, I reviewed emails sent by BRIDLE bbridle@uoguelph.ca capturing his communication with PYLE gpyle@uoguelph.ca and University of Guelph staff. On June 22 2021, BRIDLE emails staff clarifying his position:
 - a. BRIDLE encourages them to read his report "Children and Covid-19 Vaccine" explaining his concerns with Children receiving experimental covid-19 vaccines.
 - b. References that Dr Robert MALONE, the inventor of the mRNA vaccine technology clearly supports BRIDLE interpretations of the science is 100% and identifies a link supporting it:

https://podcasts.apple.com/ng/podcast/mrna-inventor-robert-malone-backs-up-byram-bridle-on/id1513237951?i=1000526212312

(When you click on the link, you get taken to this webpage)



MRNA TECH INVENTOR ROBERT MALONE BACKS UP PROF. BYRAM BRIDLE

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In an explosive interview, impeccably credentialed Malone and Bridle go after critics trying to silence anyone who raises issues about vaccine safety. They explore spike proteins, dosing errors, the coercion of children, the attack on podcaster Bret Weinstein, and the absence of risk-benefit ratios — the bedrock of ethical medicine. Also on the episode: Canadian docs Donald Weish and Jean Marc Benoit who are collecting information and boldly speaking out.

c. BRDILE references a link from the website of the World Health Organization (WHO) corroborated this concerns with Children and vaccination"

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/covid-19-vaccines/advice

"Children should not be vaccinated for the moment." ...because "Children and adolescents tend to have milder disease compared to adults, so unless they are part of a group at higher risk of severe COVID-19, it is less urgent to vaccinate them than older people, those with chronic health conditions and health workers. More evidence is needed on the use of the different COVID-

19 vaccines in children to be able to make general recommendations on vaccinating children against COVID-19."

d. BRIDLE addresses the allegations against him via the website
 Byrambridle.com and provides a link in which they can hear his response:

https://www.facebook.com/WhatsUpCanadians/videos/206400258023039

e. BRIDLE makes a passionate plea for University of Guelph Faculty et al via email:

"If anyone remains intent upon trying to defame me and harm my career, I kindly ask, out of respect, that you try to do so in a public forum where you and I can openly discuss the science in front of the public. We can get a moderator to facilitate the discussion. If not willing to do this, please refrain from disrespectful, cowardly behaviours. Definitely don't attempt to slander me if you are unwilling to invest the time into investigating the four sources of information that I listed above."

- 15) On September 2 2021, I reviewed the Guelph Police report 210721-437 authored by Sgt. Larry O'CONNELL of University Guelph Police. I made notes and learned the following:
 - a. On July 21 2021, at approximately 3:15pm Sgt. O'CONNELL responded to an allegation of harassment by PYLE against BRIDLE who claimed that BRIDLE confronted him in the parking lot yelling.
 - b. On July 22 2021 O'CONNELL responded to a complaint by Dr BIENZLE against BRIDLE because of an email received with the attachment of "Children and Covid-19 Vaccine".
 - c. On the same date, Associate Professor Andrew PEREGRINE and BIENZLE were confronted by BRIDLE in the hallway wherein BRIDLE was "yelling and using unprofessional language" and due to the actions of BRDILE, they contacted campus Police.

- d. O'CONNEL took a formal report capturing the sides of all parties involved and advised that no safety issues were at jeopardy and that upon the direction of Guelph administration, an external company (North Shore investigations) will review the matter.
- 16) On September 7 2021, I reviewed a letter, which was provided to me by and disseminated by PYLE via his twitter handle @glenpyle on July 5 2021. I took an excerpt from the letter which summarizes the concerns of a selected few of the University of Guelph faculty towards BRIDLE:

https://twitter.com/glenpyle/status/1412170097897189383?s=20

Therefore, we wish to state publicly that as scientists, faculty, and/or staff of the University of Guelph we stand firmly against the continued spread of factually incorrect and misleading information that is being disseminated by Dr. Bridle. We have confidence that the SARS-CoV-2 vaccines approved for use in Canada are safe and effective, and we wish to reassure the public that as members of the University of Guelph community we fully support evidence-based public health, which includes vaccination against COVID-19.

- 17) On September 2 2021 I spoke to Jeremy EDWARDS who had previously sent an email to BRIDLE on June 6th 2021 warning of the website Byrambridle.com and noted a few iterations that may lead one to believe that PYLE had posted the website and/or knew who did. I made notes and learned the following.
 - a. The Byrambridle.com website was first posted on May 29th 2021 (<u>https://web.archive.org/web/20210529111831/http://byrambridle.com/</u>) and under the heading "General Claims about the Spike Protein" the following paragraph was written:

"Had he walked down the hall, and consulted with his colleagues who have written extensively on this topic, they could tell him that the data shows no significant amount of the vaccine enters the circulation"

(The area in bold is a link to an article written by Dr PYLE)

https://web.archive.org/web/20210512220241/https://www.science 20.com/w glen pyle/the thorny problem of covid19 vaccines and d spike proteins-254373

The Thorny Problem Of COVID-19 Vaccines And Spike Proteins
By W. Glen Pyle | May 12th 2021 05:26 AM | Print | E-mail

- b. Under the heading "Who is Alex Pierson" the unknown author writes"I don't know much about Alex".
- c. On June 1st 2021 the Byrambridle.com website (<u>https://web.archive.org/web/20210601005022/http://byrambridle.com/</u>) was changed and the paragraph and PYLE link is removed for unknown reasons.
- d. The 1st person singular is removed from the website.
- e. When comparing the original website from May 29th to the June 1st 2021 there was only 1 edit.
- f. From June 1st to present day there have been over 30 amendments
- 18)September 22nd 2021 Ontario Justice of the Peace JANAND reviewed and authorized the production order seeking email records from University of Guelph, namely IP addresses for the time of May 27th to June 2nd 2021.
- 19) On Friday October 8th 2021 the writer received the results of the production order from University of Guelph lawyer Hilary JARVIS, specifically IP addresses.

- 20) A review of the IP addresses submitted by the University of Guelph confirms that PYLE was in possession of a Rogers's device mobile or computer accessing his gpyle@uoguelph.ca address.
- 21) In order to prove the criminal offence of Identity Fraud sec. 403 (1) C of the C.C the emails from gpyle@uoguelph.ca interacting with others in order to create and edit the website byrambridle.com will be found within the University of Guelph Server.
- 22) It is noted that in conversation on September 8th 2021 with Stephen WILLEM, Chief Information Security officer of University of Guelph, that they are in possession of university personnel emails. It was the writer's intent to seek the emails in order to prove the offence.
- 23) On October 12 2021, Ontario Justice of the Peace BUTANY-GOYAL granted authorization of emails related to gpyle@uoguelph.ca.
- 24) On November 9 2021, I was in receipt of the emails in relation to gpyle@uoguelph.ca. Review of the emails failed to identify PYLE starting up the website; however, email evidence shows that PYLE is aware of who is behind the website, who created and may have openly contributed to it. Furthermore, what is captured and revealed is an outright colluded effort by FISMAN, Dr Scott WEESE and PYLE to promote a campaign of disinformation against BRIDLE.
- 25) To prove how PYLE was aware of who was behind and/or created the website, I captured an excerpt from an email between himself and a colleague Amy GREER agreer@uoguelph.ca. In this email, dated June 1st 2021 PYLE writes:
 - a. "I can tell you confidentially that I believe the website was created by a student. The phrasing on the initial version was the same as some of their tweets. I also recall one of their tweets saying "You should buy your domain name before someone smarter buys it first". That's been deleted"

GREER response

b. "I do think that the website has come from a student (or maybe students?). It is a boatload of research that seems to have been put together really quickly... (never underestimate a determined student(s) to get something done they feel strongly about). I am pretty sure it is not a student from my team (I think they would have likely asked me about it before making it public...but maybe not). I am somewhat concerned about what it might mean for the student/students should their identity be made public"

(What can't be overlooked is GREER openly stating to PYLE that there may be consequences if the student identities are revealed)

- 26) On November 15th 2021 I reviewed emails between PYLE and Charly MCKENNA mckennch@uoguelph.ca and learned the following:
 - a. On My 31st 2021 1255pm PYLE responds to MCKENNA who asked how are you doing?

