IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT KNOXVILLE

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(Call to Order of the Court)

THE COURT: Thank you. Good morning, everyone. Let's call up the case for trial, please.

THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Criminal Action 3:17-CR-82, United States of America versus Randall Keith Beane, Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf.

THE COURT: All right. Thank you. Looks like everyone is present, counsel for the government and the government representatives; the defendant, Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, and her standby counsel, Mr. Lloyd; and the defendant, Mr. Beane, and his standby counsel, Mr. McGrath.

Before we have jury selection in this case, I want to address a few preliminary matters.

First is jury selection. I want to briefly remind the parties how jury selection will proceed in this case. As I informed you last week at the final pretrial conference, the Court will conduct all of the voir dire in this case, that is the questioning of prospective jurors as permitted by Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 24(a).

The Court also ordered the parties to submit any proposed jury questions they wished the Court to ask by Wednesday, January 17, and the Court later amended this deadline to permit the parties to submit proposed questions by Thursday, January 18, in light of requests made last week due to the inclement weather.

The Court did receive proposed jury questions from the government and from the defendant, Mr. Beane. However, the Court then received a subsequent filing from Defendant Beane that the Court interprets as a request to withdraw his proposed voir dire questions or jury questions. Those two documents by Defendant Beane being chronologically Document 89 and Document 99 in the record.

The Court has nonetheless carefully reviewed all of these filings and will exercise its discretion under Rule 24(a)(2)(B) to determine which questions it considers proper to ask the prospective jurors. The Court will also ask -- as it stated last week, will ask a number of its own questions.

The Court will not inform the jury panel whether a particular question was suggested by the government, defendants, or the Court itself, but will inform the jury panel that the parties had the opportunity to submit proposed questions and that the Court will be conducting the jury questioning in its entirety.

After the conclusion of the questioning, as a reminder, the parties will be permitted to exercise their peremptory challenges in the manner we discussed at the final pretrial conference. That, again, being up to seven peremptory challenges by the government and up to 11 peremptory challenges combined by the defendants. I also remind you that any challenge for cause, other than those directly addressed by the

1 Court during the Court's questioning, should be made at the 2 time any for-cause challenge is brought to the attention of any 3 of the respective parties. 4 So does anyone have any questions about the 5 procedures for jury selection in this case? 6 Ms. Davidson? 7 MS. DAVIDSON: Yes, Your Honor. Rule 24 provides 8 that follow-up questions could be submitted. Is that -- are we 9 allowed to submit follow-up questions to you if we have them? 10 It provides it could. Let's see at the THE COURT: 11 I'll make that determination, see if anyone has any. 12 MS. DAVIDSON: Okay. Thank you, Your Honor. 13 THE COURT: All right. Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, any 14 questions about jury selection? 15 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I don't have any questions about 16 jury selection, but I would like to address a preliminary 17 matter, which was just brought to my attention, and I still need to -- I just received the document, and I need to be able 18 19 to go over it with Francis. 20 THE COURT: All right. We'll give you the 21 opportunity in just a moment. 22 But let me -- Mr. Beane, any questions about jury 23 selection? 24 MR. BEANE: No. 25 All right. Then the next matter I want THE COURT: UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

to take up, and I don't know if this is the document to which you're referring, Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, but the government filed -- excuse me -- I believe it was yesterday, a motion to amend the indictment to correct a clerical error, which is Document 97 in the record.

The Court had reviewed that motion, but was going to give the defendants, if there is anything further you want to say regarding that particular document, Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, or if you want to refer -- defer to Mr. Lloyd, either way, do you have anything you want to say with respect to Document 97, the government's motion to amend the indictment to correct a clerical error?

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I haven't reviewed or received -apparently, Francis did that. He sent it over with a number of
documents. I received various documents over the last 48 hours
from the Department of Justice and as well as -- I believe
it's -- it's a division of Department of Justice.

And then also I just received notice of Mr. Beane's filings, as well as Document 100, I believe it is, which was entered in for yourself. And I haven't had a chance to review any of these.

So at this time, I'm going to reserve any kind of response until I'm actually able to review it and to make an informed response.

THE COURT: All right. Mr. Beane, do you have UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

1 anything you'd like to say in response to the government's 2 motion to amend the indictment? 3 MR. BEANE: Just that there's not been time to review any of the documents that were just handed and make 4 5 appropriate --6 THE COURT: Well, as the Court reminded the 7 individual defendants at the final pretrial conference, while 8 certainly you have chosen, you have the right to represent 9 yourselves and use standby counsel as you see fit, nonetheless, 10 you are bound by the same rules of procedure and adherence to the rules of evidence that an attorney would be in this case. 11 12 So the Court did receive the motion to amend and is 13 prepared to rule on it at this time. 14 In that regard, the Court notes that generally an 15 indictment in a criminal case may not be amended --16 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I was just -- you told me on the 17 12th to just stand and you would notice and then --18 THE COURT: But not while I'm giving an order, while 19 I'm announcing an order. I'll give you the chance to address 20 any further matters you want to after the Court rules on the 21 government's motion to amend. 22 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Is this the motion that was filed 23 today -- I mean, excuse me, yesterday? THE COURT: Yes. Document 97. 24 25 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: That we haven't been able to UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

review?

THE COURT: Well, it was filed yesterday.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Yes, but we don't have access to the electronic, so we are dependent upon counsel. Mr. Beane, from my understanding, is incarceration, doesn't have access to that until he meets with his counsel, which was brought this morning. I didn't have an opportunity to go over it with Francis either because I just was handed the actual document.

THE COURT: Okay. Thank you.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: And this Court is going to make a ruling in this moment?

THE COURT: The Court is. The Court has reviewed it and does note that when an amendment -- proposed amendment to an indictment concerns a matter of form rather than substance, an amendment is proper unless there is resulting prejudice from the amendment.

Furthermore, Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 7(c)(2) provides that unless the defendant was misled and thereby prejudiced, neither an error in a citation nor a citation's omission is a ground to dismiss an indictment or information or to reverse a conviction.

The Sixth Circuit has further held that the recitation of specific facts contained within the indictment alone is sufficient to adequately inform a defendant of the nature of the charges. The Court in that matter, paraphrasing

or quoting from the Sixth Circuit 1976 decision, United States v. Garner. Thus, the Sixth Circuit has upheld amendments of the indictment, even as of the time of trial to correct an erroneous statutory citation, the Court reviewing, among other cases, United States v. Fruchtman, F-r-u-c-h-t-m-a-n, a Sixth Circuit 1970 case.

Here, after reviewing the government's proposed amendment and doing its own independent research and review, the Court finds that the requested amendment is one of form, not substance. Subparagraph 19(a) of the indictment includes language referencing the statutory elements of a violation of 18 United States Code Section 1956(a)(1)(A)(i), thus, the defendants were put on notice of the substantive charge against them. The fact that this subparagraph of the indictment then erroneously references Section 1956(a)(1)(B)(i) is, under Rule 7(c)(2), not a basis for dismissing the indictment.

Furthermore, the Court finds that the defendants would not be prejudiced or misled by this error or the requested amendment. Instead, the language of the indictment was sufficient to inform the defendants of the substantive offense which subparagraph 19(a) alleges they conspired to commit.

Accordingly, the Court will grant the motion to amend, and the Court orders that subparagraph 19(a) on Page 6 of the indictment is amended to reference, quote, Title 18

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     United States Code Section 1956(a)(1)(A)(i), close quote,
     rather than, quote, Title 18 United States Code
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     Section 1956(a)(1)(B)(i), closed quote.
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               That addresses the motion to amend.
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               Are there any other preliminary matters that the
     parties want to address?
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               MS. DAVIDSON: No, Your Honor.
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               THE COURT: Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, you indicated there was
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     something you wanted to address?
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               MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Yes.
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               In regards to this particular motion, I'm sorry, what
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     is the document number, because it's not stated on here?
               THE COURT: This is the motion the Court --
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               MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Motion you just ruled on.
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               THE COURT: Motion to amend was Document 97, I
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     believe, as filed by the government.
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               MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Okay. So Document 97, along with
     your order, later today, there will be -- or tomorrow morning,
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     there will be a written version entered into the record of my
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     oral due rejection at this moment of both Document 97 as well
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     as your order for lack of verification and validation of
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able to ferret out so that things could be changed within the judicial branch. Legislative branches are held by other universal cleanup crews.

This particular instance, which I'm going to make on oral record, and then I will file the actual written one as an example of when an indictment is duly canceled for due cause without dishonor, that this is a particular method for DOJ, as well as this Court, to go in and reactivate an indictment unlawfully and illegally, what we call a fabrication of charges.

And that particular indictment was canceled, praeterea, preterea, ab initio, so I just wanted to make that part of this record -- excuse me -- and I don't consent or give authority, authorization for Cynthia Davidson to file such a blatant deceptive act and practice to reinstate an indictment, which had already been duly canceled, without my authorization to reinstate it, and as well as putting you into a position where you have to issue an order, which essentially legalizes such deceptive acts and practices.

Thank you.

THE COURT: All right. Thank you.

Mr. Beane, anything further you need bring up on your own behalf?

MR. BEANE: No.

THE COURT: All right. Then the Court does duly
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consider the additional comments made by the defendant,

Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, and to the extent they're made to ask the

Court to reconsider its oral order granting the government's

motion to amend the indictment, the Court would deny that

motion for reconsideration.

All right. Unless there are any other preliminary matters, what we'll do next is we'll take about a ten-minute recess. I would ask the parties to stay seated, unless they take a brief restroom break, but you can stay in here and talk or discuss, if need be, and the jury will come and sit in this middle section. And as soon as they're all present, the Court will come back in to -- we'll open court again, and we'll go right into jury selection.

Thank you, everyone.

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THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise. This honorable court shall stand in recess.

(Recess from 9:30 a.m. to 9:43 a.m.)

THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise.

THE COURT: All right. Ms. Tucci-Jarraf -- thank you, everyone may be seated -- the Court understands you'd like to make an objection or something for the record before the jury comes in?

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you. That's very kind. I was told that that wouldn't be possible till after. Thank you so much for initiating that.

1 We're preparing right now a written one just in the 2 event that it was permitted. I now give you notice to 3 principal, which is notice to agent, notice to agent is notice 4 to principal, that orally -- and I will file a written one 5 afterwards to what I say now -- is I'm making a standing notice 6 of filing with the standing due declaration and notice that is 7 duly made, that I, Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf, do not consent to 8 the actions and proceedings against me to be held and conducted 9 by Thomas Varlan, Cynthia Davidson, including a trial and the 10 jury selection and any other proceeding. 11 Also, number two is that this alleged Court, 12 including yourself, Thomas Varlan, and Cynthia Davidson, 13 Department of Justice do not have the authority, nor my

authorization, to conduct and hold any proceedings against me.

Thank you.

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THE COURT: All right. Thank you. Anything further from anybody else?

Ms. Davidson?

MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, I just am reminded of the fact that Ms. Tucci-Jarraf is on bond and by order of this Court. And if she does not consent to this Court's jurisdiction, I am concerned that she is a flight risk. think the Court should consider detaining Ms. Tucci-Jarraf.

THE COURT: All right. Thank you.

Anything further, Mr. Beane?

1 MR. BEANE: No. 2 THE COURT: All right. Then let's go ahead and we're 3 going to go ahead and bring our jury in at this time -- your 4 proposed jurors in at this time. 5 (Prospective Jurors in at 9:45 a.m.) 6 (Whereupon, voir dire, preliminary instructions, and 7 Government's opening statement were had and reported but not 8 herein transcribed.) 9 THE COURT: Thank you, Ms. Svolto. 10 And, again, remind the jury, the defendants 11 informed -- each individually informed the Court that they are 12 waiving opening statements at this time or deferring them until 13 a later time. 14 So with opening statements having been concluded, we 15 will ask the government to call its first witness and give our 16 courtroom deputy just a moment here to move the podium. 17 You can go ahead answer announce your witness. 18 MS. DAVIDSON: Thank you, Your Honor. The United 19 States calls Special Agent Parker Still. 20 21 22

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PARKER STILL,

was called as a witness and, after having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

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THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Have a seat, please. If you will scoot in as close as you can, state and spell your name for the record.

THE WITNESS: My name is Parker Still. P-a-r-k-e-r, S-t-i-l-l.

THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Thank you.

- 12 BY MS. DAVIDSON:
- 13 Q Special Agent Still, what do you do?
- 14 A I'm a special agent with the FBI, currently assigned to the Knoxville division.
- Q Okay. And how long have you been with the FBI?
- 17 A I've been with the FBI approximately five and a half years.
 - Q And prior to the FBI, what did you do?
 - A Yes, ma'am. I was an attorney in private practice for approximately seven and a half years, including time in private practice and also with the military.
- Q Okay. And so you mentioned a little bit about it.
 What was your military experience?
 - A So I've been -- I was with the National Guard,

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Parker Still - Direct Examination

currently at the rank of major. I still am in, just in a drill

status, you know, just generally one weekend a month. I have

gone on deployment, though, to Afghanistan.

Q Okay. And so at the FBI as a special agent, do you typically work a particular type of case?

A Yes, ma'am, I have -- since I've been assigned with the FBI, again, approximately five and a half years, I have always been in white-collar work.

So the FBI is divided up and generally into squads. We may have a violent crime squad that does -- you know, handles your bank robberies, your kidnappings, gang-related stuff. You have a cyber squad, who does a lot with your computer-based crimes. We have national security squads, the Joint Terrorism Task Force, as well as white collar.

And in the world of white collar, the world I work in, we work a lot of your typical bank fraud violations, your wire fraud violations, your crimes that affect financial institutions, corporate fraud type cases, kind of what you think of the FBI's traditional, you know, white-collar background.

- Q Okay. And so are you -- did you work the case against the defendants?
 - A I was one of the co-case agents on there, yes, ma'am.
- Q Okay. And how did this case become initiated with the FBI?

A Okay. One of the ways the FBI gets cases is we rely a lot on private citizens, complaints that come in. Within that private citizen realm, also financial institutions are a big source of information for us and how we get cases. And in this case, USAA reached out through channels ultimately routed to the FBI Knoxville division.

Q Okay. And when did that happen?

A During the approximate time period of July 10th. It could be a day or two earlier than that, but during that approximate time period of July 10th, 2017.

Q Okay. And when this case was initiated, what did you learn?

A Well, initially, so when we had some information that came in, what we normally do, the FBI, we talk to people.

That's our -- kind of our bread and butter, is we go out and we like to talk to people. In this case, it was by phone.

But what we learned is that Mr. Beane, Mr. Randall Beane had used a fraudulent account number in order to acquire funds -- in order to purchase CDs. Those CDs were subsequently liquidated, at least one or more of the CDs was liquidated and he had then used those funds to purchase an RV.

Q Okay. And where did he attempt -- or where did he actually purchase the RV?

A In Buddy Gregg, that's located in Knoxville,

Tennessee, off the -- I think that's Campbell Station exit out

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Parker Still - Direct Examination there in Farragut.

- Q Okay. Did someone from the FBI actually reach out to Buddy Gregg?
- A Yes, ma'am. It's my understanding that we did reach out. Someone from our office did reach out to Buddy Gregg.
 - Q And what was your goal in reaching out to them?
- A So if I may back up just one step there,
 Ms. Davidson.

So our goal in reaching out to them, at the time, we had information that the motor home was there or going to be there. So in an effort to find out that additional information, that's why they were reached out to, just to determine where the motor home was at the time.

Q Okay. And were you seeking not only to find the defendant, but also to protect the asset?

