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# Operation Chain Reaction Part II: The Organized Crime Overlay

## Executive Summary

In February 2026, we published a [cross-reference analysis](#) of the DEA's 69-page OCDETF Fusion Center Target Profile on Jeffrey Epstein (Operation Chain Reaction, OCDETF case NY-NYS-0829). That report focused on the target profile itself — the shell companies, foreign bank accounts, Angel Watch circumvention, and Secret Service double-query. This report goes deeper.

A systematic search of every OCDETF-related document in the 2.91-million-page EFTA corpus reveals that the Epstein investigation was embedded in a far more complex law enforcement landscape than the public record suggests. The key findings:

*A note on evidentiary levels. This report distinguishes among four categories: (1) direct documentary statements in government records; (2) cross-references generated by automated case-database matching; (3) analytical inferences drawn from document placement or chronology; and (4) unresolved questions created by missing records. It does not treat adjacency, cross-reference, or inclusion in the EFTA production as proof of criminal coordination.*

1. **A documented telephone intersection between the Epstein case and a network that included Gambino- and Colombo-linked figures.** An FBI pen register analysis from 2011 (Operation STRIP DOWN) documents that a phone number in contact with a Gambino-connected strip club network was also captured in the Epstein case (031E-MM-108062) during two separate periods in 2004-2005. Separate corpus records show Epstein was personally aware of the Cheetah club network, which also appears in the Burnside pen-register memo: he discussed the Cheetah in emails, Maxwell forwarded him articles about its law enforcement connections, and advertising materials from the clubs were found among seized materials.
2. **An FBI intelligence assessment from April 2025 uses Epstein as an internal analytic reference point for blackmail methodology.** An ARMS Reach vetting document identifies Epstein's former publicist as a Russian-connected technology investor, and describes a Draper-affiliated executive who

"collected information on members of 'Sanctum' for the purpose of blackmail, similar to Jeffrey Epstein." All named individuals have denied the memo's allegations; the claims have not been independently corroborated.

3. **The OCDETF landscape in the corpus includes at least 10 distinct operation names**, three of which directly touch the Epstein case: Chain Reaction (DEA drug/wire fraud), Leap Year (the original SDFL prosecution code name), and Likvid Longhorn (the Tartaglione case — Epstein's cellmate).
  4. **Every specific dollar amount from the DEA target profile — \$4,193,637, \$4,079,102, \$2,754,983, and others — returns zero cross-references** outside the profile itself. The actual SARs, CTRs, and UCTRs referenced in the profile's attachments were never included in the EFTA production.
  5. **The EFTA00129000-00129999 document cluster**, initially flagged for the pen register memo, contains 97 documents spanning organized crime, counterintelligence, the complete Alfredo Rodriguez obstruction case file, Glenn Straub/Cuba trafficking allegations, darknet threats against Epstein victims, and MCC death investigation subpoena returns.
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## 1. Operation STRIP DOWN: The Phone Nexus

### The Document

**EFTA00129058** is a 27-page FBI pen register/trap and trace analysis memorandum, classified U//FOUO, dated May 16-17, 2011. It was drafted by an FBI Miami C-9 Squad agent under case **281A-MM-114129**, operation name "STRIP DOWN."

The target is **Patricia Burnside**, whose phone was monitored from April 28 through May 16, 2011. Every number that called or was called by Burnside's phone was run against FBI case databases. The results document a dense set of cross-references spanning organized crime families, drug trafficking organizations, public corruption, and — on page 6 — the Epstein child prostitution investigation. A pen register/trap and trace captures every phone number that calls or is called by a monitored line. Running those numbers against FBI case databases produces automated cross-references — flags indicating that a number has appeared in another investigation. A cross-reference does not mean the subscriber was a target, suspect, or knowing participant in either case. It means the number appeared in both records.

### The Epstein Intersection

On page 6, the analysis states:

*Target number has been called by telephone number [redacted] eleven (11) times and has called that number five (5) times. The subscriber for that number is unknown at this time. Between October 29, 2004 and January 10, 2005 this number was captured in FBI case #031E-MM-108062, and captured again between July 7, 2005 and September 28, 2005. This investigation involves a child prostitution case in the West Palm Beach, Florida area. Captioned targets include JEFFREY EPSTEIN and [redacted].*

The phone number appears in the Epstein case records during two separate windows:

- **October 29, 2004 – January 10, 2005:** This period predates even the Palm Beach Police Department's investigation, which began in March 2005 after a victim's parent contacted police. The PBPD executed its first search of 358 El Brillo Way on October 20, 2005.
- **July 7, 2005 – September 28, 2005:** This period coincides with the PBPD investigation and early FBI involvement. The FBI formally opened case 31E-MM-108062 on July 25, 2006, but phone records from the earlier investigative period were filed under that case number.

**Important framing note:** "Captured in FBI case #031E-MM-108062" means this phone number appeared in communications records that were later associated with the Epstein investigation. It does not mean the FBI was monitoring this number in real time during 2004-2005. The FBI case number 31E-MM-108062 was not formally opened until July 25, 2006. Records from the earlier investigative

period — including phone records obtained by the Palm Beach Police Department or through grand jury subpoenas — were filed under that case number as a repository. The 2011 memo's database query matched the number against this repository, producing the cross-reference. The document does not establish when the FBI first acquired these records or under what legal process.

The subscriber of the phone number connecting the two investigations is listed as "unknown at this time." A duplicate/clean copy of the same analysis (EFTA00129085, 10 pages) provides some additional unredacted address details.

## Who Is Patricia Burnside?

Burnside is identified in the memo as the **registered agent for the majority of companies belonging to Michael Bilotti and Jack E. Galardi**. This is stated explicitly on page 12:

*ZEDECK, along with BURNSIDE, are listed as the registered agent on the majority of companies belonging to BILOTTI and JACK E. GALARDI.*

**Leonard E. Zedeck** (Sunrise, Florida) is the other registered agent, whose phone was also captured in FBI case #281F-LV-39165 (criminal enterprise) and on Bilotti's own pen register.

## The Bilotti/Galardi Network

**Michael A. Bilotti** is identified as the "main Subject of this investigation." His phone contacts cross-reference to Gambino LCN members and associates including:

Name	Role	FBI Case
Anthony Trentacosta aka "Tony Pep"	Gambino member/associate	#245A-MM-84432
Frederick Massaro	Gambino member/associate	#245A-MM-84432
John Patrick Rogan	Gambino member/associate	#245A-MM-84432
William Anthony Dante	Gambino member/associate	#245A-MM-84432
Dominick Ignazio Alogna	<b>Gambino Captain</b>	#281A-MM-94770
James Auriemma	Alleged Gambino Soldier	#281A-MM-94770
Robert J. O'Connor	Captured on Bilotti's pen register	#281A-NY-258727-BC (Bonanno LCN)

**Jack E. Galardi** is the owner of **Galardi South Enterprises (GSE)**, a **strip club empire** that at one time encompassed some 30 topless cabarets, based in Miami (address: [redacted], Miami, FL 33162).

His son Michael Galardi was **convicted in 2003 in Operation G-Sting**, a federal corruption investigation into strip club bribes to politicians. GSE's phone number was captured in two additional FBI cases:

- **#281A-MM-77849**: Two Camorra brothers from Naples, Italy, trafficking heroin in the Miami area (1996)
- **#245D-MM-111628**: Violent gangs in the Davie, Florida area (2008)

## The Palm Beach Strip Club

The memo identifies **Thomas Farese** as a phone contact of Burnside. The entry on page 26 reads:

*THOMAS FARESE, a made member of the Colombo LCN family. FARESE has been a captioned Subject in many Italian organized crime cases, and is said to be operating an adult entertainment club in Palm Beach County.*

**A made Colombo member operating a strip club in Palm Beach County** — the same county where Epstein's known South Florida activity was centered.

Also in Burnside's phone network: **Joe R. Rodriguez** (no relation to Alfredo Rodriguez), manager of **The Cheetah** adult entertainment clubs in Pompano Beach and Hallandale Beach, who was surveilled meeting with **Philip Gori** at the Hallandale location.

## The Cheetah in the Epstein Corpus

The Cheetah is not just a name in the pen register memo. A corpus-wide search reveals that Epstein was

personally aware of this strip club network and discussed it in his own communications:

- **EFTA01803729** (DS10, also **EFTA02002323** DS10 and **EFTA02536669** DS11): A March 13, 2011 email from Epstein to PR agent Mike Sitrick and libel lawyer Paul Tweed, in which Epstein writes: "*listen He was Miami-dade cop then ATF. He quit to work for RRA while under investigation for his undercover work at the cheetah strip club. RRA represented cheetah.*" Epstein is discussing someone's law enforcement background in the context of a media correction effort. Three copies survive across two datasets.
- **EFTA00767704** (DS9, also **EFTA02434671** DS11): A December 9, 2009 email forwarded by **Ghislaine Maxwell** to Epstein containing compiled news articles about the Scott Rothstein Ponzi collapse. The articles reference the Cheetah Hallandale raid, Joe Rodriguez's settlement, and former ABT (Alcohol, Beverages, and Tobacco) officials — Roberts, Fisten, Wheeler — going to work at Rothstein's firm after investigating the Cheetah.
- **EFTA00761764** (DS9): A March 24, 2010 email from **Story Cowles** to Epstein forwarding a background investigation report on Richard David Fandrey (former Miami-Dade PD detective, Blueline Investigations). The report identifies partners including **Kenneth C. Jenne** (former Broward Sheriff) and **Patrick M. Roberts** (former ABT Major), and contains the same Cheetah Hallandale narrative with Joe Rodriguez's lenient settlement.
- **EFTA01720419**, **EFTA01720322**, **EFTA01720503** (DS10): Adult entertainment magazines listing Cheetah locations at North Miami Beach, Hallandale Beach, West Palm Beach, and Pompano Beach. These publications were among Epstein's seized materials. The significance is geographic and contextual: the Cheetah clubs operated in Pompano Beach, Hallandale Beach, and West Palm Beach, within the same South Florida corridor that appears repeatedly in the Epstein record. Epstein discussed the Cheetah in email, received forwarded reporting about its law enforcement issues, and possessed advertising materials from the clubs. These materials establish awareness and thematic overlap, not direct contact between Epstein and Joe Rodriguez or any identified Burnside-network figure. But they make the pen register cross-reference harder to dismiss as a one-document oddity.

## The Bilotti/Kadosh Network in the Corpus

The Bilotti/Zedeck network also appears outside the pen register documents:

- **EFTA01128435** (DS9, 95 pages): The full deposition of **Michael Kadosh** in *State of Florida v. Michael Bilotti*, Case No. 08-3720CF10A, Broward County Circuit Court, April 30, 2015. Kadosh testifies to Bilotti's involvement in threats, extortion, and discussions of murder. Zedeck is discussed extensively as Bilotti's partner at TransCapital Bank. On page 51, Kadosh refers to "**Jeff LaGardi**" — a phonetic rendering of Galardi spoken under oath. The deposition attorney responds: "Yeah, I know who that is." This supports the conclusion that the Bilotti-Zedeck-Galardi network described in the pen register memo was real and the subject of active Florida state prosecution.
- **EFTA01114020** (DS9, 8 pages): Miami-Dade County property records showing "**MICHAEL BILOTTI TRS**" (trustee) in a \$100 transfer dated October 27, 2011, for the same hotel property (411 Washington Avenue, Miami Beach) described in Kadosh's testimony.
- **EFTA01106213** (DS9, 40 pages): An index from the **Epstein v. Rothstein** case production (Conrad Scherer document set, PRODA 53342-43) listing "**David Zedeck**" among names for which database research was pulled. Note: the pen register names **Leonard E. Zedeck**; whether David Zedeck is a relative or the same network is not established by the corpus. The surname overlap is noted but not confirmed as a direct connection.

The presence of these documents in the EFTA corpus does not establish that Epstein had a direct relationship with Bilotti, Kadosh, or Galardi. The Kadosh deposition appears to have been collected as part of the broader investigative file. This supports the conclusion that the organized crime network identified by the pen register's automated cross-reference was real, active, and the subject of Florida

state prosecution — not a phantom artifact of database matching.

## The Full Case Cross-Reference Map

The pen register analysis references **35+ distinct FBI case numbers** spanning:

Category	Cases	Notable
Italian LCN (Gambino, Colombo, Bonanno, Luchese)	10+	Gotti Jr., Alogna (Captain), Farese (made Colombo)
Drug trafficking	6+	Camorra heroin, Cali cartel, Lazaro Vidal DTO, methamphetamine
Financial crime	4+	Mortgage fraud, securities fraud
Human trafficking/prostitution	2	Epstein ( <a href="#">#031E-MM-108062</a> ), Asian prostitution ( <a href="#">#281E-BS-95229</a> )
Public corruption	2	Dean Trantalis (Ft. Lauderdale Commissioner), state judge bribery
Foreign intelligence	1	Cuban Intelligence Service ( <a href="#">#202B-MM-113683</a> )
Pharmaceutical theft	1	\$70M Eli Lilly warehouse burglary ( <a href="#">#087-NH-46813</a> )

## What This Does NOT Show

The pen register documents do not establish that anyone in the Strip Down investigation had direct knowledge of, or involvement in, Epstein's crimes. A shared phone number captured in two FBI cases could reflect coincidental social overlap in South Florida's interconnected nightlife and real estate worlds. The document explicitly notes that several subscribers were "not referenced" in the FBI cases where their numbers appeared — meaning the phone was captured passively, not because the subscriber was a target.

What it does show is that the **FBI's own analytical tools flagged a telephone intersection between the Epstein child prostitution case and a Gambino/Colombo-connected adult entertainment network in South Florida** — and that this intersection involved a phone number whose subscriber remains unidentified.

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## 2. The OCDETF Landscape: Parallel Investigations

### Operation Names in the Corpus

A comprehensive search of every OCDETF reference in the 2.91-million-page corpus identifies at least 10 named operations, three of which directly intersect with the Epstein case:

Operation	OCDETF #	FBI Case	Subject	Epstein Connection
Chain Reaction	<a href="#">NY-NYS-0829</a>	<a href="#">DEA C1-11-0049</a>	Epstein + 14 associates (drug/wire fraud)	<b>Direct</b> — Epstein is Target 4
Leap Year	—	<a href="#">SDFL 2006R01181</a>	Epstein sex trafficking	<b>Direct</b> — original prosecution code name
Likwid Longhorn	<a href="#">NY-NYS-1106</a>	<a href="#">245D-NY-7786783</a>	Nicholas Tartaglione (quadruple homicide DTO)	<b>Indirect</b> — Tartaglione was Epstein's cellmate during first neck injury (07/23/2019)
New Blood	<a href="#">NY-NYS-0879</a>	<a href="#">245D-NY-307101</a>	Yellow Tape Money Gang, Newburgh	None (incarcerated tipster cross-reference only)

Operation	OCDETF #	FBI Case	Subject	Epstein Connection
Heroin Mill	(paired with New Blood)	245D-NY-2078552	Southside Gang, Newburgh NY	None
Trip Knot	PA-CAE-0525	245H-WF-2182018	Eurasian organizations / arms	Tangential (ARMS Reach vetting references Epstein)
Helix Redux	—	245C-NY-302765	Israeli National Police coordination	None confirmed
Break-A-Wish	—	245B-NY-2066405	45kg heroin seizure	None
Whirling Dervish	—	281C-NY-3289654	Venezuelan money laundering	Same forensic accountant worked both cases
Bad Harvest	—	305A-NY-284063	Child exploitation	None confirmed

## "Operation Leap Year" — The Forgotten Code Name

The original Epstein prosecution at the Southern District of Florida was code-named **Operation Leap Year**. This detail — absent from virtually all public reporting — is documented across multiple case initiation forms ([EFTA00187109](#), [EFTA00223932](#)).