"It's a fucking shit show. A faculty member is threatening lawsuits because some of us dared to critique the science he has been spreading. If you are on Twitter you'll know what I am talking about."

(The writer can confirm that the faculty member is BRIDLE)

- b. May 31st 2021 145pm PYLE writes
 - "Just type Byram Bridle into Twitter"
- c. May 31st 2021 7:52pm MCKEENA writes

 Did you make that website?
- d. May 31st 2021 817pm PYLE writes

"I did not. It's not hard to figure out who did though"

e. May 31st 2021 8:30pm MCKENNA writes

"Figured it was someone in the dept. but I'm not that great of a sleuth".

- 27) On November 15th 2021 I reviewed the emails between Dr Scott WEESE and PYLE, captured emails show PYLE venting to WEESE about BRIDLE threating to call police
 - a. May 30th 2021 1102am PYLE writes

"I received an email from him this morning that he will call the police to visit me on Monday, so I guess that is some drama.

b. May 30 2021, 1124a, WEESE writes

"Did you report this conduct to the Dean? I've talked to him before about Byram and he's sympathetic but also somewhat hand tied because of academic freedom and I think they're wary because he is such a complainer. However, threatening to call the police based on very benign, evidence-based conduct by you is completely unacceptable"

c. May 30 2021, 1129am WEESE writes

"Not surprising, unfortunately. I should ramp up what I'm saying so he can come after me at the same time.

If you need any support...moral, letter writing, sending the same statements...let me know. I'll be more than happy to do it."

d. May 30 2021 At 11:36am PYLE writes

"He copied the Dean, Shayan, Provost, President. Etc. They are aware"

e. May 30 1146a, WEESE writes

"What an idiot. Does he truly have no clue how he's viewed? This can't be a good longterm career move for someone that wants to be seen as a serious scientist.

I hope your day goes better. I haven't had any threats yet today from anyone (knock on wood) so it's a nice change. The ivermectin fan club seems to have moved on now, so it's back to just the ones that want to lynch the Science Table".

f. On May 31st 2021 AT 758am WEESE writes in reference to BRIDLES mailing list:

No, I'm not on his mailing list (although he sent me a whiny email and copied the Jeff, Shayan and Brandon. No threat to call the police. I was a bit disappointed in that.) I assume there was lots of 'woe is me, people are being mean' in the newsletter, but it's useful to know what misinformation is being said to be ready for the next wave of questions. There are a lot of people freaking out internationally about his statements about fertility risks, unfortunately.

Have you seen his affidavit for the Adam Skelly (Adamson BBQ) legal challenge? It's entertaining reading.

https://fearlesscanada.org/Skelly-vs-ROA/?fbclid=IwAR1Q4ESN5jha1FUm8gto6QuJtIwbLYNvD87gyHeruhimO7o 2FNGRBTa9xpY

- 28) On November 15 2021, I reviewed emails between PYLE, David FISMAN, WEESE, GREER with USA today writer Daniel FUNKE. On June 2nd 2021, FUNKE reached out to FISMAN asking him to fact check BRIDLES comments on the Alex PEIERSON show. FISMAN replies and CC's PYLE and WEESE and invites them to contribute. FISMAN ends the email by promoting the fictitious website.
 - a. On June 2nd 2021 FISMAN CC's WEESE, GREER, PYLE and writes his interpretations of BRIDLES claims.

"Bridle is suggesting that a study that noted minuscule quantities of spike protein in blood after first dose represent a health hazard. That is poppycock: biologically implausible and not data based"

"As I don't have the ability to answer at greater length right now I have cc'd some colleagues from U of Guelph (all of whom are more knowledgeable than I am) who might be able to add to the conversation.

You may also want to check out https://byrambridle.com"

b. June 2nd PYLE writes

"The spike protein used in vaccines has been constructed to limit its ability to fully activate. This work was done by Drs. Jason McLellan and Barney Graham"

(https://cen.acs.org/pharmaceuticals/vaccines/tiny-tweak-behind-COVID-19/98/i38

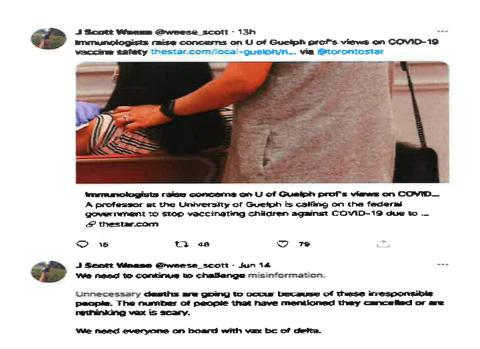
c. June 2nd WEESE writes

"I don't have much to add unless you have other specific questions. The comments from Glen and David are great. I've never referred a fact checker to TikTok before but there's a great series of 11 videos debunking Byram's claims:

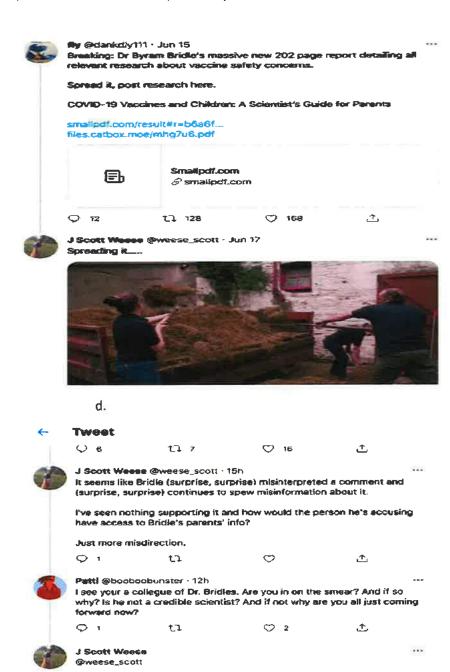
(The writer can confirm in earlier conversation with BRIDLE that the Tik-Tok video has refused BRIDLE's request to discuss the videos and to this date remain anonymous pg. 31 para. 38 sec s)

29) Since early in the year, WEESE using his twitter handle @weese.scott has openly targeted BRIDLE on this platform through name calling, shaming and taunting. An example of such tweets from early June 2021.

a.



b.



Replying to @booboobunster @diana_c2021 and 3 others

What smear? Many people are simply pointing out all the flaws and misinterpretations.

His information is not credible, as has been pointed out by many people and groups, including the authors of the papers he cites as evidence.

0:30 AM - No. 21, 2021 - Twitter Web Amp

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J Scott Weese @weese_scott · Jun 17

An far right politician, anti-vaxxer and guy who compared public health measures to the Holocaust walk into a press room...

I wish there was an actual joke in there. The real story's too sad/frustrating/maddening.

Misinformation kills. We need to address and remember that.

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Show this thread

30)On September 30 2021, Rocco GALATI Law firm issued a cease and desist letter to WEESE and Jeff WICHTEL (See Appendix D) (Dean of University of Guelph) to stop the online harassment which has escalated in tone, tenor and frequency. On October 27th 2021 WEESE sent out the following tweet



31)On May 10th FISMAN tweets out a link associating anti-vaxxers to Neo Nazis and white supremacy:







J Scott Weese giveese, scott - Nov 10
Vaccines induce cancer recumence (no evidence).
Vaccines are minimally effective (they're very good) hiermectin works (clear evidence it doesn't)
Various conspiracies.

"and more...



♦ Veroos19 #Yeroos19 - Nov 10

WHY ARE HIGHLY VACCINATED COUNTRIES EXPERIENCING COVID OUTBREAKS? - VACCINOLOGIST DITCHUR, DOT/MIDO/ST401pXV...



