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936-943	b6-2,-3; b7C-2,-3; b7E-6; (8 pages)
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Date of entry 03/08/2017

On or about [Redacted] participated in separate interviews with [Redacted]

b6 -2, -3
b7C -2, -3

Audio downloads of the interviews are attached in the 1A section of the file.

For reference, agent transcribed the interviews. Summary transcriptions are also attached in the 1A section of the file.

Investigation on 03/02/2017 at San Francisco, California, United States (In Person)

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2

File # [Redacted] Date drafted 03/07/2017

by [Redacted]

[Redacted]

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Date of entry 04/13/2017

On March 21, 2017, agent made the attached email request for information to Perkins Coie, counsel for the victim.

On March 31, 2017, Perkins Coie attorney [Redacted] contacted agent and provided a verbal summary in response to the request. He advised a more detailed, written response would be provided soon. Notes from the call are attached.

b6 -4
b7C -4

On April 10, 2017, agent made the attached email follow up request for information.

Investigation on 03/31 at San Francisco, California, United States (Phone)
72017
File # [Redacted] Date drafted 04/12/2017
by [Redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2

From: [redacted] (SF) (FBI)
To: [redacted] (Perkins Coie)
Cc: [redacted] (SF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: DNC / DCCC data
Date: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 2:01:00 PM
Attachments: [redacted]

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -6, -8

Hello [redacted]
It has been a while [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] Please let me know if these are appropriately addressed to you and [redacted]
[redacted] or if they are better suited for [redacted]

Their first concern [redacted]
[redacted]

b7E -6, -8

Second, [redacted]
[redacted]

b7E -6, -8

Lastly [redacted]
[redacted]

b7E -6, -8

Thanks again for all your assistance to date. We really appreciate it.
[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -1

[redacted]
Special Agent
FBI - San Francisco
[redacted] cell
[redacted] desk

From: [redacted] (Perkins Coie) [mailto:[redacted]]
Sent: Thursday, October 27, 2016 7:53 AM
To: [redacted] (SF) (FBI) [redacted]
Cc: [redacted] (SF) (FBI) [redacted]
Subject: RE: DNC / DCCC data

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -1

Hi [redacted]

From: [redacted] (SF) (FBI)
To: [redacted] (Perkins Coie)
Cc: [redacted] (SF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: FBI follow up: [redacted]
Date: Monday, April 10, 2017 6:43:00 PM

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -8

Hello [redacted]

In our last call you indicated a written response to our questions would be coming soon. I just wanted to follow up on that aspect as it would be helpful to our team.

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -8

[redacted]

Thank you,
[redacted]

From: [redacted] (Perkins Coie) [mailto:[redacted]]
Sent: Friday, March 31, 2017 4:28 PM
To: [redacted] (SF) (FBI) [redacted]
Cc: [redacted] (SF) (FBI) [redacted]
Subject: Re: FBI follow up: [redacted]

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -1, -8

[redacted]

I don't have an answer for you right now but I understand your request and will get back to you as soon as I am able.

Regards,
[redacted]

On Mar 31, 2017, at 7:22 PM, [redacted] (SF) (FBI) [redacted] wrote:

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -1, -6, -8

Hello [redacted]

Thank you for your call today.

[redacted]

Thank you,
[redacted]

[Redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4

[Redacted] Perkins Cole LLP
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

From: [Redacted] (SF) (FBI) [mailto:[Redacted]]
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 2:01 PM
To: [Redacted] (WDC)
Cc: [Redacted] (SF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: DNC / DCCC data

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -6, -8

Hello [Redacted]
It has been a while [Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted] Please let me know if these are appropriately addressed to you and [Redacted]
[Redacted] or if they are better suited for [Redacted]

Their first concern [Redacted]
[Redacted]

b7E -6, -8

Second [Redacted]
[Redacted]

b7E -6, -8

Lastly, [Redacted]
[Redacted]

b7E -6, -8

Thanks again for all your assistance to date. We really appreciate it.

[Redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -1

[Redacted]
Special Agent
FBI - San Francisco
[Redacted] cell
[Redacted] desk

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of entry 04/17/2017

[redacted] date of birth [redacted] was interviewed by [redacted] b6 -1, -2, -4
 Special Agents [redacted] at her attorney, b7C -1, -2, -4
 [redacted] office at [redacted]
 Nevada. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents
 and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information
 in the presences of [redacted]

[redacted] was aware that the Democratic National Convention (DNC) believes
 it was "hacked" and that there was an on-going investigation into b6 -4
 matter. As an avid user of twitter, [redacted] attempted to reach out to b7C -4
 Guccifer2.0 via twitter direct message (DM). [redacted]
 [redacted] planned to develop an online relationship with him
 [redacted]
 [redacted]

[redacted]

In or around August 2016, Guccifer2.0 became unresponsive and [redacted] b6 -2, -4
 believes he is no longer using twitter. [redacted] contacted [redacted] b7C -2, -4
 [redacted] that she believed also
 communicated with Guccifer2.0 via twitter. [redacted] confirmed that she
 had not received any new communication from Guccifer2.0 since the August
 /September 2016 time-frame. b6 -2, -4
 b7C -2, -4

[redacted]
 [redacted] In or around early April 2017, [redacted] noticed that the author
 Rodger Stone had taken an interest in Guccifer2.0 and had written an
 article about him. [redacted]
 [redacted]

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Investigation on 04/12 at [redacted] Nevada, United States (In Person) b6 -1
 7/2017 b7C -1
 File # [redacted] Date drafted 04/13/2017 b7E -2
 by [redacted]

[Redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4
b7E -2

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[Redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

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Continuation of FD-302 of (U//~~FOUO~~) Interview of [Redacted], On [Redacted], Page 2 of 2

[Redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[Redacted] does not know who Guccifer2.0 is, or where he is located. She only communicated with him through twitter. [Redacted]

[Redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[Redacted] had not met anyone or spoken to anyone by the name of [Redacted] [Redacted] When asked about these names, she believed the interviewing agent was referring to [Redacted] mentioned above.

