- 1 must admonish you that you are a sequestered witness, you
 2 should have no conversations with anyone about what
- 3 you've already testified, but if you would like to remain
- 4 in the courtroom, you're welcome to do that.
- 5 THE WITNESS: Okay. Thank you.
- 6 THE COURT: You are welcome.
- 7 (The witness was excused.)
- 8 THE COURT: Your next witness?
- 9 (Pause.)
- 10 THE COURT: Please remain standing, raise your
- 11 right hand. Listen to Mr. White as he provides you the
- 12 oath.
- 13 Whereupon,
- (mistranscribed, this is Krista)
- 15 a witness produced on call of the State, having first
- 16 been duly sworn, was examined and testified as follows:
- 17 THE CLERK: You may be seated.
- 18 THE WITNESS: Thank you.
- 19 THE CLERK: You're welcome. Please keep your
- 20 voice up, state your name and address for the record?
- 21 THE WITNESS: Crystal
- 22 Randallstown, Maryland.
- 23 DIRECT EXAMINATION
- 24 BY MR. URICK:
- 25 Q. Good afternoon, Ms. Meyers. Do you know the

- 1 defendant?
- 2 A. Yes.
- 3 Q. How do you know him?
- 4 A. As a friend.
- 5 Q. And how long have you known him?
- 6 A. For about four years now, since the beginning
- 7 of high school.
- 8 Q. And when would you say you started thinking of
- 9 him as a friend?
- 10 A. Probably more so this year than all the other
- 11 years as getting to know him better.
- Q. When you say "this year," you mean --
- 13 A. Our senior year of high school, which would
- 14 have been '98 to '99.
- Q. Where did you attend school?
- 16 A. Woodlawn High School.
- 17 Q. And what type of school is Woodlawn?
- A. Well, it's a regular high school, and it's also
- 19 a magnate school for math, science, and pre-engineering.
- Q. And what program were you in?
- 21 A. The magnate program.
- . 22 Q. And did you have classes with the defendant?
- 23 A. Yes, I did.
- Q. And did you know Hae Min Lee?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. How long had you known her?
- 2 A. About the same length of time, the four years
- 3 that she had been in high school.
- Q. And did you have classes with her as well?
- 5 A. Yes, a few.
- 6 Q. As you and the defendant became friends, would
- 7 you converse together?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. Would you exchange telephone calls?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. Now, drawing your attention to January of 1999,
- 12 --
- 13 A. Uh-huh.
- Q. -- please describe what your daily schedule was
- 15 on a school day?
- 16 A. Usually I would get up around 5:30, 6:00 in the
- 17 morning, and I'd go to school. I'd be in school usually
- 18 around 7:30. I'd arrive. And I had two classes in the
- 19 morning and would leave school around 10:30, 10:45, every
- 20 day. And I'd leave school and usually either go home and
- 21 eat lunch or go directly to work, and I usually worked
- 22 from either 12:00 to 4:00, or 1:00 to 5:00.
- Q. Drawing your attention to January 13th of 1999,
- 24 do you remember that day?
- 25 A. Vaguely, yes.

- 1 Q. Did you attend school in the morning as was
- 2 your usual practice?
- 3 A. Yes.
- Q. And did you see the defendant that morning?
- 5 A. Yea. He's in my first period photography class
- 6 that day.
- 7 Q. And did you speak to him on that date?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. What, if anything, did he say to you?
- 10 A. I believe that that day he arrived at school on
- 11 time, which was rather unusual for him 'cause he was
- 12 usually late. And he said that he didn't have his car
- 13 for whatever reason and then he had to go pick it up
- 14 after school and that Hae was supposed to go take him to
- 15 get his car.
- 16 But I don't remember if it was from his brother
- 17 or from the shop.
- 18 Q. Now, did you go to work that day?
- 19 A. Yes.
- 20 Q. And how late would you have worked that day?
- 21 A. Till five o'clock.
- Q. Did there come a time when you received a call
- 23 from Aisha
- 24 A. Yes. During the afternoon, she called me to
- 25 let me know that Hae's grandmother and grandfather and