How obscure was this code name? A June 2013 email chain ([EFTA01657290](#)) reveals that even FBI supervisors didn't recognize it. When AUSA Villafana needed the "Operation Leap Year Case File" produced for in camera review by Judge Marra, SSA Julio Quinones asked: "**What is Leap Year?**" SA Kuyrkendall had to respond: "**Epstein case.**"

The context: Judge Marra had ordered production of the FBI case file for the *Jane Doe #1 and #2 v. United States* civil litigation (Case No. 08-80736-CIV-MARRA). The file had been sent to RMD (Records Management Division) for a FOIA request and was "up at headquarters." SSA Michael J. Donohoe noted the deadline: "The USAO has been ordered to produce an FBI case file and all evidence for a civil case on July 19, 2013."

## The Case Number Evolution

The Epstein investigation used at least three FBI case number prefixes over time, all sharing the base number 3027571:

Prefix	Meaning	Era
<b>31E-NY-3027571</b>	Sex trafficking criminal enterprise	July 2019 (arrest/warrants)
<b>50D-NY-3027571</b>	Special investigation	2020-2021 (post-death, Maxwell phase)
<b>SOD-NY-3027571</b>	Special Operations Division	2020-2021 (Guardian complaints, evidence inventory)

A separate case number — **90A-NY-3151227** — was assigned to the death investigation specifically.

## The Tartaglione Overlap

**Nicholas Tartaglione** — Epstein's cellmate during the first neck-injury incident on July 23, 2019 — was investigated under **Operation Likquid Longhorn** (OCDETF #**NY-NYS-1106**, case **245D-NY-7786783**). Tartaglione, a former police officer, was **convicted of a quadruple homicide** connected to drug trafficking and sentenced to four consecutive life terms. His case was run by **Squad C-32** (Hudson Valley Safe Streets Task Force) at the FBI New York Field Office — the same squad that ran Operation New Blood and Operation Heroin Mill ([EFTA00174481](#)).

The Epstein case was run by **Squad C-20**. Both squads operated within FBI NYO's Criminal Division Branch C.

## Weekly Status Reports — The Forensic Accountant

A series of Weekly Status Activity Reports (WSARs) from an FBI NYO forensic accountant reveal the ongoing post-death investigation alongside other financial crime cases:

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Week Ending</b>	<b>Epstein Activity</b>
<a href="#">EFTA01655023</a>	06/04/2021	Reviewed docs, met investigative team & AUSAs, revised EC, sent subpoena
<a href="#">EFTA01655033</a>	04/30/2021	Reviewed documents
<a href="#">EFTA01655035</a>	07/02/2021	Reviewed documents
<a href="#">EFTA01655038</a>	08/20/2021	Reviewed documents
<a href="#">EFTA01655111</a>	08/13/2021	Review documents
<a href="#">EFTA01655117</a>	07/29/2021	Review documents, meet AUSA and SA (anticipated)

These confirm an active financial investigation through at least August 2021 — two years after Epstein's death — with the forensic accountant issuing subpoenas and meeting with prosecutors. The same analyst simultaneously worked **Operation Whirling Dervish** (Venezuelan money laundering), **Operation Blanca** (financial fraud), and the **Corinna Slusser** missing person case (Squad C-20).

### What This Does NOT Show

The existence of parallel OCDEF cases does not establish coordination between them. The pen register cross-reference (Section 1) was flagged by automated database matching, not by an analyst drawing operational connections. The Tartaglione-Epstein cellmate overlap may be coincidental — MCC housing assignments are made by BOP, not by the FBI squads investigating the inmates. The forensic accountant's weekly reports describe routine document review, not breakthrough findings.

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## 3. The Draper/Drokovva Intelligence Nexus

### The Document

[EFTA00129096](#) is a 3-page FBI internal email chain dated April 3, 2025, classified UNCLASSIFIED//LES. It originates from the FBI Washington Field Office (WFO), Squad CR05 — Transnational Organized Crime, Eastern Hemisphere — in response to an Enterprise Vetting Center (EVC) request. The import form header is at [EFTA00129095](#), which bears the designation "OPERATION TRIP KNOT; PA-CAE-0525; OCDEF - EURASIAN ORGANIZATIONS." The EVC processes **ARMS Reach** vetting requests — security checks for individuals who will be within arm's reach of the President of the United States, authorized under 18 U.S.C. 3056 and 3056A. The subject is **Timothy Cook Draper**, a billionaire venture capitalist.

### The Intelligence Assessment

The FBI agent's response identifies a network of connections radiating from Draper to Epstein: **Masha Drokovva** (aka Mania Drokovva, aka Mariya Bucher): The document states Draper hired her as publicist for his hedge fund DFJ Financial — though **Draper has categorically denied hiring her**. Previously famous as a senior leader — **head of the Moscow headquarters and federal commissioner** — of the Russian youth movement Nashi, who kissed Vladimir Putin on television as a teenager — earning the nickname "**Putin's kiss**." The document states she "**was also the former publicist for JEFFREY EPSTEIN**." Her extensive presence in the Epstein files — **over 1,600 mentions** — has been independently confirmed by multiple outlets (**CNN**, **TechCrunch**, **SF Standard**). Currently a Silicon Valley technology investor residing in Switzerland. Also publicist for Quantum Wave Fund (QWAVE Capital) and Runa Capital, both headed by Russian technologist Serguei Belousov.

**Ted Waitt:** Associate of the Foresight Institute. The document identifies Waitt as "**the broker of the introduction between deceased convicted sex offender JEFFREY EPSTEIN and billionaire BILL GATES.**" Note: public reporting attributes the Gates-Epstein introduction to **other intermediaries, including Melanie Walker and Boris Nikolic**, not Waitt — and Waitt is **more commonly linked to Ghislaine Maxwell** as a romantic partner. The FBI memo's claim that Waitt brokered the Gates introduction has not been independently confirmed.

**Charles Lieber:** The document describes him as a "convicted Chinese spy and researcher." In fact, Lieber was **convicted of false statements and tax crimes** related to his undisclosed participation in China's Thousand Talents Plan — **not espionage**. He was **sentenced to time served plus supervised release**. Also associated with the Foresight Institute alongside Waitt and Draper.

**Frank Moyle Creer:** CEO of Draper Hero Institute (55 East 3rd Avenue, San Mateo, California). Previously an officer at DFJ Capital alongside Draper. The document states:

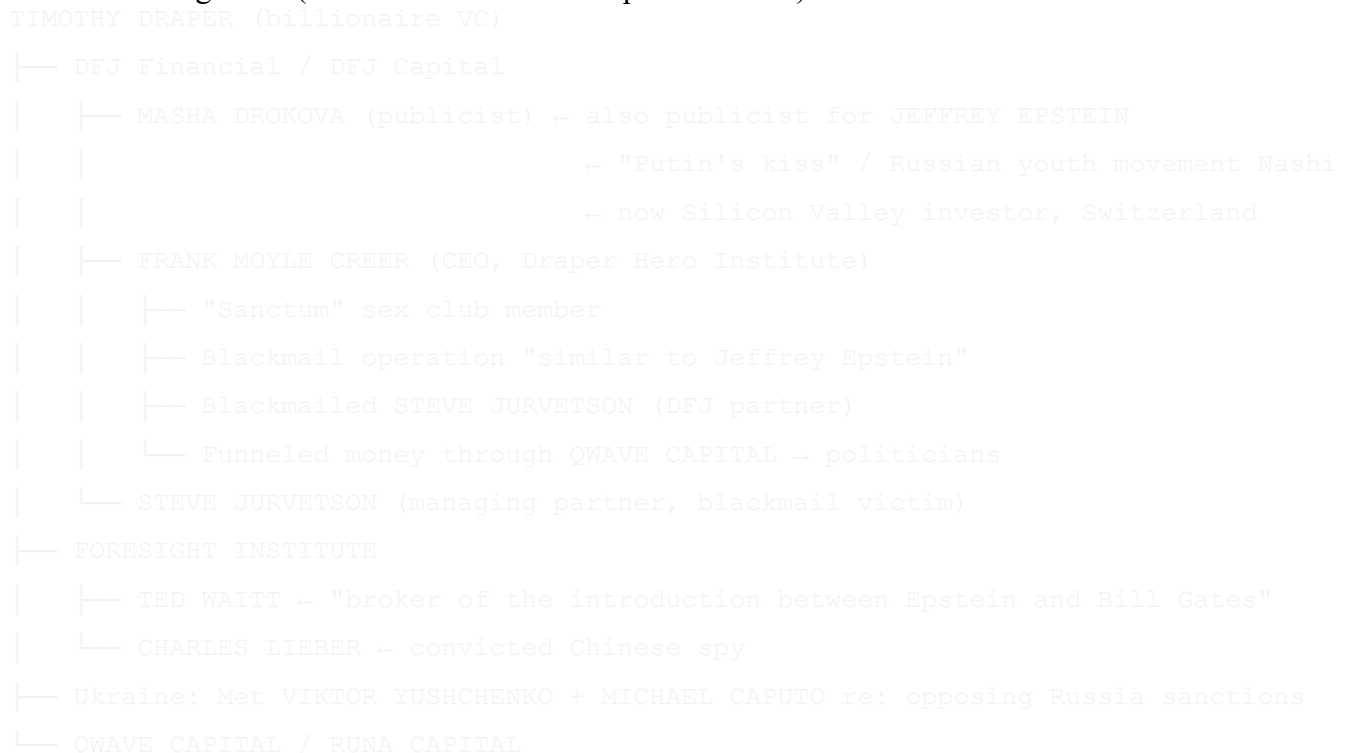
*CREER was an active member of a private, high-end, high-initiation-fee sex/swingers club in Los Angeles and Northern California called "Sanctum," and collected information on members of "Sanctum" for the purpose of blackmail, similar to JEFFREY EPSTEIN. CREER actively blackmailed fellow DFJ CAPITAL managing partner STEVE JURVETSON.*

The agent then draws an explicit structural parallel:

*Similar to how EPSTEIN previously funneled money into a research lab at the MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (MIT), which he used as a means for gaining access to politicians and decision-makers who were also interested in the research being conducted, CREER funneled money into quantum computing research through QWAVE CAPITAL, through which he also gained access to politicians and decision-makers, possibly susceptible to his blackmail operations.*

## The Network Map

The following diagram summarizes the connections **as described in the FBI memo**. Lines represent associations alleged by the agent, not independently verified relationships. All named individuals have denied the allegations (see Post-Publication Responses below).



— SERGUEI BELOUSSOV (Russian, Singapore-based)  
— SERGUEI KOUZMINE (co-founded FINTECH VENTURES + RITZIO ENTERTAINMENT  
with Russian oligarch OLEG BOYKO)

## Source Reliability Assessment

This document is an **FBI internal assessment** — a formal response from a counterintelligence squad (CR05) to a security vetting request. It shows how one FBI agent was thinking about a set of associations in the context of presidential security, not a set of established facts. The significance is institutional: within the FBI's own counterintelligence apparatus, an agent used Epstein's methods as a reference framework for assessing another individual's conduct. That is a notable analytical choice, regardless of whether the underlying allegations are accurate.

However, the document does not provide:

- The source of the "similar to Jeffrey Epstein" assessment (whether from investigation, informant, or analytical inference)
- Independent corroboration of the Creer blackmail allegation
- Any indication that Draper himself was aware of or complicit in Creer's alleged activities
- The nature of Drokova's publicist work for Epstein (timeline, scope, or whether it predated or postdated his criminal exposure)

The Waitt-Gates-Epstein introduction claim is not independently confirmed by public reporting (see note above). The Lieber characterization as a "convicted Chinese spy" is the memo's language, not a legal finding — a useful calibration marker for the document's analytical precision.

## Post-Publication Responses

After the EFTA release of this document, all named individuals denied the memo's allegations:

- **Draper stated he never hired Drokova and had no idea who she was.**
- **Creer denied membership in Sanctum, denied blackmailing Jurvetson**, stating: "I have never blackmailed Steve Jurvetson" and "We are close friends."
- **Jurvetson stated the memo "reads like a game of telephone based on hearsay"** and denied being blackmailed.

The memo's allegations derive from a single FBI agent's assessment and have not been independently corroborated. The denials are categorical.

## What This Does NOT Show

The document does not allege that Draper was involved in any criminal activity. It does not allege that Drokova participated in Epstein's crimes. It describes a network of associations that one FBI agent deemed relevant to a presidential security assessment — which is a lower threshold than criminal culpability. Its presence in the EFTA production indicates that DOJ/FBI deemed it responsive to the production process, though the specific basis for inclusion is not clear from the document itself.

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## 4. Financial Fingerprints: What the DEA Found, and What's Missing

### The SAR/CTR Landscape

The DEA's target profile ([EFTA00173953](#)) catalogues the financial intelligence on all 15 targets. For Epstein specifically:

Report Type	Count	Total	Period
USARs (Unified Suspicious Activity Reports)	7	\$5,672,021	2013-2015
UCTRs (Unified Currency Transaction Reports)	3	\$102,648	2013-2014

Report Type	Count	Total	Period
CTRs (Currency Transaction Reports)	8	\$233,397	2010-2011

The UCTR details identify Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas (345 Park Avenue, NY 10154) as the filing institution (FinCEN BSA ID 31000040594074), with a redacted associate conducting transactions "on behalf of" Epstein. The specific account — **35266976** — is identified in separate corpus documents ([EFTA01583482](#), [EFTA01589449](#), and hundreds of other Deutsche Bank records) as Epstein's primary Deutsche Bank account.

### The Redacted Associates' Financial Profiles

The profile lists recurring USAR amounts that appear to be shared across multiple targets:

Amount	Frequency	Note
\$4,193,637	4 targets	Identical USAR totals — possibly the same underlying SARs flagging multiple subjects
\$4,079,102	3 targets	Same pattern
\$2,754,983	2 targets	
\$4,236,995	1 target	
\$157,898	1 target	
\$45,107	1 target	Earliest (2012)

### Zero Cross-References

We searched every one of these dollar amounts across the full 2.91-million-page corpus. **Every search returned zero results outside [EFTA00173953](#) itself.** The actual SARs, CTRs, and UCTRs that the profile summarizes were never included in the EFTA production.