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[Redacted]

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Date of entry 04/28/2017

On April 25, 2017, agent received the attached email from SA [Redacted] who previously interviewed [Redacted] forwarding an email from [Redacted] [Redacted] referenced, as well as the [Redacted] [Redacted] have been attached.

b6 -1, -2, -4
b7C -1, -2, -4
b7E -6

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2

Investigation on 04/25/2017 at San Francisco, California, United States (Email)

File # [Redacted] Date drafted 04/25/2017

by [Redacted]

From: [redacted] (LV) (FBI)
To: [redacted] (SF) (FBI)
Subject: FW: Hi from [redacted] Info Regarding Guccifer 2.0, and Seth Rich.
Date: Tuesday, April 25, 2017 2:46:04 PM

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4

[redacted]

I don't know if any of the below is meaningful to you, but I thought I would pass it along. If it's not I'll filter out what she sends.

From: [redacted]
Sent: Tuesday, April 25, 2017 2:02 AM
To: [redacted] (LV) (FBI); [redacted] (LV) (FBI)
[redacted]
Subject: Hi from [redacted] - Info Regarding Guccifer 2.0, and Seth Rich.

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -1

Hi [redacted]

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4

I hope you are doing well!

[redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4

[redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[Redacted]

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Date of entry 04/28/2017

On April 23, 2017, agent received the attached email from [Redacted] of Perkins Coie containing written responses to questions previously posed and discussed as described in above referenced serial.

b6 -4
b7C -4

Investigation on 04/25/2017 at San Francisco, California, United States (Email)

File # [Redacted] Date drafted 04/25/2017

by [Redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2

From: [redacted] (Perkins, Cole)
To: [redacted] (SE) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] (FBI); [redacted]
Subject: Response to DNC/DCCC-related questions
Date: Sunday, April 23, 2017 9:23:46 PM

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4

[redacted]

b6 -1, -2, -4
b7C -1, -2, -4
b7E -8

Here are the written responses to the questions that we discussed by phone earlier this month. [redacted]

[redacted] is copied; you can follow-up with him directly if you have further questions regarding the information below.

Regards,

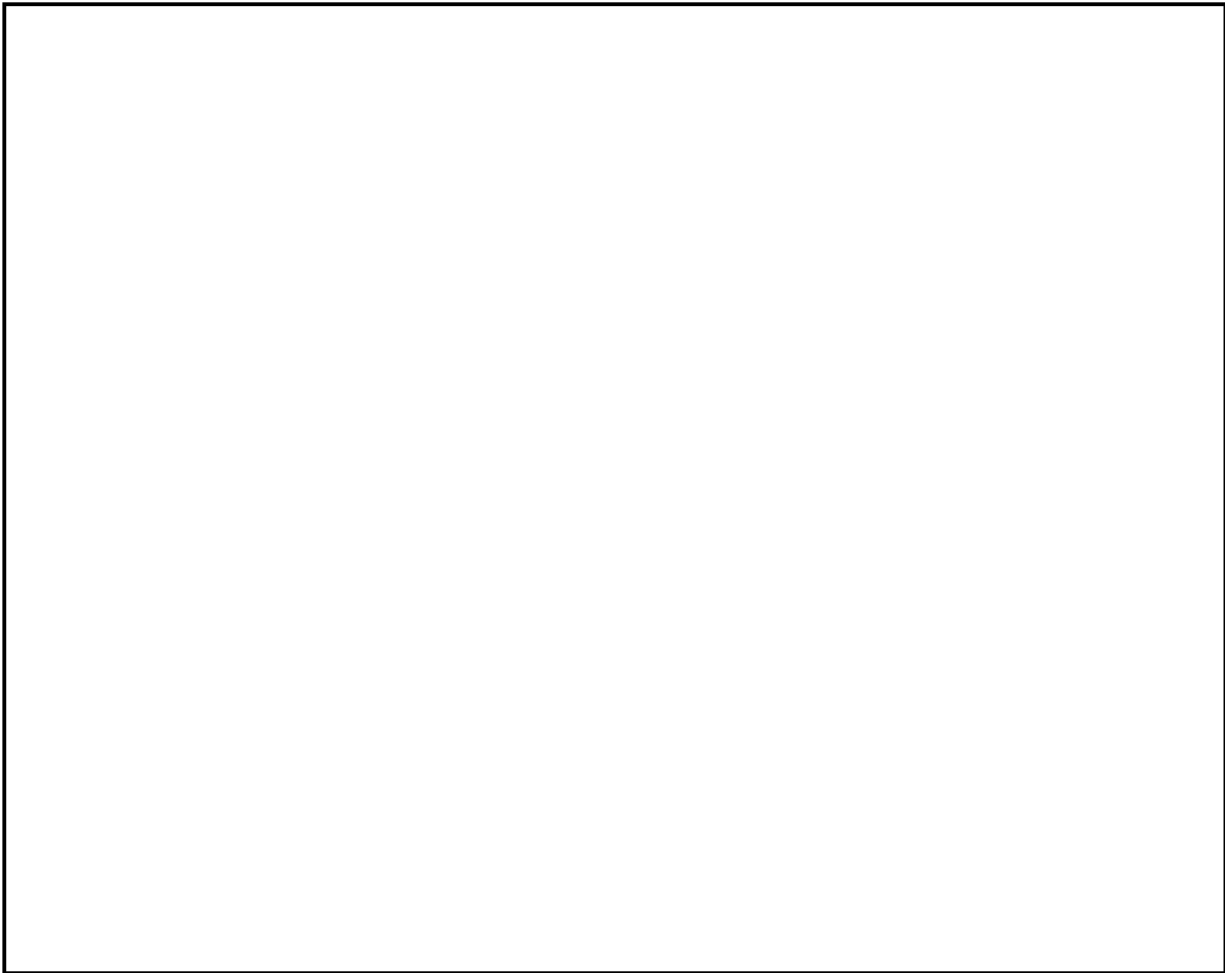
[redacted]

[redacted]

A. You should follow-up with [redacted] on this.

b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -6, -8

[redacted]



b6 -4
b7C -4
b7E -6, -8

[Redacted] Perkins Coie LLP
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

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NOTICE: This communication may contain privileged or other confidential information. If you have received it in error, please advise the sender by reply email and immediately delete the message and any attachments without copying or disclosing the contents. Thank you.

