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8	Defendant. )	
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THE COURT: Please be seated.	
(Jury out.)	08:33:12
THE COURT: All right, sir. What have we got?	
MR. PERKEL: Just housekeeping, Judge. Your clerk	
didn't catch the photos that we agreed to at sidebar on the	
Texas home so for the record	
THE COURT: Now, wait a minute. My clerk didn't	08:33:26
catch.	
COURTROOM DEPUTY: I missed it.	
THE COURT: You know how much I protect my staff.	
MR. PERKEL: I don't mean to demean anybody. She	
said she doesn't listen to the sidebar so she didn't pick it	08:33:36
up. So I just wanted to put on the records that 403 through	
407 and 411 through 412 were photos that were announced there	
as being stipulated to and the Court	
THE COURT: Yes, Ms. Arnett said that at the sidebar.	
MR. PERKEL: She's a wonderful clerk, by the way.	08:33:56

And then Exhibit 203 --

THE COURT: And so is the judge.

MR. PERKEL: Yes, I was going to get to that.

Exhibit 203, I just talked to counsel, it's a 902(11) certificate for ioVest that we failed to move in with the mass

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MR. MINNS: During the course of the trial, there was -- I'm kind of referring to it and it has been bugging me and it has been making me angrier and angrier. I should have said something immediately. I apologize to the Court. I think as an officer to the Court, I have a duty to say something immediately, but I was thrown offguard. I thought maybe it was different locally or something like that.

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There was an incident and I'm now referring to it as a Simon Says incident. Basically, the Court was not in the courtroom. Mr. Sexton was -- and I didn't hear everything, but he was engaging with the jurors. And the next thing that I did hear was, "I found that" -- the jurors were standing waiting for the court to arrive. "I found that sometimes if we sit down, it will get the Court to come out faster."

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Mr. Sexton then sat down. Juror number 13 sat down with him. I don't recall, thankfully, any other jurors taking that bait. I thought, well, am I taking this wrong?

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I went over to Mr. Sexton and attempted to engage him because I was so uncomfortable. I didn't say anything.

Mr. Sexton made some personal jokes. I'm not going to repeat them. I have got thick skin. It didn't bother me. And then I came back.

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The Court then came in. I've talked to several people about this since. I should have immediately made an objection. It was wrong not to do so. But everybody I've talked to says there's no circumstances under which lawyers can engage conversations with the jurors when the Court is not sitting on the bench or lawyers can have banter with the jurors when the Court is not sitting on the bench.

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What's continued to happen, and it's continued to get me, and I think at the end of the day, I was losing it, and I apologize for that. But the -- I sometimes cannot hear my own

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questions because of the banter that is going on in the government bench behind me, sometimes ridiculing my remarks, sometimes not. I can't hear everything. My back is turned. On a couple of occasions I have actually turned to wait until they stopped. The Court once asked what I was doing. I said that but I don't think I gave the Court a very good explanation, and I am trying to do that now.

The communication with Miss Giovannelli and juror number 13 has gotten to be a friendship-type thing. They are making gestures back and forth, looking at each other, direct, constant eye contact. They are communicating. This juror is lost to the defense. She's not even going to listen when we put on the defense. And her and Ms. Giovannelli are going to be making eye contact back and forth throughout our closing.

I am disturbed by this. I am disturbed that I did not immediately bring it up to the Court, but I have tried a case in Tucson. I've never tried a case in Phoenix. I'm thinking maybe there's more relaxation with everything and less posturing in the hallways. I always avoid the jurors. I walk to the opposite sides of the hallways.

The jurors are getting in the elevator so -- if I'm in an elevator and jurors get in, I get out of the elevator. I don't want -- I don't want the jurors to think I'm snitching and I don't like -- I'm not trying to be a snitch. I'm uncomfortable with this whole thing to begin with.

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But I would like not pointed instructions to this, if 08:38:41 this case is to continue, but some instructions that the Court has told the lawyers that they are not to talk to the jurors when the Court is not in the courtroom and that they are not to talk to the jurors in the hallway. And if you feel the lawyers are obeying my instructions if they avoid you and do things like, that because I don't want the jurors to think I don't care about them. I do. I am trying to engage them every second that I can, but only when the Court is on the bench, not when the Court is not in the courtroom.

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I think I have no choice but to ask for a mistrial here due to government misconduct. There's no question that that engagement with the specific juror, the specific bait, it was very charming, it was very well done. I thought what a charming person he is but it was wrong. It was absolutely wrong.

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I'm asking for a mistrial against the government for In the event that the Court did not feel that it has cause. gone to this point, I am asking that juror number 13 be stricken because of these tactics. In the event that the Court does not agree with me, I ask that juror number 13 be stricken and that the government be asked to try to keep their voices down when I am at the podium asking questions and to try and at the government table, to not try to make direct contact with individual jurors unless they are at the podium where they are

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THE COURT: What type of comments did you hear from

supposed to be making contact with the jurors.

THE COURT: What type of comments did you hear from the government when you were speaking?

MR. MINNS: My back was turned to them. I could not make out the exact comments. I could hear it. I could see reactions from jurors laughing and looking at the government table. So I am anticipating that they could hear it but I could not. They could hear it at my counsel table, they could hear them talking, but they could not make out the exact words.

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THE COURT: But you don't really, because without knowing the content, you don't know that the government was making adverse comments about you; right?

MR. MINNS: Well, I mean, Mr. Sexton made an adverse comment which I did hear and --

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THE COURT: What was that?

MR. MINNS: He made a comment that I am too short and have ADD or something like that. But I am not complaining about that or anything like that, and I didn't make a comment back because my background would have been an inappropriate comment which I would have made back so I said nothing. I just walked back to my table.

THE COURT: When did he say that?

MR. MINNS: I believe it was at the time that I approached the table when -- I can't be certain. If I say the

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MR. SEXTON: Most of this is false. I don't believe

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our counsel table is doing anything. In fact, I am, obviously, between the people you're talking about and the jurors. And the Court, obviously, has the best vantage point. You are looking directly at us and you are looking at the jurors, and there is no comments being made about Mr. Minns. We are not laughing. I am deadly seriously listening to everything he is saying. I am leaning forward and I don't hear anything going on between my party. Frankly, I'm not even engaging them to look at exhibits. It's a quiet table and I think the Court can see that from the point we have been doing this.

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He talks about the one time that there was a time where we were all standing, and this was almost like on day one of the trial, Judge, we're talking about where you were standing. And then to my own colleagues, I said, "I bet if I sit down" -- not directly it to the jurors, "I bet if I sit down, she'll come in." And your own staff was saying, you know, we all kind of did a little bit of that, trying to see when you were going to come in. That was it. It was not engaging the jurors. It was engaging my own counsel table.

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As far as what Ms. Giovannelli is -- obviously, you are watching this entire trial, you have the best vantage point. I don't believe any of that, what he said about Ms. Giovannelli is true, and I dispute it 100 percent.