A Oh, absolutely. So, I mean, in this case, we had half a mill -- half-a-million-dollar motor home. And what our goal is to, a lot of times in these victim cases is, we want to recover the asset for the victim. In this case, USAA is our victim, and we have -- we know where the motor home is located. Absolutely right.

We had multiple issues. One is safety. The -- if
Mr. Beane had gotten out on the open road, we had -- we don't
know. I mean, at this time, we don't know. We know he used
funds to purchase a -- used stolen funds to purchase an RV. We

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don't know anything else about, you know, what his ultimate

intent with that. It's 45 feet. You know, you can imagine

our -- what, you know -- the possibilities are unlimited.

And absolutely, we want to recover an asset for the victim in any case. That's always one of our -- we want to prosecute the bad guys and we want to get the assets.

Absolutely right. That's what the American public expects of us.

Q Okay. And so did you learn from Buddy Gregg that the defendant was coming to pick the RV up?

A We did. So our office is -- had information that later in the day or at some time Mr. Beane would be out there to purchase -- to pick that RV up. And to the point where my -- at this point, I'm drafting an affidavit to put together so we can go try to seize the motor home.

Q Okay. And did you have to act quick and go to get Mr. Beane?

A Yeah. We did. We -- absolutely. So we had information that came -- it was relayed down to me. So I'm at the computer there working on this affidavit to go seize the motor home. I think I'm speaking with Ms. Svolto and I primarily and as you, Ms. Davidson, so we're getting this information in.

All of a sudden, we have information that Buddy Gregg is going to turn it over or he is going to leave in this motor

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home. So, yeah, it was similar to a bank robbery. I grabbed

Special Agent Jimmy Durand. We literally run towards the door.

Because, I mean, you got to understand where we're at on this. We've got a motor home, an asset that is potentially -- we don't know where it's going to be. And you say, well, it's a 45-foot motor home. You may be able to find it. I don't know. You just don't know. You don't know if these things could be stripped down. A million different things could happen.

So I literally jump up from the computer, I grab

Jimmy, and we start running towards the door to go out and stop
this transaction from taking place.

In the meantime, in the parking garage, we literally go down our steps, I come across Special Agent Jason Pack,

Special Agent Joelle Vehec. I say, "Come with us. We've got to get out to Buddy Gregg. We've got -- the motor home is leaving." Task Force Officer Jaron Patterson is also involved, and I think additional Knox County deputies were contacted all in this time frame.

So we're out trying -- yes, we're flying down 40, lights on, to get out there and stop this transaction.

Q Okay. And before you went out there, did you do a records search to see whether or not there was an outstanding warrant?

A Yeah. Our office did. There was -- it was

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Parker Still - Direct Examination information that was provided down to me was, there was an outstanding state court warrant on this individual, Mr. Beane.

Q Okay. So you went out there intending to arrest Mr. Beane?

- A Right. We went out there -- right. We had a state court warrant that we could arrest on. So, yes, ma'am.
- Q Okay. And when you arrived at Buddy Gregg, what was going on?
- I'm in his car. So Jimmy pulls up to the Buddy Gregg out there in Farragut, and we see Mr. Beane walking across the parking lot. At the time, it's Jimmy and I are there first, and we wait on Jason and Joelle to get there. So they come circling behind. At that time, we've got four agents. And we make an approach on the motor home that is in the Buddy Gregg parking lot.
- Q How did you know that it was Defendant Beane? Had you researched what he looked like?
- A Yes, ma'am. We had -- you know, I think at the time maybe that was the DL photo we had. But we knew. I'm pretty sure we had a photograph of him right there, yes, ma'am.
 - Q Okay. And so did he enter the motor home?
- A Yes. Ultimately, by the time we get up to there -- so kind of the way it's set up, the motor home is on the hill, Jimmy and I approach first. Jason, and he's got Joelle with

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him in the vehicle, they pull in and kind of block the motor
home straightaways. So you've got Jimmy and I on foot. And
you've got Jason and Joelle blocking the motor home. At this
time, the motor home is running. And Jason pulls right in
front of it and we proceed to go into the motor home.

Q Okay. And so did you approach the door of the motor home?

A Yes, ma'am. We did approach the door, and we've been able to establish that at that time, the door was -- the door was closed. And also based on all the agents at the scene, there were announcements that were made. So now we've got -- Jason kind of comes around the back and Joelle is still towards the front. And, ultimately, the door is opened and the --

Q After y'all are making demands for them to open the door?

A Right. Exactly. Based on all the agents there, there's various things that are said. And then the door is opened and Jimmy and I enter into the motor home.

Q Okay. Do you -- are there more than just Mr. Beane, the defendant, in the motor home?

A Right. So there are two other people there. It's my understanding, I believe that one, the gentleman, the male stepped out of the motor home first and the female remained in the motor home. There's a total of three. There's definitely three. There is Mr. Beane in the driver's seat with the motor

Parker Still - Direct Examination running of this motor home. There's at this time an unidentified female and unidentified male also.

Q Was Mr. Beane requested to leave the motor home?

A Yes. Jimmy -- I mean, there was dialogue back and forth. Ultimately, Mr. Beane refused to leave the motor home. So he's in the driver's seat. You've got two agents here, you've got an agent behind us. You got kind of Joelle in the perimeter, and then we've got a car blocking this motor home that's running at the time, you know.

And so he refuses the commands to get up. Makes a movement towards -- kind of towards his waistband when we approach. We immediately grab Mr. Beane. He is passed out, because kind of -- excuse me, I did not mean passed out in the literal sense. He's passed kind of -- as a technique we normally use, he's removed from his seat, kind of handed down to Jason who's sitting, who's behind us. It's not a -- it's a fairly tight squeeze, you know, for a couple of folks. He's passed down behind us and ultimately taken outside the motor home at that point.

- Q Is he resisting during this time?
- A He is resisting. And I told him to stop resisting. You know, I did make that command to him. He's passed down and then ultimately outside. Once he's outside, Jason and Jimmy are able to get him secured and put him in handcuffs.
 - Q Okay. When he's passed down, did he continue to UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

1 resist?

A He did. He continued to resist. Even while Jimmy was putting the cuffs on him at the end, he was continuing -- you know, ultimately, he did stop resisting once Jimmy was able to get his arms -- hands behind his back.

- Q Did you have to put him on the ground?
- A He did. He was what we refer to as proned out. You know, I mean, he was out on the concrete right there on the side there.
- Q Okay. Were you -- after he was arrested, were you asked to contact anyone by the defendant's friends?
- A Yes. I was provided a piece of paper with the name Heather on it. And it contained a phone number. And at this time, it was represented at the scene to us that this was an attorney or someone we should call, yes, ma'am.
- Q Okay. And I'm going to show you what's marked as Government's Exhibit 1. If you look in front of you, there's an exhibit folder.
 - A Okay.
- Q And just turn to No. 1.
- 21 A Okay. I'm there.
- 22 Q Do you recognize those pictures?
 - A Yes. That is the motor home that was -- that

 Mr. Beane was on the day that was purchased with stolen money.
 - Q Is that -- are those pictures an accurate
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Parker Still - Direct Examination 1 representation of the RV as it looked the day of the arrest? 2 Yes, ma'am. It was a new RV. MS. DAVIDSON: Okay. Your Honor, I'd like to admit 3 4 Government's Exhibit 1 into evidence at this time. 5 THE COURT: So admitted. 6 (Government's Exhibit 1 admitted into evidence.) 7 BY MS. DAVIDSON: 8 Okay. If we could put up 1-1, and I just want you to 9 describe these pictures for me and the jury, 1-1. 10 So 1-1, I'm looking at -- that's the front of the 11 motor home, that would have been where -- of course, this is 12 not -- this is -- this is at the point -- this photo appears to 13 be at our office, not at the scene. But that is where Jason 14 would have -- his vehicle would have been pointed right at 15 that. 16 Okay. And 1-2? Q 17 Α That's the side of the motor home. Okay. And slides that are slid out, is that how that 18 19 works? 20 That's my understanding, yes, ma'am, that it's pretty Α 21 fancy. 22 Okay. And 1-3. Q 23 That's just a long shot of the motor home. Α 24 Okay. 1-4? Q 25 That's the back of the motor home there. You see Α

- 1 | it's an Entegra Cornerstone.
- 2 Q 1-5?
- A Again, another shot of the back of the vehicle. As you'll note, it looks like there's still dealer tags on there.
- 5 Q Okay. 1-6?
- A That's a side shot of the motor home. It looks like from this angle that the -- again, the -- those extensions are there.
- 9 Q 1-7?
- 10 A That's another shot of it from the front.
- 11 Q 1-8?
- 12 A That is -- that's looking -- the front -- the door is
 13 open there going into the -- to the motor home.
- 14 Q 1-9?
- 15 A Yeah. Another inside shot of the motor home.
- 16 Q Okay. 1-10?
- 17 A Yeah. That's inside of it as well.
- 18 Q 1-11?
- 19 A Yes, ma'am. Inside shot. I think you can see that 20 fireplace right there.
- 21 Q Oh, there's a fireplace.
- 22 A Pretty sure, yeah.
- 23 Q Okay. 1-12?
- 24 A Again, just another angle of the inside.
- Q And if you could focus on the driver's side chair.

1 Is that -- is that the chair that the defendant refused to

2 leave?

A Right. He was in the driver's seat of the motor

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Q Okay. 1-13?

6 A Oh, yes, ma'am. The -- again, another shot there.

You can see the two chairs up front.

Q 1-14?

A Just the kitchen area of the motor home.

Q 1-15?

11 A Yes, ma'am. The kitchen area there. I think that's

12 a microwave on top.

13 Q 1-16?

A Again, another inside shot of the motor home.

Q And are those marble or tile floors?

A Not sure, but they're nice.

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18 A Yes, ma'am. That's another shot. I believe that's

19 in the bathroom there.

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A Yeah. Again, another nice counter.

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23 A Yes, ma'am. That's a good shot there, the nice

24 counter again.

Q 1-20?

- 1 A Yes, ma'am. That's another inside shot.
- 2 Q 1-21?
- A Yes, ma'am. That's another shot. You see the fan there.
- 5 Q Is this the bedroom, you think?
- A I think so. I'm trying -- I think that is the bedroom there.
- 8 Q Okay. 1-21?
- 9 A Yes, ma'am. Another -- just kind of angle of the 10 inside there.
- 11 Q 1-22?
- 12 A Just shows the -- I don't know if that's crown
 13 molding. My wife, I would defer to her, but I think that's -14 it's fancy, yeah.
- 15 Q 1-23, 1-24?
- 16 A Inside, again, yes, ma'am. Just shows how nice this
 17 thing is.
- 18 0 1-25?
- 19 A Yes, ma'am. I think that may be the inside of the 20 shower there.
- 21 Q There's two bathrooms in this. Is this a separate
 22 bathroom? 1-20 -- what am I up to? 1-27?
- A Yes, ma'am. That's going to be the -- as you can see there, you can see a shower head.
- 25 0 1-28?

- 1 A That's a better shot there of the detached shower.
- 2 Q 1-29?
- 3 A Again, I -- crown molding.
- 4 Q 1-30?
- 5 A Yes, ma'am. That's showing again some of that.
- 6 Q 1-31?
- 7 A I think that's the -- so it opens up underneath.
- 8 That's where the storage compartments are, yes, ma'am.
- 9 Q 1-32?
- 10 A Again, that's showing the -- just a lot of storage.
- 11 Q 1-33, is that a TV?
- 12 A You know, it may be. I'm not exactly sure on that, 13 yes, ma'am.
- yes, ma am.
- 14 Q Okay. And 1-30 -- whatever the next one is, 1-35?
- 15 A Yes, ma'am. Kind of the control center there.
- 16 Q 1-36?
- A Again, that's more of the storage up underneath the motor home.
- 19 Q 1-37 -- I'm sorry -- 6?
- 20 A Yes. That's mahogany. It's nice.
- 21 Q 1-37?
- 22 A Yes, ma'am. It's a nice area for your drinks there.
- 23 Q 1-38?
- A That's going to be a glare. I think that's the bedspread there.

- Q Uh-huh. And then some clothes you see?
- A Yes, ma'am.
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- A Right. Just some miscellaneous items that were in the motor home.
- Q 1-40?
 - A Refrigerator with appears to be some alcohol in there or drinks.
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- A Again, just another length-wise shot showing the detail of that motor home.
- 12 Q Is that it? Or is there 1-42? 1-42?
- 13 A Another outside shot, Ms. Davidson.
- Q Okay. And in your investigation, did you learn that the defendant also purchased another vehicle?
 - A Yes, ma'am. At the time, we didn't initially know that, but we did later on learn that the defendant had bought a truck approximately 80, \$86,000 from Ted Russell. It's my understanding that the -- ultimately that truck was delivered back to Ted Russell, but, yes, ma'am.
 - Q And did you ever contact the defendant Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf?
 - A Yes, ma'am. We did. You know, at the scene, we were given a piece of paper and a phone number. As I said, you know, the FBI, what we do is we talk to folks. So of course,

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	I'm going to reach out to the name Heather and that number,					
	we believed by that time to be Ms. Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf.					
	And during that call, she specifically referenced that she wa					
planning military operations.						
	Q And did she identify herself as an attorney?					
	A During that time period, she it was being held out					
as an attorney.						
	Q And after you did she end the call after that,					
telling you that she was planning military actions?						
	A Yes, ma'am. So Jason and I were on that call, and we					
tried I remember it seemed like it was on a Friday night I						
	think we tried to call her back and didn't have any luck.					
	Q Did you do any research to determine whether or not					
	the defendant, Ms. Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf, is actually an					
	attorney?					
	A Our office did some and determined she was not					

licensed in the state of Tennessee or in the state of Washington.

And why did you look into Washington?

Because I think if I remember right, some of our database checks that we would do normally, you know, on an individual showed an address in Washington, yes, ma'am.

MS. DAVIDSON: Okay. May I have a minute, Your Honor?

> THE COURT: Yes.

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- Q Okay. Did you appear at a -- another hearing in this case regarding the -- the identity of Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf?
- A Yes, ma'am. I appeared at multiple hearings in Washington, D.C., subsequent to the arrest of Ms. Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf. She was arrested in Washington, D.C. after -- after the FBI and our office received information from the United States Secret Service that she was trying to meet with President Trump.
- 10 Q Okay. And are you familiar with the appearance of 11 Ms. Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf?
- 12 A I am. Yes, ma'am. I've seen her in the -- in court
 13 in Washington, D.C.
 - Q Okay. Can you identify Ms. Tucci-Jarraf? Is she sitting in the courtroom?
 - A Yes, ma'am. To my right, to your left, I see

 Ms. Heather Ann Tucci-Jarraf in a black coat there sitting at

 defense counsel table.
 - Q Okay. And can you identify Mr. Randall Beane?
- A I can. To my right, to your left, I see Mr. Randall
 Beane in a suit with a black tie and a white shirt.
- MS. DAVIDSON: Thank you, Your Honor. That's all I have.
- 24 THE COURT: All right. Thank you.
- 25 Any cross-examination? We'll begin with you
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39 Parker Still - Cross-Examination 1 Ms. Tucci-Jarraf. Any cross-examination of this witness? 2 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you. Without prejudice, I 3 will proceed. 4 CROSS-EXAMINATION 5 BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: 6 Hello, Mr. Parker. Q 7 Hey, Ms. Tucci-Jarraf. How are you today, ma'am? 8 I'm good. I'm good. Q 9 Thank you. Α 10 We both get our names right today. Q 11 Okay. So, Mr. Still, you stated that you've been 12 with the FBI for five and a half years and that seven and a 13 half years with private attorney and military JAG? 14 That's correct, yes, ma'am. All approximately, yes, 15 ma'am. 16 Q Okay. I just wanted to clarify in your statement 17 about being a private attorney and military JAG for seven and a half years, how much of that seven and a half years was private 18 19 attorney and how much of it was military JAG? 20

Fair question. Yes, ma'am. So the great thing about Α like where I was, the National Guard, you could do both. I was never on active duty except when I deployed to Afghanistan. So, you know, unless I was going to training or to drill or something, I remained -- I had my law business.