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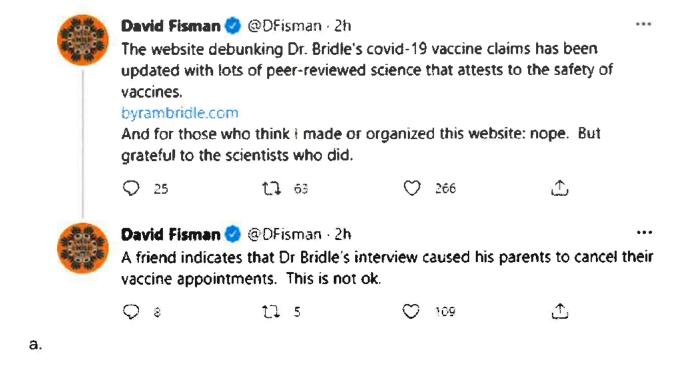


b. WEESE links the following BRIDLE image/article



32) WEESE co-authored and distributed the letter noted on pg. 27 para. 16, which is a link to an article, in which PYLE disseminated via twitter supported by the faculty of Guelph against BRIDLE.

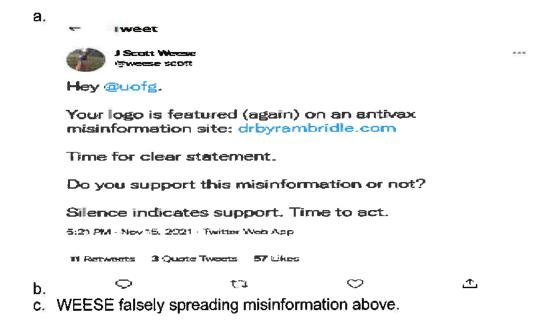
33) Here is a tweet by FISMAN in late May of 2021, promoting the website and distributing private information about BRIDLES parents.



(FISMAN mentions "grateful to the scientist who did")

- 34) On July 21 2021, an incident took place on campus and referenced on pg. 16 para. . On October 8th 2021, University of Guelph Police Sgt. O'CONNEL submitted his notes along with the complainants email
- a. PYLE emails OCONNEL to register a complaint with police regarding BRIDLE'S behavior. In this email, PYLE CC'd the following faculty BIENZLE,WEESE,PEREGRI and WICHTEL
- b. On July 22 2021 BIENZLE and PEREGREI email OCONNELL and CC'd WEESE,PYLE and WICHTEL
- University Guelph Police attended and investigated the complaints and found no criminal wrongdoing by BRIDLE.
- 35) On September 24 2021, I received the notes from Officer BECKMANN who attended and investigated the matter with O'CONNEL. On September 28th 2021 I spoke with BECKMAN, made notes and learned the following

- a. BECKMANN stated that the claim of harassment had no merit, BRIDLE was not a threat nor acted in an intimidating manner and therefore no reasonable grounds to believe that a criminal offence had occurred nor a safety plan is required
- BECKMANN stated that PEREGRI and BIENZLE appeared bothered that BRIDLE would not be further investigated.
- BECKMANN further stated that it was evident that there was a concentrated effort too purposely target BRIDLE
- 36)On November 15th 2021 WEESE submitted the following twitter post:



(As noted below, on pg. 31 sec u. BRIDLE is aware of the site, approved it and he would never promote Anti-V position being an immunologist)

- 37) On November 16 2021, Dr Byram Bridle attended 180 Derry Rd for a video Interview. I made notes and learned the following:
 - a. BRIDLE is still working from home and relegated to online teaching once a month
 - b. BRIDLE still being investigated by North Shore investigations in relation to the July 21 2021 incident in which Campus Police found no wrongdoing.

- c. BRIDLE is 100% in support for vaccines as it's his career and passion.
- d. BRIDLE is aware of who WEESE is as they are with the Veterinary College at the University
- e. BRIDLE has requested the school, campus police and Guelph Police to advise WEESE to stop to no avail
- f. BRIDLE has no social media presence
- g. BRIDLE is clearly frustrated as journalist and others take snippets of his conversations and promote that he is anti-vax
- h. BRIDLE believes WEESE motivation is fueled by jealousy
- i. BRIDLE has raised lots of money for the university
- BRIDLE reiterates that all his beliefs are supported by science, has offered to debate all scientist and to date all have refused.
- WEESE is a scientist at University of Guelph and work in the same department
- I. BRIDLE stated that WEESE nor PYLE nor FISMAN could effectively discuss the science of vaccines, as it is not their field of expertise.
- m. BRIDLE stated that WEESE would most likely refer to PYLE for scientific argument.
- n. BRIDLE has testified before the superior court and multiple panels throughout the world as an expert
- BRIDLE again reiterated that on May 27th 2021 Alex PIERSON radio show, he expressed more studies are required on youth and females.
- p. BRIDLE stated that since May 27 myocarditis has been a cause of concern, as he noted on the radio show.

- q. BRIDLE has received government funding for a Covid vaccine, recognized throughout the country as a leader in immunology and WEESE, PYLE and FISMAN don't come close to his level of science expertise.
- r. BRIDLE has stated that WEESE operates a website called 'Worms and Germs' that promotes "Safe Pet Ownership". On July 5th 2021, WEESE submitted a link to the letter signed by faculty (88 signees)
- s. BRIDLE has made multiple attempts to reach out to the creator of the Tik Tok videos that WEESE promoted and BRIDLE confirms that he has never received a response.
- t. BRIDLE confirmed that in opposition to the letter posted on July 5th 2021, a co-worker Dr Mallard, drafted a letter, lobbied support among peers and others and garnered 8000 signatures worldwide.
- u. BRIDLE stated that on October 21st 2021, a website bearing his name DrByramBridle.com was created and posted which fairly illustrated his work and science.
- v. BRIDLE is well aware that the ongoing social media and reputation bashing and all out character assault will cause issue if ever a return to University of Guelph or any other University.
- w. BRIDLE on November 9th 2021 wrote a 200 page document with 400 resources for public publication.
- x. BRIDLE is concerned for himself and his family's safety, especially after the association to white supremacy and have even gone to the lengths of discussing safety plans if anything is to occur.
- 38) As per the University of Guelph website, Scott WEESE is listed as a:
 - a. Professor | DVM, DVSc Guelph; Dipl ACVIM

- 39) On November 30th 2021, I received the Investigative report authored by Nick DULEY of North Shore HR Consulting Inc. DULEY upon the request of University Guelph personnel Dean WHYCHTEL was asked to investigate the incident on July 21st and 22nd 2021 involving BRIDLE, PYLE, PEREGRINE and BIENZLE. The report does not capture BRIDLE's side of the events, who as per his lawyers was advised not to participate and therefore was in violation of the Workplace Harassment Prevention Policy and Article 42 of the Collective Agreement. I spoke with DULEY on December 1st to 9th 2021 and learned the following.
 - a) DULEY was contacted by WICHTEL to investigate the incident on July 21st to July 22nd 2021
 - b) The incident involved PYLE and BRIDLE on July 21st and PEREGRINE, BIENZLE and BRIDLE on July 22nd 2021
 - c) DULEY noted that he was provided a witness list by WICHTEL and other witnesses came about as the investigation proceeded.
 - d) DULEY noted that even though the Campus police investigated and found no criminal wrong doing, BRIDLE'S actions may have breached the University of Guelph's workplace harassment policy
 - e) DULEY advised that due to BRIDLE'S lack of participation, he was unable
 to get his side of the story and therefore was found in violation of the
 offence

- f) DULEY was unable to advise on whether or not the promotion of a fictitious website by a University employee is breaching the University Policy.
- g) DULEY was unable to comment if the actions of PYLE copying WEESE,WICHTEL,PEREGRINE and BIZENZLE on an email to Sgt O'CONNEL of Campus Police on July 21st 2021 a bit suspicious, considering the fact that none were present for the incident with him and BRIDLE.
- h) DULEY was unable to comment if the actions on July 22 2021, by BIZENZLE copying the same parties on an email to Sgt O'CONNEL in relation to an incident with BRIDLE involving PEREGRINE and herself were suspicious.
- i) DULEY advised that the interviews were conducted by Zoom or MS
 Teams, audio recordings were made and transcriptions prepared.
- j) Duley advised that all his notes, transcripts (with appendices) recordings are held by University of Guelph personnel, namely Laurie ARNOTT
- k) On December 2nd 2022, University of Guelph Legal representative Hilary JARVIS advised that that the North Shore Investigative file are in possession of the University.
- 40) On December 1st I reviewed the Investigative report from North Shore and learned the following:
 - a) The report contains 11 witness accounts in relation to the incident

- b) The Dean and Witness 1 to 4 are identifiable as they provide testimony of the July incident that is reflected in the occurrence report and officer notes.
- c) In review of Witness 1 (PYLE), he states to DULEY that he had no involvement with the website (byrambridle.com) and that he believed a junior scientist may have been involved and was protecting their identity from Dr BRDILE in fear of retaliation.

