

**ERRATA SHEET**

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<b>Witness Name</b>	Cassidy Hutchinson
<b>Dates of Interviews</b>	1. February 23, 2022 2. March 7, 2022 3. May 17, 2022 4. June 20, 2022

**First Transcript from Interview on February 23, 2022**

<b>PAGE</b>	<b>LINE</b>	<b>CORRECTION</b>	<b>APPROVED</b>
10	8-10	<b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “What’d you do after you left the White House?”  <b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I was with the former President in his post-Presidential operation. I primarily stayed up in D.C., but I traveled down to Florida a couple times.”	Ms. Hutchinson went to Florida one time in 2021 after she left the White House. That visit was a personal vacation and was not related to work.
35	9-23	“... and potentially having media <u>circuits</u> encourage people to go up to the Capitol.” (emphasis added).	“... and potentially having media <u>surrogates</u> encourage people to go up to the Capitol.” (emphasis added). <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 108:21–109:7.
43	9-11	<b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Was [sic] there discussions about it needing to happen before the Joint Session started at 1 p.m. on January the 6 <sup>th</sup> ?”  <b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Not to my recollection right now.”	There were discussions about the timing of the rally. Those discussions included the sentiment that the rally should take place in the morning so that the protestors could move to the Capitol as Congress convened. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 112:9-13:10.

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46	10-15	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked whether a “delay or idea of preventing the Joint Session from going forward on January 6<sup>th</sup> [was] a topic that came up in this meeting with Rudy Giuliani and Mr. Meadows?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Not that I was present for.”</p>	<p>Delaying or preventing the Joint Session from going forward on January 6<sup>th</sup> was a topic of conversation. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 113:11-16:1.</p>
54	23-24	<p>“Liz Fortney.”</p>	<p>“Liz Horning.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 116:25-17:4.</p>
60-61	25-1	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Was Meadows in the meeting?” in reference to an 11:00 am meeting on January 6<sup>th</sup> in the Oval Office.</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I’m not sure. I was not in the West Wing at that time.”</p>	<p>Mr. Meadows was in the 11:00 am Oval Office meeting on January 6. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 117:4-18:24.</p>
61	10-23	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Did you ever learn from speaking with Mr. Meadows or anybody else in the White House that the President had placed a call to the Vice President the morning of January the 6<sup>th</sup>?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Yes, Mr. Meadows had spoken about it, nothing specific about it, just that he was going to call – he was trying to get ahold of the Vice President.”</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson learned that President Trump placed a call to the Vice President the morning of January the 6<sup>th</sup>. She learned that the President was irate on that call. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 118:24-20:10.</p>

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		<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was then asked, “Did anybody tell you what happened in that call?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Not that morning, no, nothing specifically. There was [sic] discussions about it as we got down to the Ellipse, but not – nothing specifically, just that he talked to the Vice President about the electoral count happening on Capitol Hill that morning. But again, there isn’t any more specific information I could add to that.”</p>	<p>The same response as the previous errata. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 118:24-20:10.</p>
83-84	16-7	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Do you remember any specific items that any of those people mentioned to you, and specifically dangerous items, not the flags or the poster boards?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I don’t recall the word ‘dangerous’ being thrown around in associate [sic] with the items specifically, but I remember, generally speaking, there were individuals who had, you know, American flags that were too large, which in my opinion is irrelevant, but it’s not a dangerous item.” She also said that she heard about bear spray and pocketknives.</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson heard that there were knives, guns in the forms of pistols and rifles, bear spray, body armor, spears, and flagpoles. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 13:16-14:9.</p>
84	8-9	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “What about firearms, do you remember any reports of firearms coming in?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Not that I can recall specifically that morning or</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson recalls that there were reports of firearms at the rally site. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 13:16-14:9.</p>

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		at the rally site.”	
84-85	11-6	<p><b>Q:</b> Mr. George asked, “Did you tell Mr. Meadows that there were reports of bear spray and pocketknives, among other things, that people were finding on the rally attendees?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I remember having conversations with Mr. Meadows about rally attendees, and I remember having conversations with him about the number of people that were permitted entry. I don’t recall if I specifically listed the items.”</p> <p><b>Q:</b> Mr. George then asked, “But do you remember specifically relaying to Mr. Meadows that there had been bear spray or knives confiscated or found among the rally attendees?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I -- I don’t recall specifically what I had said to him. I know that I had told him that there were a number of people who weren’t permitted entry because they had items that the Secret Service deemed as dangerous or nonpermissible. I -- I don’t recall whether or not I listed off specific items that had been relayed to me by some of my colleagues. It’s very possible I did. I don’t recall.”</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson relayed to Mr. Meadows that attendees of the rally weren’t permitted entry because knives and bear spray had been confiscated. <i>See</i> Trans. 4 pgs. 17:22-19:14, 120:25-21:25.</p>
85	7-9	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “What was [Mr. Meadows’] reaction when you talked about dangerous items – or items</p>	<p>Mr. Meadows was unimpressed. He was not concerned that there were</p>