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And so, you know, I did get called up for a time UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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period, like for Afghanistan. I'd go to training in

Charlottesville, Virginia where the Army JAG school is. So,

yeah, you know, so during that time period, there would be

intermittent, intermediate -- not real good with that word -
but times when I would be out of the office on military duty.

But even to get more specific, I'd say, I think probably, I believe I practiced probably four years before I actually went back and joined the military. So I think there was a four-year period out of law school where I was just in private practice before I joined the military.

Q So out of that seven and a half years, about four years, four and a half years was private, did you ever operate as a JAG attorney inside of a military tribunal?

A No, ma'am. No. I have never been -- I'm just -- let me clarify, though, military tribunal there. Are you speaking in an administrative action or an actual court-martial proceeding?

O Either.

A I don't think so. I mean, there is a -- I think I was a legal -- I think I may have been a legal adviser in a administrative separation action. That would be something like maybe when we're throwing somebody out of the military for doing drugs, something like that. You know, I very well may have been legal adviser in some of those type proceedings.

Q Okay. So you've never conducted a trial inside of -UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for whether it was military administration action or a military court-martial, you've never been the actual prosecuting JAG attorney, you've just been a legal consultant?

A I don't think so. I mean, I hate -- you know, like I said, now I've been in almost ten years. I don't think I have.

I'm sorry, that's the best answer I can give you. I don't recall me being --

Q You don't recall ever -- I mean, isn't that something you would recall, whether you did a military tribunal, whether it was administrative or --

A Yes, ma'am. No, I mean, and I'm saying I do remember one where I sat in as a legal adviser. I just -- I don't think I ever conducted a military tribunal. One thing is, the National Guard and Reserves in general, we don't do a lot of UCMJ, you know, formal big trials, as you would think, you know, like we're here today on.

Q Okay.

A UCMJ is Uniform Code of Military Justice too. I'm sorry.

Q Got you. That's okay. One of our big family friends was actually the head of all of the U.S. National Guard. So I'm familiar with it. Thank you.

Okay. So you went on to discuss that you've been with FBI for five and a half years. In your experience, you just made passing comments as far as working in the specific

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unit of white collar crime. Have you ever worked in any other
unit?

A No, ma'am. But I would like to clarify. Just -when you're talking about a small office like Knoxville, we
have -- so we have -- we don't have a huge office, like you
would maybe in New York or Washington field office or something
like that. So, yeah, we all help out. I mean, you better
believe if a child gets kidnapped today in Knoxville,
Tennessee, it doesn't matter what squad you're on, you're going
out there knocking on doors tonight.

- Q I can appreciate that.
- Okay. So in your white collar work for the FBI --
 - A Yes, ma'am.

- Q -- you have certain protocols and procedures that you need to follow in doing any kind of a case. And you had stated at one point that you were working on an affidavit to seize the vehicle, which Ms. Davidson had showed a whole bunch of photos for, and you had -- were in the middle of working on it and then you jumped up and left?
- A That's correct. Yes, ma'am.
- Q Okay. So my question is this, when you are doing cases, how thorough are you on the details, the actual investigation part? Do you -- are you thorough, are you detailed, are you careful as far as reporting?
 - A Uh-huh. I feel like we very are, ma'am. And if
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you're talking specifically about this case, though, don't get
me wrong, though, that at the end of the day, we're going to
react.

And, I mean, if I'm in the middle of something, or -you know, our ultimate job is to protect the American public.

And if it means react and I don't have time to get a piece of
paperwork done or something like that, you better believe I'm
going to react.

Q I can appreciate the comment that -- the actual quote that you made, which was quote, prosecute the bad guys and get the assets, end quote?

A Sounds about right.

Q You also stated -- you also stated that it is your job, that you're there to protect property and the assets of victims?

A Right. Yes, ma'am. I mean, you know, if someone has something stolen or if -- I mean, in the white-collar world, I mean, we're dealing with victims who have lost something generally in the white-collar world, be it property, be it funds, be it whatever. And part of our job is to try to make as much recovery for them as we can. I mean, we want to gather up as many assets as we can to try to make them whole, yes, ma'am.

Q Okay.

A Uh-huh.

Q So you do whatever you need to to protect a victim as well as the assets, if possible?

A Well, I don't know if I'd use the term whatever I need to. Within the boundary of the United States

Constitution, within the parameters of what the FBI does, yes, ma'am. I wouldn't say I do anything necessary -- I mean, anything, you know -- just to say the word "anything," but definitely, you know, within the parameters, you know, of the Department of Justice and FBI's guidelines, uh-huh.

Q So within the laws and the statutes and the codes and the constitution and your own FBI policy standards. Is that correct? That limits what kind of actions you can take?

A No, ma'am. I wouldn't limit. I wouldn't say that even limits us. Because, I mean, in a state like Tennessee, you know, where we have -- we have -- might even have -- in a lot of states, we might have something called like a peace officer status or something where we can even enforce the laws of the State of Tennessee. So, I mean, it's hard to limit when you start, you know, saying, you know, this code or that code or this or that. So I can't agree to that statement.

Q So you would do -- you're stating that you could do any actions regardless if there's codes, statutes, actual laws that you're supposed to follow?

A No, ma'am. I can't do any actions. I am bound by, you know, rules and regulations. And you did -- you said a lot UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

of them that we are bound by, the United States Constitution, the FBI internal rules, Department of Justice, big umbrella, you know, that we fall under. State of Tennessee, you know, I mean, there's a lot of rules and regulations out there.

Q Okay. And what are the laws regarding an arrest, a physical arrest and detainment? What are the actual criminal rules of procedure that you are required to follow, such as a warrant to be able to take that, do you have to have a warrant to be able to arrest someone?

A No, ma'am. I can arrest someone on probable cause without a warrant. I don't need a warrant to arrest someone.

Q Okay. But let's go into the probable cause. That day, do you believe that you had probable cause that day to arrest Randy Keith Beane?

A Without a doubt, ma'am. He is sitting in a vehicle purchased with stolen money with the vehicle running. You better believe I had probable cause. I saw it with my own two eyes.

Q Okay. And you stated that you -- that there are basically two ways that you receive cases. You stated, one, that you receive complaints, you rely on private citizens making complaints, and the second one was that -- the second one was that banks and institutions are a big source of your cases received. Is that correct?

A Yes, ma'am. That's correct. But we do receive cases

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Parker Still - Cross-Examination from other ways as well, you know.

Q What are some of those ways?

A Let's see, other ways, maybe another agency. That's very likely, you know, somebody -- another agency may get us involved in the white-collar world, the IRS Criminal Investigation Division, or, you know, maybe the Securities and Exchange Commission. Those are -- there's different avenues that we get cases by, yes, ma'am.

Q So in this particular instance, you had made a statement that on July 10th, you found out about the existence of Randall Keith Beane and the possibility that a crime might be occurring. Is that what you stated, July 10th?

A No, ma'am. I think I used the approximately given -I think I even said, you know, give it a day or two on either
side -- or I think I said maybe even earlier. I used the word
"approximately."

Q And you stated that someone from your office reached out to Buddy Gregg or was it that Whitney Bank or USAA Bank?
Who reached out to who first? Did an institution call you or an individual, or did you reach out?

A I think in this case, just -- in the normal course, we would have gotten the financial institution would have reached out to us first, USAA.

Q USAA?

A Yes, ma'am.

- Q Uh-huh. And what day was that?
- A You know, I -- again, I'm going to have to be approximately of July 10th. I know I -- I know I believe based on my 302s -- and a 302 is a memorandum. That's something that we write. Just kind of, you know, if we do an interview or an event takes place, we do a -- what we call a 302, which is nothing more than a memorandum. And I was looking -- I think on those were July 11th. I was actually talking with -- with a representative from the USAA, but the information came in before that, yes, ma'am.
 - Q And do you have an FBI agent named True Brown?
 - A It's my understanding that Mr. Brown is a retired FBI agent who works for USAA.
 - Q So --

- A That's just my understanding, ma'am.
- Q -- the Federal Bureau of Investigations does not have -- on July 11th or July 10th or around that time did not have an active Federal Bureau of Investigation agent named True Brown?
- A I'd love to answer that question for you, ma'am, but I don't -- the FBI, you know, has a lot of employees at a lot of different places. And I can't -- it's my understanding that Mr. True Brown that you're referencing is a retired FBI agent that works for USAA in their financial crimes division, which would be what a lot of different FBI agents do at the end of

Parker Still - Cross-Examination their career, is they go work for financial institutions.

- Q Uh-huh. Okay. So on July 11th, let's go to that date --
 - A Yes, ma'am.
 - Q -- if you would.
- A Sure.

- Q Now, you stated you were working on an affidavit to seize this vehicle. You said it was 45 feet long. You were concerned about safety if this vehicle had gotten out, you know, it's 45 feet long, it could hurt someone, it could -- you never know. And you wanted -- you're always there to protect?
- A You never know. Looking to what just happened in New York with somebody mowing people down, that stuff's going on everywhere. We don't know. We know a vehicle is purchased with stolen funds and we do not know what the intent of that individual is to use with that vehicle.
- Q So what actual information, when you were writing this affidavit, okay, for the seizure of the vehicle --
 - A Right.
- Q -- what actual information had you received that there was actually a possible crime committed by Mr. Beane to believe that the RV wasn't his?
- A The information primarily from what I've stated from USAA at the time. That's what we were relying on, that information from USAA that is telling us that their money has

- 1 been stolen.
- Q Was there a complaint filed so it's in writing or was this just a phone conversation?
- A No. So we got some -- we had some written
 information from USAA, and then we -- I believe I was
 referencing back to my 302, again that -- the memorandum, where
 I'm actually on the phone. We're conducting an interview with
 Mr. Brown, at this time who you're referencing, to get all that
 information, yes, ma'am.
- 10 Q Okay. So you found out about the funds approximately 11 the 10th?
 - A Uh-huh.

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- Q And on the 11th, you didn't have any kind of written report from USAA, just that someone had stolen their money.
- A We had just some -- some basic facts that were provided to us by USAA in a document, yes, ma'am.
- Q In a document?
- 18 A Yes, ma'am.
 - Q And that document is what document?
- 20 A I believe.
- 21 Q On USAA letterhead or --
- A I think it was attached to an e-mail from USAA.

 Again, and I followed up with an interview.
- Q Uh-huh. And what was this attachment?
- 25 A There was some notes I know, like I was describing,
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Parker Still - Cross-Examination and then I think there was some kind of maybe IP logs that showed a -- where, you know -- just IP logs.

Q And that is what you used to make a determination that a -- when you were working on an affidavit for the warrant, because you have to basically have an application of affidavit, an affidavit application for a warrant in order for a warrant to be issued. Is that correct?

A You have -- yeah, well you have an affidavit that we swear to, you know, facts, and then, yeah, it's -- yes, ma'am. You would then, I guess, you -- yeah, there is an application, an affidavit, and then you ultimately get an order from the court -- from the magistrate judge, yes, ma'am.

But I'm not just working on that. I mean, we are working on this from multiple angles. We've got people looking into the background. We've got people -- like I said, I'm working on the affidavit. We're trying to get calls in to USAA to understand more detail.

Like I said, we were working on the affidavit. It is not a finished product at this time. We are working on it. We have credible, reliable information from one of the, you know, a large financial -- United States financial institution that a theft has occurred. And we are conducting an investigation accordingly and reacting accordingly. Have no reason to doubt USAA's information that they provided to us.

Q So at that point, you had determined that USAA Bank
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Parker Still - Cross-Examination was the victim before looking at any other information?

A I -- at that time, yes. I mean, USAA has reached out to us and provided me solid information about a theft that has occurred and is -- and so, yes, we are focusing in on USAA to get that information and to get that asset, yes, ma'am.

Q So they send you some IP logs showing that the actual accounts and that money had -- how can you determine from that that the money didn't actually belong to Randall Beane?

- A You --
- Q I mean --
- 11 A Sorry.
- 12 Q Yes.

- 13 A I didn't mean to interrupt.
- 14 Q I apologize.

A Go ahead. No. We were relying -- USAA -- we are getting -- we were conducting an interview, you know, that morning of, I believe it was with -- looking back on my 302, I think it dates July 11th when, you know, we're interviewing Mr. Brown and getting additional information.

This is what we do. We rely -- we have to rely on financial institutions. When they're telling us that they're -- when there's a theft that's occurred, we rely on that information they've given us. Have absolutely no reason to doubt, as I said earlier, anything that Mr. Brown or USAA was relaying to us.

Q So you put more weight on any kind of evidence or statements that you get from a bank than you do from any other individuals?

A Absolutely not. No, ma'am. I'm just -- at the time, I mean, I take my -- we -- you know, I have -- unless somebody gives me a reason to doubt them, I'm not going to doubt them. You know, no difference if somebody comes in the FBI office today and tells me, "Hey, look, I've got half a million dollars stolen and, you know, Bob Jones did it, and he went out and bought a half million dollars motor home," if I had no reason to doubt that, then, yeah, I'm taking them at face value for it. Just as if I had -- just as if we did USAA here.

Q You stated in your direct with Ms. Davidson that you didn't have hardly any information on Randall Beane except for his driver's license photo or the scan of his driver's license. Did you ever give Mr. Beane an opportunity to -- without assaulting him or kidnapping, did you ever approach him, because I believe -- in this country, it's innocent before proven guilty, you have a banker's statement, and with all the bank fraud committed by the banks themselves, did you ever once think let me get the other side of the story?

A Absolutely.

- Q And the first time that you ever made contact with Randall, was that when you guys passed him out?
 - A Let me -- let me -- I take --

- Q Please just answer the question --
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- -- yes or no, was the first time that you met Randall on July 11th when your teams passed him out of the vehicle?
- 5 Was that the first time?
 - The first time we ever met Mr. Beane was on Α July 11th.
 - When you pulled him out of the RV. Is that correct?
- When I -- when we -- when we removed him from an RV 10 purchased with stolen money that was running.
- 11 Okay. I asked you, is that correct? And I can Q 12 appreciate --
- 13 THE COURT: Was the first time you met Mr. Beane was 14 when you approached him and took him out of the RV on or around 15 July 11th?
- 16 THE WITNESS: Yes, Your Honor.
- 17 THE COURT: All right. Go on to the next question.
- 18 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you.
- 19 BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:
 - Okay. I want to keep this very --
- 21 Oh, no, ma'am. I'm just -- I'm here to answer your Α 22 questions.
- 23 Q Okay.
- 24 I'm happy to do so, as long as you want to ask them. Α
 - Okay. So at no other time prior to that had you Q UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Parker Still - Cross-Examination actually tried to figure out whether that money could possibly be Mr. Beane's?

A We had information from USAA, ma'am, that we -credible, reliable information from their financial
investigators that this money was stolen. That's what we were
working with at the time.

Q Okay.

A Uh-huh.

Q So then I have a question for you, if your -- I get your experience regarding investigating crimes.

A Sure.

Q Trying to locate them, I appreciate that.

A Yes, ma'am.