(as noted on page 20 para.*****, PYLE in communication with MCKENNA that he well aware of who made the website)

- d) In review of the report, witness number 3 (WEESE) provides DULEY with supposed evidence of BRIDLE's emails and how he himself is being targeted. DULEY notes these emails within the report as appendix D, K, R and Q. (Appendices notes above are emails to which BRIDLE sent to Witness 3)
- e) During the interview of WEESE, he states that he has "received online threats, death threats and abuse by Dr Bridle supporters including "alt right groups... some of these individuals have said that WEESE is guilty of violating the Nuremberg Principles and that he should be hung for his role in human medical experimentation. Witness 3 described Dr Bridle as "one step away from QAnon and white supremacist groups" (pg. 21 of North Shore Investigative report)

(As per judicial authorization granted by Justice of the Peace CASSANO, University of Guelph provided 4 weeks of emails (1816) associated to WEESE (isweese@uoguelph.ca) to the writer. A review of those emails indicate no threats, death threats nor mention of Nuremberg Trial were ever located nor communication from third parties connecting BRIDLE to Alt Right groups.

- f) On page 21 of the Investigative report WEESE states that he was "ringleaders" of a group of faculty who had prepared and signed an open letter addressing misinformation that BRIDLE had been providing in the media
- 41) On March 15th 2022, I reviewed the cyber report conducted by D/C TURCZAK and ALLEN of the Cyber unit who were tasked to identify tweets of WEESE (@weese_scott) and PYLE (@glenpyle) from the period of May 5th 2021 to February 30th 2022. As noted above, tweets identified by WEESE to be offensive toward BRIDLE and it appears that WEESE is on a campaign against BRIDLE.
 - a) Between the periods of dates and noted above WEESE has tweeted BRIDLES name 58 times.
 - b) As noted on page 26, tweets, WEESE eludes that BRIDLE is associated to white supremacy
 - c) These tweets have ranged from professional to personal condemnations without provocation or retaliation from BRIDLE. It should be noted many of the Tweets are highly offensive in nature.
- 42) On February 22nd 2022 I interviewed Dr MALLARD who is a scientist at University of Guelph for the past 30 years and associate of BRIDLE, PYLE and WEESE.
 - a) Dr. Mallard is a Professor at the Ontario Veterinary College, Department of Pathobiology at the University of Guelph and is a long-time colleague of Dr. Bridle while at the University.

- b) Her research interests focus on genetic regulation of the immune system and implications to disease resistance.
- c) Dr. Mallard is the inventor of the High Immune Response Technology and the Immunity Technology that has been licensed to the Semex Alliance which is Canada's largest diary genetics company.
- d) Due to her expertise over the past decade Dr. Mallard has been the highest funded medical researcher at the University
- e) Dr MALLARD is the winner of the 2017 Governor Generals award for Innovation
- f) MALLARD is Witness 11 on the North Shore Investigative report
- g) MALLARD advises that it is commonplace for scientist to confront one another with differences of opinion in order to find common ground. "that is what science is about"
- h) Its common place to drop off papers under the door of professors.
- MALLARD believes that the issue between WEESE and BRIDLE began during a faculty meeting in April/May of 2021 and WEESE verbally redirected BRIDLE for speaking.
- j) MALLARD further states that after the Alex PIERSON radio show wherein BRIDLE expressed caution with the vaccination process of youth and young females, WEESE was really was bothered.

- k) The PFZIER document to which BRIDLE was in possession of and which he referenced on the Alex PIERSON radio show is proven accurate (pg 6 para. 1 sec.k) and against what WEESE has been promoting.
- 43) On November 23rd 2021 Ontario Justice of the Peace CASSANO granted the authorization of emails for jsweese@uoguelph.ca
- 44) On January 4th 2022 I reviewed an email of jsweese@uoguelph.ca located in his archived folder and learned the following:
 - a) On May 28th 2021, WEESE received an email from CDC (Centre of Disease Control) stating, "Since April 2021, increased cases of myocarditis and pericarditis have been reported in the United States after mRNA COVID-19 vaccination (Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna), particularly in adolescents and young adults.
 - b) "Onset was typically within several days after mRNA COVID-19 vaccination, and cases have occurred more often after the 2nd dose than the 1st dose".
 - c) "CDC continues to recommend COVID-19 vaccination for everyone 12 years of age and older given the risk of COVID-19 illness"
 - d) "Report all cases of myocarditis and pericarditis post COVID-19 vaccination to VAERS (Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System)."
 - (It's the writer belief that the email document as dated May 28th 2021 exposes the fact that WEESE had prior verified knowledge from a appropriate reliable source, that being, the CDC Governing Scientific Body, stating in a scientific record the same concerns Dr. Bridle expressed on the Alex Pierson podcast as dated May 27th 2021. This information substantiates the premise

that WEESE was acting in a malicious manner in order to discredit Dr. Bridle and thus suppress academic discourse to better serve his own reputation)

- 45) On December 23rd 2021, I spoke with Alex PIERSON an employee of Global News and the host of the Radio show whom where Dr Byram BRIDLE expressed caution about the distribution of vaccines and youth. On the fictitious Byrambirdle.com webpage a section of it is dedicated to PIERSON and in attempt to make her sound as an anit-vaxxer it states the following:
 - a. Alex Pierson's ON Point is a member of the Global News Radio family. Bridle has been a regular guest of late, appearing on her show several times. For context, her other recent works include:
 - b. "Are the lockdown measures just as deadly as the virus itself?"
 - c. "Why are mental health experts telling all levels of government everything is Not Ok? Will China ever be held accountable for lies surrounding Covid?..."
 - d. "A secretive and conflicted federal vaccine task force..."
 - e. "Civil liberties are being sacrificed to help curb the spread of COVID-19, but to what end? And a new book by a former liberal MP that Trudeau might not want you to read"
 - f. "Why did Trudeau invite the Chinese military to see our military secrets? Why don't we have rapid testing in place yet? And a conversation with Trudeau's half brother"
 - g. "Environmentalist Michael Shellenberger apologizes for the 'climate scare'"
 - h. But it's not just her show that uncritically platforms those spreading misinformation. A concerned listener has documented misinformation on a wide range of topics presented on Global News Radio. They demonstrate the extent of Global News' abdication of responsibility with respect to their radio content."