[Redacted] (SF) (FBI)

From: [Redacted] (SF) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, April 28, 2017 9:42 AM
To: [Redacted] (Perkins Coie)
Cc: [Redacted] (Perkins Coie); [Redacted] (Perkins Coie)
Subject: RE: [Redacted] Mailing Address

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Completed

Hi [Redacted]
That would be great. It can be sent to me at:

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Attn: SA [Redacted]
450 Golden Gate Avenue, 13th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94102

Thank you,
[Redacted]

[Redacted]
Special Agent
FBI - San Francisco
[Redacted] cell
[Redacted] desk

From: [Redacted] (Perkins Coie) [Redacted]
Sent: Friday, April 28, 2017 9:22 AM
To: [Redacted] (SF) (FBI) [Redacted]
Cc: [Redacted] (Perkins Coie) [Redacted] (Perkins Coie)
Subject: [Redacted] Mailing Address

Hi [Redacted]
[Redacted] Please send a mailing address
and [Redacted] will send it out to you today, for Monday delivery.

Regards,
[Redacted]

[Redacted] Perkins Coie LLP
P: [Redacted]
[Redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of entry 08/25/2017

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On August 24, 2017, [Redacted] was interviewed by phone at [Redacted] After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and nature of the interview, [Redacted] voluntarily provided the following information:

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[Redacted] had known Seth Rich for approximately [Redacted]

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b7C -2

The last contact [Redacted] had with Rich was about 1 or 2:00 a.m. the day of his death. He recalled it was definitely after midnight. They had been texting during the night. Originally, [Redacted] and Rich were supposed to meet that night, July 9, 2016, [Redacted] However, [Redacted] [Redacted] did not make it to [Redacted]

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[Redacted]

b6 -2
b7C -2

[Redacted] last saw Rich earlier in the week. They discussed plans to [Redacted]

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[Redacted] and Rich would occasionally discuss work. [Redacted] sense was Rich loved what he did; he described Rich as a big Hillary fan, referring to Hillary Clinton. Rich seemed happy and loved the people he worked with. Rich never said anything negative about work.

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Rich never mentioned anything to [Redacted] about Bernie Sanders being treated unfairly by the DNC.

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Investigation on 08/24/2017 at San Francisco, California, United States (Phone)

File # [Redacted] Date drafted 08/24/2017

by [Redacted]

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b7E -2

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] tried not to discuss politics with Rich because they had opposing views.

b6 -2
b7C -2

[REDACTED] had met some of Rich's friends. He also met [REDACTED] one or two times. He thought her name was [REDACTED] [Agent note: open source research indicated her name was [REDACTED] advised Rich [REDACTED] at the time of his death. [REDACTED]

b6 -2
b7C -2

When [REDACTED] first heard of Rich's death that night, he did not believe it. He Googled Rich's death. The next day, when Rich's name was released, [REDACTED] was shocked. Rich was a nice guy.

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[REDACTED]

b6 -2
b7C -2

Rich was aware [REDACTED] He did not think Rich knew any [REDACTED] tried to recall if Rich had met any of [REDACTED] friends, but did not think he met any.

b6 -2
b7C -2

[REDACTED] generally did not think there was any truth to various open source reporting claiming Rich had a meeting with the FBI or was set to testify the Monday following his death. Had this been the case, Rich would not have been out so late the night before.

b6 -2
b7C -2

If Rich had any meeting scheduled with an FBI agent, Rich would have told [REDACTED]

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[Redacted]

CLASSIFIED BY: NSICG [Redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2042
DATE: 04-15-2021

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b7E -2

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Import Form

Form Type: OTHER

Date: 08/25/2017

Title: (U) FireEye - A New Report Raises Big Questions About Last Year's
DNC Hack

Approved By: SSA [Redacted]

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b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2, -4

Drafted By: [Redacted]

(U) Case ID #: [Redacted]

~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2;

(S) [Redacted]

Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

(S) [Redacted]

Newspaper Clippings Subtitle

Synopsis: (U) To provide the August 16, 2017 FireEye Threat Media
Highlights article titled "A New Report Raises Big Questions About
Last Year's DNC Hack."

~~Reason: 1.4(c)
Derived From: FBI NSIC
dated 20120629
Declassify On: 20270307~~

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Wednesday, August 16, 2017

A New Report Raises Big Questions About Last Year's DNC Hack

✘ MEDIA OFF-TARGET

FROM THE MEDIA: A new report claims that a growing body of evidence points to a different interpretation of the 2016 hack against the U.S. Democratic National Committee (DNC). After the initial data breaches in the spring and summer of 2016, a substantial number of intelligence experts and security researchers agreed that the DNC network attack was the work of Russian state-sponsored cyber espionage actors. This narrative has only grown louder and stronger in the months since the November 2016 U.S. presidential election. A new report, however, challenges the basic assertions of this attribution, instead alleging that new evidence points to an internal "leak" of data, rather than an external hack. The report claims that the exfiltrated data was downloaded locally to a data storage device by someone with access to the DNC's systems. The report further states that the U.S. National Security Agency (NSA) has network monitoring capabilities sufficient to identify and capture the transfer of data that would have occurred had the hack been the work of Russian actors. Though such evidence has been requested, none has been produced. The report further claims, among other theories, that time and date stamps from the dates of the hack strongly suggest that the exfiltration originated somewhere in the U.S. Eastern time zone and not from Russia.

