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INTERVIEW OF: PAUL J. McNULTY

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The interview in the above matter was held in Room
2138, Rayburn House Office Building, commencing at 9:32 a.m.

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1 [REDACTED]
2 [REDACTED]
3 [REDACTED]
4 [REDACTED]
5 [REDACTED]
6 [REDACTED]
7 [REDACTED]

8 Q But -- let me understand this, though. This does
9 not reflect the reasons that were in the mind of the Attorney
10 General when he terminated these individuals; isn't that
11 correct?

12 A I think that's a -- I agree with what you are
13 saying. Let me just state in my own words.

14 I don't know what the reason was in the mind of the
15 Attorney General at the time he accepted the recommendations
16 and approved them.

17 Q Exactly.

18 A And this may --

19 Q It may or may not?

20 A Correct.

21 Q And these are the reasons, in essence, that you
22 didn't object to the terminations, the list that was
23 provided; isn't that right?

24 A These are -- by that, you mean the handwritten
25 notes or do you mean --

1 Q Well, the entire document, to the extent that you
2 accepted them and repeated them.

3 Mr. Flores. Counsel, could you please stop cutting off
4 the witness when he is trying to give answers to questions
5 that I would like to be answered?

6 Mr. McNulty. This document reflects more than my own
7 thinking because it's a compilation of people's own thinking,
8 as well, and it reflects my own thinking, but not necessarily
9 all of it in terms of the text that's there and my
10 handwritten notes.

11 BY MR. NATHAN:

12 Q Your thinking, now going back to December 7, your
13 thinking in terms of not objecting to the listing of the
14 individuals, correct?

15 A It reflects in general terms, but not necessarily
16 entirely, my thoughts for not objecting back at the time I
17 was shown the names.

18 [REDACTED]
19 [REDACTED]
20 [REDACTED]
21 [REDACTED]
22 [REDACTED]
23 [REDACTED]
24 [REDACTED]
25 [REDACTED]

1 BY MR. NATHAN:

2 Q You don't know sitting here today when the
3 individuals were placed on the list?

4 A Mm, that's correct.

5 Q You don't know who placed them on the list for
6 termination?

7 A That's correct.

8 Q And you don't know the reasons that the people who
9 placed them on the list did so?

10 A That's probably why I didn't go with the whole
11 string. I don't know -- I have a sense of the reasons
12 because those are the reasons that were apparent to me, and
13 so I assumed they were apparent to others who -- if others
14 were consulted.

15 [REDACTED]

16 [REDACTED]

17 [REDACTED]

18 [REDACTED]

19 [REDACTED]

20 [REDACTED]

21 [REDACTED]

22 [REDACTED]

23 [REDACTED]

24 [REDACTED]

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