Q More than you could know. My question is, is how familiar are you with actual banking, as far as how banking actually works, money transactions actually work, the inner workings of banking? Have you ever worked for a bank?

A No, ma'am. I have never worked for a bank.

Q Okay. Have you ever been an attorney in private capacity, as far as a consultant or any other for a bank?

A You know, I did work some for a -- I did some work for a bank. I don't know -- I wouldn't go as far as saying I was in-house counsel or anything like that. But I have done work for a bank, yes, ma'am.

Q Okay.

- A Generally, though, you know, involving, you know, maybe a collection or something. Not -- not -- I think what you're getting, at inner workings, not so much.
- ${\tt Q}$ $\;\;$ Inner workings would be similar to this -- the ACT and the actual transfer systems.
 - A I'm not familiar with ACT.
 - Q So are you --

- A You're speaking of ACH?
- Q -- familiar with the actual transfer system which was used for the transfer from the Federal Reserve to USAA or even the wire transferring system from USAA to Whitney Bank? Are you familiar with those systems and how they work?
 - A I have a general understanding of those, yes, ma'am.
- Q Okay. General understanding, can you give me an example of that? Because when someone says "general understanding," these are complicated systems and yet they are super simple. So I just need to know what your -- it can be complex as far as technicality, technical, however, with APIs, are you familiar with an API?
- A No, ma'am. I'm not familiar with an API. Could you give me a full definition of what an API is?
- Q APIs are what are used for any kind of system -- when there's a transfer, the API makes sure the data on this side actually is what it is. And this side -- so if this side sends over data for account number whatever it is, if it can't find

Parker Still - Cross-Examination that account number, it doesn't exist, no transaction actually occurs.

That's why I'm asking, are you familiar with an API or with an actual money transfer systems here in the Federal Reserve System or in its member systems, which is still the Federal Reserve System?

A I understand ACH transfers, automated clearinghouse transfers. I understand a Fedwire. Yes, ma'am, I understand those -- those type of transactions. I do have a -- you know, a general understanding of how that works in the banking world.

Q And what's your understanding? You've just stated earlier that based on the information that you received from just USAA Bank at that point, and they made a statement and gave you some IP screenshots or data information that you determined that they were a victim, that someone had stolen their money. So I need to know, we all need to know what is your general understanding of the ACH financial transfer system from money to any bank, including Federal Reserve, to any of its member banks. What's your general understanding?

MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, I'm going to object to this. I think it's outside the scope of direct. I'm not sure that his banking understanding goes into the arrest in this case.

THE COURT: Your response?

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Without prejudice, he stated that UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Parker Still - Cross-Examination they literally went in, took this man out because he believed 1 2 that USAA Bank was a victim based off of the information. We're trying to determine what information they had in order to 3 4 arrest Randall Beane without any kind of warrant at that point. 5 THE COURT: All right. I'll overrule the objection, 6 since we've gone down this line. Maybe we can finish it up. 7 But go ahead. 8 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you. 9 THE COURT: Answer the question to the extent you 10 can. 11 THE WITNESS: Yes, Your Honor. 12 Ma'am, the general understanding of the ACH transfer system and a Fedwire, is that your question? 13 14 BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: 15 My question is, just what is your general Q 16 understanding -- because were you the one that made the call to 17 go and arrest -- well, to arrest, we'll just say at this point, to arrest Randall Beane and seize the vehicle? Were you the 18 19 one that made that call? 20 You know, I think we -- I spoke to the U.S. 21 Attorney's Office to let them know what we were on the way to 22 do, yes, ma'am. I -- so I quess, yeah, I did. I was letting 23 know the U.S. Attorney's Office. 24 I think we're getting a little off track here. I

mean, you know, when an FBI gets a call that a bank is getting

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Parker Still - Cross-Examination robbed, we don't sit there and say, "Hey, do you know" -- I mean, we don't ask a million questions. We go. That's what we did today or did then.

Q When a bank gets robbed, do you usually have a bank robber and a banker and a gun or some kind of weapon and cash? You're talking about, per Ms. Svolto's opening statement, that he was robbing a bank? I'm asking you, because it appears from what you have said that you believed that he had stolen money using a transfer system that unless you are inside the Federal Reserve Banking System and the IT source code dealing with the source code and all that, most people don't know what it is.

A Yes, ma'am.

Q I'm asking you, because you are the one that supposedly made the call, except for what inference you just tried to make that U.S. attorneys might have some responsibility as --

A No.

Q -- to the events that day, but that you made the call to go in and arrest what you believed was the criminal to protect what you believed at the time was the victim.

You stated that because of documents you had received, which were IP coding and their e-mail, which we don't know what was in it, but that they had been robbed, something to that effect, that you believed that Randall Beane was already a criminal and that the money could not have been his,

1 just based on that.

So I'm asking, what is your general statement to make a call that someone may be a victim and a criminal when there's still a possibility without all the data or even just that splice of evidence you may have had that perhaps Randall Beane was the victim that day and USAA Bank was the criminal?

So I'm asking, do you -- what is your general knowledge, because you said you have a general knowledge of it --

A Yes, ma'am.

Q -- or general understanding. What is your general understanding of the ACH transfer system?

A Of the -- my general understanding of the ACH, the automated clearinghouse, is the system is commonly what they call like a batch system where the -- the way it would work, it's not immediate.

It's not like a Fedwire, which a wire transfer goes immediately. Like when Mr. Beane sent -- or when -- caused the transaction to be sent to Whitney Bank to be -- for the funds with the stolen money to purchase the motor home. That was a Fedwire, immediate transfer versus ACH sometimes takes a little bit of time to do a reconciliation.

- Q Okay.
- A It's my general understanding.
- Q Right. And you had stated that the IP showed the UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Parker Still - Cross-Examination transactions that were done how many days prior to the -- what was the actual date on the purchase -- sale of purchase? Of the RV? Α Yeah. Q It's in that July 8th, 9th, 10th time frame, in that approximate time frame. Do you believe it was July 7th? Okay. Α July 7th, which means that ACH transfers happen sometimes before July 7th? Again, I'm not looking at bank -- I'm not trying to Α dodge your questions by any means, ma'am. I don't -- I'm not looking at any bank records here in front of me or anything like that. No, I understand that. I'm just asking, you had stated that ACH takes longer to process, in your general understanding and whereas Fedwires are --Fedwire, yes, ma'am. I understand -- as of today, I understand Fedwire is immediate versus ACH takes -- is sometimes -- I don't know if it's a day or two to do a reconciliation. No. I appreciate you taking the time --Yes, ma'am. Α

-- and for everyone taking the time to explain what

your general understanding is, so we know what information that

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Q -- taken that day.

A That day, I just want to be clear, I was not relying on information about ACH or Fedwire. I was relying on information that I had from USAA.

- O I understand that.
- A May I finish, ma'am?
- Q Uh-huh.

A Okay. That I was relying on information from USAA that they -- that money was -- that a scheme was orchestrated by Mr. Beane that I've described earlier and which resulted in a loss to the bank, and that that money had then been used to purchase a motor home, and he was about to leave in it, and I had no idea what he was going to do with it.

Q And that was -- that information that he was about to leave in it was from USAA?

A No, ma'am. The general information -- and I say information, taking from all of what we're doing that day.

Q Okay. Then let's address that, because you had stated when you were working on the affidavit, you just got up and ran and grabbed -- I'm sorry I don't remember your partner's name, but another colleague?

- A Yes, ma'am. Correct.
- Q Where did that information come from that would have UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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you stop the lawful process, the criminal procedures you're

supposed to follow in order to have a warrant to be able to

arrest someone? What -- who called you with that information

that had you abandon protocols and process?

A I never --

Q For what you had stated was to protect victim and asset?

A The argument that I abandoned protocols and process,
I strongly disagree with. I did not abandon anything. We
have -- we can make a probable cause arrest based on
information.

Just like tonight if I see a shoplifter running down the aisle at Walmart, I can tackle them. You know, I can make a probable cause arrest in Tennessee.

So let's -- I didn't abandon any type of protocols or anything. Our job is to stop criminal activity. So I strongly disagree with that assumption that we abandoned anything.

I was working on a seizure warrant. That is correct. At the time I was working on a seizure warrant in coordination with the U.S. Attorney's Office. Once the facts changed, and Mr. Beane starts -- is -- plans to leave in that motor home or it's going to be -- the keys are going to be turned over to him at Buddy Gregg, we had to react. There was not time for me to get in front of the magistrate judge. There was not time for me to finish an affidavit. We had to react at the time.

- Q Okay. But what -- who called you to -- so that you could make that call?
 - A Yeah.

- Q Who called you with that information, was that USAA Bank or was it Buddy Gregg? Who was it?
- A It's my understanding that information was provided to another task force officer in our office who then relayed the information to me.
 - Q And was there a report done on that?
- A A report? Not by me. I don't recall. I mean, we did an arrest, 302 -- again, that's our -- I keep calling them 302. That's our memorandum. There's an arrest 302 that lays out the events that took place that day.
- Q Okay. So you're not sure who -- where that information came from? It could come from anyone saying he was going to leave -- I'm just stating, from your comments, you don't know what that information came from, other than a colleague receiving it from somewhere?
- A No, ma'am. I -- I did not say a colleague receiving it from somewhere. Buddy Gregg, it's my understanding as a -- that Buddy Gregg provided that information to one of our task force officers who relayed that information to me that he was leaving in the motor home. And you know what? When we got there, he was leaving in the motor home. Pretty good information. Stolen motor home.

Q Did you also retrieve or seize at that time Randall Beane's cash that he had already paid to Buddy Gregg three days -- excuse me, four days prior to you taking him on the 11th?

- A Did we seize the cash? No, ma'am. We ultimately seized the motor home, not any cash that I'm aware of.
- Q Okay. So on the 11th, you seized a motor home which he had bought four days prior and paid cash for, but didn't grab the cash as well as part of the evidence of a crime?
- A No, ma'am. The -- you know, you're getting into some legal stuff, you know, whether you've got good faith purchasers and that kind of stuff. We seized the asset that was purchased with the stolen money. The victim bank, you know -- or USAA, and I think this is Whitney Bank who is the correspondent bank, who actually received the money, you know, that's -- I mean, I don't think that money has been seized. I know it hasn't. That money has never been seized.
- Q The money has never been seized or secured to preserve the evidence of a possible crime or an alleged crime?
- A Well, yeah, the evidence is seized right here in those photographs you saw of the motor home.
- Q I'm talking about the actual money, which Mr. Beane had paid from his own property?
 - A No. The -- the money has not been seized --
 - Q Okay. Thank you.

- A -- from the bank. Yes, ma'am.
- Q I appreciate that. I just wanted to know whether
 you've gone in to seize all the evidence within the crime
 scene --
 - A To the extent --
 - Q -- or involved in the crime?

7 THE COURT: Let's wait for the next question.

THE WITNESS: Sorry, sir.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you.

BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:

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- Q Okay. You mentioned that your office had information on an outstanding warrant on the day that -- on July 11th.
- 13 What warrant are you referring to?
- 14 A It's -- there was a state court warrant.
 - Q Okay. And you just had information on it, you didn't actually have it?
- A I did -- I personally did not have it in hand, no, ma'am.
 - Q Okay. Who in the office -- you said it was a small office. How many people are in your office, just so I can get a scope here, because you say that there was an outstanding warrant, but you didn't see the warrant, you know -- didn't have a copy of the warrant.

How many people are in your office, so we can get an idea of how many people -- you said a lot of people working on

Parker Still - Cross-Examination this case from your office, and yet earlier you said your office is really small.

So how many people are in your office?

A You know, total office of Knoxville division, I don't know, maybe, there's -- maybe -- again, I'm -- maybe there's 75 employees total from staff agents, forensic accountants, computer analysts, everything.

Q Okay.

- A Maybe.
- Q That gives us a better idea of how many bodies could have possibly received information on this outstanding state warrant. Do you remember what state at least this was to be from?
- A Yes, ma'am. Today -- I believe that today, I could tell you, it is -- I think it was out of South Carolina.
- Q Uh-huh. Today?
- 17 A Uh-huh.
 - Q But on July 11th, you had never seen it, you just had information that your office had information that an outstanding warrant existed.
 - Did you confirm at least with a database, NCIC or anything else that there was actually an outstanding state warrant?
 - A So me personally, I did not -- I was relying on information that was provided to me. You know, it's -- we work UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

1 as a team. I mean, it's -- you know, there's moving parts.

I'm doing the affidavit. Somebody else would be looking to see about the warrant, you know, providing that information to us.

I mean, it is a team effort. Not one person can sit here and do all the different jobs. So I'm not the person who made any confirmation of that warrant.

But I would say this too. It's my understanding that at the scene also, the warrant was also confirmed by Knox -- I believe it was the Knox County Sheriff's Department.

Q I'm just asking, because in the plethora of discovery that was provided to us, not once was there any report by you, a 302, or by any other member supposedly working on this case regarding -- excuse me, with an actual copy of the South Carolina -- the alleged South Carolina outstanding warrant, no NCIC, no actual NCIC from that date or anything else showing there was an outstanding South Carolina warrant. You stated you had not even confirmed --

MS. DAVIDSON: Objection, Your Honor. That is inaccurate.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I'm just stating --

MS. DAVIDSON: Mr. Beane's --

THE COURT: Well, let's --

MS. DAVIDSON: Okay.

THE COURT: Let's go ahead and ask the question.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you.

THE COURT: I'll remind -- you heard me say both questions by the attorneys, or in this case, the party represents herself, and the objections, statements by the attorneys or parties in that role are not evidence. So just -- Jury, keep that in mind. The evidence comes from the witness stand. So let's try to focus on the question and answer the question asked. Go ahead and ask your question.

MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, may I address the NCIC issue?

THE COURT: Let's just go on.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you.

THE COURT: Go ahead.

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Okay. I'll just restate my question clear then.

THE WITNESS: Sure, absolutely, yes, ma'am.

BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:

Q Okay. Because it is important to know that you have the tools you need to do your job.

Okay. Did you personally confirm the existence of an outstanding state warrant that you now know to be from South Carolina?

A No, ma'am. I did not. I have seen it, though, since that date. I have seen a copy of that warrant, yes, ma'am.

And it was exactly right. I mean, he was -- Knox County confirmed it at the scene. It's my understanding he was taken

1 to jail.

Q Did you ever provide a copy of that alleged South Carolina outstanding warrant to Ms. Davidson or anyone on the -- at the DOJ?

A You know, I would have to look back on it. What we normally do is we turn our file -- our discovery file over to the prosecutors.

Q Okay. On July 11th, prior to or at any moment, did you ever present a warrant to Mr. Beane or the other unidentified male and unidentified female that you found in that vehicle? Did you ever present an actual paper warrant or electronic warrant to any of those three?

A No, ma'am. And I -- I don't -- I mean, that's -- I think that's some of TV stuff where we serve people, put a warrant in their hands. You know, that's -- I don't -- that's just not general practice where you would, you know, serve someone -- hand someone a warrant, generally.

Q Okay.

A I'm not saying it doesn't happen. I'm just saying, you know, the fact that we -- you know, we've made -- you know, we have -- it's a team effort. We rely on information that is provided to us, and we go out and we do our jobs. And on that day --

Q Sorry.

A Oh, go ahead.

Q Someone who's been an attorney for so long, as well as the FBI for five and a half years who's familiar, presumed to be familiar and presented to be familiar with the laws of criminal procedure and process, making kinds of statements like that regarding warrants not being necessary. I do understand probable cause --

THE COURT: Let's not comment on the evidence. Let's go ahead and ask the next question.