READ THE STORY:  [The Nation](#)

ANALYST COMMENT: FireEye has been tracking several flawed theories that seek to undermine Russian attribution of the 2016 DNC compromise. This particular narrative overlooks the possibility that the files were copied over several times, or the existence of indicators of compromise that predate July 5, the focus of this analysis. We have previously reported on [The Forensicator's](#) blog post, which appears to have been

strategically released to coincide with the one-year anniversary of the death of DNC staffer Seth Rich. That post was subsequently reported by dubious outlets and the "Adam Carter" persona, which we have observed engaging in disinformation activity intended to discredit U.S. Government and cyber security companies' attribution of Guccifer 2.0 to Russian state-sponsored actors. We anticipate that as further details of the Russian interference investigation are made public, actors motivated to undermine the investigation will continue to push disinformation regarding its nature and attribution.

Related Report(s):



On Anniversary of DNC Staffer's Murder, Alleged Hillary Clinton Email Leak Leveraged to Discredit Russian Attribution for DNC Compromise

24 Jul. 2017



APT28: At the Center of the Storm: Russia Strategically Evolves Its Cyber Operations

10 Jan. 2017



Anatomy of 2016 Suspected Russian Influence Operations Activity

15 Nov. 2016

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Import Form

Form Type: OTHER - Other

Date: 10/05/2018

Title: (U) Buzzfeed - This Ohio Woman's Run-In with The FBI

CLASSIFIED BY: NSICG [Redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2043
DATE: 04-16-2021

Approved By: [Redacted]

Drafted By: [Redacted]

Case ID #: [Redacted]

~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2;

(S)

[Redacted]

Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

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[Redacted]

Newspaper Clippings Subfile

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b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2, -4

Synopsis: (U) To provide the October 4, 2018 Buzzfeed article titled "This Ohio Woman's Run-In With The FBI Give Us A Window Into Robert Mueller's Trump-Russia Probe"

~~Reason: 1.4(c)
Derived From: Multiple
Sources
Declassify On: 20431231~~

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This Ohio Woman's Run-In With The FBI Gives Us A Window Into Robert Mueller's Trump–Russia Probe

In 2016, Cassandra Ford renamed a Twitter account for the persona leaking hacked Democratic emails. That earned the FBI's interest and a subpoena from special counsel Robert Mueller.

By Kevin Collier



Reporting From

Buzzfeednews.com

Washington, DC

Posted on October 3, 2018, at 9:01 a.m. ET

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Nick Hagen for BuzzFeed News

Cassandra Ford

officers, located in a different building — but they were tasked with disseminating Democrats' files and emails. They finally did register a Twitter account — @Guccifer_2, because Ford had already taken the cleaner one — a few days later.

Ford doesn't like to think of what she was doing with her account as trolling, and often when someone would ask her if she hacked the DNC, she'd tell them no, that wasn't her. But she didn't always go out of her way to inform people, either, and readily shared the files that the GRU released concerning Hillary Clinton.

Twitter

@Guccifer2's pinned tweet in late June 2016

"It was like this typical active-measures account, sowing doubt and confusion," recalled Adam Parkhomenko, who was the DNC's national field director in 2016. He spent months after the election obsessing over the account and sparring with Ford without ever knowing who she was.

And it was widely seen. While @Guccifer2 never reached 2,000 followers, it was retweeted and cited enough that it received hundreds of thousands of impressions in the months after its creation, according to Twitter's analytics for the account, which Ford screengrabbed and shared with BuzzFeed News.

Technically, Twitter recognizes Ford's account as being created June 9, and a review of her account's archive — she shared her downloaded account history with the computer forensics firm Garrett Discovery, which gave it to BuzzFeed News with Ford's permission — says she registered an account that day, and changed the username to @Guccifer2 on June 16, though she only recalls actually creating the account on the latter date.

For Parkhomenko, the discrepancy in dates was a smoking gun. Since it appeared the account was created before the WordPress account, he figured whoever was behind it was somehow tied to a secret Russian operation. He obsessed over how the account was registered with a Volgograd time zone and tweeted at weird hours — a result of Ford's tendency to stay up all night online — and figured there must be some strange connection to the Russian government.

@Guccifer2's inbox — which Ford also shared, as part of her account history — soon became a honeypot for internet weirdos. One guy messaged her the email addresses and phone numbers of White House staffers, just because. One confused journalist messaged her from his verified account: "hi I am a producer at CNN. I am trying to reach Guccifer 2.0 [sic]."

Conspiracy theorists came in droves, eager to talk about George Soros, or about the Seth Rich conspiracy, which holds that murdered DNC staffer Rich was the actual

source of the stolen emails — even though if Guccifer 2.0 were the real hacker who broke into the DNC, that makes the Seth Rich theory nonsensical.

Others asked her outright for hacking services, a violation of US law. “I am seeking services for file retrieval,” a Canadian man said. “I'm looking for someone to hak [sic] into a computer.” Another one asked, “Hi, can you tell me please is it possible to hack someone's twitter acct dms?”

Nick Hagen for BuzzFeed News

Ford met FBI agents at Cabin Fever Coffee in Defiance, Ohio.

The FBI noticed, too. Two months after she made the account, on Aug. 19, Ford received a phone call from someone in the FBI's San Francisco field office. She was friendly, and asked about the account. Ford took control of the conversation: She had been harassed a lot online, she said, and would love to talk about it in person, and to ask the FBI if she'd been hacked.

Four days later, she met Halper and one other agent. They came from the Cleveland field office to see her at Cabin Fever, a coffee shop in downtown Defiance, a northwestern Ohio town just across the Michigan border and 160 miles from Cleveland.