- 1 brother and mother had been calling her asking if she
- 2 knew where Hae was, because they had -- she didn't pick
- 3 up her cousin from school and she didn't come home that
- 4 day.
- 5 Q. Where would you have been when you received
- 6 that call?
- 7 A. Probably at work 'cause Aisha would usually
- 8 call me between the hours of 4:00 and 5:00 just to say Hi
- 9 when she got home.
- 10 Q. And what, if anything, did you do after you
- 11 received that call?
- 12 A. I know that, later on in the evening after I
- 13 had spoken with her again, I'd called Adnan to let him
- 14 know, or to ask if Hae had taken him to get his car or
- 15 not.
- 16 Q. When you say you called Adnan, how did you call
- 17 him?
- 18 A. On his cell phone.
- 19 Q. And if you would, there's that sheet of paper
- 20 in front of you which is a copy of State's Exhibit for
- 21 identification 34?
- 22 A. Okay.
- Q. And there's a cellular phone number at the top,
- 24 443 253-
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. Do you recall if that's the number you called?
- 2 A. Yes, that is.
- 3 Q. Did you get the defendant?
- A. The first time that I tried, no, I did not. I
- 5 received his voice mail.
- 6 Q. And what, if anything, did you do?
- 7 A. I left a message just asking him to call me
- 8 when he got a chance.
- 9 Q. Okay. Now, I'd like you to look at line 17?
- 10 A. Okay.
- 11 Q. Look across that line? You'll notice that's
- 12 right above line 8. It's line 17, read across all the
- 13 way through the telephone number. Do you recognize that
- 14 number?
- 15 A. Yeah, that's my home phone number.
- 16 Q. And would you read it for the record, please?
- 17 A. 410 922-
- 18 Q. And across to the first block of text that's in
- 19 the column that gives you the time of the call, would you
- 20 please read the time?
- 21 A. 5:38 and 42 seconds.
- 22 O. And in the next column there's a duration of
- 23 call, would you please read the duration?
- 24 A. Two seconds.
- MR. URICK: With the Court's permission, I will

- 1 now write in line 17 -- is this number your residence
- 2 number?
- 3 THE WITNESS: It's my personal line at my
- 4 residence.
- 5 MR. URICK: I will now write "Meyer's
- 6 residence" across line 17.
- 7 THE COURT: Any objections?
- 8 MS. GUTIERREZ: No, Your Honor.
- 9 (Pause.)
- 10 BY MR. URICK:
- 11 Q. Now, did you ever talk to him on that day?
- 12 A. Yeah, I did. I finally reached him later on
- 13 that evening sometime after nine o'clock.
- 14 Q. And how many times did you speak to him that
- 15 evening, if you recall?
- 16 A. I believe twice.
- 17 Q. Do you recall what was said in those
- 18 conversations?
- 19 A. I know that when I spoke with him, he was in
- 20 his car. And I told him about the fact that Aisha had
- 21 called and said that Hae had been missing. And he just
- .22 commented that that was strange, out of the ordinary.
- Q. And did he indicate anything else?
- A. No, just that he was in his vehicle at the
- 25 time.

- Q. Did he indicate having talked to anyone else
- 2 about that subject?
- 3 A. I know that he had said that -- I don't know if
- 4 it was that day or later on, that the police did call him
- 5 on his cell phone to see if he knew her whereabouts.
- 6 Q. And did he tell you when that call occurred?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. Did he tell you what the subject matter of that
- 9 conversation was?
- 10 A. Just that the detectives wanted to know if he
- 11 knew where she was or not.
- 12 Q. Now, I'd like you to look up at lines 5 and 6?
- 13 A. Okay.
- 14 Q. And look across both those lines at the number
- 15 called?
- 16 A. Uh-huh.
- 17 Q. Do you recognize that number?
- 18 A. That's, again, my home line at my residence.
- 19 Q. And just for the record, would you read that
- 20 again, please?
- 21 A. 410 922-
- Q. Now, on line 6, would you please first read the
- 23 time of the call and then the duration of the call?
- A. 9:03 and 47 seconds p.m., and it lasted five
- 25 minutes and 28 seconds.

