

TSgt STACY'S EMAIL:

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Subject: Office Issue

Shirt,

I'm seriously considering filing a complaint with the EO office, but I figured I'd at least let you know what's going on. My boss, MSgt Corey, gave me a Letter of Reprimand. He/she barely talked to me about it, but it said I never plan, I don't check priorities, and I end up not doing what I should be doing. What he/she is saying is wrong. I want the reprimand taken out of my records.

The truth is most of the time I can't get near enough to MSgt Corey to check on priorities. MSgt Corey is hardly in the office, and when he/she is in, it's hard to tell because of how busy things are. When I do see him/her come in, he/she goes straight into that corner office and shuts the door. When I try to stop in his/her office, it isn't exactly like he/she welcomes me. One thing MSgt Corey doesn't have is an open door policy. If his/her door is open, it's a zoo with other people trying to get in.

I don't mind if MSgt Corey isn't free, because the few times I've gotten past the door, it's rough. He's/She's impatient and speaks so fast I can hardly understand him/her. Corey just yells and wants everything to be done yesterday. If I do ask a question, MSgt Corey acts like he/she doesn't have time to answer. MSgt Corey likes to fire off orders, but rambles off so many at one time it's hard to remember any of them. I just do the best I can.

I care about the mission and the office, but Corey is not making things easy. There's so much stuff that comes in from all directions, not just what MSgt Corey gives me, because other offices drop off work as well. There's just zero leadership when it comes to him/her. I have no choice, but to set my own priorities. People call from the front office or outside agencies and upset the workflow with their demands. Most of the time MSgt Corey isn't around to let me know the priorities. MSgt Corey will blow up, yelling about his/her priorities, without ever explaining them to me. It's like I'm supposed to read his/her mind. I come in on time, do the best I can, and try not to let it get to me.

MSgt Corey also gets mad if I don't stay late, but never seems to care about why I don't. Not that he/she cares, but I've got to get home to my kids because my spouse works a later shift than I do. I don't mind staying late, but I just need a few days' warning.

I don't wander the halls and screw around like most everyone else does. You give me a task and I'll do it. I've never gotten less than perfect EPRs and now that record may come to an end. MSgt Corey has time to write me up, but doesn't have time to provide directions? I don't play the race card thing, but I'm starting to think race may be playing into this. What else could it be? I want this removed from my record!

(NOTE: MSgt Corey is white, Stacy is a minority)