Exhaustively investigating all possible angles of a hacking case is par for the course, former FBI officials say. Wannabe hackers and the real ones alike often brag, and the internet is rife with people falsely claiming credit for, or accusing someone else of, such activity. If the FBI ends up bringing charges against a suspect, their entire case file is subject to discovery from the defense. If there's any hint that someone else might be behind a given hack, that's a good tool for the defense, so the FBI often tries to rule out all those other possibilities to increase the chance of a guilty plea or conviction.

“I came across a lot of those types of people in my career,” said Austin Berglas, head of cyberforensics at the firm BlueVoyant and the former assistant special agent in charge of the FBI's cyber branch in New York.

Berglas was among the FBI agents who investigated and eventually took down the Silk Road, the notorious online black marketplace, largely used to sell drugs, which at the time was the largest in history. It was the brainchild of Ross Ulbricht, who went by the pseudonym Dread Pirate Roberts. In November 2013, a month after the FBI arrested Ulbricht and shuttered the site, a replacement called Silk Road 2.0, run by a second Dread Pirate Roberts, appeared online to take its place.

“When DPR was taken down, all these fake sites and DPR2 popped up. People said this is not legitimate, that DPR is done,” Berglas said. The following year, as part of a massive law enforcement crackdown on popular drug sites, Berglas's team arrested Blake Benthall for running the second Silk Road.

[Redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Collected Item Log

Event Title: (U) Evidence acquired on 5/19/2017
by SA [Redacted]

Date: 05/19/2017

Approved By: [Redacted]

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b7E -2, -4, -5

Drafted By: [Redacted]

Case ID #: [Redacted]

(U) ~~(S) / (NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2;

(S) [Redacted]

Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

(S) [Redacted]

Sensitive Investigative Matter

[Redacted]

Collected From:

[Redacted]

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700 13th St. NW
Suite 600
Washington D.C., District Of Columbia 20005-
3960
United States

Receipt Given?: No

Holding Office: SAN FRANCISCO

Details: No Details Provided

Item Type Description

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(U) ~~SECRET~~ ~~UNCLASSIFIED~~

Title: (U) Evidence acquired on 5/19/2017 by SA [Redacted]
Re: [Redacted] 05/19/2017

1B Digital

(U) (1) One Black Lenovo ThinkPad T440 Laptop, s/n: PF-01W627 14/05 with paper taped to top identifying it as S. Rich laptop. (1) One Lenovo adapter with cord LI42T5093 and (1) One page letter from [Redacted] [Redacted] of Perkins Coie
Collected On: 05/19/2017 04:30 PM EDT
Seizing Individual: [Redacted]
Collected By: [Redacted]
Location Area: n/a
Specific Location: n/a
Device Type: Laptop/Tablet Computer
Make: Lenovo
Model: ThinkPad T440
Serial Number: PF-01W627 14/05
Number of Devices Collected: 1

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Electronic Communication

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) Cyber Division Request to
conduct a follow-up interview with

[Redacted]

Date: 10/12/2016

CLASSIFIED BY: NSIC [Redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2041
DATE: 04-16-2021

CC:

[Redacted]

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b7C -1, -4
b7E -1, -9

From: CYBER

[Redacted]

Contact:

[Redacted]

Approved By:

[Redacted]

Drafted By:

[Redacted]

Case ID #:

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aka Guccifer?

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[Redacted]

Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

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[Redacted]

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CHILD VICTIM/WITNESS IDENTITY INFORMATION

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Synopsis: (U//~~FOUO~~) To request Washington Field Office conduct a
follow-up interview of [Redacted]

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b7C -4

~~Reason: 1.4(b)~~

~~Derived From: FBI
NSISC-20090615~~

~~Declassify On: 20411231~~

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[Redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4
b7E -2, -5

(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) Cyber Division Request to conduct a follow-up interview with [Redacted]
Re: [Redacted] 10/12/2016

[Redacted]

Reference:

[Redacted]

Details:

(U) CASE BACKGROUND

(U) ~~(S//NF)~~ On 15 June 2016, an article written by "Guccifer2" was posted to his personal WordPress blog. In the article, Guccifer2 implies he hacked the Democratic National Committee (DNC) servers and refutes an earlier announcement by CrowdStrike, a U.S. based cyber security company, that the DNC hack was perpetrated by two sophisticated hacker groups. In July 2016, Guccifer2 posted documents attributed to the DNC hack on his personal blog. On 22 July 2016, Wikileaks published more than 19,000 DNC emails with more than 8,000 attachments. Guccifer2 claimed responsibility for sharing the information with Wikileaks through his two Twitter accounts. On 31 August 2016, Guccifer2 released documents on his personal blog purported to be from the computer of Representative Nancy Pelosi.

(U) CURRENT SITUATION

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b7E -6

(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

[Redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4
b7E -2

(U) ~~SECRET/NOFORN~~

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) Cyber Division Request to conduct a follow-up interview with [Redacted]
Re: [Redacted] 10/12/2016

[Redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[Redacted] Seth Rich was murdered on the morning of 10 July 2016 in Washington, DC [Redacted]

[Redacted] On 14 September 2016, WFO agents interviewed [Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

(U) REQUEST FOR ACTION

(U//~~FOUO~~) Cyber Division respectfully requests Washington Field Office (WFO) recontact and interview [Redacted] Lexis Nexus provided the following contact information for [Redacted]

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b7C -4

Name: [Redacted]

DOB: [Redacted]

SSN: [Redacted]

Address: [Redacted]

Phone Number: [Redacted]

(U//~~FOUO~~) Cyber Division provides [Redacted]
[Redacted]

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b6 -2
b7C -2

[Redacted]

(U) ~~SECRET/NOFORN~~

[Redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Electronic Communication

Title: (U) Open Source and Internal Research on

Date: 09/27/2017

[Redacted]

CLASSIFIED BY: NSICG [Redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2042
DATE: 04-16-2021