THE WITNESS: May I clarify?

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Okay. The actual --

THE COURT: Let's go on to the next --

BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:

Q The actual warrants, there were two other warrants, on the 12th and 13th, were those issued by -- was that application for an affidavit or the affidavit for an applicational warrant on July 12th and July 13th, were you involved in -- was that your affidavit? There were two of them.

A Are you -- yes, ma'am. Are you speaking about the affidavit to seize the motor home? Is that what you're speaking about?

Q No. In fact, if I can recall, the affidavit to do the motor home was actually provided by your partner. And I'm sorry, I don't remember his name.

I believe it was him, Mr. Durand. Is that correct?

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- 1 Is his name Mr. Durand?
 - A You're asking me this gentleman here? That's --
- 3 Q Yeah.

- A -- Special Agent Jimmy Durand.
- 5 Q Durand. Excuse me.
 - A Yes, ma'am.
 - Q So that was actually Agent Durand, so I don't believe we're talking about that warrant, because I know you didn't issue it. I'm talking about the actual warrant that you say you didn't have and didn't produce on July 11th when you took Mr. Beane. There were still two affidavits, one on the 12th and one on the 11th -- or excuse me, one on the 12th of July and one on the 13th of July.

Did you make those affidavits for those warrants?

- A I am not following what warrants or what affidavits your speaking of Ms. Jarraf.
- Q No. That's great. I just wanted to make -- to ask you if those were the warrants you relied on.
- A I'm not sure what warrants. So there's a state court warrant --
 - Q Right.
- A -- and there's federal warrants out there that were on you and Mr. Beane, ultimately when a federal grand jury indicted both of you. That's the warrants I'm aware of.
 - Q Okay. And the grand jury, the indictment that you UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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- 2 A Yes, ma'am.
- Q -- you testified you helped secure that indictment.

 4 Is that correct?
- 5 A It -- I testified, yes, ma'am.
 - Q In order to have those warrants issued, it was required to have a grand jury indictment. Is that your understanding?
 - A No, ma'am. I -- you don't have to have a grand jury indictment. As I said earlier, we can pick someone up on a probable cause complaint.
- 12 Q Okay.
- 13 A Yes, ma'am.
 - Q So which one came first, the indictment, your testimony, or the indictment that you testified for, did that come on that date, before the actual warrant that you had issued for Mr. Beane and myself that you referred to, or were the warrants first, then the indictment -- then the indictment?
 - A No, ma'am. The -- in this case, we used a federal grand jury and obtained indictments. And then based on that, warrants are issued, arrest warrants.
 - Q Okay. And was your testimony to the grand jury, was it true, accurate, and complete or truth?
- 24 A Yes, ma'am.
- Q The whole truth, nothing but the truth?

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A Absolutely.

Q Okay. You stated that Mr. Beane -- I just have a few more questions here. Let's go back to the physical removal, since we already have data on the warrant or no warrant.

Resisting and eventually stopped resisting, you had stated Ms. Cynthia Davidson had asked you did he resist. You said he did. Is that correct?

- A That's correct, yes, ma'am.
- Q And then she later said, did he stop resisting, and you said eventually he stopped resisting. Is that correct?
 - A Eventually, once he was secured.
- Q Okay. So my question is, you had stated that once he had his hands around his back, what methods did you use -- did he stop resisting arrest after he had been elbow punched in the back of the head a number of times with his face in the ground, or did he stop resisting arrest after he had already been passed out from a head injury?

A I disagree, ma'am, with your recitation of the facts there. But I will answer your question to the extent I can, that the amount of force used was only the amount necessary to effectuate the arrest, to make the arrest that day.

We had a motor home that was running.

- Q Uh-huh.
- A I mean, all he had to do was put it in drive and, you know, lives would have been lost potentially. And also, we did

not know who all -- you know, we don't -- it's -- we're reacting to a situation. We do not know what -- you know, if there's other people involved. We just don't know. We have to make that arrest, get him cuffed up.

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He was -- he did, as you said, he obtained a cut on his head. We had an EMT, Jason, who was at the scene, is an agent who's also an EMT and he treated him immediately. Also, we called an ambulance just to be on the safe side, and Mr. Beane refused treatment.

- When -- after he received the head injury, he refused treatment?
- I disagree with that -- I don't know -- I mean, an injury, he got a cut on his head.
- 302 that he had a head injury. The actual -- okay. Let's step aside from that. When you approached the vehicle, were weapons drawn?
- I don't recall a weapon being drawn, no, ma'am. Α don't --
 - How many officers were there?
- At the time, there were initially four total FBI 21 agents that were there at the scene.
 - And supporting officers, how many?
 - Got there a little bit later. There were some Knox County deputies that arrived and some of our task force officers.

- Q So approximately how many officers total?
- A Maybe by the time -- maybe -- maybe eight in that -- eight, nine, something like that. Again, that's approximately.
 - Q I appreciate that. Thank you.

So approximately eight or nine armed individuals approached a vehicle?

A I would -- no, ma'am. No, ma'am. That's not how it went down. No, ma'am. There were only four of us who arrived initially at the scene. The others came after the fact. I mean, once -- they literally get to the scene about the time that Mr. Beane is being put into handcuffs.

Q Okay.

A So, I mean, it's after the fact. And you -- I mean, to the extent you're trying to insinuate -- insinuating that that's a number -- a larger number, it's really not. Because we don't know what's going on with other individuals potentially in the area or, you know, we just don't know.

- Q That -- thank you. Thank you for stating that.

 Because just as you don't know, is there a possibility that

 Mr. Beane didn't know what your intentions are?
 - A No, I don't think so.
- Q So if he believed that he's made a lawful purchase, he's actually taking his property away four days after he had purchased it from the actual RV place, that armed individuals coming into -- is it possible that the whole thing wasn't

handled properly as far as trying to figure out that's why it got so violent?

A No, it did not. First of all, I disagree with the fact that he didn't know, and I disagree with the fact it got violent. It was not violent. It was a properly executed arrest for an individual who was resisting.

- Q Excuse me just one second --
- A Absolutely.

- Q -- so that I can check my notes so that we're -- I'm finished here.
- I just have one last question regarding something you stated about --
 - A Yes, ma'am.
- 14 Q -- your 302s.

Do you write a 302 for every action that you've taken or for every action that you're going to take, just so that we're clear as far as how detailed are you recording the actual investigation?

A No. For every action we're going to take, there's not a 302, no, ma'am. And, generally, we do one for actions that are taken, but not always. I mean, there could be a circumstance out there for whatever reason where a 302 is not generated.

Q Did you keep a notebook on you that you write notes in when you're in the field or anything like that?

A We -- I generally keep, you know, if I'm going for an interview, absolutely, we keep notes and stuff of interviews, sure.

Q Okay.

A Now, I have one thing to add. Not always. There could be an arrest-type situation where, I mean, I'm not taking notes while we're putting handcuffs on somebody, so...

Q Okay. Were you asked to -- because since there's a possibility we don't -- I've never seen in your reports anywhere that you presented the warrant, which is why I'm asking, but you were asked for that warrant by the unidentified male and unidentified female as well as Mr. Beane or just the unidentified male and female?

A I remember the un -- at the time unidentified male and female asking for a copy of a warrant. Which would not be something we would give to somebody out -- you know, who is at a scene. We would not give a warrant to that individual.

Q They were in the vehicle, though, and you actually gave them orders to get out of the vehicle?

A There's officer safety issues there. If you have individuals in a vehicle doesn't mean we would give them a copy of paperwork or anything.

- Q Did they ask you for that warrant while still in the vehicle before you ordered them out or --
 - A I don't recall specifically. I do -- I know they
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		Parker Still - Cross-Examination
1	asked for	a warrant. I think they were out in the parking area
2	when they	were asking for that. They could have been inside.
3	I don't k	now. I don't know the answer to that.
4	Q	Okay.
5	А	Very well may have been inside, you know, asking for
6	warrants.	I don't know.
7		MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Okay. I don't have anymore
8	questions	. Thank you.
9		THE COURT: Thank you.
10		Mr. Beane, cross-examination?
11		MR. BEANE: Yes.
12		MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you, Mr. Still.
13		THE WITNESS: Thank you, ma'am. Thank you.
14		CROSS-EXAMINATION
15	BY MR. BE	ANE:
16	Q	Hello, Mr. Still.
17	А	Good afternoon, sir.
18	Q	On the day of July the 11th, do you remember the
19	temperatu	re that day, Mr. Still?
20	А	It was hot that day, sir.
21	Q	Yes, sir. It was very hot.
22		Do you remember if the air conditioners were running
23	on the RV	, Mr. Still?
24	А	It seems like they were running.

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Q Yes, sir, they were.

Also on that day, when you arrested me, you told me that I had a warrant out of Jasper, Colorado. Do you remember telling me that, Mr. Still?

A There very well may have been -- I may have inaccurately said where the warrant was from, Mr. Beane.

Q That's the only warrant you told me about. Isn't it correct, Mr. Still?

A I think there was talk about that it was out of North Carolina. Again, I was not the one who I just previously said to --

- Q Mr. Still, I tried to ask you -THE COURT: Let him finish. Let him --
- Q -- to please discuss with me --

THE COURT: Excuse me. I think he was in the middle of an answer, so let him finish it. Go ahead.

THE WITNESS: Yes, sir, Mr. Beane, I was not the one who -- who was -- you know, I just knew there was an active warrant, yes, sir.

BY MR. BEANE:

Q And I also asked you to please discuss with me the fact that I had never been to Colorado and there's possibly no way there could have been a warrant for my arrest?

A I believe we tried to interview you at the scene, and you said you wanted to speak with an attorney and didn't want to talk to us.

Parker Still - Redirect Examination

- Q No, sir. That's not correct.
- 2 A Okay. That's not the way I remember it, sir.
 3 Respectfully disagree with you.

MR. BEANE: All right. No further questions.

THE COURT: Thank you. Any redirect?

MS. DAVIDSON: Yes, Your Honor.

REDIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MS. DAVIDSON:

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Q Okay. So you were talking about you were preparing an affidavit for a warrant.

What kind of warrant were you working on on the 11th?

- A That was a seizure warrant, an affidavit of seizure warrant, probable cause warrant to seize the motor home.
- Q So you weren't working on an arrest warrant or complaint or any other sort of arrest process for Mr. Beane at that time?
- A No, ma'am. At the time, we were working, the way I recall it, was on an actual seizure warrant. Because that's why I had been speaking with Ms. Svolto who is the -- generally does the forfeiture work with the U.S. Attorney's Office.
- 21 That's the way I recall it.
 - Q Okay. Did you -- actually, after this arrest, did you get a seizure warrant signed by a United States magistrate?
- A Yes. Special Agent -- Jimmy, he swore it out, yes, ma'am.

Parker Still - Redirect Examination

- So -- and was there an arrest warrant by the State of South Carolina for Mr. Beane?
- Α Yes, ma'am. I mean, at the scene -- that's what I was saying. Knox County, it's my understanding, when they took him -- he did not go into federal custody at the time. He went into state custody, that Knox County does those verifications is my understanding.
 - Then he was indicted by a federal grand jury?
- That's correct, both he and Ms. Heather were. Correct.
 - And you testified at that federal grand jury? Q
 - I did, yes, ma'am.

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- And before you testified, did you do your own investigation into this case?
- Α As we do with all. I mean, we do our investigation. We get the records in. And we -- you know, we do our investigation. As I said earlier, what the FBI does is we talk to people. And that's what we do, yes, ma'am.
- Okay. So was the money that Mr. Beane bought that RV with, was that his own money?
- That was not his money. Α
- Whose money was it?
 - That was United -- it was USAA's money. Α
- Okay. The United States did not seize the money that Q 25 Buddy Gregg got from the wire transfer. Is that --

Parker Still - Redirect Examination

A Correct.

- Q Is that your understanding? And Ms. Tucci-Jarraf asked you about NCIC reports. It's not the practice of the FBI to give codefendants each other's NCI reports. Is it?
- A I could not imagine why we would give NCI reports because of the personal identifiers on those reports.
- Q So Ms. Tucci-Jarraf doesn't have Mr. Beane's NCIC doesn't mean that there's not a warrant on his NCIC, does it?
 - A Right. No, ma'am. That would not mean that.
- Q Okay. And you mentioned you -- just out of an abundance of caution, Mr. Beane had a scratch on his head. Is that right?
- A That's correct, yes, ma'am. And Jason, the agent at the scene, is a EMT, paramedic. He immediately put a bandage on Mr. Beane, and I believe it was Jason, too, who called the paramedics. The actual ambulance showed up, and we, you know -- to make -- I mean, it just -- we -- we want to do right, want to treat everybody fairly, want to -- you know, if there was any injury, we wanted to make sure he got the medical attention, and he refused.
- Q So he could have gone to the hospital, but he refused treatment?
 - A We called -- the ambulance was called.
- Q And you saw his injuries. Were these life threatening head injuries?

A No, ma'am. They were not. Like I said, we had an EMT agent at the scene.

- Q And did you give the defendant, Mr. Beane, plenty of opportunity to come out of the RV and talk to you?
- A Right. There was ample opportunity. You know, you never want to put hands on with anybody. That's always the last resort, yes, ma'am.
- Q And you identified yourself as the FBI, but he refused --
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- Q To come out of the RV?
- 12 A He refused to come out.
- MS. DAVIDSON: That's all I have.
- 14 THE COURT: All right. Thank you. Any recross based on the redirect?
- MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I just have one question.
- 17 THE COURT: Go ahead.
- 18 THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.

RECROSS-EXAMINATION

- 20 BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:
- Q Okay. You've just blown my mind with a statement
 that you made that this is in regards to Ms. Davidson's
 question regarding whose money was it that he stole, and you
 said it was USA's money?
 - A That's my understanding that they're -- USAA is the
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Parker Still - Recross-Examination one who's out. I mean --

Q No. My question is, there was supposedly 30-plus transactions from the Federal Reserve to USAA. Are you -- are you telling us now that you can actually go into a bank online and just set up a bank account with USAA and put some money in there just putting any numbers in or -- because it was my understanding that this was the Federal Reserve, your position was that it was the Federal Reserve's money which had unlawfully been transferred over to USAA?

A Yes, ma'am. I think the way I understand it is, the Federal Reserve put money in USAA, then it was recalled by the Federal Reserve, and now USAA eats the loss.

- Q Okay. So then the money itself at the time of the July 11th that you say was stolen was actually supposedly stolen from the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. Is that correct?
 - A No. I think we're --
- Q How could it be USAA's money?

A USAA is the one who -- to me this scheme works like a bad check in a sense, you know, where the money -- the money was in the account and it was fraudulently put into the account, and the money -- then Mr. Beane used that money to purchase this RV. And that was USAA's funds that were the ultimate source of -- USAA is the one who's out the money in this case.

- Q Yes. I'm aware of the theft scheme that the Federal Reserve and its member banks concocted by using unknowing and unsuspecting American citizens. That's why I got involved.
 - MS. DAVIDSON: Objection, Your Honor.
- MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I'll move on with my question, so the point --

THE COURT: I'll sustain the objection to the extent that was not a question.

Go ahead.

BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:

- Q Are you aware of a scheme that was done by the Federal Reserve Banks System, the banks within the Federal Reserve Bank System, and its member banks, including USAA Bank that is a member of the Federal Reserve System, are you familiar or aware of a bank scheme to use unsuspecting and unknowing American citizens in order to cause a theft of funds so that they could later make insurance claims or write-offs, which in this case USAA Bank would be doing?
- A No, ma'am. I'm not aware of any scheme like that.