- 1 Q. And the line above it, line 5?
- A. 9:10 and 42 seconds, p.m., lasting eight
- 3 minutes an 41 seconds.
- 4 MR. URICK: At this time, with the Court's
- 5 permission, I'll write "Meyer's residence" on both those
- 6 lines.
- 7 THE COURT: Objection?
- 8 MS. GUTIERREZ: No, Your Honor.
- 9 (Pause.)
- 10 BY MR. URICK:
- 11 Q. Now, drawing your attention back to line 17,
- 12 the two-second duration call?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. Do you recall a hang-up call, receiving a hang
- 15 up call?
- 16 A. That night, not in particular. I know that one
- 17 day that week I did receive a hang-up call from his cell
- 18 phone, but I don't know if it was particularly that day
- 19 or not.
- 20 Q. Drawing your attention now to the time after
- 21 Hae Lee's body was found and she was identified, the day
- 22 that the Crisis Intervention Team appeared at Baltimore
- 23 -- at Woodlawn High School?
- 24 A. Yes.
- 25 Q. Did you go with the group of friends that went

- 1 to Aisha Pittman's house that night?
- 2 A. It was the night before the Crisis Intervention
- 3 Team was at our school, but, yes.
- 4 Q. And was the defendant there that night?
- 5 A. Yes, he was.
- Q. And how did he get home that night?
- 7 A. I drove him home.
- 8 Q. And where did you let him off?
- 9 A. At the church parking lot across the street
- 10 from his residence.
- 11 Q. Why didn't you take him to his residence?
- 12 A. Because he requested that I drop him off across
- 13 the street.
- 14 Q. Did he explain why?
- 15 A. Usually because his parents didn't approve of
- 16 him speaking with girls, especially out of his ethnic
- 17 background. So it would have been better for him had I
- 18 dropped him off across the street so that they wouldn't
- 19 have seen who drove him home.
- MR. URICK: Witness with the defense.
- 21 CROSS EXAMINATION
- 22 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 23 Q. The -- that night that you're describing, the
- 24 night of the Crisis Intervention, a lot of Hae Min Lee's
- 25 friends gathered at Aisha shouse, did they not?

- 1 A. Actually, I believe it was Adnan, Aisha,
- 2 Stephanie, and I.
- 3 Q. Okay.
- 4 A. There was only four of us.
- Q. And Stephanie is Stephanie
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. And Aisha and yourself, and Adnan all
- 8 matriculated in the magnate program at Woodlawn?
 - 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. And you had all known each other for at least
- 11 the duration of the three years before; --
- 12 A. Correct.
- Q. -- is that correct?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 Q. And, Ms. Meyers, you considered yourself a good
- 16 friend of Hae Min Lee, --
- 17 A. Yes.
- 18 Q. -- did you not?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. You saw her regularly?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. You spoke to her regularly? You went with her
- 23 places?
- 24 A. Yes.
- Q. And you shared confidences both ways with her?

- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. And you considered yourself, at least that
- 3 senior year, a pretty good friend to Adnan Syed?
- 4 A. That is correct.
- 5 Q. And you did the same thing, you spoke to him,
- 6 you saw him daily?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. You shared classes and you shared confidences
- 9 with him back and forth?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. You were aware when your good friend Hae Min
- 12 Lee and your good friend Adnan Syed became an item, were
- 13 you not?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 Q. The previous spring?
- 16 A. Correct.
- 17 Q. Is that correct?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. And out of the whole group of all of you who
- 20 shared classes, everybody knew that, did they not?
- 21 A. Yes.
- 22 Q. And prior to the time when they became an item
- 23 as a girlfriend and boyfriend, everyone in the class knew
- 24 that Adnan Syed was a Muslim, did they not?
- 25 A. They did.

- 1 Q. And that he didn't, or he had not dated?
- 2 A. Correct.
- 3 Q. And he hadn't dated, not just because his
- 4 parents didn't approve of it, but because his religion
- 5 didn't encourage that; is that correct?
- 6 A. Correct.
- 7 Q. And all of you all just sort of accepted that,
- 8 did you not?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. Nobody bugged him and tried to line him up
- 11 dates, did they?
- 12 A. No.
- 13 Q. And after he and your other good friend, Hae
- 14 Min Lee, got together, everyone was aware that they were
- 15 now girlfriend/boyfriend, were they not?
- 16 A. They were.
- 17 Q. But you were all still aware that Adnan Syed's
- 18 parents did not approve of that?
- 19 A. Yes.
- 20 Q. And, now, you were never intimate with Adnan,
- 21 were you?
- 22 A. No.
- 23 Q. You were never girlfriend to him being a
- 24 boyfriend; right?
- 25 A. Correct.