- 46) PIERSON responded to the above exert via email:
 - All of this is nonsense. I had Byram on twice. I am an editorial show. I don't do news.
 - Those who don't agree with my politics don't like it.
 - c. We present both sides all day long. The day Bridle came on I had no idea he was going to say what he did.
 - d. You can hear it in my reaction because I said this is going to scare a lot of parents.
 - e. Global wouldn't put up with me if I went extreme. They just wouldn't. Someone clearly has an axe to grind.
- 47) In December, I learned of that a website AlexPIERSON.CA is linked and interconnected with Byrambridle.com.
- 48) On March 18th 2022, PIERSON contacted the writer advising the ongoing harassment she continues to receive from the interview and website.
- 49) On April 14th 2022 PIERSON emailed the writer regarding the website alexpierson.ca and I learned the following:
 - a. The website/domaine is no longer used by her but certainly is made to look like her
 - PIERSON had no idea it was in use and it was brought to her attention by their social media platforms where she received questions about it and the views
 - c. PERSION had used the website domain up to 2 years ago and let it expire and it was re-registered by someone else, an unknown suspect, using her name to push out attacks on Dr Byram BRIDLE.
 - d. PIERSON states that the website has changed a few times since being relaunched and has been using her likeness/image to discredit BRIDLE/herself and Global news.

- e. PIERSON did not provide permission for her name and/or address to be used to launch any kind of attack on anyone and she is unaware who is responsible
- f. PIERSON is concerned about the reputational damage and misinformation that the site spreads as it pushes the herself/BRIDLE are against vaccines and disseminates vaccine disinformation.
- g. PIERSON states that the issues (Covid/vaccines) have become polarizing and for that reason she is careful with how the topic is discussed on the show.
- h. PIERSON has made it clear numerous times that she is not anti-vaccine.
- PIERSON states that the website is creating concern for the company (Global news) that has a responsibility to stop misinformation.
- PIERSON personally has to defend herself against harassing and sometimes vicious attacks who are out to discredit and silence her views.
- 50) On April 20 2022, I spoke with Amanda CUPIDO who is a director of programing for Alex Pierson radio show since January 4 2022, in relation to PIERSON and the public harassment and learned the following:
 - a. PIERSON has advised that she has been receiving an unprecedented amount of hate emails, calls and tweets.
 - PIERSON has expressed concern for her safety, family safety since her employment commenced.
 - c. PIERSON is worried to talk about herself on the air in fear of the backlash/how people will use details against her.
 - d. PIERSON advised that alexpierson.ca was created by Adam OLDFIELD on behalf of Alex years ago, but they let it expire.
 - e. PIERSON is currently taking an extended leave of absence from Global.

- 51) On April 25th 2022, Alex Pierson radio show producer Glenn BRAGONIER submitted a statement on his experience working with PIERSON. I reviewed the statement and learned the following:
 - a. Since we did the segment with Dr. Byram BRIDLE we got an increase in aggressive or hostile people calling in whenever we tried to do call-in segments.
 - b. None were personally or physically threatening in nature, just increasingly hostile.
 - c. Many other shows were experiencing similar issues because of the divisive nature of the pandemic at the time (e.g. vaccines, masks, etc.).
 - d. we also reduced the amount of call-in segments we did in this time to avoid the issue.
 - e. I personally did not receive any hate or threatening mail, but I do know that Alex has.
 - f. PIERSON has sent BRAGONIER a few emails from one individual in particular who we believe was also one of the more persistent and volatile call-ins we would get before we blocked his number.
- 52) ON April 19th 2022 I contacted Cyber Unit officer D/C Allen to confirm the domain of the website Alexpierson.ca and learned the following:
 - The domain is held at Namecheap.com
 - b. The site originally appeared on June 23 2021
- 53) On July 8 2021 I contacted Cyber Unit officer D/C TURCZK to confirm the domain of the website Byrambridle.com and learned the following:
 - a. The domain is held by Namecheap.com
 - b. The site originally appeared on May 28th 2022
- 54) Review of the websites exhibit the same similarities in design but when on the Alexpierson.ca website a tab is present, that when opened will direct you to the Byrambridle.com

- 55) On July 9th 2021 via email to nameheap.com to confirm Byrambridle.com for the purpose of a production order I learned the following:
 - a. Namecheap.com stated that they wont confirm if they have information unless in receipt of a production order.
 - They may advise the subscriber of the website that an investigation has commenced.
 - c. A non-disclosure order must be present with the production order; however, namecheap.com can reserves the right to notify the subscriber.
 - Namecheap.com hold payments information and address IP'S of the subscriber.
- 56) On March 22nd 2022 I spoke with Homeland Security Investigator John WALKER who directed me to the website https://gogetcanada.ca/legal-information/ in regards to namecheap.com and websites ending in "ca". I reviewed the website and learned the following:
- Namecheap.com will accept Canadian production order in relation to websites ending in ".ca"
- b. Request must be directed to Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd
- Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd. will respond to valid Canadian law enforcement requests and will be fulfilled by our back-end registry operator Namecheap, Inc
- d. Please note that Namecheap, Inc. will not disclose any personal information about their customers unless required by law or pursuant to a U.S. court order or subpoena.
- e. Canadian law enforcement officials may mail or email these requests directed to Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd. to Namecheap, Inc. to info@gogetcanada.ca
- f. Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd. and/or Namecheap, Inc. may notify the customer whose information is sought via email or mail

- g. Law enforcement officials who believe that notification would jeopardize an investigation should obtain an appropriate court order or other legal process establishing that notice is prohibited.
 - (information obtained from alexpierson.ca should assist in identifying who was her and byrambridle.com website)
- 57) On March 25th 2022, Ontario Justice of the Peace V FISHER GRANT granted a production order for files (transcripts, recordings, notes, appendices, statements) pertaining to the North Shore Consultant HR investigation file and held at (University of Guelph)
- 58)On March 29th 2022, I submitted the Production order to University of Guelph Legal represent, Hilary JARVIS.
- 59) On April 28th 2022 I spoke with Hilary JARVIS who advised that they are not in possession of the transcripts just the report and videos. JARVIS apologized for the misunderstanding and advised that she spoke with DULEY of North shore HR Consulting Inc. and confirmed he is receipt of the transcripts. JARVIS did provide school surveillance video, recordings and appendices (April 28th 2022).
- 60) On April 29th 2022, I spoke with Nick DULEY, North shore Consultants HR investigator and learned the following:
 - a. DULEY apologized for the misunderstanding that University of Guelph is in possession of transcripts etc.
 - b. DULEY stated that all interviews of the 11 witnesses were completed by zoom, recorded and transcribed.
 - After transcription, the recordings were destroyed as per their policy

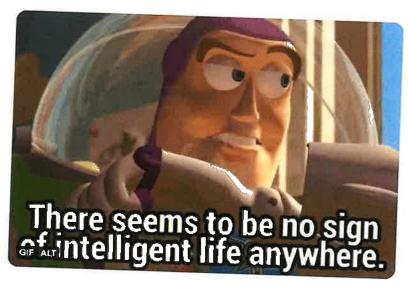
- d. DULEY will forward the transcripts upon receipt of a production order.
- 61) On April 29th 2022, DULEY was asked by the writer if a faculty member was to promote and/or possibly create a website defaming, discredit and smear another faculty member if it would be violation of a workplace harassment. DULEY advised the following:
 - a. Yes it would be and that he receives enquiries all the time especially in relation to twitter.
- 62) On April 29th 2022, the University of Guelph, who since January 1st have reduced BRIDLE's salary by 8% and assigned for him to work remotely, issued a letter stating that his office is to be moved in accordance of their findings from the investigation and for the safety of the other scientist (PYLE, PEREGRINE and BIENZLE) I spoke with BRIDLE upon review of the letter who advised the following:
 - a. Physically moving his research team to another building would be devastating.
 - b. His team members have close friends and colleagues in the department.
 - They need to be in proximity to a lot of shared equipment that we use on an almost daily basis.
 - This will have a devastatingly negative impact on my ability to conduct research.
- 63) On April 30th 2022, Dr Byram BRIDLE, Dr Paul ALEXANDER and Dr PONNESE held a Town Hall in Kitchener regarding "Shifting Perspectives, The Erosion of

Human Rights in Canada". On the same date, WEESE via twitter posted the following:



Joined in the first couple minutes of this and they couldn't even get past the preamble before spreading misinformation.