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		<p>deemed to be dangerous by the Secret Service to Mr. Meadows?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I don’t recall specifically.”</p>	<p>dangerous items. <i>See</i> Trans. 4 pgs. 17:22-19:14, 120:25-21:25.</p>
89-90	23-19	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked several times about whether anyone told President Trump that there weapons in the crowd before, during, or after the rally. For instance, Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “So are you aware of whether or not the President was ever told that there were people outside of the gates that had flags or pocketknives or bear spray or other items that wouldn’t make it through the magnetometers?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded to those questions stating that she did not know whether anyone told the President that there were weapons in the crowds at the Ellipse.</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson was aware that President Trump had been told that there were weapons in the crowd prior to the rally. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 15:9-16:3.</p>
94	6-13	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked about what the President said about going to the Capitol before he took the stage at the Ellipse: “Can you tell us what you remember the President saying about this movement to the Capitol before he took the stage?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “He wanted to make sure that we had exhausted all of our resources and our communications with Secret Service, advance staff, other law enforcement</p>	<p>President Trump would not accept that he was not able to go to the Capitol. President Trump continued to say that he was going to the Capitol. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 4:9-11:3.</p>

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		<p>individuals that were present in the area and at agencies, to ensure that we truly did not have the assets to transport him to the Capitol that day in case there was a breakthrough of, actually, we might be able to logistically make it happen by utilizing XYZ methods. . . .”</p>	
94	19-22	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “So, in other words, the President wanted to make sure that this is an absolute no, you can’t do this, Mr. President, before he was willing to accept that he wasn’t going to the Capital that day. Is that fair?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Before he was willing – yes, that’s a fair assessment.”</p>	<p>The same response as the previous errata. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 4:9-11:3.</p>
105-06	25-13	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Did you ever find out what happened with that conversation in the Beast between the President and Mr. Engel?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Just that Mr. Engel had relayed the message that him and Mr. Ornato had discussed previously and knowing there was no – there were no developments that would’ve changed the guidance he was given before the rally had begun, that we didn’t have the assets available, and that was just reconveyed to the President.”</p>	<p>President Trump rode from the rally to the White House in an SUV. Ms. Hutchinson was told by Deputy White House Chief of Staff Anthony Ornato that President Trump got into the SUV with Mr. Engle and a driver, that President Trump insisted the car to go to the Capitol, that Mr. Engle told President Trump it was not safe to take him to the Capitol, that President Trump then lunged forward to grab at the steering wheel, that Mr. Engle reached for President Trump’s hand, and that President Trump then lunged towards Mr. Engle. <i>See</i></p>

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			Trans. 4. pgs. 4:9-11:3.
109-10	22-12	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “So who – who relayed to you the conversation that happened in the Beast?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I just know that Mr. Engel had said that we’ll talk about this on the car ride back up something of that iteration. It’s not verbatim. And then once the motorcade had arrived back on West Exec., and we had all made the movement back into the West Wing, I had resettled in the desk, in my – at my desk in the main chief of staff office area, and then walked across the hallway after a couple minutes to see Mr. Ornato. And I just had a brief conversation with him, do you know if he – if this issue was resolved and it’s closed, so I don’t have to follow up with Mr. Meadows about this anymore. And he said, yeah, all good. Him and – him and mogul (ph) talked about it – or sorry – him and POTUS talked about it.”</p>	Deputy White House Chief of Staff Anthony Ornato told Ms. Hutchinson what happened in the President’s drive from the rally to the White House. <i>See</i> Trans. 4. pgs. 4:9-11:3.
123	17	“Johnny McEntee.”	“Nick Luna.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 122:2-12.
137-38	16-2	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Do you know what Mr. Meadows -- or what the President was doing in the dining room during those periods [<i>i.e.</i>, on January 6<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon]?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I’m trying to be specific and draw the line</p>	Ms. Hutchinson was aware of “Hang Mike Pence” chants that occurred in the dining room. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 23:21-28:18.

