



Press Release

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The Taipei District Prosecutor's Office solemnly stated
for the alleged that the investigative audio-visual disc
was hidden as follows:

Defendant Su O Qing requested Taipei District Court to copy a total of 20 files about Li O Long and Li O Feng's recording files (5 for the Investigation Bureau's inquiries and 15 for the interrogation). The Prosecutor of Taipei District Prosecutors' Office reported the interrogation recording files to Taipei District Court on November 27, 2020. Among them, the recording file of Li O Long's recorded on August 24 2020 and the recording file of Li O Feng's recorded on September 2 2020 can be played normally but with no sound. The rest of interrogation recording files are normal. Taipei Prosecutors' Office verified that the above-mentioned two recording files with no sound may be caused by the old recording equipment of the investigative room and by the operation problem of the recording equipment, which affects the recording effect and is definitely not caused by man-made alteration.

During the interrogation process of this case, Li O Long and Li O Feng were accompanied by their defense lawyers to exercise their right of defense, and the interrogation records were signed after Li O Long, Li O Feng and their defense lawyers confirmed the records were correct. They were all fully protected by the defense rights endowed with the criminal procedure law. Li O Long, Li O Feng and their defense lawyers have never questioned the circumstances of being improperly interrogated in their previous statements. In addition, during the preliminary proceeding in the court Li O Long stated clearly that his confession in the investigation procedure was out of his free will. Those two interrogations were part of the intensive interrogation process conducted on Li O Long and Li O Feng during this period. From the overall investigation results, the contents of those two interrogations showed that the interrogations were continuous and with no difference.

The audio-visual files and recording files of Li O Long on August 24, 2020 and Li O Feng on September 2, 2020 were automatically re-examined by Taipei Prosecutors' Office. After finding those 2 recording files were not included, Taipei Prosecutors' Office reported to Taipei District Court and immediately contacted Criminal Investigation Bureau and the related professional units to assist in the restoration of the recording files. The litigants or outsiders are urged not to make unnecessary speculations or deliberately influence public opinions about the litigation, so as not to mislead the public, increase social disturbances, severely hit the justice

system and affect fair trials.