 The only scheme I'm aware of is the one orchestrated by you and Mr. Beane.
- Q Okay. If you were aware of such a scheme at the institutional level, would you give it any type of attention whatsoever in an investigation?
 - A If I'm aware of a scheme anywhere that falls within UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Parker Still - Recross-Examination 1 what I'm -- you know, in the Eastern District of Tennessee that affects it, absolutely, I would give -- you know, if someone, 2 3 just as if USAA or if someone off the street today comes in and 4 complains, we give every complaint its due consideration, yes, 5 ma'am. If there's any scheme anywhere involving political figures or whatever you have it, we -- absolutely, we give 6 7 that -- we'll look into that. 8 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I hope that to be true. 9 you. 10 THE WITNESS: It is true. You can count on it. Thank you. 11 THE COURT: 12 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you. 13 THE COURT: Any recross based upon the redirect, 14 Mr. Beane? 15 MR. BEANE: Yes, sir. 16 **RECROSS-EXAMINATION** 17 BY MR. BEANE: Mr. Still, you said that on the day of the 11th that 18 19 the Knox County Sheriff's Department verified a warrant? 20 That's my understanding, Mr. Beane, in the vehicle. Α There was at the scene there the Knox County -- you were put 21 22 into a Knox County cruiser. It's my understanding that a 23 warrant confirmation was done or something to that effect or 24 later in the day it was, you know, confirmed. But, yeah, they 25 do a process there. That's my understanding.

- Q Are you aware that once I arrived in Knox County Jail that I had to stay in the patrol car for three hours because they didn't have anything on me, Mr. Still?
- A You know, we may have learned that information later from a jail call or something like that. Again, that wouldn't be --
 - Q And -- sorry to interrupt you.
- A No, no. I mean, that's -- you know, you were lawfully arrested, Mr. Beane.
- Q How come Knox County Jail refused to take me into custody because I didn't have anything on me?
- A I'm sure it takes a little bit of time for them to do a -- to confirm a warrant.
- 14 Q Mr. Still, you just said Knox County confirmed that
 15 warrant at the scene.
 - A I said that's my understanding. Maybe it takes -maybe it -- I think -- maybe it was later in the day, you know,
 I just -- that's -- I wasn't privy to that. I guess that's -so I'm speculating.
 - Q So you arrested me without a warrant thinking that there was a warrant?
- 22 A No, sir. There was a warrant.
 - Q Really?

A Yes, sir. You're still in custody or have been is my understanding.

Q I have another question for you, Mr. Still.

In your professional actions, as I was in the back of the parole car passing you and one of the other agents in the courtroom, back there with the pink tie on, do you remember laughing at me and poking at me as I drove by, Mr. Still?

A I remember you driving by, and it was -- it was a stressful situation. I do remember kind of like, laughing, yeah, there he goes, he's in the back of the police car. This was one for the good guys. Yeah.

MR. BEANE: Thank you.

THE COURT: Thank you. We'll take our afternoon break at this time. The jury may be excused.

THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise.

(Jury out at 3:29 p.m.)

THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: This honorable court shall stand in recess until 3:45.

(Recess from 3:29 p.m. to 3:47 p.m.)

THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Please come to order and be seated.

THE COURT: I think our jury is ready. And the government looks like it's ready with its next witness. We'll bring the jury in.

(Jury in at 3:48 p.m.)

THE COURT: Thank you. Everyone may be seated. And the courtroom deputy will swear in the next witness.

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		David Walker - Direct Examination		
1	WHEREUPON	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
2		DAVID WALKER,		
3	was called as a witness and, after having been first duly			
4	sworn, testified as follows:			
5	DIRECT EXAMINATION			
6		THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Have a seat, please. Will you		
7	please st	ate and spell your name for the record.		
8		THE WITNESS: David Walker. D-a-v-i-d, W-a-l-k-e-r.		
9	BY MS. SV	OLTO:		
10	Q	Good afternoon.		
11	А	Good afternoon.		
12	Q	Could you please tell me what's your name.		
13	А	David Walker.		
14	Q	And where do you work?		
15	А	AT&T.		
16	Q	And how long have you worked there?		
17	А	Nine years.		

- And what do you do for AT&T? 18
- 19 Currently, I'm a custodian of record.
- What are some of your primary job responsibilities as 20 the custodian of records? 21
- 22 The authentication of records produced by AT&T.
- 23 All right. Do you recognize Government's
- Exhibit 149? Can you see that there? 24
- 25 Oh, okay. Yes.

- Q All right. And now, I'm going to -- so you recognize that document?
 - A Yes, I do.
- 4 Q And do you recognize Government's Exhibit previously 5 marked as Exhibit 150?
- 6 A Yes.

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- Q And do you recognize that document?
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 Q All right. And now Government's Exhibit 152, do you 10 recognize that document?
- 11 A Yes.
- 12 Q All right. And I'll ask to use the Elmo briefly.
- Do you recognize this that I'm showing up there?
- 14 A Yes, I do.
 - Q And so I'll ask to see Government Exhibit 152 -- I'm sorry, 151 now.
- 17 A Okay.
- 18 Q And so you recognize that document?
- 19 A Yes.
- 20 Q Now, I previously showed you a disc that you just 21 identified?
- 22 A Yeah.
- 23 Q And could I ask for the Elmo again.
- 24 And is that your signature?
- 25 A It is.

- Q And what is this disc?
- A So this disc contains the subscriber information for voice, text, and data of records for the subscriber requested.
 - Q And did you review the documents on that disc?
 - A I did.

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- Q And did you determine they were the same documents that were in the Government's Exhibit 151?
 - A That's correct.
 - Q Thank you. Are you familiar with the records that are kept in the course of regularly conducted business activity of AT&T?
- 12 A Yes.
- Q And were these documents kept in the course of the regularly conducted business activity of AT&T?
- 15 A Yes.
- 16 Q And, specifically, the documents that were previously
 17 marked as Government's Exhibit 149, 150, 151, and 152?
- 18 A Yes.
- 19 Q And were these documents prepared by, at, or near the 20 time of the events recorded?
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 Q And were they made by a person with knowledge of the 23 events or from information transmitted by a person with 24 knowledge?
- 25 A Yes.

Q Is it the regular practice of AT&T to make these records?

A Yes.

MS. SVOLTO: All right. I'd like to at this time move to admit Government's Exhibit 149, 150, and 152.

THE COURT: 149, 150, 152, seeing no objection, the court will admit those documents.

(Government's Exhibits 149, 150, 152 admitted into evidence.)

BY MS. SVOLTO:

Q If I could have Government Exhibit 149 that has now just been admitted into evidence.

Could you tell us what this document is?

A So this particular document is "U-verse Customer Account Details," which is stated on there on the page. So it contains information for a subscriber that would have had a particular account with U-verse services from AT&T.

Q Okay. Thank you. Looking to Government's Exhibit 150.

And what does this document tell us?

A So this is the MAC address report. MAC stands for media access control. And this is the IP address and the phone number associated with the device that the MAC address defines.

Q Thank you. And Government's Exhibit 151.

And what is this document again?

A So this is a billing report for voice usage. If you look at the top left corner, you'll see a routing number. But below that, you'll see a run date, run time, and then the words "Voice Usage For."

So this particular page and the one that follow are recorded events of voice calls by the subscriber who received calls and also made calls from that telephone number. The document also contains SMS text message information as well as data session usage for this telephone number.

Q All right. And Government Exhibit 152.

And what does this document tell us?

A This is the subscriber information page for this wireless subscriber. It contains information related to the financial liable party, the billing party, as well as user information in those three sections that you see represented here.

- Q And so the financially liable party section, does it give a name there?
- A It does.

- Q And what's that name?
- 21 A Randall Beane.
 - Q And also an address?
- A 300 State Street, Apartment 365, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.
 - Q All right. It also gives an e-mail address as well?

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David Walker - Cross-Examination 1 Α It does. Want me to read that? 2 No. That's fine. Q 3 Α Okay. 4 Are you also familiar with the location of AT&T Q 5 servers? 6 Α There are several of them around the United 7 States. 8 Are there any AT&T servers located in Tennessee? Q 9 No. Α 10 And in your view of the records, do these records all relate to a Randall Beane? 11 12 They do. Α MS. SVOLTO: I have no other questions. 13 14 THE COURT: Thank you. 15 Cross-examination, start with you Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, 16 if any. 17 CROSS-EXAMINATION 18 BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: 19 Without prejudice, I'm going to have a few questions Q 20 Good afternoon, Mr. Walker. 21 Good afternoon. Α 22 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: If I could have the state's 23 exhibits brought back up. Just the ones that you just --MS. DAVIDSON: I know. I'm looking for it. 24

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THE COURT: Did you move 151 as well, Ms. Svolto?

David Walker - Cross-Examination

1 MS. SVOLTO: Yes, Your Honor.

THE COURT: The court overlooked that one. So we'll admit 151 as well.

MS. SVOLTO: Thank you.

(Government's Exhibit 151 admitted into evidence.)

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you.

BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:

Q Mr. Walker, I just had a few questions to sort of decipher. I have no idea what these are. This particular document, and I'm referring to Document 149.

A Okay.

Q This is just account detail information. Is that correct? Like what does this document show us? What information does it tell you for a layperson?

A So users for AT&T subscribers, customers, whatever you want to use for the name, subscribe to different kinds of services that AT&T offers.

In this particular case on this page, this is for U-verse service, which is typically media based kinds of services offered by AT&T. What this contains is the information in the first BAN number is billing account number. So this is the information related to how we track and identify customers in our billing system. So all the codes and the names and information you see here is related to that tracking of that individual by AT&T for the U-verse service.

David Walker - Cross-Examination

- Q Okay. So you can see everything if you just know that BAN number, you can find anything that that particular --
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- Q Is that BAN number also associated with every activity?
- A It is for this -- it is for this account. That's all I can testify to.
- Q Okay. And you'd be able to see every single thing that that customer does that has that particular BAN number?
- A We did not provide that information, so I can't say that you see everything.
 - Q Okay. And what does "TXID" mean? Could you please tell us that?
 - A Where are you looking?
- 15 Q I apologize. It says "historical IP provising."
 16 It's on the left-hand side. What does "TXID" mean?
 - A Well, the answer is I do not know what TXID stands for. It may be a tax ID indicator, but I don't know what the acronym stands for. I'm sorry.
 - Q That's okay. You said you were custodian of records.

 Did you create any of these records?
 - A No, ma'am.
 - Q They were just delivered into your care?
- 24 A Yes, ma'am.
- Q I apologize if I'm asking you any question. I just
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 $\label{eq:definition} \mbox{David Walker - Cross-Examination}$ am not familiar with these kinds of documents.

- A Oh, you're fine.
- Q If you know them, could you let us know. If you don't, that's fine too.
- A Sure.

- Q Document, the next document, that's just subscriber.
 That's --
 - MS. DAVIDSON: If you can tell David what the number is, he can pull it up for you. There's an exhibit sticker on it.
 - MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: This is still 149. Oh, I see, I'm sorry. Thank you for your help. It would be the third document.
 - THE COURT: Is that the one? And if you look on the screen, that's -- what's on your screen is what the witness is currently looking at.
- 17 BY MS. TUCCI-JARRAF:
 - Q Okay. No. It was just that one document I had questions about, because there was a lot of codes on there I don't understand. But it's basically for tracking purposes of the activities for that?
 - A It identifies information that engineers for switching IDs, circuit ID. A lot of that information contained is not user friendly to the customer. It's more user friendly to the engineers and the technicians that manage the network.

Monica Alcala - Direct Examination 1 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Okay. Thank you. I don't have 2 any further questions. 3 THE COURT: Thank you. 4 MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: And, Ms. Davidson, thank you very 5 much for letting me borrow this and thank your associate. 6 THE COURT: Mr. Beane, cross-examination? 7 MR. BEANE: No. 8 THE COURT: Any redirect? 9 MS. SVOLTO: No, thank you, Your Honor. 10 THE COURT: All right. Then this witness may be 11 excused. Thank you. 12 THE WITNESS: Thank you, Your Honor. 13 THE COURT: The government may call its next witness. 14 We call Monica Alcala -- Alcala. 15 WHEREUPON, 16 MONICA ALCALA, was called as a witness and, after having been first duly 17 sworn, testified as follows: 18 19 DIRECT EXAMINATION 20 THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Have a seat. Scoot as close 21 as you can, please. Will you state and spell your name for the 22 record. 23 THE WITNESS: My name is Monica Alcala. M-o-n-i-c-a, 24 A-1-c-a-1-a. 25 THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: Thank you. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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- 2 Q Morning.
- 3 A Good morning.
 - Q What do you do?
- 5 A I am a --
- 6 Q It's afternoon, actually. I'm sorry.
- 7 A I am a financial crimes investigator with USAA.
 - Q Okay. And what is USAA?
 - A USAA is banking and insurance primarily for servicemen, former military, and their families.
 - Q Okay. And so what does USAA stand for?
- 12 A USAA is United Services Automobile Association.
 - Q Okay. And how long have you worked for USAA?
- 14 A I have worked for USAA for 14 and a half years.
- Q And where are your primary responsibilities at USAA?
- 16 A I am a fraud investigator. We do research,
 17 investigate, detect fraud, whether it is account takeover,
 18 member fraud, or members taking advantage of their accounts.
 - Q Okay. And so do you know a little bit about the USAA history?
- 21 A I do.
- Q And why do you know about the history? Is that something that is important to the corporation itself?
 - A Yes. USAA takes pride in showing our support to military members. That's actually one of the first things that UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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we learn is how to be more member-centric in understanding the

needs of our military members, especially since they're a lot

of times traveling or spouses are trying to take care of

business while the spouse is deployed.

- Q Okay. And so when was USAA formed?
- A USAA was formed in 1922 by select military officers who wanted to insure -- they wanted to insure each other. So they wanted to make sure that, again, the military was taking care of their own.
- Q Okay. And so it started as an insurance. And did the products that they provide to military families, did that grow as the company growed -- grew?
- A Yes. In 1983, USAA opened their doors for banking, and started off with credit cards. And now we offer full services, such as checking accounts, CDs, loans, and even investment accounts.
 - Q And does USAA have a mission?
- 18 A Yes.

- Q What is it?
 - A It's to protect our military members financially to be able to support them again through their times why they are taking care of us.
 - Q Okay. And so was USAA formed to support a certain sector of the United States population?
- A Yes. So it is military specific for officers, again,

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their fam	ilies and their children. So it's really to take care	
of the mi	litary and their family, whether it was past or	
current.		
Q	Okay. And was that its mission when it was formed in	
1922?		
A	In 1922, it started as officers. And throughout the	
years, we	have opened the doors to NCOs and then to enlisted.	
So they'v	e expanded the eligibility. It used to be you had to	
have been	recently separated from the military and currently	
it's offe	red to anybody who has served in the past and has been	
honorably	discharged.	
Q	Okay. And so is USAA selective about who it lets	
bank at i	ts at its banks?	
А	Yes.	
Q	And does it require someone to become a member?	
А	Yes. So when you enter when you attempt to become	
a member,	we do validate that you were in the military during	
the time that you said.		
Q	Okay. And which location of USAA do you work?	
А	I work in the banking I work under the banking, so	

- the fraud is directly covering bank fraud.
 - Okay. And what location is the building that you work in?
 - I work in the San Antonio home office.
 - And you've been in that bank. Is it everywhere in UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Monica Alcala - Direct Examination your location about what your mission is?

A Repeat the question.