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And the reference he's talking about was -- and the final thing is, he wants to reference something that has

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nothing to do -- the jury is not in the room. He came over and 08:44:21 I said to him, because he kept coming over to me as I was trying to do work. I said, "You are sort of a nervous little guy. You keep coming over here, " and then I sent him back. Then he thinks I made fun of him.

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I actually think I made fun of myself because I think I might have said, "You're a short little nervous quy," and when he sort of said, I'm not short." I said, "Listen, I'm hair-challenged, too. I'm going bald, so we all have issues," and that was it. It was nothing -- the jury is not even there. It was actually kind of laughed at. So the notion that today -- and that was almost, like, on day one of the jury -that was, like, three weeks ago we're talking about. So I didn't think he took offense to it. I made fun of myself at the same time. Everybody was laughing at me and at my own expense.

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So to try to trump this up now three weeks later, I think almost everything he said is 100 percent false. And I did say something about sitting down, but I was saying it to my own group and that is it. I was not in any way directed, turned to, or looking at the jury when I said that.

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MR. MINNS: It was -- at that time, there was direct eye contact and it was direct eye contact and you sat down simultaneously with juror number 13. And to try to say that the staff was involved in this in any way, I disagree. The

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staff had nothing to do with it. There was no involvement at all and did not encourage it or discourage it or anything.

THE COURT: All right. Well, I'm taking the motion under advisement. I'll talk to the jury about no contact with the lawyers during the trial or when we are adjourned outside of the courtroom; and if necessary, I'll take this up with juror number 13 and Ms. Giovannelli. And, Counsel, you're not to mention anything to Ms. Giovannelli about this sidebar. If necessary, I'll have a conversation with her.

MR. SEXTON: May we instruct our people to just be not engaging the jury?

THE COURT: Well, I will do that.

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MR. MINNS: Your Honor, I am concerned that there's -- if juror number 13 is not taken off, then she will hold this against me. And if -- she's already against us because of this. But if she is questioned, she's going to know that I brought it up and she's going to hold this against us even greater. There are two jurors, two alternate jurors. If she's taken off, it will have no problem whatsoever. And that is the reason why I think the Court wisely had, for this long trial, so many alternates.

THE COURT: I will decide how to take that up at the appropriate time. It's under advisement.

MR. SEXTON: Thank you, Judge.

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THE COURT: All right. There has been a conversation with counsel about potential contact with the jurors.

Everybody knows whether in the courtroom or outside the courtroom, there is no contact with the jurors, either eye contact or any other contact of any sort that is any type of communication. And I think everybody in the courtroom understands that. Is that right?

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MR. SEXTON: Yes, Judge.

MR. MINNS: Thank you, Your Honor.

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MS. ARNETT: Thank you, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. Let's bring the jury in.

(Jury enters.)

THE COURT: All right. Ladies and gentlemen. Please be seated. We are ready to proceed. Good morning.

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Let me just remind you, as I do occasionally during the trial, particularly if we have a long trial, that whether in the courtroom or outside the courtroom, there is to be no contact with the lawyers or the parties in any way. That means contact, eye contact. That means conversation. I think you understand it and I just need to remind everybody of that.

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And if you have any question about it or somebody attempts to contact you, whether it be one of the parties or the lawyers or anyone whatsoever, then please let me know.

All right. Let's go.

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MR. SEXTON: The next witness and final witness is	08:49:56
Mark Klamrzynski.	
MARK KLAMRZYNSKI,	
called as a witness herein by the Government, having been first	
duly sworn or affirmed to testify to the truth, was examined	08:50:01
and testified as follows:	
COURTROOM DEPUTY: State your name for the record,	
spell your last name, please.	
THE WITNESS: Mark Klamrzynski.	
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DIRECT EXAMINATION	
BY MR. SEXTON:	
Q. Mr. Klamrzynski, where do you currently work?	
A. At the United States Attorney's Office here in Phoenix.	
Q. And how long have you worked there?	08:50:45
A. A little over a year, since February of 2011.	
Q. And what's your position at the United States Attorney's	
Office?	
A. Auditor.	
Q. And, sir, what's your current salary with the United	08:50:59
States Attorney's Office?	
A. A little bit over \$86,000 per year.	
Q. Let's go into your background. What when did you	
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- Now, sir, if you would, for the jury's benefit, would you sort of summarize the highlights of your work experience between graduating from college and your current job at the United States Attorney's Office?
- Right after graduation in 1973 I was hired by Pricewaterhouse, one of the largest CPA firms in the country, in the world. I worked there for about three years. I had another position with James Kemper Insurance Agency. Moved to Arizona in 1977 where I was hired by Phoenix Coca-cola Bottling as their director of finance and budgeting, worked there for a few years and then had several different financial accounting positions here in the Valley with small- to medium-sized

In July of 1970 I was hired by the Arizona Corporation Commission in the Securities Division and performed 08:52:29 my duties as a forensic accountant.

You said 1970. Is that when you were hired? Q.

companies that varied in their industries.

- 23 I'm sorry. 1990.
- 24 And how long were you at the Arizona Corporation 25 Commission?

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- 1 A. A little over 17 years, until 2007.
  - Q. Did you retire from that position?
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- Q. And what did you do after that?
- A. I went to work for a small CPA firm, James C. Sell, PC, which specialized in receivership and forensic accounting work.
  - Q. And then ultimately made your way to the United States
    Attorney's Office?
- 9 A. And then made my way, yes, in February of '11 to the United States Attorney's Office.
- Q. Are you currently an instructor or professor at the one of the colleges in town?
- A. Yes. Since 1984 for the last 28, 29 years I have been an accounting instructor at Phoenix College in the Maricopa
  Community College District. I have taught all levels of introductory accounting. I teach fraud accounting and two types of tax courses.
  - Q. And, sir, do you have any credentials in the State of Arizona?
- A. Yes. I'm a licensed certified public accountant in Arizona and I'm also a certified fraud examiner.
- 22 Q. And how long have you had both of those affiliations?
- A. I have been a CPA since 1983 and a certified fraud examiner since 1997.
- 25 Q. Now, sir, let's begin --

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MR. SEXTON: All of these exhibits that we're going to go through, Judge, had already been admitted into evidence per the stipulation yesterday.

THE COURT: Yes.

Ladies and gentlemen, there have been a number of exhibits that both counsel have brought to my attention that should be admitted. Both counsel agree that they should be admitted. You will have those records in the jury room during deliberations.

MR. SEXTON: Thank you, Judge.

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Q. Let's start with Exhibit 606, sir, which is on the screen. In fact, maybe just to make it a little easier on the eye, why don't you highlight the top portion of that form just so they can see what it is?

Sir, what is Exhibit 606?

- A. Exhibit 606 is a list of the exhibits that I prepared and the relating supporting exhibits that helped explain what each one of the exhibits listed on 606 are?
- Q. Is this a summary of your summary exhibits?
- A. Yes, it is.
- Q. Now, let's start with, from your summary exhibit list here, let's start with Exhibit 399, page two. Would you explain to the jury what you summarized in Exhibit 399, please?
- A. In Exhibit 399 I summarized the entities that were

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discovered or that I uncovered in the investigation. In this exhibit the headings read Entity Name, Tax ID Number, Registered Agent or Owner, the date the entity started in existence, and then other supporting exhibit numbers.