The profile explicitly references three attachments:

- **Attachment 1:** USAR details
- **Attachment 2:** Epstein's CTR details
- **Attachment 3:** Additional CTR details (22 CTRs, \$730,000)

None of these attachments appear in the corpus. This is a significant gap: the financial intelligence that triggered the DEA's interest — the specific suspicious transaction reports filed by banks — is absent from the 2.91-million-page production.

### The FBAR Corroboration

While the SARs themselves are missing, the corpus does contain FinCEN FBAR (Foreign Bank Account Report) transcripts that corroborate the profile's foreign account data:

BSA ID	Institution	Found In
31000049066241	BNP Paribas, Paris	<a href="#">EFTA01656576</a> — Account 0293300000062351, max value \$111,425 (2013)
31000016351947	Valartis Bank AG, Zurich	<a href="#">EFTA01654356</a> — BNP Paribas account, max value \$50,000 (2011)
31000040594074	Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas	<a href="#">EFTA01656468</a> — Harry Beller conducting transaction for Jeffrey Epstein

The Deutsche Bank BCTR (Bank Currency Transaction Report) transcript confirms **Harry Beller** — HBRK Associates co-founder — as the person conducting transactions on Epstein's behalf at Deutsche Bank. This is consistent with the [Part 1 report's](#) finding that Beller was an account manager for Epstein's entity constellation.

### FD-794 Operational Expense Forms

The corpus contains seven clusters of FD-794 forms (FBI operational expense requests) directly tied to the Epstein investigation:

### Early Investigation (2007):

- **EFTA01728810**: \$340 to Delaware Secretary of State for certified corporate records of **JEGE, Inc.** (File #3284812) and \$946 for **Hyperion Air, Inc.** (File #2268758). Requested by AUSA for prosecution and potential **seizure of aircraft** registered to these entities. Authorized from FY 2007 Asset Forfeiture Fund.

- **EFTA01689427**: \$306.50 to American Express/DATAMARK for subpoenaed financial records (9 hours at \$17/hour labor + \$207.50 reproduction).

- **EFTA01688746**: Sprint phone bill reimbursement, case **31E-MM-108062** (JEFFREY EPSTEIN; GHISLAINE N. MAXWELL; WSTA - CHILD PROSTITUTION).

### Reopened Investigation (2011):

- **EFTA01688916**: FD-794 dated April 7, 2011 — confirming the Miami investigation was active in 2011, consistent with the DEA's OCDETF case opening in December 2010.

### Maxwell Trial (2021):

- **EFTA00038871**: Reimbursement for trial witness meals on June 23, 2021, case **50D-NY-3027571**. Program classification: **(RIRI) Violent Crimes Against Children**.

The 2007 asset forfeiture requests targeting JEGE Inc. and Hyperion Air — the same entities flagged by the DEA eight years later — confirm that the FBI was pursuing Epstein's corporate infrastructure as early as 2007, before the NPA terminated the prosecution.

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## 5. The **EFTA00129000** Cluster: Satellite Findings

The document range **EFTA00129000-00129999** contains 97 documents spanning 1,091 pages across at least 10 distinct investigative matters. Beyond the pen register memos and the Draper vetting, several documents contribute to the broader picture.

### Glenn Straub and the Cuba Trafficking Allegation

**EFTA00129165** is a 2-page FD-302 from August 29, 2019, filed under case **318B-NH-2050945** (Glenn Straub financial fraud investigation). A witness reports that a man identified as "Danny" from Miami used advertisements on Telemundo to recruit girls from Cuba — approximately fifteen years old — and that Epstein "was not the only one" involved.

**EFTA00129169** is a 5-page screenshot capture of text messages from the same witness, stating:

*"Danny from Miami knows Epstein and said [redacted] procured girls from Cuba for Glenn and Epstein"*

The messages also reference a trip Straub took to Cuba, a photo book he kept in his yacht bedroom, and a figure named **Bash Kazi** — described as "some type of foreign arms dealer" — who lived on Straub's yacht during polo seasons. Straub's polo team Palm Beach Polo combined with Kazi's team KIG.

**Source reliability:** The document form is Tier 1 (FD-302), but the content is multiple layers of hearsay: a witness relaying what "Danny from Miami" allegedly said. The Cuba-Telemundo recruitment allegation is specific and falsifiable, but "Danny" is identified only by first name, and the investigation targeted Straub for financial fraud (South Atlantic Regional Center, Royal Palm Business Center, Highland Global Solutions), not trafficking. The Epstein connection is peripheral to the main case and comes through an intermediary's reported statements, not direct evidence.

### The Darknet Threat

**EFTA00129366** is a 13-page case file (**9A-NY-3144791**) documenting an anonymous darknet threat against Epstein victims. On July 25, 2019 — nineteen days after Epstein's arrest — a poster on a darknet forum announced "a planned execution of two of subject JEFFREY EPSTEIN's publicly named victims" and asked readers to provide their names, addresses, and phone numbers to "take everyone out."

The FBI deployed **Online Covert Employee (OCE) #10179** to unmask the poster via Tor browser.

International dissemination was authorized. The case was cross-referenced to **31E-NY-3027571** (EPSTEIN, JEFFREY; CHILD SEX TRAFFICKING).

## The Rodriguez Case File

**EFTA00129379** is a 258-page FBI case file (**72-MM-113327**) for the **Alfredo Rodriguez obstruction prosecution**. Rodriguez, a former Epstein employee, attempted to sell documents to attorney Bradley James Edwards for \$50,000. The file contains the complete operational record: the \$50,000 "show money" request from FBIHQ, the operational plan for the November 2, 2009 undercover meeting, FD-302s documenting the consent search of Rodriguez's vehicle, and the December 8, 2009 arrest. Buried in the file (page 230) is an FD-302 interview with **Robert Couturier**, an interior decorator who visited Epstein's USVI house in June 2010. Couturier states that Epstein showed him a room in which he wanted to place **"four beds and wanted to have it decorated in a very colorful palette for his girls."** Epstein then:

*stated that he has girls coming to spend time with him in the island. EPSTEIN then lamented that "the girls" are only interested in Facebook and MySpace and that he wanted the space in this bedroom to be comfortable and have access to the Internet as they were online so much. COUTURIER did not ask how old these girls were or anything about them.*

Couturier also describes a massage room in Epstein's 71st Street Manhattan home with **"photographs ('artistic renditions' according to COUTURIER) of young women in the nude, ranging from age 15 through 20 all hanging from the walls."** He ultimately declined the job: "EPSTEIN had not changed his pattern of behavior obviously if he was having the home in the USVI decorated for girls to stay with him."

## The MCC Death Investigation Returns

**EFTA00129264** and surrounding documents contain subpoena returns from AT&T, Sprint, and 4chan responsive to SDNY case 2019R01059 (Epstein death at MCC). The 4chan records cover four specific posts on /pol/ (post numbers 222520442, 222518349, 222520257, 222518664) made on August 10, 2019 — the date of Epstein's death. AT&T toll records cover July 6 through August 11, 2019. Sprint subscriber identified as **Michael Thomas**.

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## 6. Dead End: Operation New Blood

One OCDETF cross-reference proved spurious. **EFTA00067077** is an FBI Guardian complaint from **Forest Fate**, an inmate and "repeat complainant" at Five Points Correctional Facility, who wrote to Judge Berman claiming information about an unnamed woman connected to Epstein. A Sentinel query cross-referenced Fate to Operation New Blood (OCDETF #NY-NYS-0879, a Newburgh NY narcotics/RICO case targeting the Yellow Tape Money Gang) — but only because Fate had previously written about New Blood targets. No substantive connection to Epstein.

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## 7. The Missing Pieces

### What the EFTA Production Does Not Contain

1. **The SARs, CTRs, and UCTRs** referenced in the DEA target profile. The financial intelligence that triggered the DEA's interest — specific suspicious transaction reports filed by banks — was not produced.
2. **The identities of the 14 co-conspirators**. All names, dates of birth, SSNs, and most identifying details are redacted. Two of the 15 targets are business entities; the rest are individuals.
3. **The subscriber of the Epstein-connected phone number** in the Strip Down pen register. Listed as "unknown at this time" in a 2011 document — fourteen years ago.
4. **The DEA case file (C1-11-0049)** itself. The target profile is a 69-page summary prepared by the

OCDETF Fusion Center; the underlying investigation file — which ran from December 2010 through at least May 2015 — is not in the production.

5. **Operation Chain Reaction's disposition.** The FOIA request we have drafted ([Request #01](#)) specifically seeks the case closure memorandum. The available records show the investigation opened December 17, 2010 and was active through at least the May 2015 target profile. Its precise closure date and disposition are unknown. The OCDETF program itself was [shuttered by the DOJ in 2025](#) — [announced for dissolution in May](#), operations wound down by September 30, [officially closed in November](#).

## What Congress Could Request

The core problem: the public has the summary layer but not the underlying financial-intelligence records that would allow independent evaluation of the DEA's conclusions.

The Congressional Subpoena Guide ([Section 4](#)) identifies the withheld FinCEN records as a priority.

This report adds specificity:

- The **three attachments** to [EFTA00173953](#) (USAR, CTR, and CTR details for all 15 targets)
- The **DEA case file C1-11-0049** (the underlying Chain Reaction investigation)
- The **pen register subscriber identity** for the phone number connecting case [031E-MM-108062](#) to case [281A-MM-114129](#)
- The **case closure memorandum** for Operation Chain Reaction

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## Timeline

Date	Event	Source
1996	Camorra heroin trafficking phone number captured (later tied to GSE)	<a href="#">EFTA00129058</a>
10/29/2004 – 01/10/2005	<b>Epstein-connected phone number captured in Strip Down target's network</b>	<a href="#">EFTA00129058</a> p.6
07/07/2005 – 09/28/2005	<b>Same phone number captured again in Epstein case</b>	<a href="#">EFTA00129058</a> p.6
07/25/2006	FBI Miami opens 31E-MM-108062 (Epstein; Maxwell; WSTA - Child Prostitution)	<a href="#">EFTA00173953</a> p.2 1
05/01/2007	FBI requests Delaware corporate records for JEJE Inc. and Hyperion Air (asset forfeiture)	<a href="#">EFTA01728810</a>
12/08/2009	Alfredo Rodriguez arrested for obstruction	<a href="#">EFTA00129379</a>
<b>12/17/2010</b>	<b>DEA opens Operation Chain Reaction (C1-11-0049, OCDETF NY-NYS-0829)</b>	<a href="#">EFTA00173953</a> p.2 1
05/16/2011	Operation STRIP DOWN pen register analysis memo drafted	<a href="#">EFTA00129058</a>
06/26/2013	AUSA Villafana requests "Operation Leap Year Case File" for Judge Marra	<a href="#">EFTA01657290</a>
07/08/2013	FBI FD-302 identifies Epstein and Maxwell as companions	<a href="#">EFTA00173953</a> p.2 1
08/12/2014	Both Secret Service divisions query Epstein in NCIC	<a href="#">EFTA00173953</a> p.2 3
<b>05/18/2015</b>	<b>OCDETF Fusion Center completes 69-page Target Profile on Epstein</b>	<a href="#">EFTA00173953</a>
07/06/2019	Epstein arrested by SDNY	Public record

Date	Event	Source
07/23/2019	First neck injury; cellmate is Tartaglione (Op. Likquid Longhorn, OCDETF NY-NYS-1106)	EFTA01699578
07/25/2019	Darknet threat posted against Epstein victims; OCE deployed	EFTA00129366
08/10/2019	Epstein dies; 4chan posts on /pol/ subpoenaed	EFTA00129264
08/29/2019	Straub investigation FD-302: Cuba trafficking allegation involving Epstein	EFTA00129165
06/04/2021	FBI forensic accountant sends subpoena, meets AUSAs re: Epstein	EFTA01655023
06/23/2021	FBI reimburses witness meals for Maxwell trial	EFTA00038871
10/08/2021	Forest Fate letter cross-referenced to New Blood (dead end)	EFTA00067077
04/03/2025	FBI ARMS Reach vetting: Draper/Drokova/Creer Epstein parallels	EFTA00129096
Unknown	Operation Chain Reaction disposition unknown; FOIA request filed for closure memo	FOIA Request #01
05/2025	OCDETF program announced for dissolution by DOJ; officially closed Nov 2025	Public record

## Significance

- 1. The Organized Crime Overlay.** The Strip Down pen register establishes that the FBI's own analytical tools flagged a telephone intersection between the Epstein child prostitution case and a network that included Gambino and Colombo organized crime figures, Camorra heroin traffickers, and operators of adult entertainment venues in South Florida — including Palm Beach County. The broader club ecosystem referenced in the pen register memo also appears elsewhere in the Epstein corpus: Epstein discussed the Cheetah in email, Maxwell forwarded him articles about its law enforcement connections, and Cheetah advertising materials were found among seized materials. That does not validate the pen register cross-reference by itself, but it shows the overlap was not confined to one automated database hit. Whether it reflects operational connections or ambient South Florida social overlap remains an open question.
- 2. The Blackmail Pattern.** The FBI's 2025 ARMS Reach vetting document explicitly compares Creer's alleged blackmail operation to Epstein's — the first such instance identified in the EFTA production of a formal FBI intelligence product using Epstein as a **reference framework** for analyzing another individual's blackmail methodology. All named individuals have denied the memo's specific allegations (see Section 3). The significance is institutional, not evidentiary: within the FBI's own counterintelligence apparatus, an agent used "similar to Jeffrey Epstein" as an analytical category.
- 3. The Financial Intelligence Gap.** The DEA's 2015 target profile references specific SAR, CTR, and UCTR filings across 15 targets totaling tens of millions of dollars in suspicious activity. None of these underlying financial intelligence reports appear anywhere in the 2.91-million-page EFTA production. The profile is the map; the territory it describes was not released.
- 4. The Duration.** The available records show Operation Chain Reaction opened on December 17, 2010 and remained active at least through the 2015 target profile. The investigation's precise disposition is unknown — a drafted FOIA request (**Request #01**) seeks the closure memorandum. The OCDETF program that housed it was **shuttered by the DOJ in 2025**. The investigation's complete record — the case file, the closure memorandum, and the identities of the 14 co-conspirators — remains unreleased.
- 5. The Investigative Palimpsest.** This report and its predecessor together document at least five

parallel federal investigative tracks touching Epstein: the SDFL prosecution (Operation Leap Year, 2006-2009), the FBI Miami case (31E-MM-108062, 2006-ongoing), the DEA OCDETF investigation (Operation Chain Reaction, 2010-?), the FBI SDNY case (31E-NY-3027571, 2019), and the post-death investigation (50D/SOD-NY-3027571, 2019-2021+). Each operated under different case numbers, different agencies, and — as the "What is Leap Year?" exchange demonstrates — sometimes without awareness of the others.