Claiming the global pandemic treaty that is being discussed will make countries 'surrender' public health policy to the WHO. No shock but...



b. PYLE later adds to the thread the following:

a.



(Another example of PYLE like WEESE openly categorizing anyone who may be against the vaccine regardless of their reason, to be a racist. There appears to be conscious effort to associate BRIDLE et al, as racist in order to smear their reputations)

REASONABLE GROUNDS TO BELIEVE THAT THE OFFENCE HAS BEEN COMMITTED

The suspect WEESE, having intimate knowledge on how to ruin, BRIDLE's carrier and defame his character, specifically in the research field, which was intentionally initiated through a campaign to discredit BRIDLE for reasons yet to be fully determined but likely due to professional conflict of opinion. The manner in which this movement ensued was primarily through the introduction and promotion of the website Byrambridle.com. As professional reputations were at stake the purpose of this agenda appears to be means in which to suppress scientific knowledge rather than expand further discussion as should be the common practice with a University setting.

Reasonable and probable grounds that WEESE, PYLE and others has committed the offence of Identify Fraud and Criminal Harassment

- On Pg. 9 ***** via twitter PYLE states in reference to who was behind the website byrambridle.com said " it was a scientist"
- On Pg. 28 ****para 33 FISMAN writes in reference to who made the website byrambride.com that it was a scientist
- On Pg. 20 para 26 sec e MCKENNA replies back to PYLE in response to who
 was behind the website "Figured it was someone in the dept but I'm not that
 great of a sleuth
- On Pg. 21 para 27 ***sec a, Pyle writes that BRIDLE will call police for involvement with the website and WEESE in sec b writes_"threatening to call the police based on very benign, evidence-based conduct by you is completely unacceptable"
- As per University of Guelph website, WEESE is a scientist

(What we do know now is that on the original website of byrambridle.com on the 29th a link to PYLES work is posted. The writer believes that WEESE is making reference to this as BRIDLE never threated to call police over the tweets post by PYLE. On June 1st 2021, the website is changed and the PYLES link is removed pg. 18 para 17 sec c, d & e)

(The writer believes by WEESE saying "Ramp it up" means more misinformation associated to the website and lobby faculty staff against BRIDLE)

 On July 5th a letter is sent out by WEESE and PYLE signed by the faculty openly saying the views of BRIDLE are inappropriate and characterized as (WEESE utterances to PYLE come to fruition here as he stated)
"If you need any support...moral, letter writing, sending the same statements...let
me know. I'll be more than happy to do it.)

- Between July 20th and July 22nd WEESE was included in an email advising campus police of criminal behavior by BRIDLE. WEESE was never interviewed as witness nor victim and therefore involvement from the preliminary remains
- From early May, WEESE has been tweeting many times, often slanderous and taunting tweets targeting BRIDLE. Pg. 23-25
- On September 30th 2021, WEESE was served with a cease and desist letter to stop harassing BRIDLE, to which he has willfully ignored and continue his social media campaign against BRIDLE. See appendix D,
- In early November 10 2021, WEESE retweeting FISMAN saying that Anti-Vaxxers are neo-Nazis and directly links the tweet with BRIDLE, thereby implying that BRIDLE is white supremacist pg. 26
- WEESE again associates BRIDLE to white supremacy and that he is a victim death threats with no proof.

(Such actions have become commonplace in today's society where if anyone believes or says something against the narrative they are defined as racist and anti-science)

- On November 15th 2021, WEESE wrongly characterized a website of Drbyrambridle.com as "Anti-vax".
- On pg. *** para. 25 sec a, and pg.**** 34 para sec. c, PYLE on two occasions advises GREER and HULEY that the website was made by a student/junior scientist

Its is of the writers opinion that WEESE had direct knowledge of the website (byrambridle.com), helped promote and continue his online attacks via twitter, slanderous letters and encouraging staff to attempt to file questionable police reports.

I believe the dates sought in Appendix A would capture WEESE colluding and organizing the website (May 27th to June 2nd 2021), soliciting information to add and identifying who may have created the website.

The emails between the dates of July 3rd to July 7th 2021, captured WEESE organizing with others to promote a letter amongst the faculty to purposely disparage BRIDLE

The emails sought between July 19th to July 24rd 2021, captured WEESE involvement with other faculty to file a police report.

The emails sought between November 9th to Nov 16th 2021 will capture WEESE ramping up the twitter post linking Bridle to white supremacy and associating a legitimate website with Anti-vaxxers,

Upon review of the first two websites, the 1st being on May 28th 2021, it alludes to "coming down the hall" with a link citing his work. Suspiciously, the website changes on June 1st 2021, as is noted on pg. 11 para 10 sec a,b BRIDLE accused PYLE of the website and advised University of Guelph Dean and Faculty of the incident. We do know that WEESE, PYLE and BRIDLE all work in the same department (Veterinary College)

An overview of the matter, WEESE is clearly invested into openly tarnishing the image of BRIDLE, with complete impunity

At the time of website BRIDLE had (5) Applications for funding present, unfortunately (3) have since been denied. Furthermore, due to the incident wherein PYLE and PERGRIENE/BEIDNZE filed complaints against BRIDLE, the school placed BRIDLE on "Administrative Leave" while an outside investigative firm reviewing allegations made by PYLE et al.

In speaking with BRIDLE, he has stated that he is stressed beyond reason and is concerned for his overall welfare due to these series of incidents. Moreover, he questions why no faculty/scientists are willing to conduct a scientific debate on this matter as would be the typical procedure for differences of scientific theory. Instead, the involved persons choose to turn this scientific matter into an unnecessary, unethical and potentially unlawful slander campaign.

To date, if one is to Google Byram Bridle and Alex PIERSON the fictitious website Byrambridle.com and Alex PIERSON.ca will appear. The promotion of the fictitious websites has caused both BRIDLE and PIERSON undue amount of public ridicule and stress.

As such, I believe the offence of Identity Fraud contrary to section 403 (1) C of the C.C., Criminal Harassment Contrary to section 264 of C.C. was committed.

GROUNDS TO BELIEVE THE THINGS TO BE SEIZED WILL AFFORD EVIDENCE OF THE OFFENCE

On the basis of the foregoing paragraphs;

- I believe on reasonable grounds that the document's listed in Section II will afford evidence of the criminal offence of:
- Identity Fraud section 403 (1) C of the CCC
- Criminal Harassment section 264 2 (b) of the C.C.C

My grounds for belief may be summarized as follows:

I believe that the aforementioned suspect Scott WEESE is responsible for the abovementioned charge in Appendix "B". The evidence that I am seeking will be used to compose a more substantial case against WEESE. Furthermore, the following information has been documented by Peel Regional Police which will afford evidence of the offence, that being:

- a. The items listed in Appendix "A" will afford evidence against WEESE, as listed in section "C" of this Production Order and may lead to additional witnesses, victims and person(s) of interest.
- b. The items listed as evidence and associated transactions have been identified and located by the victim and via judicial authorization and submitted to Police Investigators being held pending further investigation. These items in addition to the outlined Production Order request will allow Peel Police investigators to fully access the incident increasing the probability of solving this incident. It will also assist in uncovering potential person(s) of interest, additional witnesses and in due course any others that may be involved that remain unidentified at this point.
- c. North Shore Consultant HR transcripts will assisted in collaborating evidence already gathered that WEESE recruited and/or lobbied others (July 5th 2021, letter) to target BRIDLE just because he had a view that is different from himself.
- d. Even though BRIDLE does not dispute the interaction with the named parties on July 21/22nd 2021, he believes their incentive to complain to the police were fueled by outside motives.
- e. Capturing the investigative file (transcripts) will assist the writer on obtaining a version of the events of the parties involved and identify unknown persons who are involved in the incident either directly or indirectly. Specifically herein PYLE states it was a junior scientist
- f. Over the several months since this email document WEESE employed a series deceitful events in order to malign Dr. Bridle both professionally and personally knowing full well (as per CDC document WEESE retrieved via email) Dr. Bridle

was simply asserting verified scientific information. As opposed to openly debating Dr. Bridle as would be the common practice at the university level, WEESE, attempted to prevent scientific dialogue through a sequence of criminal activity based upon WEESE's own conjecture, opinion and bias.