And for which entities did you do that for? Q.

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- As listed on the summary, the entities listed are Parker Children Irrevocable Trust; Sunlight Financial, LLP; Cimarron River Ranch, LLC; Resorts Consulting Quorum, LLP; and RSJ Investments, LLC.
- 10 Now, sir, if you would turn to Exhibit 400 and if we could 08:56:38 11 highlight the main body of that. What is Exhibit 400 that you prepared? 12
  - Exhibit 400 is a summary of the related bank accounts that were examined by myself in the investigation that relate to Exhibit 399. The headings read the date that the bank account was opened, the bank account name, the bank name and its location, the related account number, the authorized check signers, and the last column is the other supporting exhibit numbers that were used to gather this information.
  - Other than Cimarron River Ranch did each one of the entities have just one bank account that you looked at.
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- 23 How many bank accounts did Cimarron River Ranch have on 24 your chart here?
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Q. Now if we could please go to Exhibit 391. Explain to the jury what you summarized in Exhibit 391.

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A. Exhibit 391 is a summary of the funds wired to the Belize Bank for the benefit of MacKinnon Belize Land and Development Limited for the period June 2004 to August of 7. This lists, again, the date, what was the nature of the transaction, the bank account and the related bank account number, the amount of money and other related exhibit numbers that I used to put this exhibit together.

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Q. And then looking at Exhibit 392, sir. I'm going to start in the upper portion of the summary of bank deposits. Would you explain what Exhibit 392 summarizes?

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A. Exhibit 392 summarizes the funds that were wired from the Belize bank account that was just mentioned in 391 for the period of June of 2004 to January of 2008.

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These transactions were the significant transactions. I don't want to imply that it meant that it was all of the transactions that were wired from the Belize Bank. But the top portion indicates or is a summary of the bank account deposits that were made. In other words, from the Belize Bank there were three banks that moneys were wired to for the dates indicated and the transaction to what bank it was being wired to, the bank account number, the bank account and the bank account number, the amount of funds that were wired to these bank accounts, and then on the far right is the related exhibit

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numbers that are the supporting documentation for the summary.

Q. And the first two entries, do those relate to wires to banks associated with Cimarron River Ranch?

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- A. Yes, they did. The first entry that has the date of June 15, 2004, to August 2007, this is a summary of all of the wire transfers to Cimarron River Ranch, LLC, from Belize Bank Limited and those moneys were wired into the First State Bank account number 231142 totaling \$1,302000.
- Q. And then the second line after that is to the First
  National Bank of Tribune on behalf of Cimarron River Ranch?
- A. Yes. For the period of January 27, 2005, to January 8 of 2008. These are wires to the account in the name of Roy Young, dba, Cimarron River Ranch, LLC. And those amounts of the wires totaled \$1,544,375.
- Q. And then the final entry, is that to a different entity?
- A. Yes, it is. During the period of September 28 of 2005 to
  August 15 of 2006 wire transfers from Belize -- from the Belize
  Bank to the Results Consulting Quorum, LLP, entity were made
  into the Bank One, also known as JPMorgan Chase, account number
  684215809 in the amount of \$223,500.
  - Q. You read Results and it says Results but that's a typo, isn't it?
  - A. I'm sorry. Yep. That should be resorts.
- Q. Now, the second half of this Exhibit 392, let's put that on the screen. Now, the top half that we looked at is wire

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transfers from Belize to bank accounts in the United States? 1

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And what is the bottom half of Exhibit 392? Q.

The bottom half of 392 indicates the summary of major 4 5 purchases that were made. Again, they are funded by wires from 09:02:22 6 the bank in Belize. The first item, dated July 16 of 2004, was

a wire transfer to Desert European Motorcars, Limited, in

Rancho Mirage, California, to purchase a 2004 Rolls Royce Phantom four-door sedan. Those moneys were wired to Bank of

America, account number 16740005 --10

Ο. You don't need to read the account.

- Okay. And the amount was \$306,000. Α.
- Okay. And then the next one was the Ford F250 truck? 13 Q.
- On December 3, 2004, \$36,029 was wired to Fenton 14 15 Motors of Dumas, Texas, to purchase the truck.
  - Q. And what was the third entry down there?
    - The third entry dated September 2, 2005, was a wire transfer to Chicago Title of Amarillo, Texas, to purchase a Cody and Rachel Harris home at 103 Jynteewood Drive in Canyon,

Texas, in the amount of \$204,000. 20

- Then looking at 307, at the top, is this the \$204,000 wire transfer from that Jynteewood Drive, Canyon, Texas, purchase?
- 23 Α. Yes, it was.
- And it indicates the buyer above. 24 Q.
- 25 As that indicates, buyers Cody Harris and Rachel T. Α.

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1 Harris for the property on Jynteewood Drive in Canyon, Texas.

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- A. 393 summarizes all of the wire transfers that were made from Belize to First State Bank in Boise City, Oklahoma, for the period of June 15, 2004, through August 8 of 2007.
- Q. And then let me sort of -- does the bottom total of \$1,302,000 match up to the previous exhibit we just saw that had \$1,302,000 going into that bank?
- 10 A. Yes. It does. That's the detail for what's on 11 Exhibit 392, page two.
- Q. And then on this exhibit you subtotal for each year, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007 as shown?
- 14 A. Yes.
- Q. And then let's go to Exhibit 394. Is that the same thing for the other bank for Cimarron that all of the money went from Belize?
- A. Yes. In similar fashion, I summarized all of the individual wire transfers for the moneys wireds from Belize to First National Bank of Tribune in Elkhart, Kansas.
- Q. And on page three of that Exhibit 394, that bottom total there matches the total that you just showed the jury?
- 23 A. On Exhibit 392.
- Q. Okay. And is it the same as it would apply to Exhibit 395, what does that summarize?

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- 395 summarizes the wire transfers from Belize to Bank One Α. in Phoenix, Arizona, for the period September 28, 2005, to August 15 of 2008, in the amount of \$223,500.
- And that figure matches up to the earlier combined chart in 392?

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- Yes, it does. Α.
- Ο. Now, if you look at Exhibit 390. Is this sort of a boxed form of what you just went over in 392?
  - Α. Yes, it is.
- It shows the money coming in and the blue above. 10

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11 The blue box at the top shows the \$6 million that was wired to the Belize Bank and then the arrows pointing down are 12 the major disbursements from the Belize Bank into First State 13 Bank, First National Bank of Tribune, Bank One, the purchase of

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- And now if you would, sir, would you go to 396? would highlight the upper portion. What is summarized in 396?
  - Exhibit 396 summarizes the Cimarron River Ranch, LLC, cattle purchases for the period of February 2005 to April of 2006 and these total \$693,550.
- And this is from the Cimarron River Ranch First National bank account?
- Α. Yes. It is. The First National Bank of Tribune.