- Q. But you knew that the ban on women would extend
- 2 even if all you did was to drive him home and drop him
- 3 off?
- 4 A. Correct.
- 5 Q. In view of what you understood his parents'
- 6 view to be?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. Is that correct?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. And you understood that Adnan, from the time in
- 11 the Spring of 1998, all the way through his relationship
- 12 with Hae Min Lee, that he was essentially defying his
- 13 parents' approval?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 Q. Okay? And so when he asked you to drop him off
- 16 up the street, down the street, around the corner, you
- 17 did that knowing that he was concealing this relationship
- 18 from his parents?
- 19 A. Yes.
- 20 Q. But the relationship was never concealed from
- 21 anybody else?
- 22 A. No.
- Q. Not from any of Hae Min Lee's friends?
- 24 A. No.
- Q. Not from his other friends?

- 1 A. No.
- Q. And not from school teachers?
- 3 A. No.
- 4 Q. Everybody knew about it?
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 Q. Didn't they?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. And everybody accepted it for whatever it was?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. You were aware of the ups and downs in the
- 11 relationship?
- 12 A. Correct.
- 13 Q. And, because you were a friend of Hae Min
- 14 Lee's, you got it from both of them, did you not?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. They were both thinking people, were they not?
- 17 A. They were.
- 18 Q. They clearly expressed their love for each
- 19 other?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. And they were not hesitant to do that in front
- 22 of others?
- 23 A. Correct.
- Q. To be physically affectionate with each other?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. And all of you knew from both of them the
- 2 various ups and downs of their relationship that included
- 3 some times off?
- 4 A. Yes.
- 5 Q. And those times off would sometimes last for a
- 6 day or two?
- 7 A. Yeah, or a week.
- 8 Q. A week, maybe. Okay. And then they would rush
- 9 back together; is that correct?
- 10. A. Yes.
- 11 Q. And you observed them to continue throughout
- 12 those ups and downs to be very loving and concerned about
- 13 each other?
- 14 A. Correct.
- 15 Q. You understood from both of them that they both
- 16 thought about the things that caused them difficulty?
- 17 A. Yes.
- 18 Q. And that the only thing that really caused them
- 19 difficulty was the fact that Adnan, as a Muslim, was not
- 20 supposed to have any relationship with anyone unless he
- 21 was married to her?
- 22 A. Yes. I know that that was a big part of it,
- 23 yes.
- Q. Okay. And they were both very open about that?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. But they continued to maintain the
- 2 relationship?
- 3 A. That's correct.
- 4 Q. All Spring?
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 Q. And all Summer?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. And all Fall?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. Even though there were ups and downs?
- 11 A. Correct.
- 12 Q. Sometimes one took a break, and sometimes the
- 13 other took a break?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 Q. Is that correct?
- 16 A. Right.
- 17 Q. All right. Now, you were aware that in mid to
- 18 late December --
- 19 A. Uh-huh.
- Q. -- that they broke up and it appeared to be,
 - 21 whatever the word final meant?
 - -22 A. Correct.
 - Q. Is that correct?
 - 24 A. Yes.
 - Q. And you saw each of them on a daily basis after

- 1 that date, did you not?
- 2 A. Yes.
- Q. And that was in school?
- 4 A. Yes.
- 5 Q. And out of school?
- 6 A. Correct.
- 7 Q. And you understood that this so-called breakup,
- 8 whatever it was, was hard for both of them?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. And they both talked about their pain?
- 11 A. Yes.
- 12 Q. You were aware, however, that they spoke to
- 13 each other on a daily basis?
- 14 A. Yeah, they were still friends.
- 15 Q. Okay. And their friendship was readily
- 16 apparent to all who knew them.
- 17 A. Yes.
- 18 Q. Is that correct?
- 19 A. Correct.
- 20 Q. Neither of them appeared bitter, they appeared
- 21 sad, but not bitter --
- 22 A. Yes.
- 23 Q. -- about the relationship; is that correct?
- 24 A. Correct.
- Q. And you observed that Hae Min Lee was trying to