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		<p>between like, obviously, what's been reported after the fact. That day, you know, I knew that there were people in and out of the Oval dining with him that afternoon. The TV was on. I knew he was watching the news, which wasn't anything out of the ordinary at all. But substantively I'm not sure that I could speak to his specific activities or conversations other than what was reported on after the fact."</p>	
141-42	20-8	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, ". . . you mentioned earlier that there was one point when you went into the dining room with a message for Mr. Meadows from a Member. Could you tell us which Member that was and what the message was?"</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, "Just to clarify on that point, I didn't physically step into the Oval dining room. If you're -- and this is just logistically. I want to make sure that I was clear in my response that there's -- you walk down the hallway, there's a -- call it the butler's pantry, and that's where the President's military valet would be, and then the Oval dining room. And so I asked the valet to get the chief of staff for me. The valet opened the door. Chief of staff stepped out. And I had relayed the message from Mr. Jor- -- Jim Jordan, Congressman Jim Jordan at the time. He had called my work cell phone, and brief conversation, Hey, where's Mark? I told him he's down with the President. He said, Can you please have him call me?"</p>	<p>Mr. Jordan did not call Ms. Hutchinson's work phone. Mr. Jordan called one of Mr. Meadows's cell phones, which Mr. Meadows had left with Ms. Hutchinson during this time period. When Ms. Hutchinson received the phone call from Mr. Jordan, she walked to the President's dining room. When she told Mr. Meadows that Mr. Jordan was on the phone, Mr. Meadows stepped out of the President's dining room to take the phone call. See Trans. 4, pgs. 26:15-27:15.</p>



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		<p>And I went and asked Mr. Meadows to give Mr. Jordan a call. And he said, All right, I'll do it. And then I went back to my desk."</p>	
145	8-16	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked about Exhibit No. 8, which shows text on a palm card stating, "Anyone who entered the Capitol without proper authority should leave immediately." Ms. Hutchinson was asked, "Do you recognize this card specifically?"</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, "Yes. That's my handwriting on that day. . . . I don't remember who relayed this message to me. I was writing very quickly. There was somebody who had called me on my work cell phone, and this was a draft tweet that this person felt would be useful if it went out from the President's Twitter or from another significant media surrogate. And I remember writing this down and passing it in to Mark and giving him the context in real time. I don't recall who relayed this message to me, though."</p>	<p>Mr. Meadows stood at Ms. Hutchinson's desk and dictated what Ms. Hutchinson wrote down.</p>
147	19-23	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, "Did you learn that the President was reluctant to send out a message to address the situation at the Capitol on January the 6th?"</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, "The information that was made available to me wasn't necessarily that the President was expressing reluctance; it's that the</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson knew that President Trump did not want to make a message to address the situation on January 6th. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 124:4-25:17.</p>

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		President was being strategic and selective with how he was going to relay this message.”	
191-92	24-5	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked about John Eastman and the Eastman theory, stating: “Based on your interactions with Mr. Meadows, did he agree with John Eastman and his theories that the Vice President would play, what we’re calling here, the strategic role on January 6th?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Mr. Meadows was open to hearing theories from individuals that had knowledge and had conducted research in these areas. I didn’t ask him his personal opinions on this, and he, to my recollection, didn’t share anything with me that hasn’t already been previously elaborated on.”</p>	<p>Mr. Meadows stated that he would do what he could to push the theory forward. Mr. Meadows knew that the Eastman theory had not been tested before , but because Mr. Meadows wanted to be the one to keep President Trump in power, Mr. Meadows was willing to push that theory. Mr. Meadows knew that the voter-fraud theories would probably not be successful and Mr. Meadows wanted to find a different way to keep President Trump in power. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 109:13-12:5.</p>
196	4-5	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Do you know whether the President wanted to do a video on the 7th?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I do not.”</p>	<p>The President did not want to make that video. <i>See</i> Trans 4, pgs. 124:4-26:10.</p>
198	10-18	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Were you aware of any discussions about the need to include references to antifa when discussing the events of January 6<sup>th</sup> at the Capitol?”</p>	<p>There was an emphasis on blaming Antifa. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 129:15-30:11.</p>

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		<p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I was not privy to any conversations to include a word or the acronym “antifa” in any of the President’s correspondence to the public after the events and – after or during the events that transpired on January 6.”</p>	

**Second Transcript from Interview on March 6, 2022**

27	10-13	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked to list the Air Force One guests in the conference room on January 4, 2021: “Just so -- just to the best of your memory, who else in the room -- the conference room at that time?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “Ms. Marjorie Taylor Greene, Mr. Lindsey Graham -- Senator Lindsey Graham, Mr. Meadows, myself, Mr. Trump, Johnny McEntee -- Mr. Johnny McEntee. There were other individuals in and out of the conference room. I wasn’t -- I wasn’t in there the entire duration of the flight, though.”</p>	<p>“Johnny McEntee” should be replaced with “Nick Luna.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 122:2-12.</p>
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**Third Transcript from Interview on May 17, 2022**