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- Q. And then 397, if you would look at that and tell the jury what that summarizes.
- A. 397 summarizes the Oklahoma land lease payments made by Cimarron River Ranch for the period January 2005 to December 2007 totaling \$592,941.54.

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- Q. Is the source of those funds from two separate bank accounts?
- A. Yes. \$557 -- approximately \$557,141 came from the First State Bank and the balance of approximately 40-some thousand dollars came out of M&I, Marshall & Isley, Bank.

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- Q. And then let's go to Exhibit 398, sir, and tell the jury what that summarizes.
- A. 398 summarizes the interest payments made to Stewart Title
  for the period October of 2003 to December 2007 totaling

  \$481,088.81. These interest payments came from three different
  entities. Sunlight Financial LLP had paid \$70,298

  approximately. Resorts Consulting Quorum, LLP, paid
  approximately \$152,575. And Cimarron River Ranch paid

approximately \$152,575. And Cimarron River Ranch paid approximately \$258,215.

Q. So from the standpoint of -- first off, is this on the

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- \$1.5 million loan on the Carefree home?
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Q. Okay. And so looking at the date column, did Sunlight
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- A. Yes, the summary indicates from approximately October of 2003 to approximately July of 2005 Sunlight made the payments on the interest to Stewart Title.
- Q. And then Resorts seems to take over for three-quarters there, four quarters?

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- A. Yes. From approximately September 2005 to June of 2006

  Resorts -- Results Consulting Quorum, LLP, made payments.
- Q. And then, finally, it, then, skips down to Cimarron River

  Ranch taking over the payments at that point?
- 10 A. Yes. From approximately September 2006 to December of 2007.
- Q. And starting with Exhibit 502, would you tell the jury what is summarized in Exhibit 502?
  - A. Exhibit 502 is a summary of James and Jacqueline Parker's personal expenses from the American Express card that were paid by the entity bank accounts that are referred to in the other exhibit for the period February 2005 through June of 2011.

    This exhibit relates to the American Express account ending
  - Q. You don't need to read it. They can see that. But this is the American Express account?
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Q. Let's break this down to the sections you have on the summary. The first one is for Harris Bank, payments off of the Harris Bank Account.

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A. Yes. That bank account was the name of Omega Construction, Inc.

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Q. And I notice there's a little notation at the bottom. Do you see where it says note: Also identified 18 additional payments. Would you explain what that is to the jury?

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A. The information we had received from the American Express, they had provided monthly statements for some of the periods, but they also provided records of payment for periods that were outside the statement date periods.

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So, in other words, they had more payments than detail statements. So the additional note for most of these, as an example on the Harris Bank, there was an additional approximately \$23,602 of payments made to American Express from the Harris Bank Account. That was all of the information we had. We did not -- we weren't able to acquire the related statements for those payments.

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- Q. And, therefore, the detail of what the actual charges are?
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Q. Now, just below this, let's pull out and maybe do sort of the middle half of this, the two entries on that.

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- So after the Harris Bank, which is at the very top, what other banks were found to have been used to pay the American Express card?
- A. The other banks used to pay the American Express account were the Metcalf Bank, also known as American Sterling Bank,

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for the -- in the name of the Sunlight Financial, LLP. First National Bank of New Mexico in the name of RSJ Investments, Inc., and then the First State Bank in the name of Cimarron River Ranch, LLC. And then at the bottom, the M&I, Marshall & Isley Bank, in the name of Cimarron River Ranch, LLC.

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- And then with some of these you have some detail and then you have little notes as well?
- In some cases, we had detailed statements and then in addition, we had the additional payments.
- Now, if you would look at Exhibit 512, please. What does 11 this summarize?
  - 512 is a similar summary like 502, which is a summary of the James and Jacqueline Parker's personal expenses per the Bank of America credit card which was paid by various entity bank accounts for the period of August 2005 through August of 2007.

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- And which entity bank accounts were used to pay the Bank of America credit card?
  - The Metcalf Bank, also known as the American Sterling Bank. And the name of Sunlight, LLP. First National Bank of New Mexico, which was in the name of RJS Investments, LLC; and First State Bank, which was in the name of Cimarron River Ranch, LLC.
  - Now, if you would turn to Exhibit 513, please and tell the jury what that summarizes.

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A. Exhibit 513 is a similar exhibit to 502 and 512. This is a summary of James and Jacqueline Parker's personal expenses per the Capital One credit card, Capital One Services, paid by various entity bank accounts for the period November 2003 through October 2006.

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- Q. And summarize, if you would, for the jury and the Court the different accounts that this card was paid from.
- A. The Harris Bank account in the name of Omega Construction, Inc., was used to pay this card. The Metcalf Bank, also --
- Q. Hold on. So we get the bottom half so the jury can be seeing it. Now you can go ahead.

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Also the Metcalf Bank, also known as American
Sterling Bank in the name of Sunlight Financial, LLP, was used.
First National Bank of New Mexico in the name of RSJ
Investments, LLC; and the First State Bank in the name of
Cimarron River Ranch, LLC, was also used.

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- Q. Okay. Now, would you turn to Exhibit 503, please.
- Explain what this pie chart is supposed to illustrate?
  - A. This pie chart illustrates the source of funds for Cimarron River Ranch, LLC. More particularly, the funds that went into the First State Bank of Oklahoma for the period of April 27, 2004, through November 30, 2007.

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- Q. Let me stop you there. In the lower left-hand corner, the
  - amount of \$1,813,503, does that represent the whole pie?
  - A. Pie. Yes.

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Yes, it represents the whole pie for the period at the top of the exhibit.

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And then the blue portion of the pie, is that what we have talked about earlier in 393 where you summarized the amounts coming in from Belize into this particular Cimarron River Ranch 09:18:21

- bank account?
  - Yes, it does, and also it appears on Exhibit 390.
  - So this is a breakdown, as best you could, with the information you had, of what went into that account besides the Belize bank account money?

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Now, let's go to Exhibit 504. Are you with me? 504 is a 12 Q. pie chart for the other Cimarron River bank account where the 13 Belize money was wired into? 14

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15 Yes, it is. Very similar to 503 only it's for, as you 16 said, the First National Bank of Tribune, Kansas, for the 17 period of January 24, 2005, through March 13 of 2008.

And in the lower left-hand corner, is that the entire pie of \$1,664,000?

Yes, it is. Α.

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- And then is this 93 percent in the blue section, is that the -- what we've already talked about and shown in the earlier Exhibit, 394?
- And also in 390. Α.
- Q. And Exhibit 505, is this another pie chart that shows the

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money for Resorts Consulting Quorum, the money that came in from Belize to that bank account?

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And in the lower left-hand corner, that the amount of the total pie?

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Exhibit 508 is the use of funds for the entity Resorts 10 Α.

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- out of the Bank One account for the period January 31, 2005, 12
- through September 29, 2006. Where Exhibit 507 were the 13
- sources, Exhibit -- exhibit of funds, Exhibit 508 are the uses 14

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Q. And so when I look at the big green area for the payments on the \$1.5 million loan, does that match Exhibit 398 as to the total lease payments -- excuse me, the total interest payments that you did on the earlier exhibit?