- 1 build another relationship?
- 2 A. Yes.
- Q. And with a person she worked with; --
- 4 A. Yes.
- 5 Q. -- is that correct?
- 6 A. Correct.
- 7 Q. But that she was having a hard time putting
- 8 aside her feelings for Adnan?
- 9 A. I wouldn't go so far as to say that. I know
- 10 that she had difficulty deciding whether or not to break
- 11 up with him, and she did work through it.
- 12 Q. Then she worked through it?
- 13 A. Right.
- 14 Q. And she shared some of that with you; correct?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. And you shared some of it from the other side
- 17 with Adnan; correct?
- 18 A. Correct. Yes.
- 19 Q. You observed Adnan during this period past the
- 20 breakup; is that correct?
- 21 A. Yes.
- 22 Q. And did you ever observe him to appear to be
- 23 bitter?
- A. Not bitter, no. Sad, yes.
- Q. And did -- sad. Sad about the breakup?

- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. Is that correct? And sad about the loss of the
- 3 love?
- 4 A. Yes.
- 5 Q. But you never heard from him or observed
- 6 bitterness from him toward Hae?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. From him you observed on a daily basis an
- 9 expression of love?
- 10 A. Correct.
- 11 Q. Okay. And he was not shy about expressing
- 12 that?
- 13 A. No.
- Q. Even though you had heard from him and observed
- 15 the pain that it caused him to go against his parents'
- 16 approval?
- 17 A. Correct.
- Q. Did you, Ms. ______- well, let me ask you
- 19 this. You knew when Adnan got a phone, a cell phone, did
- 20 you not?
- 21 A. Correct.
- Q. Prior to that he had a pager, did he not?
- 23 A. Yes, he did.
- Q. And that a pager was the way in which all of
- 25 his friends normally got hold of him?

- 1 A. Right.
- 2 Q. Including Hae?
- 3 A. Yes.
- Q. And you were aware that even after the breakup,
- 5 Hae continued to page Adnan and give him messages of
- 6 love?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. Reassuring him of her love for him?
- 9 A. Correct.
- 10 Q. And that he continued to talk to her about his
- 11 feelings, including his own feelings of sadness?
- 12 A. Yes.
- 13 Q. Now, Ms. Man, did you attend, as a member of
- 14 the senior class, the homecoming dance that occurred, I
- 15 think it was Halloween weekend in the Fall of 1998?
- 16 A. No, I did not.
- 17 Q. No. Did you attend the Junior Prom the year
- 18 before?
- 19 A. Yes, I did.
- 20 Q. Okay. Now, you were aware when Adnan got
- 21 arrested and accused of this crime?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. Has -- you continued to maintain your
- 24 friendship with him?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. Have you continued to speak with him?
- 2 A. Yes.
- 3 Q. How often?
- A. Over the summer, usually every day. Now,
- 5 probably at least once a week.
- Q. At least once a week, even now?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. And that's by telephone?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. And in addition to telephone, do you write to
- 11 him?
- 12 A. Yes.
- 13 Q. And how often do you do that?
- 14 A. Usually when I don't hear from him for the
- 15 week, I'll sit down and write him a letter.
- 16 Q. Do you still consider him to be your good
- 17 friend?
- 18 . A. Yes.
- 19 Q. Have you ever been to Adnan's home where he
- 20 resides with two brothers and his parents?
- 21 A. No.
- .22 Q. To you knowledge, has any of the grouping of
- 23 you all from the magnate program ever been inside his
- 24 home?
- A. Not to my knowledge.

