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identification,' Griffiths said." I'll continue when I turn my light on again.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Chambers, you may continue.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Madam President. Wrapping up the article. "When two police officers showed up, Griffiths said, they talked to Vittitoe and told Griffiths and the others that they would contact their supervisor about the incident", an out-and-out lie. "Several days later, Griffiths said, he wrote a letter to the police department trying to find out what had happened. He said he learned that the officers had not filed a report. 'I found out later that they took him, drove his vehicle home, and put him to bed,' he said. The police officers' handling of the matter is disturbing, Griffiths said. 'I don't like the double standard,' he said. 'They must realize that they represent something and they need to be held to a higher standard'. Now here comes the alibi. "Jimmy Wilson Sr., a retired police officer, and Captain Dave Friend, the police union president, said Vittitoe had told them that the August 1995 slaying of Wilson's son, Jimmy Wilson Jr., had been hard on him. Vittitoe was the younger Wilson's supervisor, and he felt responsible for the death, the elder Wilson said. 'I really began drinking pretty heavily after the Jimmy Wilson shooting,' Vittitoe said in an interview Thursday night with WOVT-Channel 6. Vittitoe, the TV station said, did not admit to being drunk the night of January 25th. The station also said Vittitoe planned to enter a not-guilty plea to the charge of driving under the influence. Cisar said, Vittitoe, a 22-year veteran of the department, was demoted from sergeant more than a year ago." Old man Wilson and the President of the Police Union had nothing to say about a cop driving drunk and two others who covered for him and did not file police reports. If they are interested in weeding out these bad apples, as they always tell black people and others who criticize those cops who do bad things, then they would show it in a situation like this, but they immediately offer cover. How many of these young people do you think they would drive home and put to bed, if found having done exactly what this cop did? You know they would not do that. This is not going to be distressing to my colleagues, because they don't think there's anything wrong with a cop driving drunk, and they don't think there's anything with cops