This would be a portion of them.

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But it would match to the amounts that you show for Resorts Consulting Quorum as far as the lease payment -interest payments?

Α. 24 Yes.

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MARK KLAMRZYNSKI - Cross  MR. SEXTON: One moment, Judge.  That's it, Judge. Thank you.  THE COURT: All right.	09:22:03
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THE COURT: All right.	
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MR. MINNS: Yes, Your Honor. Thank you.	09:22:26
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BY MR. MINNS:	
Q. Good morning, sir. I am I've apologized to you in the	
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"sir" to make sure I don't do that.	09:22:58
A. Apology accepted and you weren't the first and won't be	
the last.	
Q. Thank you. You and I have had a chance to meet throughout	
the course of the hearings and things like that. You have been	
working with the government for several months on this case;	09:23:14
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A. Yes.	
Q. And in accounting, as a certified public accountant, when	
you render a financial opinion, you are required, by the rules	
of the general accounting profession, to disclose anything that	09:23:35
might relate to your financial opinions; correct?	
MR. SEXTON: Objection. He's a summary witness.	
He's asking an expert opinion.	
THE COURT: Overruled.	
THE WITNESS: Yeah. If you're going to express an	09:23:51
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- Yes, sir. The evidence has shown that Rachel Harris filed bankruptcy. You would not consider the filing of bankruptcy to be an act of dishonesty; correct?
- On that narrow question, I suppose not. Α.
- Q. Well, for the one government witness that was convicted of 09:25:10

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bankruptcy fraud, in that case you would consider it to be an act of dishonesty?

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A. Again, I would need to know the facts of the case. I couldn't express an opinion on that.

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Q. Now, all of these records are easily available to you and the government. You haven't had any trouble getting ahold of them. You haven't had any objections or side things in your way. You've had complete cooperation in gathering these records, have you not?

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Q. And you've read the letter from the attorney Greg Robinson explaining that the parents' living was being subsidized by their children. Do you not disagree that if children are the beneficiaries of their parents' generosity in their good times, then there's anything illegal, wrong, or immoral with the parents later becoming the beneficiaries of the children's'

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parents later becoming the beneficiaries of the children's' generosity?

THE COURT: Sustained.

MR. SEXTON: Objection to the form of the question.

He's asking this witness for a legal conclusions and it's

beyond -- he's a summary witness and that's all he's here for.

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22 BY MR. MINNS:

Q. If these are gifts from the children, are you not -you've testified to these amounts and in the summary
flowcharts. You're not indicating in any way, shape, or form,

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THE WITNESS: Are you asking if these are gifts?

BY MR. MINNS:

Q. No, sir. I'm assuming they are. You can disagree with

me. But if these are gifts from the children that you've shown
the jury went to pay personal bills, for example, Mrs. Parker's

American Express bills, there's nothing wrong with that;

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- A. I disagree with you.
- Q. You are aware that there is a \$3 million judgment by the Belize company against Cimarron River Ranch?

17 MR. SEXTON: Objection. Hearsay. Foundation.

THE COURT: Sustained.

MR. MINNS: May I ask if he has seen it, Your Honor?

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THE COURT: I'm sorry. I can't hear you.

MR. MINNS: May I ask if he has seen the judgment,

Your Honor?

THE COURT: You can ask that.

BY MR. MINNS:

Q. Have you seen the copy of the \$3 million judgment from the 09:28:02

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- 23 Α. For which year?
  - Q. Any year.
    - I believe I recall some income, yes. Α.

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MR. MINNS: Your Honor, may I publish government	09:30:19
Exhibit 399?	
THE COURT: Yes.	
BY MR. MINNS:	
Q. I've highlighted a portion of Government's Exhibit 399	09:30:27
which is a chart that you created; correct?	
A. Yes.	
Q. And on the far left-hand corner you have put down the name	
Results Consulting Quorum, LLP; correct?	
A. Yes.	09:30:52
Q. And in the middle you have written down the names of the	
registered agents and who are those registered agents?	
A. R.D. Robinson, who was a general partner, and Gila Shrimp,	
LLP, who is a general partner.	
Q. Now, is this the same R.D. Robinson known as David	09:31:12
Robinson, the law partner of his brother, Greg Robinson?	
A. I am not quite sure. I think so.	
Q. And is this the same Robinson who is sole checking	
authority on that account, Results Consulting Quorum, LLP?	
A. I don't recall.	09:31:39

But do you recall he's partners with his brother. They

are both lawyers?

MR. SEXTON: Objection. Foundation.

THE COURT: Overruled.

THE WITNESS: I don't recall.

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- Q. Who is Gila Shrimp, LLP?
- A. I don't recall exactly. I remember seeing some documents about -- and it's Gila Shrimp, LLP.
  - Q. I apologize. I've never met him or her. Is he or she a signatory on any of the checking accounts?
  - A. I don't recall.

MR. MINNS: If I could publish Exhibit 400, please,

Your Honor?

THE COURT: Yes.

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- Q. I've highlighted by mistake two lines. I wanted to -when I realized my mistake, I put a little red X by the one I
  wanted to draw your attention to.
- So if you can, ignore the second highlight. Just look at the one -- this dated highlight, 1-31-2005. Is that the date that -- you created this chart; correct?
- 18 A. Yes, I did.
- Q. Okay. And you did that to reflect the fact that you had pulled the banking records for Results -- Resorts Consulting Quorum, LLP; correct?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. And the banking records were at Bank One in Phoenix and you typed out the account number; correct?
- 25 A. Yes. 09:33:34

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- Q. And then you wrote at the side the name of the only person 09:33:34 authorized to sign on it. And could you tell the jurors the name of the only person authorized to sign on the account, Resorts Consulting Quorum, LLP?
- A. Ralph Robinson, partner.

Q. Okay. Now, is this partner in the Resorts Consulting
Quorum or is this his partner in the law firm of Farley
Robinson or both or neither?

- A. As partner, when he's designated himself on the bank account would be partner for the Results Consulting Quorum, LLP.
- Q. I see. And how much of Results Consulting Quorum, LLP, does Ralph Robinson own?
- 14 A. I don't recall.

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MR. MINNS: Your Honor, if I could approach counsel table, the government, to make sure that I'm doing the correct exhibit. I don't have the exhibit number.

THE COURT: All right.

MR. MINNS: Thank you, Your Honor.

BY MR. MINNS:

Q. With the Court's permission, I'm going to post what we have agreed is Exhibit 00480198, page 29, and I have several documents on page 29.

MR. SEXTON: Hold on. I just want to make sure it's in evidence.

