

From: [Nick Manale](#)
To: Robert@soundoffla.com
Subject: Re: Providing Opportunity LSP Col. To Comment on Two Issues Raised by Sound Off Louisiana Viewers and Subscribers
Date: Wednesday, June 16, 2021 6:18:03 PM

Good afternoon,

I'm sorry for the late response, I've been pulled a million directions today and still haven't left the office.

Colonel Davis asked that I give you some information, but let's plan to connect tomorrow to go over some details.

1. Louisiana State Police respects the appeal and administrative process of the Louisiana State Police Commission and continues to work with the Commission as we move forward with the decision.

2. LSP is continually evaluating positions and unit operations as we strive to improve efficiency and provide professional public safety services across the state. The department has not received any official complaints regarding the Air Support Unit and routinely hires non-commissioned personnel to fill necessary roles within the agency.

My cell number is xxx-xxx-xxxx and I will give you a call in the morning after the Governor's press conference.

Thanks,
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On Jun 15, 2021, at 7:58 PM, Robert@soundoffla.com wrote:

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Col. Davis:

As I'm sure you can likely surmise, *Sound Off Louisiana* is now receiving way above usual inquiries entailing various issues regarding Louisiana State Police. I want to provide you with the opportunity to make any statement you'd like in response to the two most frequent inquiries entailing matters we've covered other than Ronald

Greene. Those two matters follow:

1. Do you intend to appeal to the First Circuit Court of Appeals the Louisiana State Police Commission's decision regarding reinstating former Lt. Sheldon Perkins back to LSP?
2. Do you intend to make any changes to LSP's Air Support Unit, for which we have received numerous complaints over the last few months? Please find attached the most recent correspondence we have received on the topic of LSP's Air Support Unit (with the identity removed). The feature the writer references is this one: <https://www.soundoffla.com/so-much-for-first-and-foremost-it-must-be-a-trooper-as-state-police-hires-non-trooper-carl-bruce-stamey-for-lucrative-air-support-pilot-position/>. Obviously, the individual who sent the correspondence to us is unaware that Mark Morrison has now retired from LSP.

I will be more than happy to provide as a direct link any response you choose to make to these two inquiries, and it is my hope that the concerns of those who have asked me to pose the questions of you won't be ignored.

Thank you for taking the time to read this email, and I look forward to hearing back from you.

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