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## Methodological Notes

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- All EFTA citations verified against `full_text_corpus.db`. Dataset assignments confirmed via SQL query before URL construction.
  - Quoted passages are from OCR-processed text. Where OCR artifacts are obvious, corrections are made silently. Original text is preserved in the database at `epstein-data.com/full_text_corpus/pages?efta_number=EFTA...`
  - The pen register analysis ([EFTA00129058](#)) is a U//FOUO law enforcement document. Names and case numbers reproduced here are from the unredacted portions of the EFTA production. Phone numbers are redacted throughout.
  - The ARMS Reach vetting document ([EFTA00129096](#)) is classified UNCLASSIFIED//LES. It was produced under the EFTA and is part of the public record.
  - Document counts and page ranges verified against the `documents` table in `full_text_corpus.db`.
  - The "Galardi" search returned only 3 EFTA hits corpus-wide, all within the pen register documents. The Kadosh deposition ([EFTA01128435](#)) refers to the same person as "LaGardi" — a phonetic variant that does not appear in a literal "Galardi" text search. Aside from the phonetic "LaGardi" deposition reference, Galardi/GSE appear in the broader EFTA record only through the pen register materials.
  - Cross-reference to the [Part 1 report](#) for the target profile's full entity analysis (SLK Designs, Hyperion Air, foreign banking, Angel Watch, Secret Service query).
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# PROSECUTION FAILURES ANALYSIS: THE EPSTEIN FILES

## Comprehensive Documentation of Cases Where Prosecutions Were Considered But Not Brought Against Named Co-Conspirators and Associates

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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Epstein forensic database reveals a systematic pattern of prosecution failures spanning nearly two decades (2006-2024). Despite overwhelming evidence of a multi-state, international sex trafficking operation involving dozens of identifiable co-conspirators and abusers, only two individuals -- Jeffrey Epstein (2008 state plea; 2019 federal indictment, died pre-trial) and Ghislaine Maxwell (convicted 2021, sentenced to 20 years; Supreme Court certiorari petition filed 4/10/2025, DOJ opposed 7/22/2025; DOJ interviewed Maxwell 7/24-25/2025) -- were ever criminally charged. Every other named individual escaped criminal prosecution through a combination of: (1) the unprecedented 2007 Non-Prosecution Agreement that granted blanket immunity to unnamed co-conspirators; (2) deliberate prosecutorial decisions to narrow investigations; (3) political and institutional barriers; (4) witness non-cooperation by powerful subjects; and (5) jurisdictional complications. The result is a striking pattern

of prosecution failures that raises serious questions about the functioning of the criminal justice system.

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## **PART I: THE ORIGINAL NPA -- ARCHITECTURE OF IMPUNITY (2006-2008)**

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### **1.1 The Unprecedented Co-Conspirator Immunity Clause**

The foundational prosecution failure was embedded in the 2007 Non-Prosecution Agreement itself. The NPA contained a clause of extraordinary scope:

*"In consideration of Epstein's agreement to plead guilty and to provide compensation in the manner described above, if Epstein successfully fulfills all of the terms and conditions of this agreement, the United States agrees that it will not institute any criminal charges against any potential co-conspirators of Epstein, including but not limited to [REDACTED NAMES]."*

**Source:** [EFTA00010507](#) (Case 9:08-cv-80736-KAM, Judge Marra's order, Feb 21, 2019, Page 8)

This clause was not in the original draft NPA. It was proposed by Epstein's defense counsel and gradually expanded during negotiations. Key documents show:

- **EFTA00009016 (Acosta deposition, Page 285):** Acosta testified he did not "recall focusing on the coconspirator provision" and speculated that "the focus is on Epstein's going to jail. Whether some of his employees go to jail, or other, lesser involved, is not the focus of this."
- **EFTA00009016 (Page 289-290):** Acosta admitted that immunity for non-cooperating co-conspirators was not standard practice: "non-immunity being given to non-cooperating coconspirators, or codefendants? Is that something that was done in your office?" Acosta: "I did not get involved with these."
- **EFTA00010507 (Page 6):** The line prosecutor's own email revealed the scope creep: "there is no plan to try to proceed on any immigration charges against either Ms. [co-conspirator] or Ms. [co-conspirator]." The prosecutor even offered to meet Epstein's counsel "off campus."

### **1.2 Kirkland & Ellis Defense Campaign**

Epstein assembled what Acosta himself described as "an army of legal superstars":

*"Mr. Epstein hired an army of legal superstars, Harvard Professor Dershowitz, former judge and then Pepperdine lodging Ken Starr, former deputy assistant to the president then Kirkland & Ellis law partner Jay Lefkowitz, and several others, including prosecutors that formerly worked in the U.S. Attorney's Office, the child exploitation section of the Department of Justice."*

**Source:** [EFTA00009116](#) (Acosta OPR interview, Page 396)

Kirkland & Ellis aggressively argued against federal prosecution:

- **EFTA00013811:** Kirkland argued "there is insufficient evidence that Mr. Epstein targeted minors" and claimed victims "lied to Mr. Epstein about their ages."
- **EFTA00009116 (Page 391):** Acosta was personally threatened: "I might be personally embarrassed by pursuing this matter, because I would be the subject of a chapter in a book on prosecutorial overreach." The threatened author: "Professor Dershowitz."

### **1.3 Main Justice / DAG Review**

The defense team appealed directly to the Deputy Attorney General's office, creating a parallel review that stalled prosecution:

- **EFTA00013555 (June 23, 2008, DOJ Washington letter to Kirkland & Ellis):** The DAG's office completed its review and wrote: "We do not believe such intervention is warranted here. Even if we were to substitute our judgment for that of the U.S. Attorney, we believe that federal prosecution of this case is appropriate."

- **EFTA00009116 (Page 237):** Acosta's fear was clear: "is main justice on board, or are we going to basically be told to drop this case when it goes up to main justice?"
- **EFTA00009116 (Pages 333-336):** The appeals process "was stymying progress" but Acosta felt he could not simply indict because it would raise "civil litigation overlays."
- **EFTA00013989:** Kirkland noted that CEOS (Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section) reviewed the matter only for "abuse of discretion" -- not de novo -- making "the outcome a foregone conclusion."

#### **1.4 OPR Finding: "Poor Judgment" but Not "Professional Misconduct"**

The complete DOJ Office of Professional Responsibility Executive Summary (November 2020), available in full at [EFTA00095558](#) (DS9, 13 pages), concluded that Acosta exercised "poor judgment" but did not commit "professional misconduct." OPR conducted more than 60 interviews and reviewed hundreds of thousands of records. Notably, OPR explicitly found no evidence that Acosta's decision "was based on corruption or other impermissible considerations, such as Epstein's wealth, status, or associations," while finding that "the victims were not treated with the forthrightness and sensitivity expected by the Department." This finding provides context for the prosecution failures documented throughout this report -- the official determination characterized the NPA as poor judgment within prosecutorial discretion, even as its consequences enabled the architecture of impunity described below.

#### **1.5 CVRA Violations -- Concealment from Victims**

The NPA was deliberately concealed from victims in violation of the Crime Victims' Rights Act:

- **EFTA00014116 (Acosta email, Aug 2, 2008):** "As I recall, we also believed that contacting the victims would compromise them as potential witnesses. Epstein argued very forcefully that they were doing this for the money."
- **EFTA00010507 (Page 9):** After the NPA was signed, "Epstein's counsel and the Office began negotiations about whether the victims would be told about the NPA. It was a deviation from the Government's standard practice to negotiate with defense counsel about the extent of crime victim notifications."
- **EFTA00010507 (Page 16):** On January 10, 2008, victims were sent letters stating the case was "currently under investigation" and requesting "continued patience" -- despite the NPA already being signed.
- **EFTA00010507 (Page 28):** Judge Marra found: "the Government... chose to conceal the existence of the NPA from the victims" and that "the Government spent untold hours negotiating the terms and implications of the NPA with Epstein's attorneys, scant information was shared with victims."
- **EFTA00073493 / EFTA00074599 (11th Circuit, *In re Wild*, 955 F.3d 1196 (2020) and 994 F.3d 1244 (2021)):** The full appellate decisions confirmed Judge Marra's findings and explicitly stated that "it was highly unusual -- never seen before -- that the government would extend federal immunity to Epstein's co-conspirators." The court documented the nine-month concealment period during which "the Office misrepresented to the victims that 'this case' was still under investigation, advised them 'to be patient,' and never disclosed the government's NPA with Epstein." The court further found that "the coconspirators had not cooperated or assisted the government. Rather, the sole consideration for their federal immunity was that Epstein plead to two state charges."

#### **1.6 The State Plea Transcript Revelation**

- **EFTA00027590/EFTA00027591 (State plea transcript, Pages 38-39):** Epstein's counsel stated on the record: "there is a nonprosecution agreement with the United States Attorney's office that triggers as a result of this plea agreement." SDNY prosecutors later flagged this: "Check out pages 38-39 of his state plea" -- showing the NPA was explicitly tied to the minimal state disposition.
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# PART II: NAMED INDIVIDUALS -- PROSECUTION CONSIDERED AND DECLINED

## 2.1 PRINCE ANDREW -- "Not Presently a Target"

**Evidence gathered:** The SDNY filed a formal Mutual Legal Assistance Treaty (MLAT) request to the UK on April 3, 2020, seeking to interview Prince Andrew regarding TWO investigations (Epstein and Nygard). The MLAT request stated:

*"There is evidence that Prince Andrew engaged in sexual conduct involving one of Epstein's victims. Prince Andrew is not presently a target of the investigation, and U.S. authorities have not, to date, gathered evidence that he has committed any crime under U.S. law."*

**Source:** [EFTA00022062](#) (MLAT request, April 3, 2020)

### What happened:

- **EFTA00022980 (January-September 2020):** A months-long correspondence between SDNY prosecutors and Prince Andrew's lawyer Gary Bloxsome at Blackfords LLP reveals systematic obstruction. SDNY repeatedly pressed for an interview; Prince Andrew's team stalled, demanded conditions, and ultimately refused.
  - **EFTA00017042 (January 27, 2020):** After U.S. Attorney Berman publicly stated Andrew had not cooperated, Bloxsome objected to the "misleading impression." SDNY responded: "he corrected the record generally in a factually accurate statement."
  - **EFTA00014243 (March 9, 2020):** Reuters reported: "Prince Andrew has declined to cooperate with a U.S. investigation into possible co-conspirators of deceased financier and accused sex trafficker Jeffrey Epstein."
  - **EFTA00010321 (September 23, 2020):** SDNY informed Bloxsome: "We understand that your client has declined to sit for a voluntary interview... we intend to move forward with our MLA request seeking a compelled interview."
  - **EFTA00019885 (February 14, 2020):** Bloxsome wrote: "we have reached the conclusion that the DOJ's dealings with the Duke of York have not been designed to seek his assistance in investigating and prosecuting the targets of the investigation but instead have been used only to gather publicity for Mr. Geoffrey S. Berman."
  - **EFTA00022201 (July 31, 2020):** Andrew's lawyers demanded: (1) evidence not be used for any purpose other than Maxwell proceedings; (2) his statements not be used against him.
- Prosecution decision:** Andrew was never charged. He settled Virginia Giuffre's civil lawsuit. The MLAT process was never completed. Despite evidence of "sexual conduct involving one of Epstein's victims," prosecutors determined they had "not gathered evidence that he has committed any crime under U.S. law" -- a formulation that could reflect either the limits of evidence gathered or the scope of the investigation conducted.

## 2.2 LEON BLACK -- \$62.5M Settlement, Zero Charges

### Evidence gathered:

- Multiple victims named Black as an abuser
- SDNY and Manhattan DA both investigated (2021-2024)
- FBI 302 interviews conducted
- \$62.5 million settlement with USVI (July 2023)

### Key documents:

- **EFTA02731473 (July 24, 2023):** Attorney Jeanne Christensen (Wigdor LLP) emailed SDNY: "In case you have not heard it has been discovered that Leon Black paid 62.5 million to USVI - and this does not include payments of money to individual women - it's outrageous that criminal charges have not been brought against him. I've heard one lawyer represents ten women that he sexually assaulted."

- **EFTA02731660 (July 22, 2023):** Internal SDNY email reveals the decision: "there does not appear to be any evidence of overlap with Maxwell other than the allegations of the victim in DANY's open investigation of Black and CRU doesn't intend to open anything separate based on current information."
- **EFTA02731651:** The matter was transferred to SDNY's "Civil Rights Unit" -- a unit that was "now handling all trafficking matters" -- but no charges resulted.
- **EFTA02731721 (March 2024):** A victim's attorney described a victim who "was told Leon Black is VIP because he is a special friend of Jeffrey's -- and told this to make sure she did what she was supposed to do."

**Prosecution decision:** Despite at least 4 victims, FBI interviews, a \$62.5M civil settlement (without admission of wrongdoing), and active DANY investigation, SDNY's Civil Rights Unit declined to open a separate investigation. No federal charges were ever filed.

### **2.3 JES STALEY -- Rape Allegation, International Coordination, No Charges**

#### **Evidence gathered:**

- Direct email exchanges between Staley and Epstein ([EFTA00029429-00029434](#))
- FCA/PRA investigation in UK
- SDNY coordination with UK regulators
- Rape allegation from victim

#### **Key documents:**

- **EFTA00029358 (December 14, 2019):** SDNY prosecutor flagged: "Don't know if you caught this but one of the non/minor Epstein victims alleges that Jes Staley (reads in memo as 'Jess Daily') raped her during a massage. P. 31"
- **EFTA00022164 (December 10, 2019):** SDNY was coordinating with the FCA: "We're doing a brief follow up call this morning at 10 with the FCA, the British regulator who, as discussed, is looking at Jes Staley and his potential relationship with Epstein... a request from us that they not go overt anytime soon."
- **EFTA00023410 (February 26, 2020):** Media inquired about "how UK law enforcement is involved in an investigation into Barclays PLC CEO Jes Staley and his relationship with Jeffrey Epstein."
- **EFTA00025082 (February 13, 2020):** When FT reporter asked about "information DOJ had passed to the UK FCA about Jes Staley's relationship with Epstein," SDNY responded: "we cannot provide guidance. We'll decline to comment."
- **EFTA00029429-00029434 (Epstein-Staley emails):** These exchanges show deeply troubling content. Staley asked "Is she free tonight?" about a woman Epstein was providing. In another: "Beauty and the Beast." Epstein referenced "Snow White." Epstein wrote: "prince Andrew would like much more to represent casanov in china than tim collins."