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1	MR. MINNS: I have been asked to wait, Your Honor.	09:35:58
2	THE COURT: Okay.	
3	MR. MINNS: May I approach government counsel table?	
4	MR. SEXTON: Sorry about that. I just want to make	
5	sure it's Exhibit 48.	09:36:06
6	That's fine. That's in evidence.	
7	MR. MINNS: May I publish the first portion?	
8	THE COURT: Yes.	
9	BY MR. MINNS:	
10	Q. This is one of the checks that the government has put into	09:36:27
11	evidence that is written out on Cimarron River Ranch account	
12	signed it appears to be signed by their daughter, Rachel.	
13	Do you agree with that?	
14	A. Yes.	
15	Q. And it appears to have the notation Samantha and Tabitha	09:36:51
16	dues. Would that be correct?	
17	A. It appears to say Samantha and Tabitha Harris dues.	
18	Q. And then GS Troop, that sounds like Girl Scout troop, do	
19	you agree or disagree?	
20	A. It appears to be.	09:37:17
21	Q. And this appears to be an expense of Miss Harris's family,	
22	the grandchildren of the Parkers but not the Parkers	
23	personally; correct?	
24	A. I don't know who the grandchildren are.	
25	Q. Are the Girl Scout troop payments tax deductible?	09:37:45

### Case 2:10-cr-00757-ROS Document 195 Filed 07/09/12 Page 42 of 612 MARK KLAMRZYNSKI - Cross I have no idea. Α. 09:37:50 If I could put the next portion of the exhibit on. appears to be another one exactly the same, for \$40. No, it is the same. I apologize. It's not just exactly the same; it is the same. 09:38:11 MR. MINNS: If I could double-check to make sure I'm not -- to avoid confusing myself, may I put these back at counsel table, Your Honor? THE COURT: Yes. MR. MINNS: May I approach the government counsel 09:38:55 table, Your Honor? THE COURT: Yes. MR. MINNS: May I publish page 10 of 31, Your Honor?

12 13 THE COURT: Yes. 14

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- Q. Now, if you would join me in reviewing this. This also appears to be Girl Scout troop, a larger check for just one of the children, Samantha. Would you agree with me?
- Α. Yes.
- And would you agree with me that that seems to be an 20 21 expense for the Rachel Harris household and not the Jim Parker household? 22
  - I have no idea. Α.

THE COURT: Yes.

MR. MINNS: May I approach government counsel table

### Case 2:10-cr-00757-ROS Document 195 Filed 07/09/12 Page 43 of 61/3 MARK KLAMRZYNSKI - Cross again, Your Honor? 09:40:29 THE COURT: Yes. MR. MINNS: May I publish page 26 of 29 of government Exhibit 0048? THE COURT: Yes. 09:40:41 BY MR. MINNS: Now, this check is substantially larger. Would you agree with me? Α. Yes. And this check is for \$25,000 and it's for legal fees; 09:41:00 correct? That's what the check says it's for. Α. But you don't agree that that is what it was for? Q. I have no idea what it's for. Are you familiar with the law firm The MacPherson Group? Q. 09:41:10 Very little but, again, without looking at detailed that check is for, I have no idea what that check is for.

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records, without looking at supporting documentation of what

Well, the author of the check, Rachel, meant to say that it was for legal fees. Whether that is accurate or not, that is what it says on the check; correct?

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And you are aware that there were legal matters going on for all of the various members of the Parker family at the time?

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A. I'm aware of some but not in any great detail, and this	09:41:55
check could be for anybody in the Parker family.	
Q. Or I guess it could be a charitable donation to The	
MacPherson Group?	
A. It may be.	09:42:10
Q. In your practice, though, it's rare that people make large	
charitable deductions to law firms; correct?	
A. I don't recall.	
Q. Well, particularly when they are having a great deal of	
legal problems?	09:42:33
A. They could. It's a possibility.	
Q. You've testified about the \$200,000 home that Rachel	
Harris bought. You've investigated and you understand that she	
and her husband and their children live in that home?	
A. Well, your statement about Rachel Harris bought I disagree	09:43:00
with.	
Q. Okay. It would be your opinion that her parents bought	
that house. Is that what you're saying?	
A. The funds from Belize were wired for the major portion of	
the purchase price of that home and those funds from Belize	09:43:21
were earned by Mr. Parker.	
Q. What percentage of the Belize company did Rachel Harris	

What percentage of the Belize company did the lawyer,

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own?

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1	Mr. Williams, own?	09:43:42
2	A. I have no idea.	
3	Q. What percentage of the company was owned by the other	
4	investors in the Belize company?	
5	A. I have no idea.	09:43:49
6	Q. What percentage of the company was owned by Mrs. Parker?	
7	A. I have no idea.	
8	Q. What percentage of the company was owned by Mr. Parker,	
9	Mr. Jim Parker?	
10	A. I have no idea.	09:44:01
11	Q. As a certified public accountant for one of the formerly	
12	largest accounting firms in the world, is it customary to give	
13	dividends to people who do not own shares in a company?	
14	A. As a certified public accountant for one of the largest	
15	accounting firms in the world, which I don't know what the	09:44:36
16	relevance is, to dividends being paid to people who don't own	
17	companies, no, the answer is no.	
18	MR. MINNS: Objection to his opinion about relevance,	
19	Your Honor. Move that it be stricken.	
20	THE COURT: And it is.	09:44:57
21	Ladies and gentlemen, you are not to consider his	
22	opinion as to whether or not it is relevant.	
23	MR. MINNS: Your Honor, I pass the witness.	
24	MR. SEXTON: No redirect.	
25	THE COURT: All right. You may step down.	09:45:08

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And we're going to take a longer break, about 25 minutes.

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(Jury departs.)

(Witness excused.)

THE COURT: Okay. You may step down.

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All right. Counsel, I'm going to hear the Rule 29 motion but we're going to take a break first. I'll be interested to hear what the government has to say on each of the elements of it's required to prove on evasion to establish particularly that the state of mind. So that will be of interest to the Court and of course your response as to why the government hasn't proven tax evasion.

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You may want to point me to the documentation that establishes for the government the other counts, that is false

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All right. We're in recess for about ten minutes.

(Recess at 9:46; resumed at 10:02.)

THE COURT: Please be seated.

(Jury out.)

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THE COURT: Okay. Let me hear from the government. The first element is that you have to prove that the defendant owed income tax for the years 1997, '98, 2001, 2002. Tell me what income for 1997, what income for 1998, 2001, 2002 and how did you get there?

MR. SEXTON: May I sit and talk to you from here?

