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In 1997, the Supreme Court had the opportunity to consider this novel question in *McMillian v. Monroe County, Alabama*, 520 U.S. 781 (1997). The subject lawsuit arose after employees of Monroe County, including the Sheriff of Monroe County, allegedly intimidated the plaintiff “into making false statements and suppressed exculpatory evidence.”

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