From: SAN FRANCISCO
SF-CY1

Contact: [Redacted]

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b6 -1, -2, -3
b7C -1, -2, -3
b7E -1, -2, -4

Approved By: [Redacted]

Drafted By: [Redacted]

Case ID #: [Redacted]

(U) ~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2;

(S) [Redacted]
Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

(S) [Redacted]
Sensitive Investigative Matter

Synopsis: (U) To document open source research conducted and review
of internal cases on [Redacted]

~~Reason: 1.4(c)
Derived From: Multiple
Sources
Declassify On: 20421231~~

[Redacted]

Reference: [Redacted]

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Enclosure(s): Enclosed are the following items:

[Redacted]

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[redacted]

(U) ~~SECRET~~ [redacted]

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United States Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Tracking #: 181769980
Case File #: [redacted]
Precedence: Routine
Date: 02-Jan-2018

Office of Legal Attaché
United States Embassy

[redacted]

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b7D -4
b7E -7

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(U) Provide information; Guccifer 2.0

Enclosure(s): Enclosed are the following items:

- 1. (U) DVD with FDR Supporting Information for [redacted]

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(U) Overall Case and Subject Background - Guccifer 2.0

(U//FOUO) The FBI has an ongoing investigation into the online persona known as Guccifer 2.0 who claimed to have hacked the United States Democratic National Committee (DNC), Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee (DCCC), and Clinton Foundation, and subsequently posted portions the claimed exfiltrated information from those entities online.

(U) On June 14, 2016, Dmitri Alperovitch of CrowdStrike authored an article titled "Bears in the Midst: Intrusion into the Democratic

(U) ~~SECRET~~ [redacted]

b7D -4

[redacted]

(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Electronic Communication

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) Research on Guccifer2 and
DCLeaks

Date: 08/15/2016

CC: [redacted]

b1 -1
b3 -1
b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -1, -2, -4

From: SAN FRANCISCO
SF-CY1

Contact: [redacted]

Approved By: SSA [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: [redacted]

(U) ~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2; (S)

[redacted]
Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

[redacted] (S)

Synopsis: (U//~~FOUO~~) To upload research.

~~Reason: 1.4(b)
Derived From: FBI
NSISC-20090615
Declassify On: 20411231~~

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Electronic Communication

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) San Francisco Request to Interview [redacted]

Date: 09/07/2016

CC: [redacted]

CLASSIFIED BY: NSICG [redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2041
DATE: 04-18-2021

From: SAN FRANCISCO
SF-CY1

Contact: [redacted]

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b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7E -1, -2, -4

Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: [redacted] (U) ~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2;

(S) [redacted]
Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

(S) [redacted]

CHILD VICTIM/WITNESS IDENTITY INFORMATION

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Synopsis: (U//~~FOUO~~) To request Washington Field Office conduct an interview of [redacted] and obtain consent to [redacted]

[redacted]

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b7C -4
b7E -6

~~Reason: 1.4(b)
Derived From: FBI
NSISC-20090615
Declassify On: 20411231~~

[redacted]

b7E -2, -5

Reference: [redacted]

(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

[Redacted]

(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) San Francisco Request to Interview [Redacted]
Re: [Redacted] 09/07/2016

Details:

(U) CASE BACKGROUND

(U) ~~(S//NF)~~ On June 15, 2016, an article written by "Guccifer2" was posted to his personal WordPress blog. In the article, Guccifer2 implies he hacked the Democratic National Committee (DNC) servers and refutes an earlier announcement by CrowdStrike, a U.S. based cyber security company, that the DNC hack was perpetrated by two sophisticated hacker groups. In July 2016, Guccifer2 posted documents attributed to the DNC hack on his personal blog. On July 22, 2016, Wikileaks published more than 19,000 DNC emails with more than 8,000 attachments. Guccifer2 claimed responsibility for sharing the information with Wikileaks through his two Twitter accounts. On August 31, 2016, Guccifer2 released documents on his personal blog purported to be from the computer of Representative Nancy Pelosi.

(U) CURRENT SITUATION

[Redacted]

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(U) REQUEST FOR ACTION

(U//~~FOUO~~) San Francisco respectfully requests Washington Field Office

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(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of entry 09/30/2016

[redacted] date of birth [redacted] was interviewed at her residential address, [redacted] telephone numbers [redacted] (newest) and [redacted] After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

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[redacted]

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b7C -2, -4

[redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4

MANAFORT was DONALD TRUMP's presidential campaign manager who has suspected ties to Russia [redacted]

[redacted]

b6 -3, -4
b7C -3, -4

~~Reason: 1.4(c)
Derived From: FBI NSIC, dated 20120629
Declassify On: 20411231~~

(U) ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

Investigation on 09/14/2016 at Washington, District Of Columbia, United States (In Person)
File # [redacted] Date drafted 09/30/2016
by [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -2

[Redacted]

(U) ~~SECRET/NOFORN~~

(U) [Redacted]

Continuation of FD-302 of ~~(S//NF)~~ [Redacted], On 09/14/2016, Page 2 of 6

[Redacted]

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b7C -2, -3, -4

[Redacted]

[Redacted] She also stated that she had read an article about 20,000 e-Mails taken, at which time she told [Redacted] that she had concerns, and suspected that the hackers would release the e-Mails around the time of the Democratic National Convention.

[Redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

[Redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4

[Redacted] SETH RICH was murdered on the morning of 07/10/2016 in Washington, DC.