5	2	<p>“I did have a conversation.”</p>	<p>“I did not have a conversation.”  <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 136:18-21.</p>
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5-6	25-4	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “And so, where were you when you heard this?” in reference to hearing the chants about Mike Pence.</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “So this is right when I stepped in to give Mr. Meadows the phone . . . ”</p>	Rather than step into the room, Ms. Hutchinson held her foot in the door. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 136:25-37:11.
16	1	Ms. Hutchinson said “O’Brien.”	“Keith Kellogg.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 137:24-38:3.
16	24	Ms. Hutchinson said “O’Brien.”	“Keith Kellogg.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 138:6.
20	1	“PBD.”	“PPD.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 138:20-39:3.
22	14	“So <b>I</b> put him through” (emphasis added)	“so <b>she</b> put him through.” (emphasis added). <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 139:11-13.
35	17	Ms. Hutchinson refers to one of the valets, whom she names Mike.	There is a slight possibility that the valet was Walt Gnuda rather than “Mike”. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 140:25-41:3.
44	23	Ms. Hutchinson says “red manilla envelope.”	“red manilla folder.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 141:13-42:3.
48	24	“Liza.”	“Eliza.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 142:6-7.
73	10-13	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “And Mr. Perry, meaning Scott Perry, wasn’t at this meeting with Mr. Waldron, McGuire, and Higgins?”</p>	Scott Perry was at the meeting on December 29th, 2020. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 149:10-21.

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		A: Ms. Hutchinson responded, “That is correct.”	
73	21	“Tallying satellite.”	“Italian satellite.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 149:23-25.
74	24	“reacted with her.”	“raised with her.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 150:2-4.
83	22	“tenure.”	“knowledge.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 150:16-17.
95	14	The word “marquis” was used.	That word was picked up incorrectly by the court reporter. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 151:3-10.
102	9	“lazy.”	“Laissez faire.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 151:19-22.
120	23	“vert.”	“very.” <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pg. 152:11-13.
125-126	15-4	<p><b>Q:</b> Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “What about the pardoning the President himself? Did you ever hear any discussions about that idea?”</p> <p><b>A:</b> Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I heard Mr. Meadows mention that, but in passerby conversation with me, If we’re going do all these pardons, the President wants a pardon, I want a pardon, just like in that same breath of the conversation where we're talking about pardon broadly. And I believe I sat down with him about pardons, because I was getting inundated from Member requests, not necessarily</p>	That <b>bolded</b> section should be read in Mr. Meadows voice. <i>See</i> Trans. 4, pgs. 152:14-53:17.

		<p>asking for the personal pardons but with their constituents, they wanted a pardon or whoever it might have been. We had hundreds of pardon requests, if not thousands. And the White House Counsel’s office was also inundated. <b>And that’s when Mr. Meadows had mentioned some staffers are asking for a preemptive pardon. Some campaign people are asking for a preemptive pardon. Heck, if all these people are asking for a pardon, I want a pardon. Even the President might get a pardon.</b>” (emphasis added).</p>	
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**Fourth Transcript from Interview on June 20, 2022**

6	4-7	<p>When recounting President Trump’s trip from the Ellipse to the White House, Ms. Hutchinson stated that President Trump rode in the presidential limo. Ms. Hutchinson stated, “When the car started moving, I’m under the impression, from the story as Tony had retold it, it just made Mr. Trump irate, and he lunged forward into what I believe is the – would be called the cab of the Presidential limo and went to grab at the steering wheel.”</p>	<p>On the trip from the rally to the White House, Mr. Trump rode in an SUV.</p>
7	5-17	<p>Ms. Hutchinson was asked, “Did they explain, Cassidy, given how the Beast – the layout of the Beast, the distance that it would be, you know, for the President to have to get to lunge at the steering wheel?”</p>	<p>On the trip from the rally to the White House, Mr. Trump rode in an SUV.</p>

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		<p>Ms. Hutchinson responded, “I know that Mr. Trump would typically sit towards the front of the limo, because he would have conversations with the special agent in charge. He would do that with Tony when Tony had the same position that Bobby was in. So, from my – I’ve never been in the Beast, but from what I understand, it’s a relatively short distance at least to have the conversation. . . . I don’t know the actual distance, if he would’ve been able to grab the wheel or if he was just trying to lunge at it.”</p>	
147-48	23-1	<p>Ms. Hutchinson said, “Late in the evening of January 19<sup>th</sup>, around 10:30 or 11 o’clock p.m., Pat Philbin came down to the office and asked me for the binders, referring to the two binders that were to be given to Leader McCarthy and to Leader McConnell. I then gave them to him.”</p>	<p>Ms. Hutchinson gave one of the two binders to Pat Philbin.</p>

DATE: September 12, 2022

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