**Prosecution decision:** Despite a rape allegation flagged by an SDNY prosecutor, email evidence of Staley requesting women from Epstein, and coordinated UK regulatory investigation, no criminal charges were ever filed against Staley in any jurisdiction.

### **2.4 BILL RICHARDSON -- "So, So Frustrating"**

#### **Evidence gathered:**

- Victim testimony (deposition) alleging she was "ordered to" have sex with Richardson
- SDNY considered his status (witness/subject/target)

#### **Key documents:**

- **EFTA00014374 (August 18, 2019):** SDNY prosecutor's memo of call with Richardson's counsel Jeff Brown: "deposition says, in sum and substance, was ordered to, but doesn't appear to say that anything actually happened." Prosecutor classified Richardson as effectively a "subject" -- not witness, not

target.

- **EFTA00014372 (August 21, 2019):** Senior SDNY prosecutor reacted: "This is so, so frustrating." The frustration arose because Richardson's counsel presented blanket denials that contradicted sworn victim testimony, and the prosecutor had inadvertently conveyed too comfortable a status classification.
- Richardson's counsel offered a proffer but "he expected client would not have much, if anything, of substance to proffer."

**Prosecution decision:** Despite sworn victim testimony, SDNY did not subpoena or compel testimony from Richardson. He was never charged. He died in September 2023.

## **2.5 ALAN DERSHOWITZ -- Named by Multiple Victims, Never Investigated**

### **Evidence gathered:**

- Multiple victims named Dershowitz as a participant in abuse
- Dershowitz simultaneously negotiated Epstein's NPA while being named as an abuser

### **Key documents:**

- **EFTA00021553 (January 2, 2015, court filing, Page 4):** "One such powerful individual that Epstein forced then-minor Jane Doe #3 to have sexual relations with was former Harvard Law Professor Alan Dershowitz... Epstein required Jane Doe #3 to have sexual relations with Dershowitz on numerous occasions while she was a minor, not only in Florida but also on private planes, in New York, New Mexico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands."
- **EFTA00021553 (Page 4, continued):** "Dershowitz would later play a significant role in negotiating the NPA on Epstein's behalf. Indeed, Dershowitz helped negotiate an agreement that provided immunity from prosecution." (Note: Allegations against Dershowitz emerged publicly in 2014 court filings — years after the 2007-2008 NPA. Whether the blanket immunity provision was designed to protect any specific individual cannot be established from the available documents.)
- **EFTA00009116 (Page 391):** Acosta confirmed that the defense team raised the threat of a book chapter on "prosecutorial overreach": "the book reference was that I might be personally embarrassed by pursuing this matter, because I would be the subject of a chapter in a book on prosecutorial overreach." The specific defense team member who made this reference is not identified in the transcript.
- **EFTA00010380 (July 31, 2020):** Daily Mail asked SDNY about "the claim in newly unsealed court documents that Prince Andrew and Alan Dershowitz put pressure on the DOJ to give Epstein a favorable plea deal in 2007."
- **EFTA00092643 / EFTA00105307 (DS9, wire transfer records):** A \$20,532 payment on 3/5/2015 from the Butterfly Trust to "Coffey Burlington (Alan Dershowitz)" via Coconut Grove Bank establishes a direct financial link between Epstein and Dershowitz that extends well beyond the NPA negotiation period.

**Prosecution decision:** Dershowitz was never investigated, never interviewed as a subject, and never charged. He simultaneously served as Epstein's defense attorney while being named as an abuser -- and the blanket co-conspirator immunity provision he helped negotiate ultimately shielded him from prosecution when allegations emerged publicly in 2014.

## **2.6 GLENN AND EVA DUBIN -- "Lent Out"**

### **Evidence gathered:**

- Victim testimony about being "lent out" to Glenn Dubin
- 54 documents referencing the Dubins in the database

### **Key documents:**

- **EFTA02731082 (SDNY privileged prosecution memo):** Victim "used the term 'lent out' to describe instances in which Maxwell or Epstein directed her to have sexual contact with other men."
- **EFTA02731168 (Maxwell prosecution memo):** Corroboration section notes: "When Alessi first began working for Epstein, he recalls that Epstein's girlfriend was Eva" -- establishing long-term connection.

- **EFTA00022133 (Accusation summary):** "Epstein directed her to have sex with Glen Dubin."
- **EFTA01249021 (DS9, FBI 302 interview, 8 pages, dated 9/9/2019):** The primary source FBI interview provides detailed testimony that the victim was "lent out" to Eva Andersson and Glen Dubin at "the Breakers." Maxwell told the victim "she had to do to DUBIN what she did for EPSTEIN." The victim "was lent out so many times that she started to use drugs." Maxwell was described as a "mastermind" who "hated the girls" but "got off on it."

**Prosecution decision:** Despite victim testimony using the term "lent out" -- directly implicating the Dubins in the sex trafficking conspiracy -- and despite the detailed primary source FBI 302 now available, no investigation or charges were pursued against either Glenn or Eva Dubin.

## **2.7 SARAH KELLEN / NADIA MARCINKOVA -- NPA Co-Conspirators, Plea Negotiations**

### **Evidence gathered:**

- Named as co-conspirators in the NPA (**EFTA00176610**)
- Identified as employees in the 2019 SDNY Indictment
- NPA explicitly waived immigration proceedings against Marcinkova and Ross: "will not request, initiate, or in any way encourage immigration authorities to institute immigration proceedings against Ross or Marcinkova" (**EFTA00176610**; confirmed during negotiations at **EFTA00193954**, page 10)
- Plea negotiations conducted with one redacted co-conspirator

### **Key documents:**

- **EFTA00013209 (DAG Meeting Case Overview, November 5, 2020):** "we are in plea negotiations with counsel for [REDACTED], another Epstein co-conspirator, who scheduled hundreds of sexual massages with minors for Epstein but was also a victim of his sexual abuse, may plead to an obstruction of justice-related count." Note: This document discusses ONE redacted individual, not both Kellen and Marcinkova.
- **EFTA00089268 (Plea draft documents):** Reference "hundreds of appointments," "dozens of minors," and "2-3/day" — language closely matching the DAG memo. The scheduling role and plea draft content more closely match Sarah Kellen's documented function. Susan Necheles (who later represented Maxwell at trial) served as defense counsel for this individual.
- **EFTA00024285 / EFTA00016245 (April 7, 2020, internal SDNY emails):** The prosecution team debated whether to charge: "she thinks it's a close call between making [REDACTED] take 2 felony plea and declining to prosecute, but she ultimately comes down in favor of a felony plea. She does not think we should charge [REDACTED] with sex trafficking."
- The Human Trafficking Coordinators wrote: "our Office ordinarily would decline to prosecute a victim-participant like [REDACTED] absent certain aggravating factors, such as the use of violence by the victim-participant on others, or the victim-perpetrator continuing to run a sex trafficking operation in the absence of her abuser. Because those aggravating factors are not present here, the Coordinators believe it is a very close call."
- **EFTA00016245:** A supervisor noted the "change in our views of [REDACTED's] obstructive conduct (particularly with respect to destruction of materials)" and suggested highlighting "just the large number of underage victims."
- **EFTA00014493 (July 16, 2019, SDNY letter to court):** Referenced one individual "also named as a potential co-conspirator -- and for whom Epstein also obtained protection in -- the NPA."

**Identity of the redacted co-conspirator:** The DAG memo's description — "scheduled hundreds of sexual massages with minors" and "also a victim of his sexual abuse" — is redacted. The scheduling language and plea draft evidence (**EFTA00089268**) more strongly match Sarah Kellen, whose primary documented role was scheduling abuse sessions. The "also a victim" language is more commonly associated with Marcinkova's documented history (brought from Yugoslavia as a minor). The identity cannot be confirmed from the available documents.

**Prosecution decision:** The co-conspirator was offered a plea to obstruction rather than trafficking. The internal debate characterized this as a "close call" -- but ultimately, no public charges were ever filed against Kellen or Marcinkova. The plea negotiations collapsed or were abandoned.

## 2.8 JEAN-LUC BRUNEL -- Died Before Trial

### Evidence gathered:

- Multiple victim allegations of procuring underage models
- French investigation opened
- SDNY-French coordination (EFTA00021720)
- Arrested in France December 2020

### Key documents:

- **EFTA00021720 (January 2021):** DOJ coordinated with French investigating judges: "There are three investigating judges assigned to this case, which is pretty unusual...and suggests its importance for them." France could hold Brunel for "up to 3-4 years while the investigation continues."
- **EFTA00021720:** French made clear reciprocity was required: "they are not going to help SDNY unless we show a good faith effort to help them, and begin sending evidence their way."
- **EFTA00020911 (November 2019):** Victim attorney Sigrid McCawley connected French judicial police with SDNY prosecutors, noting French authorities "had reached out to certain government officials in the US to try to coordinate your efforts but had not received any substantive communication or assistance."

**Prosecution outcome:** Brunel was found dead in his Paris jail cell on February 19, 2022, in an apparent suicide -- repeating the pattern of Epstein's own death. He was never tried. The circumstances of his death remain controversial.

## 2.9 EHUD BARAK

### Evidence gathered:

- Multiple documents showing contact between Epstein and Barak
- Scheduling of meetings, dinners

### Key documents:

- **EFTA02422165:** Epstein email to assistant: "Jes plans to attend the Ehud Barak dinner"
- **EFTA02422168:** "Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak" meeting arranged
- **EFTA02575361:** Direct email between Epstein and Barak

**Prosecution decision:** Despite documentary evidence of extensive contact, Barak was never investigated or charged in any jurisdiction.

## 2.10 LARRY SUMMERS

### Evidence gathered:

- Extensive email correspondence showing ongoing relationship with Epstein well after 2008 conviction
- Meeting arrangements continuing through 2017

### Key documents:

- **EFTA00362463 (September 2014):** Summers' assistant arranging meetings: "Jeffrey will be in NY the week of Sept. 21st...Larry has told him he will be in NY on Monday 22nd...might we be able to get the two of them together?"
- **EFTA02233990 (December 2017):** Summers emailing Epstein directly: "R u in ny. I'm st Carlyle" -- showing casual, continuing contact years after Epstein's conviction.
- **EFTA02674889 (May 2013):** Summers to Epstein: "I spoke for your friend Leon Black's investor event today. Thought of you."

**Prosecution decision:** Despite being named by a victim as an abuser (per prior session findings), and confirmed ongoing contact with a registered sex offender, Summers was never investigated or charged.

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## PART III: INSTITUTIONAL AND STRUCTURAL FAILURES

### 3.1 The SDNY Investigation Memo to ODAG (May 2019)

- **EFTA00009936** (May 15, 2019): SDNY sent an "update on the progress of the Epstein investigation" to ODAG, marked: "Please keep this memo on close hold given the sensitivity of the matter and our effort remain covert."

This memo, sent two months before Epstein's arrest, shows SDNY was actively investigating while maintaining secrecy from ODAG -- a posture reflecting distrust of DOJ hierarchy.

### 3.2 The DAG Meeting -- Cases "Likely to Generate Substantial Press"

- **EFTA00013208** (November 5, 2020): SDNY briefed the Deputy Attorney General's office on cases "likely to generate substantial press over the next couple months." Briefing superiors on high-profile cases is standard DOJ practice, but the framing illustrates the media-awareness context in which prosecution decisions were made.

### 3.3 AG Barr's Selective Recusal

- **EFTA00018398** (July 9, 2019): AG Barr recused himself from the "retrospective review" of the Florida NPA (because Kirkland & Ellis, which he joined in 2009, had represented Epstein) but did NOT recuse from the ongoing SDNY prosecution. This created a structural conflict: the AG who could influence the current case had institutional ties to the firm that negotiated the original immunity deal.

### 3.4 BOP Employee Prosecution Declination

- **EFTA00035812** (September 2021): The DOJ Inspector General's office investigated BOP employees for false certifications related to Epstein's death. After presenting findings to SDNY, "it was determined that the USAO SDNY would not prosecute" Lieutenant Roberto [REDACTED], Material Handler Supervisor [REDACTED], or Correctional Officer Tova Noel.
- **EFTA00126052** (DS9, OIG Memorandum of Investigation): The full OIG memo confirms the declination decision was made within a single day of presentation. The AUSA consulted with the "USAO SDNY supervisor of the Public Corruption Unit" on September 20-21, 2021, and the decision not to prosecute was reached immediately.
- **EFTA00161426** (DS9, FBI Case Summary Briefing Deck): The death investigation (case 90A-NY-3151227) was formally **closed on 12/5/2022** with "no criminality found pertaining to Epstein's death." This declination and rapid case closure meant that no one was held criminally responsible for the conditions that enabled Epstein's death, despite documented failures in custody procedures.

### 3.5 The CVRA Litigation Paradox

- **EFTA00027440** (December 2020): Even years after the CVRA violation was found by Judge Marra, SDNY's victim notification letter deliberately omitted CVRA references: "the letter does not expressly reference the CVRA, because other DOJ components are currently litigating whether the CVRA applies in the context of a pre-indictment plea."

This created a paradox: DOJ acknowledged the moral obligation to notify victims while simultaneously litigating to avoid the legal obligation to do so.

### 3.6 The Maxwell Trial -- Narrowing the Lens

- **EFTA00014713** (November 23, 2021): A journalist previewing the Maxwell trial noted the contradiction: writing about "Maxwell's most prominent public accuser, [REDACTED], not being part of this case; no charges based on her allegations and not expected to be a witness for Gov."
- **EFTA00021049**: SDNY responded: "no comment."

The Maxwell prosecution was narrowed to specific victims and a specific time period. The most prominent accusers and the most powerful alleged abusers were not part of the case.

### 3.7 Maxwell Post-Trial Developments

Per **EFTA00161426** and **EFTA00163378** (DS9):

- **July 7, 2022:** Maxwell filed appeal of conviction
  - **September 17, 2024:** Federal appellate court upheld conviction
  - **April 10, 2025:** Writ of Certiorari filed with Supreme Court, arguing the NPA should have barred her prosecution
  - **July 22, 2025:** DOJ formally opposed the writ
  - **July 24-25, 2025:** DOJ interviewed Maxwell
  - SDNY also chose not to pursue Maxwell's 2 remaining perjury charges after the initial trial  
Maxwell argued to the Supreme Court that "a defendant should be able to rely on a promise that the United States will not prosecute again, without being subject to a gotcha in some other jurisdiction" -- directly invoking the NPA co-conspirator immunity clause that forms the foundation of Part I of this report.
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## PART IV: THE LONDON INTERVIEW AND CO-CONSPIRATOR PURSUIT

### 4.1 Travel to London for Co-Conspirator Interview (March 2020)

- **EFTA00037448 (March 2020):** FBI/NYPD agents requested travel to London to interview a "witness/co-conspirator of Jeffrey Epstein's." The request stated: "This interview could prove to be vital to the indictment of another co-conspirator of Jeffrey Epstein which is expected to go to grand jury within a few weeks. This person was witness to and potentially participated in the sexual abuse of minor victims by Jeffery Epstein and his co-conspirators."  
The trip was planned for March 16-20, 2020, but was disrupted by COVID travel restrictions. The "co-conspirator" expected to be indicted "within a few weeks" appears to be Maxwell, who was charged in July 2020.

