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To: Patricia Hardy, OS CCR ATCT

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Last Sunday, 1-21-07, when Mr. Lewis arrived to work in the tower he made a statement about "management keeping us nigga's down." Controller James Swanson was present and told him not to say that again. In turn I told Mr. Lewis, "I wouldn't use that word again in the tower, ever again."

He tried to explain that's what they say on a program called Boondocks. I told him I've never heard of it or seen it and he should watch something different. I am making a statement now because I have observed a pattern of racial comments increasing in frequency and boldness from Mr. Lewis.


  
John Crabtree



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