- Q I'm saying the decorations, the entire -- does it have flags? Do you know who you are serving when you work there?
- A Yes. We take pride in that, even in something as Veteran's Day, we -- we go all out for every branch of services' birthday. It's really ingrained that we take care of our members, especially because they take care of us.
- Q Okay. And when you walk into the lobby of the San Antonio office, is it a huge -- I mean, there's a lot of buildings there?
- A Yes. We like to joke that square-footage-wise, maybe it's bigger than the Pentagon. From one side to the other, you can get a good work out. So it's very big. And that's just one location.
- Q And so is there a big marble thing that says, "A foundation of service to service"?
 - A Yes.
- Q Why does USAA Bank only allow members to bank with it?
- A It goes back to we are wanting to take care of those who serve. So we are selective. We feel the people in the military have honor, they have morals, they have standards, and that's -- since that's what the company was based on, we want

Monica Alcala - Direct Examination to continue that tradition and to ensure that we are focusing on their needs because we know what it's like to be a military member.

We are given training classes to know what it's like for a member to deploy last minute or how the spouse feels when she's home taking care of all the bills, what it's like to come home and have to start back up.

So they really take -- USAA takes pride in teaching us, if we were never prior military, at least to teach us and have us understand who we're serving, so they want to keep it very member-centric.

- Q Okay. When someone applies to become a member, do you confirm that they were actually -- are or were a member of the United States armed service?
 - A Yes.

- Q Okay. And once -- have you worked in the banking industry other than USAA Bank?
- A Yes. Prior to USAA, I worked at Chase -- at JP Morgan Chase.
- Q And is it your experience that once someone becomes a member at USAA, they are trusted higher than the average bank customer?
 - A Yes.
- Q And why is that?
- A Again, it goes back to our military. They are chosen
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Monica Alcala - Direct Examination to protect us, and there's a lot that they do, and they're held at a higher standard in our eyes, so we feel that we trust them just as much. What is the primary way that the vast majority Okay. of your customers do their banking? We are considered an online bank. So you would go through our online mobile app or through the regular USAA.com. Okay. Do you have any brick and mortar banks? Q We have the San Antonio office. We used to have financial centers, but those have been closed. So right now 11 the only brick and mortar would be the San Antonio location. Okay. So almost all your members do the online Q 13 banking? 14 Α Yes. Okay. I'm going to show you what's marked as Q 16 Government's Exhibit 91, just for the -- you can flip to it. Do you recognize Government's Exhibit 91? This is the home page for our website. 19 And if you could -- just you flip through 20 those pages independently and let me know if you recognize 21 these pages that represent Exhibit 91. 22 Α Yes. 23 And are -- is this an actual copy of the screenshots Q

taken from USAA website?

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- Q Is this an accurate screenshot or basically a photograph of the way the website looks?
 - A Yes. It's exactly how it looks.
- MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, at this time I'd like to admit Government's Exhibit 91.

6 THE COURT: So admitted.

(Government's Exhibit 91 admitted into evidence.)

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Q Okay. If you could publish it to the jury. Could you blow up the photograph, please, David?

And, again, it talks about what you were just testifying to, that you serve military members and their families.

And then if you click "Who We Serve," could you go to Page 1-2. Could you expand that please.

And is that an accurate representation of who membership is open to?

- A Yes. That is the current way that you become a member.
- 20 Q Okay. And where are the headquarters of USAA Bank?
 - A The headquarters is San Antonio, Texas.
 - Q Do you happen to know where the computer servers are located that serve USAA Bank?
 - A They're in Texas. Dallas, Plano area is the primary.
 - Q Okay. So you mention that you were a financial fraud
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Did you get involved in the case that's before the court against Mr. Randall Beane?

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- Q And did the defendant Randall Keith Beane have an account at USAA?
 - A Yes, he did.
 - Q And do you know when he opened it?
- A The account, I believe, was opened 2015 -- 2016 is when the account was opened.
 - Q Okay. I'm going to point you to the attention of Government's Exhibit 2 through 77 in that. And we went over all these documents together last night.
- Do you recognize those?
- 15 A Yes, I do.
 - Q Okay. Are the documents -- are you familiar with whether or not the documents in Government's Exhibit 2 through 77 are records that are kept in the course of regularly conducted business activities of USAA?
- 20 A Yes, they are.
- 21 Q And was the -- was it prepared by, at, or near the 22 time of the event recorded?
- 23 A Yes.
 - Q Was it made by a person with knowledge of the event or from information transmitted by a person with knowledge?

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1 A Yes.

- Q Is it the regular practice of USAA to make such records?
 - A Yes.
 - MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, at this time, I'd like to move to admit Government's Exhibit 2 through 77. And they're in order with no gaps.
 - MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I'm sorry. I don't even know what documents she's referring to. As far as the order, I'm not sure which ones. Can I just briefly review which ones she's trying to submit?
- MS. DAVIDSON: Sure. These were all provided in discovery.
 - MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I'm sure they were. There was just so much. I just want to be able to know what she's referring to.
 - MS. DAVIDSON: 2 through 77.
 - MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I just have a question. If she's going to be going through each of these so we can see them --
 - MS. DAVIDSON: I am. I'm admitting them first so that we don't have to keep going back and forth between do you -- the computer versus -- so I admitted them all at once and I'm going to go through each and every one of them.
 - MR. BEANE: I'd like to see them as well.
 - MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Okay. I'm good with them.

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1	THE COURT: Ms. Davidson, would you mind bringing		
2	them over to Mr. Beane? Thank you.		
3	MR. BEANE: There's some pages I didn't get in my		
4	discovery.		
5	MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, we provided them all in		
6	discovery.		
7	THE COURT: Other than that, any objection to the		
8	documents themselves?		
9	MR. BEANE: Not at this point.		
10	THE COURT: Then we'll admit Government's Exhibits 2		
11	through 77.		
12	MS. DAVIDSON: All of these documents were provided		
13	in the very first discovery.		
14	THE COURT: Go ahead.		
15	(Government's Exhibits 2 through 77 admitted into		
16	evidence.)		
17	BY MS. DAVIDSON:		
18	Q Okay. Let's pull up Government's Exhibit 4. You can		
19	look at it on the computer or either in the book, whichever is		
20	easier for you. But we'll pull it up on the computer for the		
21	jury.		
22	And what is Government's Exhibit 4?		
23	A This is an online application for a checking account		
24	for Randall Keith Beane.		
25	Q Okay. And if you can is this the first		

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1	application that was submitted by Mr. Beane to USAA Bank?
2	A Yes. This was the first account that was created and
3	opened.
4	Q Okay. If you could put the date received. Okay. So
5	that's May 19th, 2016?
6	A Yes.
7	Q And what's the e-mail address on that?
8	A It's ENALRR67@Gmail.com.
9	Q Okay. And I see there's a member number there. Is
10	that a unique identifier?
11	A Yes. When you submit your information to USAA,
12	you're given a membership number. It's a unique membership
13	number that never changes. You can't ask for a new one. But
14	this establishes you based off of your name, date of birth,
15	social that you provide to us. So that's your unique
16	identifier.
17	Q So is this unique identifier on every line of
18	business that you have with USAA Bank?
19	A Yes, it is.
20	Q So you can open ten different checking accounts,
21	savings accounts, auto loans, it all goes back to the same
22	member number?
23	A Correct. We tend to reference that instead of a

Correct. We tend to reference that instead of a Α Social Security number for protection.

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Okay. And if you could go to another section of the UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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1	form, spe	cifically where the address and Social Security are.
2		And so who is the primary applicant's name on this?
3	А	Randall Keith Beane.
4	Q	And what is the Social Security number?
5	А	243-39-1135.
6	Q	And the date of birth?
7	А	It's 9/29/67.
8	Q	Okay. And let's does this open a checking
9	account?	
LO		If you could make it bigger.
L1		Is this for a checking account?
L2	А	Yes.
L3	Q	And what is the checking account number that's
L4	assigned to this account?	
L5	A	It's 206953062.
L6	Q	And so often when there are phone calls with
L7	customers	, do you refer do people that work for USAA refer
L8	to the ac	count by the last couple of numbers?
L9	A	Yes. It's usually the last four numbers.
20	Q	Last four numbers. Okay.
21		And let's go to funding method. And what is that?
22	A	An eCheck is an ACH transaction where the member will
23	provide t	heir routing number and account number that they want
24	us to dra	w the money from to open the account.
25	Q	Okay. And if you can, David, go to the routing

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1	number an	d the funding account number. Okay.
2		And so show me the funding account number. What is
3	that? Is	that an account number?
4	А	Right. That's the account number that's provided to
5	us and th	at's 48611633.
6	Q	Okay. And funding routing number, what is a routing
7	number?	
8	А	That one designates the bank. 103112675 is actually
9	for Fort	Sill.
10	Q	Okay. And so how were the numbers entered into this
11	screen?	
12	А	That would have been entered by the member, Randall
13	Beane.	
14	Q	Okay. So because it is this all done on a
15	computer?	
16	А	This one is. It specifies that it was the
17	applicati	on was done online.
18	Q	Okay. So the member, in this case, Randall Beane,
19	had to ac	tually type the routing number?
20	А	Correct.
21	Q	And had to type the account number?
22	A	Correct.
23	Q	Okay. And what is the total funding amount that
24	opens thi	s account?
25	А	It was \$25 that was requested to open the account.

- Q Okay. If you could go back to the normal size, please.
 - And was this online account opened? Was it approved?
- 4 A Yes.

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- Q And in order for it to be approved, was Mr. Beane, the defendant's service record checked?
 - A Yes.
 - Q And is he a former service member in the United States Air Force?
- 10 A Yes.
- 11 Q Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 6.
- Okay. If you could -- what is this? Can you tell from looking at it?
- 14 A This is an online application for a savings account 15 for Randall Keith Beane.
- Q Okay. And what is the date that this savings account is opened?
- 18 A It was June 10th, 2016.
- Q Okay. And, again, the member number, is this the same member number that you just -- that's always with Randall Keith Beane?
- 22 A Yes.
- 23 Q And e-mail address?
- 24 A It's EAN -- ENALRR67@Gmail.com.
- Q Okay. And if we could look at the Social Security
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Monica Alcala - Direct Examination number on this. The social is 243-39-1135. Α Same social as the last -- Government's Exhibit --Q what was it -- 4. Right? Α That's correct. Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 52. Q Can you tell what Government's Exhibit 52 is? This is an application for a checking and a savings Α account with -- it actually has Ricky E. Beane and Randall Keith Beane as coapplicants. Okay. And it was opened on what date? June 25th, 2016. Okay. And so this is another checking and savings account that Randall Beane had?

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If we could go to the member number, is it the same member number?

That is actually the membership number for Ricky Beane, because he was considered primary on the account.

Okay. And so how is Randall Beane related to this account?

He's the secondary, and his membership number would appear at the bottom at the next part of the application.

- Okay. And is that a Randall Keith Beane number? Q
- Yes. That's his membership number.

Q Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 56.

And what is Government's Exhibit 56?

A This is a credit card application with Randall Keith Beane as the primary, adding an authorized user of Ricky Beane, Ricky E. Beane.

- Q Okay. And when was this application taken?
- A The application was done June 12th of 2016.
- Q Okay. Let's look at the member number. And same member number?
- 10 A Yes.

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- Q Same Social Security number?
- 12 A Yes.
- Q Same e-mail address?
- 14 A Yes.
- Okay. If you could go over to the service part of the form, please.
- 17 And it says, "Branch of service, U.S. Air Force"?
- 18 A Correct.
- 19 Q "Randall K. Beane."
- Okay. Can you go to the income of this credit card application, \$90,000?
- 22 A Yeah.
- 23 Q And what -- who provided that information?
- A That would have been provided by Randall Beane during the time of the application.

- Q And what is a secured credit card?
- A A secured credit card is usually offered to people who have not established credit yet or maybe have bad credit and we're trying to help them reestablish. In order to have a secured credit card, you must have a secured CD before you can get the credit card.

So a CD, a certificate of deposit, means that there's guaranteed funds in an account, and it sits there as long as you have the credit card. So if you wanted a \$500 credit card to help build your credit and help make it better, you want to make sure you have a \$500 CD with USAA in order to be able to back it. In the event that you defaulted, we could use the money to pay it off.

- Q With this secured credit card, did Randall Keith Beane purchase a CD from USAA in order to fund that secured credit card?
 - A Yes.

- Q And so let's move onto Government's Exhibit 53. I'm sorry, 55. Let's focus on the next credit card application.
 - Okay. And what is Government's Exhibit 55?
- A 55 is a credit card application in Randall Beane's name only.
 - Q Okay. This is August 15th, 2016?
- 24 A Correct.
 - Q And you can focus on the bottom, David, the submit UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

- 1 date.
- Okay. So this is what, roughly, couple months after
- 3 the last credit card application?
- 4 A Yes.
- Okay. And let's go to member number, e-mail address,
- 6 and Social Security. So its member number, is that Randall
- 7 Keith Beane's number?
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 Q Social Security number?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q E-mail address?
- 12 A Yes.
- Q Okay. And if we could look at Government's
- 14 Exhibit 55. Could you move to the income that was reported in
- 15 this?
- 16 A It's 144,264 annually.
- 17 Q And where did that figure come from?
- 18 A Mr. Beane would have provided that.
- 19 Q Okay. Let's move to Government's Exhibit 53.
- What is this?
- 21 A This is a checking account for Randall Keith Beane.
- 22 Q And when was this opened?
- 23 A February 1st, 2017.
- Q Okay. And it's another checking account?
- 25 A That is correct.

- Q Okay. And let's move on to Government's Exhibit -was this one opened?
 - A Yes.

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- Q Okay. And that's on February --
- 5 A The 1st.
- 6 Q -- 1st, 2017?
- 7 A Correct.
- Q Okay. Let's move to Government's Exhibit 54.
 And what is this?
- 10 A This is another checking account submitted for 11 Randall Beane on February 1st, 2017.
- Q Okay. And what -- on the February 1st, 2017, does the address, is it different?
- 14 A Yes, it's different than the prior applications.
- 15 Q And what is the address on these applications?
 - A These, it's 300 State Street, Apartment 365.
- Q Okay. So on February 1st, 2017, he opened two more checking accounts?
- 19 A Yes.
- Q Okay. And let's go to Government's Exhibit 57.
- 21 What is Government's Exhibit 57?
 - A This is a bank account statement for Randall Beane's account number ending in 3062 from June 20th of 2016 to July 19th, 2016.
 - Q Okay. And is this for the -- what we call his
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Monica Alcala - Direct Examination 1 primary account number, the first one he opened, 3062? 2 That was the first one that was opened. Yes. 3 And in your investigation, is this the checking Q 4 account that Mr. Beane primarily used? 5 Α Yes. 6 Okay. And so this is for the time period June 20th, Q 7 2016 to July 19th, 2016? 8 Α Correct. 9 Okay. Let's look at the deposits. This is for a 10 month. Right? 11 Yes. Α 12 Okay. And let's go down and look at some of the actual deposits in here. Okay. And if you could identify some 13 14 of those deposits? 15 Α We've got a couple of payroll deposits from Advantage 16 Innovation on July 6 for \$2,783.62 and then again July 13 for 17 \$2,235.29. 18 Okay. And on this -- on this statement, there is a 19 CD purchase. Is this the purchase that he made to secure that 20 secured credit card we just reviewed? 21 That is correct. Α 22 And so did you research to see how he purchased this Q 23 CD? 24 Yes. Α

And how did he do it?