- g. As per Officer BECKMANN who interviewed PEREGRINE and BIENZLE on July 22nd 2021 and noted that they were bothered that the Police were not pursuing a criminal matter against BRIDLE.(Pg *******c)
- h. PEREGRINE, BIENZLE, PYLE and WEESE all were part of the letter of Guelph faculty released to the public on July 5^{th 2021}, shaming BRIDLE.
- i. WEESE advising PYLE upon hearing that BRIDLE will call police openly seeks confrontation from BRIDLE as noted on pg ***, para *** sec. WEESE proceeds to mislead North Shore Investigator, DULEY that he is a victim of death threats due to BRIDLE's association with "alt-right" and "white supremacy". No proff of this is ever provided as valid.
- j. As acknowledged, this NAMECHEAP account was revealed as being utilized by the unknown suspect, in relation to this matter and thus potentially directly or indirectly involved in the offence. This account belonging to an unknown party will be evaluated for records pending authorization of this Production Order. It is believed that this information will assist investigators in bringing this matter to a successful outcome which will potentially prevent any further escalation of the criminal behavior. As such, investigators believe that the information contained in Appendix A will afford evidence of the alleged offences listed in Appendix B.

GROUNDS TO BELIEVE THE THINGS SOUGHT ARE PRESENTLY AT THE PLACE TO BE SEARCHED

On April 29th 2022 North Shore HR Consultants Inc. investigator Nick DULEY advised that he has transcripts of the interviews within his possession and can be provided upon receipt of a production order.

On March 22st 2022 viewed namecheap.co, website in relation to ".ca" and learned that, Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd. will respond to valid Canadian law enforcement requests. The requests must be directed to Go Get Canada Domain Registrar Ltd. and will be fulfilled by their back-end registry operator Namecheap, Inc and email to info@gogetcanada.ca

CONCLUSION

I believe that WEESE as well as other unknown individuals are responsible for the above-mentioned charges in Appendix B. I am concerned that these individuals may have already attempted or are planning to utilize this pattern of behaviour to further victimize the complainant and/or other unwary professionals. I strongly believe that this behaviour will continue, as it appears that these exploits have become increasingly flagrant in nature over an extended period without any remorse or accountability. This activity is clearly noted in email communications as dated May 31st 2021, wherein WEESE writes "Ramp it up" — as well as a very recent. Twitter submission attempting to link the victim with "Neo-Nazis/White-Supremacy" which is both unfounded and obviously highly offensive.

These series of incidents were carefully planned and utilized fictitious websites, online posting/documents, a concealed email address/domain as well as out of country locations in order to intentionally obscure the suspect(s) identity. From information obtained through the victim as well as numerous others it has been determined that WEESE carried out these unlawful acts throughout this incident while utilizing website byrambridle.com, twitter @weese_scott and email jsweese@uoquelph.ca. As a result, the suspect(s) have deliberately caused BRIDLE and PIERSON a great deal of personal and professional loss.

As such, the requested essential online information will afford Peel Regional Police with compelling evidence that will further link and/or identify the suspect(s) with this fraudulent activity.

Moreover, from detailed background analysis it has been revealed that this type of activity has become increasingly evident within certain social media enterprises thus placing a great strain on investigative resources as well as potentially victimizing scores of others in an anonymous and surreptitious manner. As is commonly noted within this criminal activity online communication is a paramount feature in keeping this pursuit in operation. These components would indicate that this was an intentional act which involved prior knowledge, planning and scheming by the suspect(s).

The evidence I am seeking is a crucial factor in order to maintain the integrity of the investigation as well as the quality and condition associated to any pending evidence that may be uncovered with additional investigative avenues that may ensue. Therefore, this material will be utilized to build a more compelling case against those involved and will help establish a convincing link in regards to the online activity as outlined within the criminal offence of Identity Fraud 403 (1) C of CC and Criminal Harassment 264 (2) (b) C.C.

In the interest of a full, frank and fair investigation, this information could also potentially exonerate any person(s) unwittingly involved in said incident

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THAT IT IS PROPOSED THAT University of Guelph Computing and Communication Services produce between the periods of May 27th to June 2nd 2021.

- All subscriber Information and account registration information, unrestricted by date, associated to the email account, <u>gpyle@uoguelph.ca</u> including but not limited to: name(s), address (es), birthdate(s), phone number(s) and date of account creation.
- I.P. logs for the I.P. addresses utilized by <u>gpyle@uoguelph.ca</u> between May 27 to June 2nd 2021
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- 2) Including content for each email, recipient and sender email addresses.
- 3) Emails within those dates held in cloud services

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Email Thread

June 2, 2021

between Dr. Weese, Dr. Pyle, Dr. Fisman, Dr. Greer and Daniel Funke, *USA Today* reporter

From:

J. Scott Weese

To: Cc: Glen Pvie; David N. Fisman; Funke, Daniel david.fisman@utoronto.ca; Amy Greer

Subject:

Re: Media request from USA TODAY (Deadline: 5 p.m. ET)

Date:

Wednesday, June 2, 2021 1:11:05 PM

Daniel

I don't have much to add unless you have other specific questions. The comments from Glen and David are great. I've never referred a fact checker to TikTok before but there's a great series of 11 videos debunking Byram's claims: https://www.tiktok.com/@laughterinlight? is copy_url=1&is_from_webapp=v1 It's a careful fact check of his claims and it might be of use to you.

The efficacy and safety of mRNA vaccines is astounding, to me, particularly for a virus we've only known for a year and a half. mRNA vaccines have been used on millions of people, including extremely high rates of vaccination in high risk populations (elderly, patients with other diseases), with incredibly low adverse event rates. The reasons behind the misinformation about vaccine safety elude me but there are clearly some organized efforts that are creating fear and confusion during a critical time in this pandemic, something that is incredibly disappointing and frustrating.

Scott

J. Scott Weese DVM DVSc DACVIM FCAHS
Professor, Ontario Veterinary College
Director, Centre for Public Health and Zoonoses
University of Guelph
http://www.wormsandgermsblog.com

Twitter: @Weese_scott

From: Glen Pyle <gpyle@uoguelph.ca>

Date: Wednesday, June 2, 2021 at 1:04 PM

To: David N. Fisman <david.fisman@gmail.com>, Funke, Daniel <DFunke@usatoday.com>

Cc: david.fisman@utoronto.ca <david.fisman@utoronto.ca>, J. Scott Weese

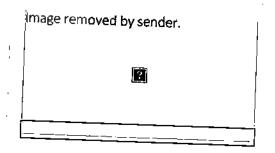
<jsweese@uoguelph.ca>, Amy Greer <agreer@uoguelph.ca>.

Subject: Re: Media request from USA TODAY (Deadline: 5 p.m. ET)

Hi Daniel.

I can comment on the general claims that the spike protein from the vaccine is dangerous:

The spike protein used in vaccines has been constructed to limit its ability to fully activate. This



The tiny tweak behind COVID-19 vaccines - C&EN

Prepandemic coronavirus research by Jason McLellan and Barney Graham led to a trick for stabilizing the prefusion form of spike proteins

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Glen.

W. Glen Pyle, PhD

Senior Career Investigator

Improving the Heart & Brain Health for Women in Canada, Heart & Stroke Foundation

Distinguished Professor, Innovation in Teaching

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Associate Member, IMPART, Dalhousie University

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Twitter: @glenpyle

"By a divine paradox, wherever there is one slave there are two. So in the wonderful reciprocities of being, we can never reach the higher levels until all our fellows ascend with us."