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THE COURT: Yes. 1 10:02:59 MR. SEXTON: For 1997 and 1998, those were the 2 stipulated tax court judgments after the audits and that's 3 Exhibits 37 and were the stipulated tax court judgments. 4 5 THE COURT: How much money was that? 10:03:13 MR. SEXTON: Combined, before interest, was over a 6 7 million dollars for those two years. I think the first year 8 was roughly \$300,000. I think the other one was \$700,000 to \$800,000. 9 10 THE COURT: When you say "stipulated tax court 10:03:31 judgments, " so that means, as a matter of law, how are you 11 going to explain that to the jury. It's like you're telling me 12 that a tax court judgment means what? 13 MR. SEXTON: That the defendant in tax court agreed 14 15 that he owed the IRS taxes and penalties and ultimately 10:03:49 16 interest that was assessed. THE COURT: Okay. He owed the IRS for income? 17 MR. SEXTON: For income that he agreed and he agreed 18 19 to the stipulated amount of tax on that unreported tax and the 20 penalties associated with that. 10:04:10 21 THE COURT: Okay. So the income for those years, that's '97 and 1998 --22 23 MR. SEXTON: Yes. And then --THE COURT: -- was \$1 million, the income? 24 25 MR. SEXTON: No. The income was far greater than 10:04:31

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MARK KLAMRZYNSKI - Cross that but that is the -- that was the tax that was owed. 1 10:04:32 2 THE COURT: So what are you going to say the income 3 was? MR. SEXTON: It was in the audit reports that -- I 4 5 don't have the income amounts. But it's really the tax that is 10:04:45 due and owing that he's agreeing to. That's what his element 6 7 goes to. THE COURT: I see. Federal income tax? 8 9 MR. SEXTON: That he owed more tax. THE COURT: So the amount of income tax -- so that's 10 10:04:56 11 a 1997, 1998, was about --MR. SEXTON: It was over a million in taxes and 12 penalties for those two years. And those are Exhibits 37 and 13 38. And then for 2001 and 2002, Counts 3 and 4, those were 14 15 based on the tax returns that were filed --10:05:23 16 THE COURT: Let me stop you now. Let me take it 17 through '97, '98. So the next element is the defendant knew he owed more income tax than was paid by him for any tax returns 18 19 filed for those years, retrospectively or at the time when he filed it. 10:05:45 20 21 So the stipulated -- what year did he stipulate that he owed this? 22

MR. SEXTON: This is in -- May of 2003.

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THE COURT: Okay. So then how do you show that at the time he filed the returns that he knew that he owed the

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MR. SEXTON: We don't have to show at the time he filed his returns because they were returns that he filed that were false. They were audited and then the process became that he eventually litigated the issue in tax court and agreed that his file returns were in or -- and that the unreported income was as the IRS determined, and then he agreed in tax court to the new liabilities, the new tax liabilities associated with the unreported income. So starting in 2003 --

THE COURT: Well, no, I'm talking about the second The second element is the defendant knew he owed more element. income tax than was paid by him for any tax returns filed.

So at the time when he filed those returns, he had to have known. Otherwise we would have a civil case.

MR. SEXTON: No. Because it's the evasion of payment | 10:07:03 after he is -- after he knows what he owes.

THE COURT: No. No. No. Wait. Oh. Okay. you're saying that the evasion didn't occur until after 2003?

MR. SEXTON: As far as the '97 and '98, he starting to get notice in 2002, May of 2002 that he has a deficiency on That is when he starts creating and moving various funds and doing acts of evasion.

THE COURT: So let's go back.

So when you say the third element is that he made affirmative attempts to evade?

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MARK KLAMRZYNSKI - Cross MR. SEXTON: That's correct. 1 10:07:44 THE COURT: So for '97 and '98, what were his 2 3 affirmative attempts to evade? MR. SEXTON: There are many. Obviously, the offers 4 5 in compromise in themselves, filing false offers in 10:08:01 6 compromise --7 THE COURT: When did they occur? MR. SEXTON: They occurred on Exhibit 104 on 6-18 of 8 '04, in Exhibit 106 --9 10 THE COURT: No, no. 1604. So that's prospective, 10:08:15 11 not retrospective? MR. SEXTON: That's correct. He's evading --12 THE COURT: So have you -- does your indictment say 13 as of 2004? I'm missing this. Because it says third, the 14 defendant made an affirmative attempt to evade or did an 15 10:08:31 affirmative act to defeat. So it has to be at the time. 16 When you say "on or about," what does your indictment say? 17 MR. SEXTON: Evasion of payment as opposed to 18 19 assessment is that now that you know that you owe tax, you then 20 do things in the future --10:08:54 21 THE COURT: Right, right. But now that you

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know, what date? That is 2003. Unless you're going to say that there's evidence that he knew at the time he filed these returns. That's what I'm asking you.

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MR. SEXTON: He knows when the IRS is auditing and

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when he's getting a notice of deficiency on 5-29 of 2002 --

THE COURT: Okay. So your indictment says 2002

MR. SEXTON: This is when the notices of deficiency --

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THE COURT: All right. So it says 2002. So we're

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1	talking about 2002 forward.	10:10:35
2	MR. SEXTON: Yes. Basically, for each year, once we	
3	establish that he knows he has this tax liability, it's what he	
4	does after that for each year. So for '97, he's getting a tax	
5	deficiency on for 1997 on 5-29 of '02.	10:10:48
6	THE COURT: Okay. So that's when the evasion begins.	
7	MR. SEXTON: That's when he has the first element	
8	that knows he owes the tax.	
9	THE COURT: I keep asking you. When did it begin?	
10	MR. SEXTON: Yes. That's when the tax liability is	10:11:04
11	established by which he would then be able to evade it. That's	
12	when it's established.	
13	THE COURT: All right. So that's what I asked for.	
14	MR. SEXTON: Okay. I'm sorry.	
15	THE COURT: So the evasion, we're taking it through,	10:11:15
16	all of these. So, then, he owed more federal tax, the first	
17	one in 1997, 1998, 2001, and 2002; right?	
18	MR. SEXTON: That's correct.	
19	THE COURT: He knew it?	
20	MR. SEXTON: Right.	10:11:33
21	THE COURT: When did he know it?	
22	MR. SEXTON: He knows it for '97.	
23	THE COURT: The when is critical. When do you	
24	establish that he knew that is so that he could go forward	
25	willfully knew and what evidence you have of that and that he	10:11:44

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made affirmative attempts? 1 10:11:48 So you're going to tell the jury he knew it as of --2 MR. SEXTON: The notice of deficiency. 3 THE COURT: So 2002. And then what did he do after 4 5 that? What are you going to tell the jury that he did to avoid 10:12:01 6 the '97, '98 tax liability of a million dollars? 7 MR. SEXTON: As we allege, that the four offers in compromise that he filed in 2004 and 2005 in which he lied to 8 the IRS are acts of evasion. 9 THE COURT: Okay. 2004 --10 10:12:27 11 MR. SEXTON: 2004. There are two in 2004. THE COURT: All right. So, then, it doesn't really 12 start until 2004 because that is when he begins evading. 13 That's what I'm asking you for, the acts. I'm taking you 14 15 through the elements. 10:12:42 16 MR. SEXTON: Each one of these is an act. THE COURT: Mr. Sexton, each one of these. Let's 17 start with the third element, affirmative attempt to evade. 18 You said 2004 --19 MR. SEXTON: Those are some of the abilities of 20 10:12:57 21 evasion --THE COURT: Mr. Sexton, you're going to have to walk 22 23 the jury through this. If I don't understand it, hopefully, I'm more sophisticated than they are. I'm asking you now the 24

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act to defeat the payment of the income tax. We're not going to even talk about 2001 and 2002. Let's just take your scenario. We have '97, '98. He owes a million dollars. The tax court makes that determination in 2002; right? And he receives the notice in 2003. There's a stipulated judgment that he owes it, 2002.

