
From: Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, March 5, 2018 10:42 PM
To: jeffrey E.
Subject: Fwd: penultimate

FYI... her response. and it leads me to something that I hadn't thought about till I talked to nancy today.. will call.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Keridwen Cornelius <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Re: penultimate

Date: March 5, 2018 at 2:39:28 PM PST

To: Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>

Reply-To: Keridwen Cornelius <[REDACTED]>

I understand his reasoning, and I think you can delay a little, but my sense is that the Origins anniversary serves as a deadline. People equate you with Origins, and they do not know whether to support the events because they don't know whether to support you without hearing a statement from you. If you haven't already, I would recommend talking to Amelia to get her take on the timing with regard to the events. I don't think there is any way to avoid generating new claims even if you waited 10 years to give a statement, since some of the accusations in the BuzzFeed article were resurrected from 10 years ago. And I wouldn't worry too much about the ASU investigation; to my mind that was a ridiculous accusation because who would grope someone's breast in a photo that's going to go up on Instagram for all the world to see? So I think it's probably a normality.

From: Lawrence Krauss [REDACTED]
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Not in the immediate future..

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On Mar 5, 2018, at 1:52 PM, Keridwen Cornelius [REDACTED]
<mailto:[REDACTED]> wrote:

When is your friend suggesting you should release it?

From: Lawrence Krauss [REDACTED]
To: Keridwen Cornelius [REDACTED]
Cc: Lawrence Krauss [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, March 5, 2018 2:48 PM
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Thanks so very much for this, and everything. I will now try and make the changes I made to my version to your version to access the spelling and grammar corrections.. Unfortunately for some reason when I open

your version in word, it doesn't allow spelling or grammar tracking to appear, and when I subsequently paste it into my version, those paragraphs no longer have spelling or grammar tracking in them when I make changes..

Yours are the first happy words I have heard today from outside. ASU is reopening their previously closed investigation into the breast episode on the basis of the BuzzFeed story.. which may be bad news, or it could be a formality.

In any case, there is a key question. My friend, who has been deeply involved with almost all famous #metoo casualties in film, business, govt, etc, strongly feels I should not release a statement at this time. He believes at this time it will generate (probably fake) new claims and much more pressure on institutions to act against me. So, do you have any thoughts about the timing of this? On the other hand there are a hoard of people clamoring for a statement.

Just advice.. the decision will be mine.

Thanks again.

Lawrence

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