-- Edwin Markham

From: David N. Fisman <david.fisman@gmail.com>

Sent: 02 June 2021 12:46 PM

To: Funke, Daniel <DFunke@usatoday.com>

Cc: david.fisman@utoronto.ca <david.fisman@utoronto.ca>; J. Scott Weese

<jsweese@uoguelph.ca>; Amy Greer <agreer@uoguelph.ca>; Glen Pyle <gpyle@uoguelph.ca>

Subject: Re: Media request from USA TODAY (Deadline: 5 p.m. ET)

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Hi Daniel

I am actually headed into a busy afternoon and will answer this briefly but I don't think I can really do justice to this topic. Bridle (who I don't know) appears to be distorting scientific evidence that's emerging on covid vaccines to suggest that they are unsafe. In fact, what we are seeing right now with the massive rollout of mRNA vaccines is that they seem remarkably safe. Bridle is suggesting

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claims in general?

I expect to file this fact check today around 5 p.m. ET.

Thanks so much!

Daniel Funke

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Fact Check Reporter dfunke@usatoday.com (813) 364-4369

Hi Scott,

I'm sorry it has taken so long to obtain an answer for you. The answer is not straight forward as liability coverage is dependent on our insurance policy and there is not yet a legal action filed against you for the insurer to evaluate.

There are several criteria that impact coverage under the University's insurance (CURIE):

- 1. There needs to be a claim for damages. These occur in civil actions, not with criminal charges.
 - Defamation civil actions are generally covered as they usually involve a claim for damages. CURIE is currently covering some defamation claims made by Rocco Gelati at other institutions.
 - If a criminal process was sought by Rocco/Byram and the police acted on the complaint to pursue charges, our liability insurance will not cover the situation.
- 2. The statements relate to your employment. Twitter is a challenging sphere as there can be a mix of personal and job-related statements. It's very new legal ground and isn't clearly delineated or defined. This took the bulk of the time. We sought a legal opinion on the tweets/posts we could find (outside of insurer general statement to understand how we could push them if necessary) and think, though it isn't without risk of coverage denial, that they qualify as job related and would be covered. The closer they are to academic discussions, the better the chance of coverage.
- 3. If the matter is related to COVID, there is a \$1M cap for all the university's claims. We've been fortunately not to have many, yet. But this is something of which we need to be cognizant. We spoke about whether this situation is actually COVID-related (e.g., it's not the university defending a class-action for tuition refund due to covid caused curriculum changes like some other universities are facing). There's an argument that this is about research comments that happened to be about COVID vaccines so this cap may not apply.

The ultimate answer is one that I hate to give: it depends. It depends on what type of action is brought forward, what is said in the tweets that form the basis for the action, whether the action is considered covid-related and how many covid claims we have. If I had a crystal ball (so just a guess given what Rocco has pursued elsewhere), if action were pursued, I would imagine an unsuccessful attempt to have criminal charges laid and then an action for defamation, which I hope would be covered. But, that is just a gues, .

Scott, I welcome a chat with you about this and if you do receive an statement of claim please connect so that we can send it out.

Kind regards, Laurie

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From: "J. Scott Weese" < isweese@uoguelph.ca>
Date: Monday, October 18, 2021 at 11:35 AM
To: Laurie Arnott < i.arnott@exec.uoguelph.ca>
Cc: Jeffrey Wichtel < iwichtel@uoguelph.ca>

Subject: Re: Letter

Thanks Laurie.

Scott

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From: Laurie Arnott < l.arnott@exec.uoguelph.ca

Date: Monday, October 18, 2021 at 11:34 AM

To: J. Scott Weese < jsweese@uoguelph.ca

Cc: Jeffrey Wichtel < jwichtel@uoguelph.ca

Subject: Re: Letter

Hi Scott,

Sorry for the delay. I have prompted our counsel for response. They are reviewing the CURIE (Canadian Universities Reciprocal Insurance Exchange) insurance policy (as outlined in the collective agreement) to see if this fits within the policy. I hope to have an answer for you soon.

Laurie

From: "J. Scott Weese" <jsweese@uoguelph.ca> Date: Wednesday, October 13, 2021 at 8:07 AM To: Laurie Arnott <l.arnott@exec.uoguelph.ca> Cc: Jeffrey Wichtel < jwichtel@uoguelph.ca>

Subject: Re: Letter

Laurie

I'm just following up on this email since I haven't heard back from anyone about possible support from the University.

Thanks

Scott

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From: J. Scott Weese < jsweese@uoguelph.ca> Date: Friday, October 1, 2021 at 4:24 PM To: Laurie Arnott < l.arnott@exec.uoguelph.ca Cc: Jeffrey Wichtel < jwichtel@uoguelph.ca>

Subject: Re: Letter

Thanks Laurie. I appreciate your support and comments.

I'm not overly bothered by it. It's annoying and frustrating, but was largely expected as this is how they operate. (Admittedly, I probably lost some sleep last night but more out of being annoyed than really bothered). They threaten to intimidate people into silence. Galati seems to threaten to sue a lot and be quite adept at losing lawsuits, but causing hassles along the way. I'm pretty confident this is frivolous and vexatious and would go nowhere, but I guess my main concern (beyond impacts on my blood pressure) are financial, as I realize that even frivolous lawsuits can be expensive to defend against.

In terms of content, the letter's full of inaccuracies and I think statements of harassment (esp criminal harassment are laughable). The only place I think I've commented about Byram recently is one twitter and those are relatively benign (I've attached what I this is the extent of what I've said in Sept).

I've sent the email to UGFA but will send it to Nick Shore as well. I thought they might be realize it probably has to come from me directly.

I'm fine getting their emails for now. I might as well know what's being said. I can forward any as needed.

Thanks again. If you need more information from me at this time, let me know.

As a related FYI, CBC is doing an investigative report on the main misinformation people in Canada and Byram's on the list. I haven't spoken to them but they want a chat on background that I'll probably do in the next week or two. (I'm not sure I'll go on the record at the moment anyway.) I don't want to feed the fire but also think we need voices that are counteracting harmful misinformation. It's a tight line to walk, though, and I'm open to additional thoughts.

Scott

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From: Laurie Arnott < l.arnott@exec.uoguelph.ca>

Date: Friday, October 1, 2021 at 4:04 PM
To: J. Scott Weese < jweese@uoguelph.ca
Co: Jeffrey Wichtel < jwichtel@uoguelph.ca

Subject: FW: Letter

Hello Scott,

Dean Wichtel forwarded your message to me. I have a number of initial thoughts and responses.

1. Most importantly, I appreciate that letters like this are not easy to receive regardless of whether there is a legitimate foundation unpinning them or not. How are you doing? Of course, I want you to be aware of resources to help deal with the stress such as EFAP. But, I am also going to list some initial support or actions. In doing this, I want you to know that we can speak about other needs and actions please reply to this message and we can arrange a time.

2. I recommend that you provide this email to Nick Shore, the investigator currently investigating the harassment complaint against Byram. It seems to me relevant to that process.

- 3. We think we can arrange to have emails from Mr. Gelati or Byram Bridle either blocked or redirected (to Jeff, for example) so that you do not receive any others. If redirected, we can arrange to let you know, if you choose, if something has come.
- 4. We have soought legal advice to sort through the issues raised in the letter. I'll be able to provide a better response on these next week.
- You can reach out to UGFA for support too.

I'm available most of the weekend to respond to concerns so please reach out as needed and hope to have further information next week.

Kind regards, Laurie

On 2021-09-30, 2:44 PM, "Jeffrey Wichtel" <jwichtel@uoguelph.ca> wrote:

Hi Laurie and Mary,

I know your file on Mr. Galati continues to grow!

Once you have reviewed, can you please either connect directly with Scott to let him know what action, if any he should take in response to this threat, or let me know, and I will make sure Scott gets the advice.

Thanks,

Jeff

On 2021-09-30, 1:59 PM, "rocco@idirect.com" <rocco@idirect.com> wrote:

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Dear Mr. Weese,

I represent Professor Bryam Bridle, please find attached, a two-page letter that is self-explanatory.

Rocco Galati

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