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- A It was online and it was the request to draw funds from his -- on that one, I believe it was from his external account, \$250.
 - Q Okay. So he created this CD himself online?
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- 6 Q And that was for \$250 initially?
- 7 A Correct.
- Q Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 58.

 And what is this?
- 10 A This is a checking account statement for the account
 11 ending in 3062 from July 19th, 2016 to August 18th, 2016.
- Q Okay. And let's scroll down and look at the deposits. And total deposits over 15,000?
- 14 A Correct.
 - Q And if you could scroll down to look at -- okay.

 So what is a NSF fee?
 - A NSF is insufficient funds. It means you attempted to have a payment to come through and there was not enough funds. So bounced check, bounced payment, something where you attempted to pay another person and there was not enough money to cover it.
 - Q Okay. So on his checking account statement from July 19th, 2016 to August 18th, 2016, he's got a bounced check, even though he has \$15,000 in deposits?
 - A That's correct.

- Okay. And does this statement also reflect that he's had multiple bounced checks throughout this year?
- Yes. So we give you how many -- the information is Α how many you've had for the month and how many you've had for the year to date.
 - Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 59. Q And when is this for?
- This is the account ending the 3062 for Randall Beane Α from August 18th, 2016 to September 19th, 2016.
- 10 Okay. And if you could scroll down and look at the 11 next part of the statement.
 - What are the total amount of deposits?
- It's \$16,697.14. 13
- 14 Okay. Continue to scroll down, please. Q 15 And this month of August 18th to September 19th,
- 16 another insufficient funds charge?
- 17 Α Correct.

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- Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 61. 18 19
- 20 A statement for the account ending in 3062 for Α

What is Government's Exhibit 61?

- 21 Randall Beane from October 18th, 2016 to November 17, 2016.
- 22 Q Okay. If you could look at the deposits.
- 23 More than \$13,000 worth of deposits?
- 24 Correct. Α
- 25 Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 62. Q UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Monica Alcala - Direct Examination same -- this is for November to December of 2016? 1 2 That's correct. Α 3 Same account number? 4 Yes. Α 5 Let's look at the deposits again, 12,000. And if you 6 could continue down on the insufficient funds statement. 7 So there's another bounced check this month? 8 Yes. Α 9 So total for the year \$116? Q 10 Correct. Α 11 Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 63. Q 12 What is Government's Exhibit 63? 13 It's for the next month. It's account ending in 3062 for December 19th, 2016 to January 18th, 2017. 14 15 Q Okay. And I notice on this one that he has a new 16 address. What's the address on this statement? 17 Α 300 State Street, Apartment 365. Okay. And let's scroll down just to look at his 18 19 deposits. 20 \$12,000 in deposits? 21 Yes. Α 22 Okay. Let's go to 65. Q 23 Okay. This is February to March 2017? 24 Correct. Α 25 If we could scroll down to the -- what's the Q

Monica Alcala - Direct Examination 1 total number of deposits? 2 \$21,965.25. Α 3 Okay. And scroll down, please. Another bounced 4 check? 5 Α One bounced check, yes. 6 Let's go to Government's Exhibit 66. Q 7 What statement is this? 8 This is March 17th, 2017 to April 18, 2017. Α 9 Let's just go straight to the insufficient funds. 10 he has two more this month? 11 Yes. Α 12 Okay. Government's Exhibit 67. Q And April to May, 2017? 13 14 Correct. Α 15 Q Okay. Go straight to the insufficient funds. 16 more? 17 Α Yes. 18 Government's Exhibit 68. Q 19 Okay. What's the time period of this? 20 May 18th, 2017 to June 19th, 2017. Α 21 And total deposits over \$13,000? Q 22 Correct. Α 23 Q And three more bounced checks? 24 Correct. Α 25 So the total for this year as of June 19th, 2017 is Q UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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1	\$232?	
2	А	Yes.
3	Q	Let's go to Government's Exhibit 69.
4		And what's the time period of this?
5	А	June 19th, 2017 to July 18th, 2017.
6	Q	Okay. And what's the total amount of deposits?
7	А	\$2,553,137.69.
8	Q	What's the balance at the close of this statement?
9	А	The account is overdrawn at \$513,186.27.
10	Q	Okay. So we'll come back to this.
11		Okay. So besides credit cards and checking accounts
12	and savin	gs accounts, multiple checking accounts, did Randall
13	Beane hav	re any other loans with USAA Bank?
14	А	He had four consumer loans with us.
15	Q	Okay. Let's go to Government's Exhibit 70.
16		What is Government's Exhibit 70?
17	А	70 is an application for a consumer loan for Randall
18	Beane.	
19	Q	Okay. If you could focus on the borrower, please.
20		Randall Beane, State Street, Knoxville, Tennessee?
21	А	Yes.
22	Q	Okay. And what's the amount of this loan?
23	А	This loan amount was \$10,998.88.
24	Q	What is it for?
25	А	This was for a 2002 Ford Excursion was the

Monica Alcala - Direct Examination 1 collateral. 2 Okay. Government's Exhibit 72. Q 3 And Randall Beane? Correct. 4 Α And what was the amount? 5 6 4,500. Α 7 Okay. And what was it for? 8 The collateral was a 1998 Ford F150. Α 9 Okay. Government's Exhibit 74. Q 10 Randall Keith Beane? 11 Α Yes. 12 What's the amount? 13 \$16,847.23. 14 Okay. And what's it for? 15 This was for the purchase of a 2010 Lincoln Α 16 Navigator. 17 Okay. Government's Exhibit 76. Randall Keith Beane? 18 19 Yes. Α 20 What's the amount of the loan? 21 \$7,875. Α 22 And what's this one for? The collateral is a 2007 Lincoln. 23 Α 24 Okay. I'm going to direct your attention to Q

July 3rd, 2017. And we recently looked at his checking account

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Monica Alcala - Direct Examination 1 statement of that relevant time period. 2 Can a member call USAA Bank? 3 Α Yes. 4 And how does that work? Q 5 If they have questions, concerns, problems, they just 6 want to ask about different things, they can just call up the 7 1-800 number and ask for a specific department. 8 Okay. Does USAA make recordings of these calls? Q 9 They do. 10 Do they make recordings of all calls? Q 11 No, not all calls are recorded. Α 12 Is it kind of random? Q 13 It's randomly designated. 14 Are the calls made at the time the call was made --Q 15 let me restate that. 16 Was the recording made at the time the calls were 17 made? 18 Yes. Α 19 Okay. And how are they stored? 20 They're stored in a database that is used for the 21 normal course of business. 22 Okay. And did you search that database and pull all 23 calls by a member Randall Keith Beane between July 3rd, 2017

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Yes, I did.

- Q And are those recordings kept in the ordinary course of USAA's business?
 - A Yes, they are.
 - Q And did you review those conversations?
- 5 A I did.

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- Q And we listened to each of those exhibits, 81, 82,
- 7 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, and 90 last night in my office?
 - A Correct.
 - Q And these are your initials on this CD?
- 10 A Yes.
- 11 Q And so are these exhibits accurate of the recordings
 12 that were kept on USAA database?
- 13 A Yes.

and 90.

- MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, at this time, I'd like to admit Government's Exhibit 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89,
- 17 THE COURT: So admitted.
- 18 (Government's Exhibits 81 through 90 admitted into evidence.)
- 20 BY MS. DAVIDSON:
- Q Okay. I'm going to show you what's marked as
 Government's Exhibit 3.
- What is Government's Exhibit 3, if you could explain it to the jury?
- 25 A Those are transactions that were done on account UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

127 Monica Alcala - Direct Examination ending in 3062. Okay. And is this the online statement of a checking Q account that was ending -- his primary checking account? This was the information that you'd be able to see Α online, yes. Okay. And so this is the 3062 account number? Q Yes. And this is just like the checking account information that we just saw, what was it, Government's 10 Exhibit -- Government's Exhibit 69? 11 Α Yes. 12 So 3 is basically the online statement of Government's Exhibit 69, that checking account statement that I 13 14 just showed you? 15 Α Correct. 16 Okay. So let's play at this time for the jury 17 Government's Exhibit 81. And this is a recording made on July 3rd, 2017. Is 18 19 that correct? 20 Α Yes. 21 (Audio played in open court; not reported.) 22 BY MS. DAVIDSON: 23

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Okay. And so let's go back to Government's Exhibit 3. And so if you could scroll down to 7/3/2019 on this -- I mean, '17. 7/3/2017. I'm sorry. You went too far.

Okay. So on -- what can you see that happened on

2 7/3?

A These are loan payments that were made.

Q No. Just -- you stopped where I wanted you to. Go back down, the loan payments. Yeah.

Okay. So these loan payments that he references in the phone call are -- he does actually make payments, you can tell that by this online statement?

A Right. So those were the payments that were made to catch up the loans.

Q Okay. And he does that with his actual money that's in that account?

A Correct.

Q Okay. Tell me what -- tell me about adding a funding account. What does that mean?

A So if you are wanting to add an external bank account to pay your bills, transfer money, you would do that on the funds transfer.

So for instance, if I have a Bank of America account as well as USAA, and I want to be able to transfer back and forth or to use it to pay my bills, I would log on, add the routing number and the account number to the USAA app to have it for future use.

Q Okay. And on July 3rd, 2017, did Randall Beane add a funding account to the USAA website?

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- 2 Q And what did he call this funding account?
- 3 A It was listed as trust.
 - Q Okay. And what was the routing number of that funding account?
 - A I don't have the exact number, but it was for the Federal Reserve Bank.
 - Q And what was the account number?
- 9 A The account number was Randall Beane's Social 10 Security number.
- 11 Q So his actual -- his actual Social Security number?
- 12 A Yes.
- Q So Federal Reserve routing number and then his actual Social Security number on July 3rd?
- 15 A Correct.
- Q Okay. And so once he added that funding account, what did he do?
 - A He used that account to pay -- to completely pay off the four loans, to pay off his credit card, and to pay his auto insurance in full.
 - Q Okay. And so he added this account, and then made all these payments. Is that an instantaneous process? Does -- when he adds this account, is the money immediately sucked out of whatever he put on the website?
 - A The account is added. And to pay your bills, it

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1	automatically credits all of the different bills. So
2	automatically it assumed that the loan was paid off, that the
3	credit cards were good, and that the insurance was paid in
4	full.
5	Q Okay. But it doesn't immediately withdraw money from
6	the Federal Reserve?
7	A No. No.
8	Q Okay.
9	A If we're pulling money from an external bank, it can
10	take a couple of days.
11	Q Okay. And that's what kind of transaction is
12	that?
13	A That's called an ACH.
14	Q An ACH transaction. And what how many what's
15	the closing time of most ACH transactions?
16	A We submit the requests at the end of the business
17	day. So 8:00 p.m. is when we batch everything. So it can take
18	anywhere from two to ten days for the other bank to receive it
19	and give us the money that we're requesting.
20	Q Okay. But with USAA members, you immediately credit
21	their payment?
22	A Yes.
23	Q Even before you have the money?

Yes. It goes back to we try to take care of our

members who are active military, so we try to take care of them

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Monica Alcala - Direct Examination 1 as fast as possible. Okay. So let's go to Government's Exhibit 44. 2 THE COURT: Let's do this. I don't know what the --3 4 a really good stopping point is. I know this --5 MS. DAVIDSON: This is as good as any. 6 THE COURT: Let's go ahead and stop for the 7 afternoon. I have a couple matters to take up outside the 8 presence of the jury. We'll excuse the members of the jury and 9 we'll plan to pick back up with this witness tomorrow, which is 10 Wednesday, January 24 at 9:00 a.m. 11 Just a couple reminders with respect to any -- if you 12 are using your notepad and taking notes, leave them in the jury room at your seat and they'll be secured for the evening. 13 14 Just a reminder as you heard me state earlier today, 15 don't talk about the case among yourselves or with anyone else, 16 and continue to keep an open mind about the case as you hear 17 all the evidence in this case over the next several days. To the extent that there is any news reporting of this case, 18 refrain from reading anything or listening to anything that may 19 20 be said in the media about this case to the extent it might be. 21 So with those instructions in mind, I wish everyone a pleasant evening, and we'll see you back here tomorrow. 22

The jury is excused.

(Jury out at 4:55 p.m.)

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THE COURT: Thank you. The witness may be excused UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the day. Be back here tomorrow morning. Everyone can sit down a moment.

Just a couple of quick things. One, I may or may not have discussed that last week, but if you notice when one side or the other, in this case, the government asks to introduce a document, my normal course of action is to pause and look at — in this case, the defendants and to give you the chance to object, and if I don't hear anything or see anything, then I'll admit the document. I would do the same thing with any documents that the defendants seek to introduce with respect to their case.

The other thing I was going to bring up real quickly, Ms. Tucci-Jarraf, I know you -- I understand you were a little late getting here, pushed for time getting here because of one of your conditions of release, which I guess restricts you to your residence until 8:00 a.m. in the morning. Is that correct?

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Yes. I've actually addressed that a number of times with Shirley, with -- even mentioned -- I'm not sure if I mentioned it on the 12th, but every other time I've mentioned that in court for the court hearings to try to get a -- how do you say -- to be able to leave early, get permission early to leave.

THE COURT: Well, now that --

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: It's really hard for me to leave UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

from Oakland -- or Oak Ridge to get here from eight at rush-hour traffic.

THE COURT: What time would you -- what time would be best, 7:00 a.m., 7:30?

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: I would prefer 7:00 a.m.

THE COURT: All right. We'll --

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: That way I can be here.

THE COURT: We'll do this --

MS. TUCCI-JARRAF: Thank you.

THE COURT: -- in fact, Ms. Norwood has drafted something -- since we changed the one condition release related to avoiding contact, except that the defendants may meet for purposes of trial preparation in the presence of elbow counsel and coordinate with the U.S. Marshals Service, so we've got that in writing. And the second one we'll modify bond condition to 7P to the curfew being -- instead of 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m., from 8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. and during -- during the course of the trial. And then we can assess it, if we need to, after that.

All right. So if, Ms. Norwood, you can make that -- add that additional language. And then you can look at that, get it signed. But the Court is orally changing your condition of release during the course of the trial from 8:00 a.m., backing it up to 7:00 a.m. And then if you-all want to wait around to maybe sign it and can get the probation officer to

sign it. But if for some reason it doesn't get signed today, that starts tomorrow at 7:00 a.m. during the course of the trial.

All right. Unless there's anything else, we'll see everybody back here at 9:00 a.m.

Mr. Lloyd?

MR. LLOYD: Your Honor, two things. One, a housekeeping matter. May we leave some of this material here overnight?

THE COURT: Yes. We don't have anything else scheduled tomorrow.

MR. LLOYD: The other thing is, I noticed that the exhibits that have gone in most recently do have identifying information on them, such as Social Security numbers. I wanted to ask the Court how the Court anticipates handling compliance with the redaction policy of the district.

THE COURT: Government have any thoughts in that regard?

MS. DAVIDSON: Your Honor, in this case, the Social Security number is very important, which is why we did not redact them prior to trial. I am aware of the policy of the Court, and we are planning to redact the transcript before it is written up. But, unfortunately, I believe that his Social Security number is very important for our exhibits and needs to be unredacted.

THE COURT: So why don't -- let me think about that. I mean, I understand the government's position and I hear their response. So why don't y'all think about that response and we can talk about it tomorrow if we need to. MR. LLOYD: Yes, Your Honor. THE COURT: Thank y'all. Everyone have a pleasant evening. THE COURTROOM DEPUTY: All rise. This honorable court stands in recess until Wednesday, the 24th, at 9:00 a.m. (Proceedings recessed at 5:00 p.m.)

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