### 4.2 Co-Conspirator Photo Compilation

- **EFTA00037629 (August 19, 2019):** FBI/NYPD Child Exploitation Human Trafficking Task Force circulated "Epstein Co-conspirator pics" -- suggesting active identification and tracking of multiple co-conspirators. Yet only Maxwell was ever charged.
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## PART V: THE PROSECUTION MEMO -- WHAT SDNY KNEW AND CHOSE NOT TO PURSUE

### 5.1 The Maxwell Prosecution Memorandum (April 10, 2020)

The most revealing document is the SDNY's own prosecution memorandum for Maxwell:

- **EFTA02731168 (Page 26):** "Cooperating Defendants: None currently and none expected."
- **EFTA02731168 (Page 26):** The discovery section revealed systemic FBI failures: "we have not received most of the materials seized in July and August of 2019, which comprise many terabytes of data. Assuming we eventually receive those materials and appropriately review them for pertinence, we nevertheless note that discovery in this case will be significant."
- **EFTA02731082 (Privileged memo):** Documents extensive victim interviews detailing abuse by multiple named individuals -- yet the prosecution was narrowed to Maxwell alone.

### 5.2 The 2016 AUSA Meeting -- "Wants Prosecution"

- **EFTA00029100 (Maxwell defense filing):** In February 2016, victim attorneys met with an AUSA and "pitched" a prosecution of Maxwell and Epstein. The AUSA's contemporaneous notes stated: "[REDACTED] wants prosecution." The AUSA "emailed the Chief of the Criminal Division just days after the meeting to discuss the 'intriguing' case."

Despite this 2016 push, no prosecution was initiated until July 2019 -- more than three years later, and only after the Miami Herald's investigation generated significant public pressure.

## PART VI: SUMMARY TABLE -- PROSECUTION OUTCOMES BY INDIVIDUAL

Individual	Evidence	Status	Charges Filed	Outcome
<b>Jeffrey Epstein</b>	93 identified victims (per FBI case summary, <a href="#">EFTA00161426</a> ), physical evidence	Target	2008 state plea; 2019 federal indictment	Died Aug 10, 2019 (ruled suicide); death investigation closed 12/5/2022, "no criminality found" Convicted Dec 2021; sentenced 20 years; appeal upheld Sept 2024; SCOTUS cert petition 4/10/2025; 2 perjury charges not pursued
<b>Ghislaine Maxwell</b>	Multiple victim testimony, documents	Target	July 2020 indictment	Plea negotiations for obstruction collapsed; no charges Protected by NPA immunity; no charges
<b>Sarah Kellen</b>	Named NPA co-conspirator; scheduled "hundreds of sexual massages with minors"	Subject; plea negotiations	None	Died Feb 19, 2022 (alleged suicide in French prison)
<b>Nadia Marcinkova</b>	Named NPA co-conspirator; victim testimony	Subject	None	Civil settlement with Giuffre; refused cooperation with DOJ
<b>Jean-Luc Brunel</b>	Multiple victim allegations; French investigation	Target (France)	French charges filed	SDNY CRU "doesn't intend to open anything separate" (July 2023)
<b>Prince Andrew</b>	MLAT request; victim testimony; evidence of sexual conduct with victim	Material Witness (formally); evidence of criminal conduct acknowledged	None	FCA investigation; no criminal charges any jurisdiction
<b>Leon Black</b>	4+ victims; FBI 302s; \$62.5M USVI settlement	Subject (DANY investigation)	None	Never investigated; helped negotiate NPA that immunized himself
<b>Jes Staley</b>	Rape allegation; Epstein emails; FCA coordination	Subject	None	Never subpoenaed;
<b>Alan Dershowitz</b>	Multiple victim testimony; negotiated own immunity via NPA	Never formally investigated	None	
<b>Bill Richardson</b>	Victim testimony (sworn	Subject	None	

Individual	Evidence	Status	Charges Filed	Outcome
	deposition)			died Sept 2023
<b>Glenn Dubin</b>	Victim testimony ("lent out")	Never formally investigated	None	Never investigated
<b>Eva Dubin</b>	Long-term Epstein associate	Never formally investigated	None	Never investigated
<b>George Mitchell</b>	Named by victim in sworn testimony	Never formally investigated	None	Never investigated
<b>Ehud Barak</b>	14+ documents of contact	Never formally investigated	None	Never investigated
<b>Larry Summers</b>	Named by victim; continuing contact through 2017	Never formally investigated	None	Never investigated
<b>BOP employees (Epstein death)</b>	False certifications, false statements	OIG investigation	None	SDNY declined to prosecute (Sept 2021)

## PART VII: PATTERNS AND CONCLUSIONS

### Pattern 1: The Immunity Architecture

The 2007 NPA created a structural barrier to prosecution that persisted for over a decade. Its co-conspirator immunity clause -- unprecedented in scope -- was negotiated by attorneys (including Dershowitz) who were themselves alleged participants in the criminal conduct. Judge Marra found in 2019 that the NPA violated the CVRA, but by then the statute of limitations had expired for much of the underlying conduct.

### Pattern 2: Narrowing the Investigation

At every stage, prosecutors narrowed rather than expanded investigations. The 2008 Florida investigation was narrowed from a federal indictment to a state plea. The 2019 SDNY investigation was narrowed from dozens of potential co-conspirators to just Epstein. The 2020 Maxwell indictment was narrowed to specific victims and time periods. The Leon Black investigation was deferred to DANY and then abandoned.

### Pattern 3: Wealth and Access as Shield

Every individual who escaped prosecution was wealthy, powerful, or both. Epstein's defense team had direct access to the U.S. Attorney and the Deputy Attorney General. Prince Andrew's lawyers negotiated for months without providing cooperation. Leon Black's \$62.5M settlement to USVI -- reached without admission of wrongdoing -- did not lead to further criminal investigation.

### Pattern 4: Jurisdictional Fragmentation

Responsibility was diffused across SDFL, SDNY, DANY, UK FCA, French investigating judges, and USVI. No single authority maintained comprehensive responsibility. The French investigation of Brunel and the UK regulatory investigation of Staley were coordinated with but not driven by SDNY.

### Pattern 5: Death as Resolution

Both Epstein and Brunel died in custody before trial -- the only two individuals against whom serious criminal proceedings were advancing. Their deaths effectively ended the possibility of cooperative testimony that could have implicated others.

### Pattern 6: The Victim-Perpetrator Dilemma

The most prosecution-ready co-conspirators (Kellen, Marcinkova) were also victims of Epstein's abuse.

This created a genuine dilemma documented in the April 2020 internal SDNY emails -- but the resolution was to charge no one rather than to separate the victim-participants from the pure perpetrators.

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## APPENDIX: KEY DOCUMENT REFERENCES

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### **EFTA Number Description**

EFTA00009016	Acosta deposition -- NPA negotiations, co-conspirator immunity, Dershowitz threat
EFTA00009116	Acosta OPR interview -- Main Justice review, political pressure concerns
EFTA00009229	Acosta interview -- fear of political pressure, Petite policy
EFTA00009329	Acosta interview -- DAG review, plea disposition decision
EFTA00009936	SDNY Epstein update memo to ODAG (May 2019)
EFTA00010507	Judge Marra CVRA ruling (Feb 2019) -- NPA immunity clause, victim concealment
EFTA00013208	DAG meeting overview -- cases generating press
EFTA00013209	DAG case overview -- Maxwell case, co-conspirator plea negotiations
EFTA00013536	Acosta directing de novo review after Kirkland correspondence
EFTA00013555	DOJ Washington letter to Kirkland -- "federal prosecution is appropriate"
EFTA00013811	Kirkland & Ellis arguments against prosecution
EFTA00014116	Acosta email -- victim notification rationale
EFTA00014243	Prince Andrew refusing cooperation (Reuters)
EFTA00014372	SDNY "so, so frustrating" email re: Richardson
EFTA00014374	Richardson counsel call memo -- witness/subject/target classification
EFTA00014493	SDNY letter identifying NPA co-conspirator in Epstein indictment
EFTA00016245	SDNY internal debate -- "close call" on felony plea vs declining to prosecute
EFTA00018398	Barr recusal -- Kirkland & Ellis conflict
EFTA00021553	Court filing -- Dershowitz named as abuser and NPA negotiator
EFTA00021720	DOJ-French coordination on Brunel investigation
EFTA00022062	MLAT request for Prince Andrew -- Epstein and Nygard investigations
EFTA00022133	Accusation summary -- Richardson, Mitchell, Dubin, Dershowitz, Andrew
EFTA00022164	SDNY-FCA coordination on Jes Staley
EFTA00024285	SDNY internal memo -- felony plea vs declining to prosecute
EFTA00027440	Victim notification letter -- deliberate CVRA omission
EFTA00029100	Maxwell defense filing -- 2016 AUSA meeting, "wants prosecution"
EFTA00029358	SDNY flagging Jes Staley rape allegation
EFTA00035812	DOJ OIG -- declination to prosecute BOP employees
EFTA00037448	London travel for co-conspirator interview
EFTA00037629	Epstein co-conspirator photo compilation
EFTA02731082	SDNY privileged prosecution memo -- victim interviews, "lent out" testimony
EFTA02731168	Maxwell prosecution memorandum
EFTA02731473	Leon Black \$62.5M settlement email to SDNY
EFTA02731660	SDNY CRU decision not to investigate Leon Black

**EFTA Number Description**

- EFTA02731721 Victim attorney letter -- Leon Black as "VIP"
- EFTA00095558 DOJ OPR Executive Summary (Nov 2020) -- "poor judgment" finding, 13 pages
- EFTA00065989 Maxwell NPA motion to dismiss (36+ pages) -- co-conspirator immunity argument
- EFTA00073493 *In re Wild*, 955 F.3d 1196 (11th Cir. 2020) -- full CVRA appellate ruling
- EFTA00074599 *In re Wild*, 994 F.3d 1244 (11th Cir. 2021) -- follow-up en banc ruling
- EFTA00085291 Operation Leap Year grand jury transcripts (157+ pages)
- EFTA00092643 Wire transfer: \$20,532 Butterfly Trust to Dershowitz law firm (3/5/2015)
- EFTA00126052 OIG Memorandum -- BOP employee prosecution declination, 1-day decision
- EFTA00161426 FBI Case Summary Briefing Deck -- 93 victims, 291 NTOC tips, case closed 12/5/2022
- EFTA00191587 Third Supplement to Prosecution Memorandum (2/19/08) -- victim deletions
- EFTA01249021 FBI 302 -- "lent out" testimony re Dubins (8 pages, 9/9/2019)

**Related Reports**

- **MCC Inmate Witness Interviews** — All 14 FBI inmate interviews documenting the guard negligence that led to the Noel/Thomas charges analyzed in Part II of this report.

*Analysis compiled from forensic review of primary document text database, Dataset 10 document text database, OCR text extraction database, and full text corpus (all 12 datasets)*  
*All EFTA references correspond to documents in the Epstein Files Technical Archive*

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# Qtask, Inc.: The Ponzi Firm's Document Platform and the Epstein Case Files

## How a Tech Startup Funded by Rothstein's Law Firm Stored Epstein-Related Files, Stonewalled the Bankruptcy Trustee for Two Years — and Drew Epstein Into a Direct Effort to Identify and Recover Qtask Records

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### Executive Summary

Qtask, Inc. was a web-based project-centric collaboration platform co-founded by Reichart "Baron RK" Von Wolfsheild and funded with \$7.5 million from Scott Rothstein's law firm, Rothstein Rosenfeldt Adler (RRA) — money derived from Rothstein's \$1.2 billion Ponzi scheme. Inside RRA, Qtask served as a "secure" internal channel for communications Rothstein didn't want on the firm's regular servers. Brad Edwards — the attorney representing Epstein's victims — stored his Epstein case files on Qtask. Scott Rothstein was specifically invited into those files and, according to Epstein's own intelligence briefings to his attorney, it was **the only case Rothstein asked to follow on Qtask** — a claim sourced from what Epstein says Edwards's assistant Beth Williamson told him.

When the bankruptcy trustee subpoenaed Qtask's records in December 2009, Qtask refused. The firm was held in contempt, fined \$5,000/day, and threatened with incarceration. An expert report documented not just stonewalling but active counter-measures: Qtask was **monitoring the trustee's own investigation in real time**, withholding "shadowbox" passwords, and blocking access at every turn. The trustee later moved to increase fines to \$25,000/day.

Meanwhile, Jeffrey Epstein was running his own operation: in January 2011, he asked Von Wolfsheild how to sign into Qtask and try it himself. In May 2011, Von Wolfsheild alerted Epstein that the trustee's lawyers "want the projects in Qtask regarding YOU" — and Epstein responded the same day by

offering Von Wolfsheild use of his New York guest apartments. By July 2011, Epstein was briefing his own lawyer William Scherer with detailed counter-intelligence: that Edwards had misspelled Epstein's name as "Espstein" when filing to avoid PACER detection, that Beth Williamson (Edwards's assistant) had confirmed "the only case Rothstein followed on Qtask was the Epstein cases," and that Epstein intended to call Williamson as a witness.

What the Qtask data contained — internal RRA communications about the Ponzi scheme, information about Epstein's victims, and the record of who knew what — has never been publicly disclosed. Von Wolfsheild eventually settled with the trustee, but what was actually produced in that settlement, and what was withheld or lost during the two-year non-compliance period, is not established in available public records.

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## Background: Qtask and the Rothstein Firm

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### What Qtask Was

Qtask was a project-centric, invitation-only web-based platform for secure group communication and document management. Each project was a siloed workspace — only invited members could see the content. Russell Adler, an RRA partner, described himself as the architect who brought Qtask into the firm. Scott Rothstein became a personal investor around 2007, as did others associated with RRA. Rothstein preferred Qtask for internal communications about sensitive matters specifically because RRA's own servers were "less than secure" — he directed partners to use Qtask for Ponzi-related communications.

Sources: [EFTA00608537](#); [EFTA01082728](#); [EFTA02769191](#)

### Rothstein's Investment — Ponzi Money

When Rothstein's scheme collapsed in October 2009, his equity interest in Qtask was listed in his federal criminal indictment as a business asset subject to forfeiture — **item BI2** in Schedule B. The same item appears across more than a dozen forfeiture, civil, and criminal documents.