- Q. Okay. And that doesn't surprise you, does it?
- 2 A. No.
- 3 Q. Okay. Now, are there other Muslims in the
- 4 magnate group?
- 5 A. Yes, there are.
- 6 Q. Okay. And you are, while not a scholar,
- 7 familiar with some of how Islam works?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. Are you not?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. And you have had conversations with Adnan
- 12 regarding the pain and sadness of challenging the tenants
- 13 of his own religion?
- 14 A. Correct.
- 15 Q. Have you not?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. And has Adnan always appeared to you to be a
- 18 thoughtful person about his actions?
- 19 A. Very much so.
- Q. After the breakup, that you were aware of,
- 21 between Hae Min Lee and Adnan, were you aware that he was
- 22 exploring other female relationships?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. Did he share that information with you?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. Did you find that odd?
- 2 A. No.
- Q. That he was going to enter into another
- 4 relationship that was also going to be or invite his
- 5 parents' disapproval?
- 6 A. No.
- 7 Q. Not at all?
- 8 A. No.
- 9 Q. The -- you were speaking about the day before
- 10 the Crisis Intervention, Aisha her relationship
- 11 to Hae Min Lee was what?
- 12 A. Her best friend.
- 13 Q. Okay. And there's a person in your class by
- 14 the name of Rebecca !
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 O. And what was her relationship with Hae Min Lee?
- 17 A. She was another one of her best friends.
- 18 Q. Her best friend. And there's a person by the
- 19 name of Debbie
- 20 A. Uh-huh.
- 21 Q. Is -- and who was she in relationship to Hae
- 22 Min Lee?
- 23 A. I know that she was a close friend of Hae.
- Q. But not a best friend?
- 25 A. Not as much as Aisha, but I know that she was

- 1 close to her.
- 2 Q. Okay. And not as much as Rebecca?
- A. Correct.
- Q. All right. There's another person who's name
- 5 you mentioned, Stephanie. Is that Stephanie
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. And you've known Stephanie since your
- 8 beginning at Woodlawn?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. Did you go to the same middle school as Adnan?
- 11 A. No, I didn't.
- 12 Q. Or as Stephanie?
- 13 A. No.
- 14 Q. Or as Aisha?
- 15 A. No.
- Q. So you met all of them when you all started as
- 17 ninth graders?
- 18 A. Correct.
- 19 Q. And all of you were in the Gifted and Talented
- 20 program?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. And so you shared classes with all of them
- 23 throughout your high school career?
- 24 A. Correct.
- Q. At least one, if not more classes a day?

- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. Is that correct? Now, you were on this program
- 3 when you left at the regular time every day in the
- 4 morning; is that correct?
- 5 A. At 10:00 --
- 6 Q. Back -- back in January of 1999?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 Q. And then you then worked and you got credit for
- 9 that, did you not? That was sort of part of what you
- 10 did?
- 11 A. No, I didn't get any school credit for it
- 12 because I had finished my graduation requirements as is,
- 13 so it was just of free will.
- 14 Q. Okay. So you were doing that of your own free
- 15 will, but you did it five days a week?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. The only time that you were required to be in
- 18 school was in the morning?
- 19 A. Correct.
- 20 Q. All right. Now, did you know a person by the
- 21 name of Jay Wilds?
- 22 A. Oh, yes.
- Q. And how is it that you knew him?
- A. As being the boyfriend of Stephanie
- 25 Q. Okay. And Stephanie relationship

- 1 to Hae Min Lee?
- 2 A. I believe that they were acquaintances. I
- 3 didn't see them very much so as friends, but they knew
- 4 each other.
- 5 Q. They knew each other because they matriculated
- 6 in the same Gifted and Talented?
- 7 A. Correct.
- 8 Q. And were you aware of Stephanie
- 9 relationship with Adnan?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. What was that?
- 12 A. I believe she called herself his best friend.
- 13 Q. Stephanie McPherson described herself as Adnan
- 14 Syed's best friend?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. And from what you observed, did that appear to
- 17 be true?
- 18 A. For the most part.
- 19 Q. And did you ever observe Adnan speaking about
- 20 his best friend, Stephanie?
 - 21 A. Yes.
 - .22 Q. And did they interact in a way that seemed
 - 23 appropriate for best friends?
 - 24 A. Yes.
 - Q. Was there ever any intimate sexual relationship