(U) ~~SECRET/NOFORN~~

[Redacted]

b6 -4
b7C -4
b7E -2

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(U) [Redacted]

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[Redacted]

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b7C -2, -4
b7E -6

[Redacted]

b6 -3, -4
b7C -3, -4
b7E -6

[Redacted]

DNC Staffer Seth

Conrad Rich was murdered the same day

[Redacted]

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b7C -2, -4, -5
b7E -6

[Redacted]

b6 -2, -4
b7C -2, -4

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[Redacted]

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Electronic Communication

Title: (U//~~FOUO~~) Lead Covered reference [Redacted]
[Redacted]

Date: 01/20/2017

CC: [Redacted]

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From: WASHINGTON FIELD
WF-CY3
Contact: [Redacted]

CLASSIFIED BY: NSIC [Redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2042
DATE: 04-18-2021

Approved By: SSA [Redacted]

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b7E -1, -2, -4

Drafted By: [Redacted]

Case ID #: [Redacted]

(U) ~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS;
aka Guccifer2: (S)

[Redacted]

Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

[Redacted] (S)

Synopsis: (U//~~FOUO~~) Lead Covered reference [Redacted]

~~Reason: 1.4(c)
Derived From: FBI NSIC,
dated 20120629
Declassify On: 20421231~~

[Redacted]

b7E -5, -6

Enclosure(s): Enclosed are the following items:

[Redacted]

Details:

On 9/14/2016, [Redacted] date of birth [Redacted]
was interviewed by WFO Agents at her residential address, [Redacted]

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b7C -4

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[Redacted]

(U)

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Title: (U//FOUO) Lead Covered reference [Redacted]

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b7C -2, -3, -4
b7E -2

Re: [Redacted] 01/20/2017

[Redacted] telephone number [Redacted] See
[Redacted]

Subsequent to the interview Cyber Division provided [Redacted]

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b7E -6

[Redacted]

On December 14, 2016, SA [Redacted] made telephonic contact
with [Redacted] at which time she stated that she had no further
information [Redacted]

b6 -1,- 2, -4
b7C -1, -2,- 4
b7E -6

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

b6 -2,- 4
b7C -2,- 4
b7E -6

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Electronic Communication

~~(S)~~ Title: ~~(U)~~ [redacted] Prosecutorial Strategy Meeting 08/29/2017

Date: 09/08/2017

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CLASSIFIED BY: NSICG [redacted]
REASON: 1.4 (C)
DECLASSIFY ON: 12-31-2042
DATE: 04-18-2021

CC: SF-CY1

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From: SAN FRANCISCO
SF-CY1

Contact: [redacted]

Approved By: ASAC [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

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b3 -1
b7E -2, -4, -8

Case ID #: [redacted] (U) ~~(S//NF)~~ UNSUBS; aka Guccifer2; (S)

[redacted] Democratic National Committee - Victim;
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

[redacted] Sensitive Investigative Matter (S)

[redacted] COMPUTER INTRUSION; (S)

[redacted] ~~(U)~~ ~~(S//NF)~~ CyberCaliphate; (S)
State Sponsored Computer Intrusion -

[redacted] ~~(U)~~ ~~(S//NF)~~ (S)
CYBER THREAT TEAM;
TACTICAL THREAT OFFICE CONTROL FILE;
COMPUTER INTRUSION - [redacted]

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(S) Title: ~~(S)~~ [Redacted] Prosecutorial Strategy Meeting 08/29/2017
Re: [Redacted] 09/08/2017

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(U) ~~(S)~~ ~~(NF)~~ **Synopsis:** To document San Francisco CY-1 participation in the
(S) [Redacted] prosecutorial strategy meeting, which was held at FBI Philadelphia on 08/29/2017.

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b7E -4

~~Reason: 1.4(b)
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Declassify On: 20401231~~

[Redacted]

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Details:

(S) ~~(U)~~ ~~(FOUO)~~ [Redacted] BACKGROUND

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b7E -4, -8

(U) ~~(S)~~ ~~(NF)~~ CYBERCALIPHATE BACKGROUND

(U) ~~(S)~~ ~~(REL TO USA, FVEY)~~ On 12 January 2015, a group calling itself the "CyberCaliphate" compromised the Twitter and Gmail accounts belonging to the Department of Defense Central Command (CENTCOM) Office of Public Affairs. The group defaced CENTCOM's social media pages by displaying pro-ISIL sentiment, and posted what they claimed to be

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[Redacted]

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Title: ~~(U)~~ [Redacted] Prosecutorial Strategy Meeting 08/29/2017
Re: [Redacted] 09/08/2017

OST [Redacted] (PG), SSA [Redacted] (ECOU), SSA [Redacted] (ECOU), AUSA [Redacted] (EDPA), AUSA [Redacted] (WDPA), TA [Redacted] (DOJ/NSD), and TA [Redacted] (DOJ/NSD). Two representatives from CD were also in attendance.

b6 -1, - 5
b7C -1, -5

(U) The following items were discussed during the meeting:

[Redacted]

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b7E -8

(U) Actions Items

[Redacted]

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b7E -8

[Redacted]

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b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -8, -9

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[Redacted]

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b3 -1
b5 -1
b7E -7, -8

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Date of entry 11/30/2018

[Redacted] was interviewed at her residence, [Redacted] Virginia [Redacted] After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, [Redacted] provided the following information:

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b7C -3

[Redacted] was a neighbor of [Redacted] lived [Redacted] down from [Redacted]

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b7C -3

[Redacted] met [Redacted] before [Redacted] when [Redacted] moved into the neighborhood. [Redacted] initially hit on [Redacted] but [Redacted] later believed [Redacted] was just being a charming guy. Soon after meeting [Redacted] was hired to help with [Redacted]

b6 -2, -3
b7C -2, -3

[Redacted] became friends. Every once in a while, [Redacted] asked [Redacted] for assistance with odd jobs since [Redacted] was more technically skilled than [Redacted] did not pay [Redacted] for this assistance.