*"Scott W. Rothstein's equity interest in QTask"*

Sources: [EFTA00193199](#) (Federal criminal information, Case 0:09-cr-60331-JIC, Dec. 1, 2009, p. 27); [EFTA00223265](#); [EFTA00596488](#); [EFTA00729404](#)

In his June 2012 deposition, Rothstein explained how he was sold on the investment:

*"The way I was sold Qtask by the two main partners there, Mr. — what's his name Wolfgang, Von Wolfgang, Von Wolfsheild."*

*Q: "Reichart Von Wolfsheild?"*

*A: "I was pretty close. And Russell Mix. And then the way I was sold it by two people from my firm, Russell Adler and Rob Buschel, was that this was groundbreaking technology, that it would eventually be worth a fortune, and hence my decision to invest in it."*

Source: [EFTA01082728](#) (Scott Rothstein Rule 2004 Examination, June 4, 2012, Page 29)

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## The Epstein Files Inside Qtask

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### Brad Edwards Confirms "An Epstein Project"

When Brad Edwards joined RRA in approximately April 2009, he brought his Epstein case files with him. The firm was nominally paperless, using Fortis for document imaging — but Edwards maintained his Epstein client files in Qtask. At his deposition on March 23, 2010 in *Epstein v. Rothstein* (Case No. 50-2009CA040800XXXXMBAG), Edwards confirmed this explicitly:

- He confirmed he put information about his Epstein clients into Qtask
- He refused to specify what, citing work-product privilege
- He confirmed "There was an Epstein project" in Qtask

- He said he invited people into the project but refused to identify them
- He said he did **not** believe he invited Scott Rothstein
- He said he did not invite Ken Jenne
- He stated no outside-RRA person accessed his Epstein Qtask file

Edwards testified under oath that he had three Epstein-related clients at RRA. Epstein later disputed this in a motion to compel a second deposition, citing new information:

*"despite Edwards deposition testimony, Epstein has now learned that Edwards had five (5) Epstein related cases, not three (3) as he testified."*

The three cases Edwards acknowledged were Jane Doe, L.M., and E.W. — cases he had brought from his private practice ("Brad Edwards P.A.") to RRA, which Rothstein "feverishly marketed as part of his Ponzi scheme." The scope of the Epstein Qtask project — and what Rothstein could access — tracks directly with how many cases were actually there.

**Sources:** [EFTA00599662](#); [EFTA01089004](#); [EFTA01100749](#); [EFTA02775446](#); [EFTA00728258](#) (motion to compel second Edwards deposition, "five (5) Epstein related cases")

### **Rothstein Was Specifically Invited Into the Epstein Cases**

Edwards denied inviting Rothstein. Epstein disputed this in private correspondence with his own attorney. In a July 8, 2011 email to William Scherer, Epstein alleged:

*"Scott was invited in by Edwards on Qtask on the Epstein cases. The only case Scott asked to be included on."*

And in a December 10, 2011 brief to Scherer, Epstein relayed what he claimed Edwards's assistant Beth Williamson had told him:

*"Beth Williamson, Brad's asst said that the only case Rothstein followed on Qtask was the Epstein cases"*

*These are Epstein's allegations in private correspondence with his attorney — not sworn testimony or independently confirmed statements from Williamson.*

**Sources:** [EFTA01858073](#) (Epstein to Scherer, July 8, 2011); [EFTA01845805](#); [EFTA00925741](#) (Epstein to Scherer, Dec. 10, 2011)

Attorney Scherer confirmed the same to the court:

*"when we look at Qtask, there's going to be a boatload more"*

**Sources:** [EFTA00213917](#); [EFTA00206624](#)

### **The Ponzi Mechanism: Epstein's Victims as Investment Instruments**

Rothstein used the real Epstein civil litigation — specifically the L.M. case — as the vehicle for his Ponzi scheme, selling fake settlement investments to outside investors. Attorney Scherer, representing victim creditors, told the court in August 2010:

*"In November we filed a lawsuit in State Court and we alleged that as a part of Mr. Rothstein and the firm, and the firm's employees, and maybe some of the firm's attorneys, conspired to use the Epstein/LM litigation in order to lure \$13.5 million worth of my victims, my clients, into making investments in these phoney settlements."*

Qtask held the internal communications about this arrangement — who knew what, who directed what, who was kept informed. That is why the Epstein case files in Qtask were so valuable to both the trustee and to Epstein himself.

**Sources:** [EFTA00213917](#); [EFTA00206624](#)

## **The Discovery Battle: Two Years of Contempt**

### **Timeline of the Trustee's Subpoena Fight**

**December 8, 2009:** Trustee Herbert Stettin serves subpoena on Qtask (D.E. 95).

**March 8, 2010:** Court issues Order to Compel (D.E. 411). Qtask ignores it.

~**October 2010:** Bankruptcy court enters Order of Contempt (D.E. 776) against Qtask. Court imposes **\$5,000/day** sanction for continued non-compliance.

**December 13/17, 2010:** Expert Robert Moody submits his report (D.E. 1241) documenting the full scope of Qtask's obstruction (see below).

**December 29, 2010:** Trustee files Motion to Fix and Compel Payment (D.E. 1270) requesting: (1) liquidate accrued attorneys fees already exceeding \$100,000; (2) increase daily fine from \$5,000 to **\$25,000**; (3) **immediate incarceration** of Qtask officers; (4) appointment of Moody as standing monitor; (5) leave to pursue attorney Buschel personally.

**March 7, 2011:** Court enters Final Judgment against Qtask (D.E. 1529) for sanctions.

**March 22, 2011:** Trustee moves to hold Von Wolfsheild **jointly and severally liable** for all Qtask sanctions (D.E. 1558).

**Source:** [EFTA02769191](#); [EFTA00621390](#)

### **What the Expert Found: Active Obstruction**

Expert Robert Moody's December 2010 report (D.E. 1241) documented not passive delay but active counter-measures. The Trustee's motion (D.E. 1270) summarizing his findings states:

- Initial Qtask productions were described as "CD/DVDs containing what essentially exists as the computer data version of a run-on sentence. The initial production consisted of a lot of computer code and data but no format or structure"
  - **"Shadowbox" passwords had not been reset:** "Access to the 'shadowbox' has been blocked. The Trustee still does not have the passwords associated with the individual user accounts."
  - **Qtask was actively monitoring the Trustee's investigation:** "Qtask is monitoring the Trustee's investigation. Through interviews, Qtask has acknowledged that it knows what and when the Trustee has accessed"
  - Qtask claimed to be a "gatekeeper" over its clients' data, refusing to produce it without their consent
  - Qtask had effectively stopped attempting to comply, calling the requests "too burdensome"
- The term "shadowbox" appears in the expert report and the trustee's motion; its precise technical meaning within the Qtask platform is the editors' interpretation based on context, not a definition provided in the filings.

**Source:** [EFTA02769191](#) (Motion to Fix and Compel, citing D.E. 1241)

### **Von Wolfsheild Takes Personal Responsibility — Then Fights It**

On June 7, 2010, Von Wolfsheild filed an affidavit stating:

*"I accept full and all responsibility for the decisions made on behalf of Qtask, Inc., regarding the disclosure of data stored on the Qtask service in response to the subpoena."*

The Trustee used this affidavit to justify the March 2011 motion holding him jointly and severally liable — because Von Wolfsheild, as Qtask's "Chief Information Technology Officer," had personally vouched for Qtask's compliance decisions:

*"TRUSTEE'S MOTION TO HOLD BARON RK VON WOLFSHEILD JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY LIABLE FOR SANCTIONS AGAINST QTASK, INC."*

By April 2011, Von Wolfsheild was fighting this on five simultaneous legal fronts.

**Source:** [EFTA00621390](#) (Case 09-34791-RBR, Doc 1558, Filed 03/22/11)

## **Epstein's Effort to Identify and Recover Qtask Records**

### **January 2011: Epstein Tries to Access Qtask**

According to Brad Edwards's 2020 memoir *Relentless Pursuit*, Epstein invited Von Wolfsheild to his *Mindshift* conference on Little St. James Island in January 2011 — and there asked him directly to help access Edwards's Qtask datastore. Von Wolfsheild refused and subsequently reported the approach to Edwards. Edwards later wrote: *"It would have been a smart move had it worked, but it didn't."*

*Reichart couldn't be bought by the bad guys."*

Against this backdrop, on January 15, 2011, Epstein emailed Von Wolfsheild: **"how do i try qtask, is there a tutorial?"** Two days later they exchanged emails in which Von Wolfsheild pitched Qtask for Epstein's personal use, suggesting he invite "Susan's or someone you have organize stuff for your island."

*The memoir account and the EFTA emails are consistent: Epstein was probing for access to the platform and its data. The memoir is a secondary source; readers should weigh it accordingly.*

**Sources:** [EFTA01835022](#) (Jan. 15, 2011); [EFTA01793279](#); [EFTA01791598](#); [EFTA01792001](#) (Jan. 17, 2011)

## **Epstein's Subpoena Against the Trustee — to Access Qtask Data**

In the parallel civil case (*Epstein v. L.M.*, Case 9:08-cv-80893-KAM), Epstein filed his own **subpoena against the bankruptcy trustee** demanding access to documents in the trustee's possession, specifically including Qtask data. The August 2010 court order appointing a Special Master records this:

*"The Court appoints former Broward County Circuit Judge Robert Carney as Special Master who shall work with counsel for the Trustee to obtain documents responsive to the subpoena served upon the Trustee **by Jeffrey Epstein** to: (i) review all electronically stored information ('ESI') and other documents in the Trustee's possession, including **Qtask data** for purposes of determining the applicability of the attorney/client and work product privileges..."*

Epstein agreed to pay all Special Master fees.

**Sources:** [EFTA00206606](#); [EFTA00213899](#); [EFTA02769339](#) (D.E. 888, filed Aug. 13, 2010)

## **The May 18 Exchange: The Alert and the Apartments**

On March 31, 2011, Epstein emailed Von Wolfsheild: "what are you up to?" Von Wolfsheild missed it due to an email filter change.

On April 28, 2011, Von Wolfsheild discovered and replied — listing his five active legal cases, including the \$7.5 million adversary proceeding, the contempt sanctions, and the personal liability motion. Epstein replied warmly ("no problem, when are you next on the east coast?") and then, when Von Wolfsheild mentioned another Florida court date, simply: "again?"

Von Wolfsheild: "When ever there is a motion in front of the Judge that involves me directly, I try to be there in person. It seems to go better if I stand there... ridiculous as it is."

Then, on **May 18, 2011**, Von Wolfsheild sent the most significant disclosure:

*"It is interesting, your name finally came up. Berger Singerman want the projects in Qtask regarding YOU."*

He was flying back from Maui and about to start shooting a History Channel series. The trustee's lawyers — Berger Singerman — had specifically identified Epstein's Qtask projects as a target of their ongoing discovery.

Epstein replied the **same day** — approximately four hours later:

*"I have guest apts in new york that you are welcome to use."*

Von Wolfsheild accepted: "That is very cool of you to offer. Thank you :) I will tell you when I'm there, should you be in town then perhaps we can meet up again."

*The documents establish the sequence — disclosure, then apartment offer, same day. The connection between the two is the reader's inference; the emails do not state a reason for the offer.*

**Sources:**

- [EFTA01778129](#) (March 31 email, replayed in April thread)
- [EFTA00707937](#); [EFTA00707944](#) (April 28 exchange)
- [EFTA00909600](#); [EFTA00909602](#) (Epstein replies)
- [EFTA01863165](#) (Von Wolfsheild, May 18 — "they want the projects regarding YOU")

- [EFTA01863573](#); [EFTA00878711](#) (Epstein — "guest apts")
- [EFTA01863470](#) (Von Wolfsheild acceptance)

## July 2011: Epstein Asks Von Wolfsheild to Find the Rothstein Files

On July 6, 2011, Epstein emailed Von Wolfsheild directly:

*"i need my q task stuff from rothsteinn, profile, beth williamson."*

**Source:** [EFTA01776463](#); [EFTA00914730](#) (July 6, 2011)

On July 12, 2011, Epstein pushed further:

*"i know that scott was invited into all my cases. and he asked that he be kept up on them. what can i do to get hold of the info"*

**Sources:** [EFTA01862081](#); [EFTA00914732](#) (July 12, 2011)

Von Wolfsheild replied on July 13, 2011:

*"I can tell you now that there is nothing I have access to of Beth's. And Scott barely used Qtask in the first place (he knew it tracked everything). If I were to assume, Beth would not have stored anything back then in Qtask because it was something new to them back then."*

When Epstein pressed again, Von Wolfsheild replied:

*"That is possible. I don't see those. I was under the impression that BS [Berger Singerman] now has this info though. Please, ATTACK THEM. They are a-holes."*

**Sources:** [EFTA01862008](#); [EFTA01776463](#); [EFTA01862117](#) (July 13, 2011)

## July–December 2011: Epstein Briefs Scherer With Counter-Intelligence

In parallel, Epstein was feeding detailed investigative intelligence to his own attorney, William R. Scherer. On **July 8, 2011**, Epstein's email to Scherer included his own account of events — presented here as Epstein's allegations, not independently confirmed facts:

- Rothstein "needed Edwards to file complaints to show to investors"
- Brad Edwards and David Jaffé filed a federal complaint on July 18 (234 pages) but "instruct beth williamson, not to serve me. they misspell Epstein. so that we would not find it on pacer" — Epstein's allegation that the misspelling was deliberate to avoid PACER detection
- Beth Williamson (Edwards's assistant) "should be interviewed by the USAO, she will with immunity get you your deep pocket"
- Scott Rothstein "was invited in by edwards on Qtask on the epstein cases. The only case scott asked to be included on" — Epstein's characterization, sourced (per his December briefing) from what Williamson told him

On **December 10, 2011**, Epstein sent Scherer another brief relaying Williamson's account: "beth williamson, brads asst said that the only case rothstein followed on Qtask ws the epstein cases." The email included investigative questions about Ken Jenne, Pat Roberts, property break-ins, the Alfredo Rodriguez matter, and strategies targeting Epstein's "high profile friends." *Note: this is Epstein relaying what he claims Williamson told him — it is not a direct statement from Williamson.*

**Sources:** [EFTA01858073](#) (July 8, 2011, Epstein to Scherer); [EFTA01845805](#); [EFTA00925741](#) (Dec. 10, 2011, Epstein to Scherer)

## The Personal Network: Von Wolfsheild in Epstein's Digital Life

The relationship between Epstein and Von Wolfsheild persisted long after the 2011 contempt battles.