- 1 between Stephanie and Adnan to your knowledge,
- 2 or to your observation?
- A. Not to my knowledge, no.
- 4 Q. And the -- in regard to Stephanie's
- 5 relationship with Jay Wilds, was there any other avenue
- 6 on which you had a relationship with Jay?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. Were you aware that Jay Wilds provided dope for
- 9 the kids, some of the kids at Woodlawn?
- 10 A. I know that he was involved in that through --
- 11 Q. Okay. And was that common knowledge?
- 12 THE COURT: Excuse me.
- "I know he was involved in that through?
- 14 THE WITNESS: Through -- usually, how people
- 15 talk in high school, knowing that he was avid in the
- 16 usage of drugs.
- 17 THE COURT: Okay.
- Your next question?
- 19 BY MS. GUTIERREZ:
- 20 Q. Was it evident that one could get drugs if one
- 21 wanted from Jay?
- 22 A. If they wanted to, yes.
- Q. Okay. And was there any other avenue of
- 24 relationship that you ever had with Jay?
- 25 A. No, never.

- 1 Q. Was there any avenue that you were aware of
- 2 from any source including from Hae herself that led you
- 3 to believe that she had any independent relationship with
- 4 Jay Wilds?
- 5 A. No.
- 6 MS. GUTIERREZ: Okay. Thank you. Nothing
- 7 further.
- 8 THE COURT: Any redirect?
- 9 REDIRECT EXAMINATION
- 10 BY MR. URICK:
- 11 Q. These new relationship that the defendant was
- 12 forming, he kept them from his parents, too, did he not?
- 13 A. Correct.
- Q. Now, when you were ever with Hae Min Lee, did
- 15 she have a pager?
- 16 A. Yes, she did.
- Q. Would you ever notice her receiving pages from
- 18 the defendant?
- 19 A. When I was with her, a few times, yes.
- Q. Enough to be noticeable?
- 21 A. Yes.
- MR. URICK: Nothing further.
- 23 THE COURT: Anything further?
- 24 RECROSS-EXAMINATION?
- BY MS. GUTIERREZ:

- 1 Q. Was there anything unusual about her receiving
- 2 pages from her boyfriend?
- 3 A. No.
- 4 Q. Or from someone even after she was no longer a
- 5 girlfriend to considered him to be a good friend?
- 6 A. No.
- 7 Q. Did most of the kids at the school have a pager
- 8 and/or a cell phone?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. There was nothing unusual about that at all?
- 11 A. No.
- MS. GUTIERREZ: Thank you. Nothing further.
- 13 THE COURT: All right. May this witness be
- 14 excused, Mr. Urick?
- 15 MR. URICK: Yes.
- MS. GUTIERREZ: Yes.
- 17 THE COURT: May this -- Okay. Very well. And
- 18 again, is this witness gonna be released from --
- 19 One moment.
- MS. MURPHY: She can be released.
- 21 THE COURT: Very well. You're released from
- 22 subpoenas. Let me advise that you are a sequestered
- 23 witness. You may not discuss your testimony with anyone
- 24 else; That is, anyone that's testified already, or anyone
- 25 who is scheduled to testify.

- 1 THE WITNESS: Okay.
- THE COURT: I will also advise you you're
- 3 welcome to sit in the courtroom if you would like, or, at
- 4 this time, you're free to go.
- 5 THE WITNESS: All right. Thank you.
- 6 (The witness was excused.)
- 7 THE COURT: Your next witness, Mr. Urick.
- And before we do that, ladies and gentlemen, I
- 9 note that it's a few minutes before 4:00. Normally we
- 10 take a break. You've been sitting her for almost two
- 11 hours. By a show of hands, if you'd like to take a break
- 12 to walk back to the jury room, please raise your hand?
- 13 We'll take a walk. Otherwise, we'll just keep going on.
- 14 Would anyone like to take a break, stretch your
- 15 legs? Okay? Just raise your hand, it's not a big deal,
- 16 we normally take a break.
- 17 A JUROR: Can we stand for a minute?
- THE COURT: Yeah, you're welcome to stand up,
- 19 stretch your legs. Otherwise, we'll keep going, and as
- 20 we go, as I said, we're gonna stop at 4:30 today. Let me
- 21 know if there's a problem.
- The next witness may come in.
- 23 Ma'am, for a moment I'm just gonna ask you to
- 24 sit down. My jury's standing up and stretching their
- 25 legs.