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THE COURT: Now, that is, of course, not a criminal matter. It's a civil matter. It was contested. But he now knows the IRS says you owe a million dollars.

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So then in 2003 he agrees, right, that he owes it is?

MR. SEXTON: Yes. He stipulates in tax court.

THE COURT: All right. He agrees, that, "I owe \$1 million in taxes that I didn't pay for '97 and '98." He signs a stipulation?

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MR. SEXTON: That's correct.

THE COURT: Okay. So then you have evasion. You're saying he refuses to make those payments and that act of evasion first started in 2004. Am I right?

MR. SEXTON: I'll do a chronology now of when the --

THE COURT: No. No. Just answer that question.

That's what you said --

MR. SEXTON: It begins in 2003. As soon as he gets the notice of deficiency.

THE COURT: But what is his act. The notice of

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MR. SEXTON: The first act after he gets the notice of deficiency is to move his property, his Carefree home, into Sunlight Financial --

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THE COURT: Okay. I've got someone on the phone I'm going to have to talk to. Because you've now changed. You're telling me that he -- he's moving property as opposed to what you told me before which was that he -- I can't remember the name of what it is that -- the act which occurred, oh, yes, he made a compromise. Okay, that's was told me before is 2004.

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Now, you can just do this chart for me because I'm not sure the jury knows and will ever know what acts you're claiming that he did, and then of course the fourth one is willfully.

So you're going to have to take the jury through this 10:15:46 entire chronology. And I do want to know whether the indictment says 2004 because now you've basically told me that was the first date of an affirmative act for the evasion.

(Recess at 10:16; resumed at 10:31.)

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THE COURT: Okay. I'm going to let the jury go but I'm going to discuss this only after I receive something in writing from the government establishing each and every element rather than you taking me through it as you have.

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This is what I understand. You have alleged in the indictment that the -- and fact that you didn't have it in

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front of you and know is of concern to me that this evasion scheme started in 1997. So that means there has to be an act in 1997.

Now, I can certainly make the argument for you as to why there might be, but I am not really sure precisely what you're saying. It is based upon the evidence that you have and the arguments you're going to make.

So this is what I understand so far: '97, '98, \$1 million dollars, he stipulated in a civil tax court that he owed that amount; right?

MR. SEXTON: Yes.

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THE COURT: And stipulation occurred -- you mentioned 2002. I'm not sure what happened in 2002, but then there was something in 2003. The stipulation in 2002?

MR. SEXTON: The two stipulations were on May 6 and May 14 of 2003.

THE COURT: So what's this 2002 that I wrote down?

MR. SEXTON: That's the notice of deficiency on 1997.

THE COURT: So he gets a notice. This is what the IRS thinks. And it's a civil notice, not a criminal one.

MR. SEXTON: That's correct.

THE COURT: Then in 2003 he admits by stipulation, writes something down to the tax court, "I and my wife owed a million dollars in tax for '97, '98"; right? That occurred in 2003?

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THE COURT: So, then in 2004, that's when you mentioned to me that there was an offer in compromise was false; right?

MR. SEXTON: Yes. If I may, Judge, I obviously didn't give you chronological order.

THE COURT: Well, I'll tell you what, rather than doing it orally, because counsel has to respond to it, they need to know what the government's evidence is and what the argument is. I need to know what it is before I can rule on it. Put it in writing for each and every element for each and every year.

MR. SEXTON: Yes. Could I point out something,

Judge? I have the indictment in front of us. We allege that
each evasion payment for Count 1 on page seven of our
indictment, we say beginning on or about August of 2002. So
that's when we say that he has sufficient clarity of his tax
for 1997.

THE COURT: So he begins the evasion in 2002?

MR. SEXTON: Yes. That is where we alleged it and that's what the notice of deficiency and the first transcripts occurred.

THE COURT: So then the act occurred in 2002 and I don't know what act it was. All he got was the notice.

MR. SEXTON: The first act of evasion occurs in 2002

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THE COURT: And that act is the notice from the United States government?

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MR. SEXTON: No. The first act by the defendant is the creation of Sunlight Financial. That's his first act of evasion that we allege in --

THE COURT: In 2002?

MR. SEXTON: In 2002, that's correct.

THE COURT: Okay. Well, then, you can outline all of this for me and for the defense as to what each and every affirmative attempt to evade was and when and why it was willful, what evidence do you have that it was willful; okay? All right. And I'm going the tell the jury -- I need this by 2 o'clock, 2:30 today.

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And you can place something in writing, Mr. Minns, by 10:35:52 the end of the day and then we'll argue this tomorrow starting at 8:30.

Unfortunately, I'm going to have the jury come back even if I grant the motion, and I haven't made that decision yet, but I'm going to have them come back at 10:30 tomorrow.

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Also I need the evidence on the other counts, the false statements, what evidence is there that he made a false statement, that he knew it was false.

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As I understand it, I don't have the elements in front of me, all it requires is that he knew it was false and

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in contrast to what's required for evasion, which is willful; right? Knowing under false statements, willful under evasion.

Am I right?

MR. SEXTON: No. I believe he has to willfully -- I have it as willful requirements as to both.

THE COURT: Okay.

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So, now, Mr. Minns, any problem with my schedule?

MR. MINNS: None whatsoever, Your Honor. We'll do

our best to respond as promptly as we can.

The only question I have is our scheduling. We fly witnesses in. If they are not needed, we are happy to send them home; but I would ask that the government officially close so that we know that whenever this is done, if we -- I mean, we have to win all eight counts on the 29; otherwise, we have to present.

THE COURT: And I don't know about the other counts. Mr. Minns. I wish I could accommodate you and your witnesses better but I can't do that. So they will have to come in and if they have to go home, then everybody on your side of the room will be happy whether or not they had to come out.

Okay.

MR. MINNS: Could we ask that the government close, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Then you are closing; right?

MR. SEXTON: Yes. Do you want me to do it in front

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### MARK KLAMRZYNSKI - Cross of the jury? 10:37:47 1 THE COURT: Yes. We'll have the jury come in, close 2 3 the case, and then I will tell them. (Jury enters.) 4 5 THE COURT: All right. Please be seated. 10:38:41 Mr. Sexton? 6 7 MR. SEXTON: Yes, Judge. At this time, the 8 government rests. 9 THE COURT: Okay. Ladies and gentlemen, the government is finished with 10:38:49 10 their case and so I'm going to send you home and ask you to 11 come back at 10:30 tomorrow. If anything changes, we'll give 12 you some notice before -- hopefully, before you come here. I 13 don't know what the answer will be and if I have to 14 15 inconvenience you, I am apologizing in advance. 10:39:08 16 So we will -- if there is going to be a defense case, then that defense case will begin at 10:30 tomorrow. 17 All right. We are adjourned. 18 19 (Jury departs.) (Whereupon, these proceedings recessed at 10:39 a.m.) 20 21 22 23 24 25 United States District Court

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