b6 -3
b7C -3

One of the jobs [Redacted] asked [Redacted] to assist with [Redacted] [Redacted] was only able to describe the employee as an African American woman. [Redacted]

b6 -3
b7C -3

[Redacted] also asked [Redacted] to [Redacted] [Redacted] In order to complete these odd jobs, [Redacted] gave [Redacted] access to his gmail account. [Redacted] had [Redacted] email address and password written on an envelope. [Redacted] was protective of [Redacted]

b6 -3
b7C -3

In the fall of 2017, [Redacted] asked [Redacted] to ghost write a book for him regarding the murder of Seth Rich. [Redacted] was unsure if the request to write the book came before or after the requests to assist with odd jobs. [Redacted] agreed to write the book under the conditions it only talked nicely about Rich and was against Donald Trump. [Redacted] set up the email account, [Redacted] to communicate with [Redacted] about the book.

b6 -3
b7C -3

Investigation on 11/26/2018 at [Redacted] Virginia, United States (In Person)

File # [Redacted] Date drafted 11/27/2018

b3 -1
b6 -1, -3

by [Redacted]

b7C -1, -3
b7E -2



The Tactics & Tropes of the Internet Research Agency

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Tactic: Amplify Conspiratorial Narratives

The Internet Research Agency amplified a myriad of conspiracy theories on all platforms they prioritized. The greatest breadth and repetition of these narratives was on Twitter. Thousands of conspiratorial tweets were predominantly advanced or amplified by the right-wing personas, and included topics such as pseudoscience conspiracies (vaccines, chemtrails), paranormal activity and aliens, the “globalist” agenda (explicitly anti-Semitic angles were present), and domestic political conspiracies such as QAnon, Pizzagate, and the murder of Seth Rich.

With the exception of one anti-vaccine Instagram post, Facebook and Instagram had no pseudoscience conspiracy content, no QAnon, and no Pizzagate. There are, however, dozens of posts blaming George Soros for a myriad of complaints across dozens of the Right-targeted Instagram accounts and Facebook Pages; these do not display the degree of explicitly anti-Semitic vitriol or harassment that appeared in the tweets. Domestic political conspiracies were present on Facebook and Instagram – the Seth Rich murder conspiracy was presented to both Right and Left-leaning audiences. On the Left, it was accompanied by an appeal to trust Julian Assange.



RSMSC

From: RSMSC
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 12:03 PM
To: [redacted]
Subject: FW: Pedophile Bob Mueller sent Seth Rich hitman after Manafort lawyer

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From: [redacted]
Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 12:02:01 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
To: RSMSC; Special Counsel; AAW; itsc@usdoj.gov
Subject: Pedophile Bob Mueller sent Seth Rich hitman after Manafort lawyer

b6 -2
b7C -2

Pedophile Mueller sent the same hitman he used on Seth Rich to help his friend Hillary... after

[redacted]

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From: [REDACTED]
Date: Sat Aug 18 2018 15:03:29 EDT
To: RSMSC </o=exchangelabs/ou=exchange
administrative group
(fydibohf23spdlt)/cn=recipients/cn=e0d23d43c1d3444cbd37b629ade4
40ea-mueller, ro>; Special Counsel </o=exchangelabs/ou=exchange
administrative group
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f0ed-special cou>; AAW </o=exchangelabs/ou=exchange
administrative group
(fydibohf23spdlt)/cn=recipients/cn=af92804ba22a4323b85fc4447df3
3826-aaw>
Cc: Blank
Bcc: Blank
Subject: Muellers crooked lawyers investigating judge and jury
Attachments:

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b7C -2

and their extended families.....mueller who arranged the assassination of seth rich thru his mafia
friends.... is a psychopath capable of any crime

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RSMSC

From: RSMSC
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 10:41 AM
To:
Subject: FW: Muller had Seth Rich murdered

b6 -1
b7C -1

From:
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 10:40:26 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
To: RSMSC
Subject: Muller had Seth Rich murdered

b6 -2
b7C -2

.... he had the means and the motive and intel

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 11:10 AM
To: RKD; AAW; Special Counsel; ZNA; EBP; SpecialCounselPress;
[REDACTED] RSMSC
Subject: We think mueller planned the execution of

Seth Rich mueller has access to plenty of hit men who owe him....and ready cash

And that old bean counter muller is a rabid trump hater.... and one of the most despicable human beings

RSMSC

From: RSMSC
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 10:23 AM
To: [redacted]
Subject: FW: We think mueller arranged the hit on Seth Rich

b6 -1
b7C -1

From: [redacted]
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 10:22:29 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
To: RKD; AAW; Special Counsel; ZNA; EBP; SpecialCounselPress; [redacted] RSMSC
Subject: We think mueller arranged the hit on Seth Rich

b6 -2, -5
b7C -2, -5

....who knows hitmen better than Robert Mueller

EBP

From: EBP
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 9:14 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Ha ha Mueller arranged the murder of Seth Rich?

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b7C -1

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 9:13:26 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
To: RKD; AAW; Special Counsel; ZNA; EBP; SpecialCounselPress; [REDACTED] RSMSC
Subject: Ha ha Mueller arranged the murder of Seth Rich?

b6 -2, -5
b7C -2, -5

[REDACTED]

FBI(20-cv-447)-980

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Sunday, July 22, 2018 10:11 AM
To: RKD; AAW; Special Counsel; ZNA; EBP; SpecialCounselPress;
[REDACTED] RSMSC
Subject: Crooked Mueller has name of hit man

Clintons hired to murder Seth Rich

Crooked mueller says he would have done same thing.....hired a hit man

[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

From: [redacted]
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 10:24 AM
To: LRA
Cc: JSR
Subject: Seth Rich work laptop

b6 -1, -4
b7C -1, -4
b7D -3
b7E -6

Rush,
In May 2017 [redacted] with Perkins Coie provided San Francisco FBI with a copy of Seth Rich's DNC laptop. The FBI submission document says the laptop was given to the FBI voluntarily so I am assuming that there is no Search Warrant for the laptop.

San Francisco provided [redacted] for us at SCO. [redacted]

[redacted]

Thank you,
[redacted]