Date	Document	Event
Oct. 20, 2011	<a href="#">EFTA00687427</a>	"Reichart Von Wolfsheild added you on Google+" — Qtask, Inc. affiliation listed
Dec. 2,	<a href="#">EFTA02364130</a>	Google+ digest — Von Wolfsheild appears as "Qtask, Inc." in Epstein's

Date	Document	Event
2011		"people you might know"
Dec. 19, 2011	<a href="#">EFTA01172134</a>	Google+ — Richard Harwood adds Epstein; Von Wolfsheild "Qtask, Inc." in shared circles
Jul. 31, 2013	<a href="#">EFTA01963174</a>	LinkedIn: "Jeffrey, Reichart has accepted your invitation" — first-degree connection
Sep. 9, 2013	<a href="#">EFTA01142094</a>	LinkedIn: Von Wolfsheild now "Chief Software Architect/Co-founder at ShowBizCentral, Inc."
Dec. 12, 2013	<a href="#">EFTA00651506</a>	LinkedIn: "Congratulate Reichart Von Wolfsheild on the new job"
Feb. 24, 2016	<a href="#">EFTA00629740</a>	Google+ digest — Von Wolfsheild recommended to Epstein 5 years after contempt proceedings began

## Key Figures

Name	Role
<b>Reichart "Baron RK" Von Wolfsheild</b>	Qtask Chief Information Technology Officer and co-founder. In direct contact with Epstein throughout contempt proceedings. Offered Epstein's guest apartments following the "they want the projects regarding YOU" disclosure.
<b>Russell Mix</b>	Qtask co-founder, alongside Von Wolfsheild
<b>Scott Rothstein</b>	RRA Managing Partner (convicted, 50 years). Personal investor in Qtask; directed Ponzi communications through Qtask; invited into Brad Edwards's Epstein cases on the platform
<b>Robert (Rob) Buschel</b>	Former RRA partner; Qtask's attorney throughout the bankruptcy proceedings; separately subject to sanctions motion
<b>Russell Adler</b>	RRA partner who "brought Qtask in-house"; co-sold Rothstein on the investment
<b>Brad Edwards</b>	RRA partner; confirmed under oath that information about his Epstein clients was placed in a Qtask "Epstein project." Denied inviting Rothstein; Epstein disputed this in private correspondence.
<b>Beth Williamson</b>	Brad Edwards's assistant at RRA. Epstein claimed she told him Rothstein followed only the Epstein cases on Qtask — an unverified, second-hand account; targeted by Epstein as a potential USAO immunity witness
<b>Herbert Stettin</b>	Chapter 11 Trustee; pursued Qtask records for two years
<b>Expert Robert Moody</b>	Filed expert report (D.E. 1241) documenting Qtask's active obstruction, including monitoring of the trustee's investigation
<b>William R. Scherer</b>	Epstein's civil attorney in South Florida; received Epstein's intelligence briefings on Qtask. Separately, Scherer also represented Rothstein's investor-victims (Razorback Funding et al.) and served on the Creditor's Committee in the RRA bankruptcy — giving him visibility into both sides of the Qtask dispute.

## Timeline

Date	Event	Source
~2007	Qtask developed; Rothstein invests	<a href="#">EFTA01082728</a>

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Source</b>
~Apr 2009	Brad Edwards joins RRA; stores Epstein files in Qtask	EFTA00599662
Jul–Oct 2009	Rothstein's Ponzi active; using Qtask for secure comms re: Epstein cases	EFTA02769191
Oct 2009	Rothstein scheme collapses	—
Dec. 1, 2009	Rothstein criminal information — Qtask equity listed as forfeited asset (BI2)	EFTA00193199
Dec. 8, 2009	Trustee subpoenas Qtask (D.E. 95)	EFTA02769191
Mar. 8, 2010	Order to Compel (D.E. 411) — Qtask ignores	EFTA02769191
Mar. 23, 2010	Brad Edwards deposition — confirms "an Epstein project" exists in Qtask	EFTA00599662
Aug. 13, 2010	Court appoints Special Master — <b>Epstein subpoenas trustee to access Qtask data</b>	EFTA00206606
~Oct. 2010	Contempt order (D.E. 776) — \$5,000/day fine begins	EFTA02769191
Dec. 13/17, 2010	Expert Moody report: Qtask monitoring trustee, shadowbox passwords withheld, productions "useless"	EFTA02769191
Dec. 29, 2010	Trustee seeks \$25,000/day + incarceration + personal liability for Buschel (D.E. 1270)	EFTA02769191
Jan. 15, 2011	Epstein asks Von Wolfsheild: "how do i try qtask, is there a tutorial?"	EFTA01835022
Jan. 17, 2011	Epstein and Von Wolfsheild exchange — Von Wolfsheild pitches Qtask for Epstein's personal use	EFTA01793279
Mar. 7, 2011	Final Judgment against Qtask (D.E. 1529)	EFTA00621390
Mar. 22, 2011	Trustee moves to hold Von Wolfsheild personally liable (D.E. 1558)	EFTA00621390
Mar. 31, 2011	Epstein emails Von Wolfsheild: "what are you up to?"	EFTA01778129
Apr. 28, 2011	Von Wolfsheild lists 5 active cases to Epstein; Epstein: "again?"	EFTA00707937
May 18, 2011	Von Wolfsheild: "Berger Singerman want the projects in Qtask regarding YOU"	EFTA01863165
May 18, 2011	Epstein responds same day: "I have guest apts in new york that you are welcome to use"	EFTA01863573
May 10, 2011	Scheduled hearing — Von Wolfsheild personal liability	EFTA00286335
Jul. 6, 2011	Epstein to Von Wolfsheild: "i need my q task stuff from rothstein, profile, beth williamson"	EFTA01776463
Jul. 8, 2011	Epstein briefs Scherer: Rothstein "was invited in by Edwards on Qtask on the Epstein cases — the only case"	EFTA01858073
Jul. 12, 2011	Epstein to Von Wolfsheild: "what can i do to get hold of the info"	EFTA01862081
Jul. 13, 2011	Von Wolfsheild: "BS [Berger Singerman] now has this info... ATTACK THEM"	EFTA01862117
Sep. 2, 2011	Trustee notices Rule 2004 exam of Qtask corporate representative (D.E. 1975)	EFTA01082066

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Source</b>
Dec. 10, 2011	Epstein briefs Scherer: Beth Williamson confirms "only case Rothstein followed was Epstein cases"	<a href="#">EFTA01845805</a>
Jun. 4, 2012	Rothstein deposition — confirms Qtask investment; Von Wolfsheild sold him on it	<a href="#">EFTA01082728</a>
Mar. 19, 2018	Bankruptcy case still referencing Qtask data issue from D.E. 888	<a href="#">EFTA00799314</a>

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## What Was and Was Not Produced

The contempt proceedings over Qtask data stretched from December 2009 through at least 2012, with Qtask appealing, seeking stays, and fighting at every stage. Von Wolfsheild ultimately entered settlement agreements with the trustee and handed over Qtask assets, per reporting on the RRA bankruptcy — but the scope of what the trustee actually received, and what was withheld during the two-year non-compliance period, is not fully established in available public records.

Von Wolfsheild's July 2011 message to Epstein — "I was under the impression that BS [Berger Singerman] now has this info though" — suggests that by that point some data had reached the trustee's lawyers. What was produced, what was withheld, and whether any material was lost or deleted in the interim remains unknown from the available record.

There is an additional complication: **Berger Singerman was disqualified from the Qtask clawback suit** by Judge Raymond Ray. The firm's IT director, Reinaldo "Rey" Leon, was formerly married to Rothstein's sister Ronni Leon — and it was Rey Leon who had pushed Rothstein to invest in Qtask in the first place. Rothstein had given the Leons approximately \$337,503 in gifts (property taxes, cars, American Express bills, college tuition, Super Bowl trips). Judge Ray found that Leon could be both a clawback target and a witness in the Qtask proceedings, creating an impermissible conflict. Separately, firm partner Paul Singerman held investments in Gibraltar Bank, another clawback target. The firm pressing hardest for Qtask's data had a structural conflict with the very investment it was pursuing.

**Source:** [Broward Palm Beach New Times, "Judge Bounces Berger Singerman from Rothstein Bankruptcy Suit"](#)

The Epstein-related Qtask projects — the "Epstein project" Edwards confirmed existed, the internal RRA communications about using victim cases as Ponzi instruments, and the record of who knew what — were never publicly disclosed. Whether the trustee received them and kept them sealed, or whether they were never fully produced, has not been established from available sources.

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## Lines of Investigation

1. **What did Berger Singerman actually receive?** Were Epstein's Qtask projects ever fully produced, and if so, what did they contain?
2. **Who was invited into "an Epstein project"?** Edwards denied inviting Rothstein, but Epstein's own intelligence (from Williamson) contradicts this. Who else had access?
3. **What does the Expert Moody report say in full?** D.E. 1241 is referenced extensively but not fully reproduced in available corpus documents. The full text may contain more specific findings about the Epstein-related projects.
4. **Beth Williamson as witness:** Epstein twice identified Williamson as a critical witness. Was she ever interviewed by the USAO?
5. **The PACER misspelling:** Epstein claimed Edwards filed a 234-page federal complaint in July 2009 misspelling his name as "Espstein" to avoid PACER detection. This is a specific verifiable claim.

6. **Did Epstein's own subpoena succeed?** The Special Master process (D.E. 888, Aug. 2010) reviewing Qtask data on Epstein's behalf — what did the privilege log contain, and what was ultimately produced to Epstein?
7. **Von Wolfsheild's "Prolific" platform:** After settling with the trustee, Von Wolfsheild launched a functionally identical platform called "Prolific" (Prolific Publishing, Inc.) and the trustee accused him of diverting Qtask users and their data to it — prompting "Round 8" litigation. Von Wolfsheild's defense: "The users and the user data are not assets of Qtask and therefore could not be diverted." If users migrated their data to Prolific before the handover, the trustee may have received a shell. The full scope of what was ultimately transferred requires further investigation.
8. **How many Epstein clients did Edwards have at RRA?** Edwards testified to three (Jane Doe, L.M., E.W.). Epstein's motion to compel a second deposition alleged five — documented in [EFTA00728258](#). The two additional cases are unidentified in available records. The scope of what Qtask held tracks directly with this number.
9. **Scherer's dual role: conflict or asset?** Scherer simultaneously represented Rothstein's investor-victims in the bankruptcy (and served on the Creditor's Committee) while receiving Epstein's private intelligence briefings as Epstein's civil attorney. These are not necessarily incompatible roles, but the full picture of what Scherer knew — and from which client — warrants examination.

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Epstein corpus contains 37,756 documents mentioning Deutsche Bank — more than any other financial institution. This report examines the German institutional infrastructure that supported Epstein's post-conviction financial operations: Deutsche Bank as his primary bank (2013-2019), a failed attempt to insert himself into the Sal. Oppenheim bank rescue (August 2009), a €150 million steel financing pitch from a German industrial dynasty (September 2009), and connections to the Max Planck Society through a Nobel laureate.

The Deutsche Bank relationship is already partially public through the [NYDFS consent order](#) (July 2020) and [subsequent reporting](#). This report focuses on what the corpus **adds** beyond the public record: internal trading emails, KYC compliance failures around the previously unexamined Prytanea LLC entity, a \$150,000 wire from the Butterfly Trust to Epstein's last girlfriend routed through Deutsche Bank's Eschborn operations center, €30 million in currency options executed while compliance was still incomplete, and the full text of the Sal. Oppenheim and Scholz Edelstahl deal-making threads — neither of which has been previously reported.

**What is NOT in the corpus:** Zero German politicians. No Jens Spahn, no Friedrich Merz, no AfD figures, no Ursula von der Leyen beyond generic WEF attendee lists. German search traffic to our site is looking for political connections that do not exist. What exists instead is an institutional financial pipeline.

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# PART I: DEUTSCHE BANK — THE INSTITUTIONAL RELATIONSHIP

## A. The Team

Deutsche Bank's Epstein relationship was managed by a team of at least twelve employees across New York, London, Mumbai, and Eschborn. The [NYDFS consent order](#) publicly named Paul Morris as the relationship manager who onboarded Epstein in 2013, and [Reuters](#) named Stewart Oldfield as the later RM. The corpus reveals the full team:

Name	Title	Role	Source
Paul Morris	Managing Director, DB Private Bank	Onboarded Epstein (2013); projected "\$100-300M overtime...w/ revenue of \$2-4M annually"	<a href="#">EFTA01424858</a>
Charles "Chip" Packard	Co-Head (departed by 2018)	ExCo approval for Epstein accounts; "involved in the decision to onboard...as well as the decision to maintain the relationship after concerns were raised in January 2015"	<a href="#">EFTA00016422</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01421293</a>
Stewart Oldfield	Director, Wealth Management, 345 Park Ave	Relationship manager (2016-2019); handled day-to-day account management	<a href="#">EFTA01420840</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01421621</a>
Tazia Smith	Director, Key Client Partners, DB Securities Inc., 345 Park Ave 26th Floor	Markets coverage; traded Apple options and European equities for Epstein	<a href="#">EFTA01754567</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01755103</a>
Bradley Gillin	Vice President, 345 Park Ave 24th Floor	Account operations, compliance liaison	<a href="#">EFTA01421293</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01421442</a>
Brigid Macias	Assistant Vice President, DBTCA, 345 Park Ave 24th Floor	Wire operations	<a href="#">EFTA01420840</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01421199</a>
Armen Brash	Director, Wealth Management	KYC case management for Southern Financial	<a href="#">EFTA01423566</a>
Zbynek "Ziggy" Kozelsky	Director, Branch Admin Manager, DB Securities Inc., 345 Park Ave 26th Floor	Account administration; Canyon/AIS investment requests	<a href="#">EFTA01421867</a>
Vahe Stepanian	Key Client Partners, DB Securities Inc.	Trading coordination	<a href="#">EFTA01755231</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01424010</a>
Daniel Sabba	(unnamed title)	Investment coordination	<a href="#">EFTA01424010</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01424858</a>
Vijay Sawant	KYC Case Representative,	Remote KYC remediation	<a href="#">EFTA01421293</a>

Name	Title	Role	Source
	Deutsche CIB Centre, Mumbai		
Aparna Shrivastava	Authorised Signatory, DB AG London Branch	Signed ISDA currency option confirmations	<a href="#">EFTA01423292</a>

These are banking professionals performing their institutional roles. The question is what the institution knew and when.

## B. What Deutsche Bank Knew: January 2015

The NYDFS consent order established that concerns about Epstein were raised in January 2015 and that the Americas Reputational Risk Committee met — with no minutes taken, violating bank policy. The corpus provides the other side of this story.

Akin Gump's December 24, 2019 letter to the SDNY ([EFTA00016422](#)) explicitly states that the person who served as Co-Head from 2013 to 2016 "was involved in the decision to onboard Mr. Epstein as a client, as well as the decision to maintain the relationship after concerns were raised in January 2015." This confirms that maintaining the Epstein relationship after concerns were raised was a deliberate institutional choice, not an oversight.

## C. Prytanee LLC: The Art Investment Entity

The KYC remediation thread for Prytanee LLC ([EFTA01421293](#), 24 pages) reveals an entity that has received minimal public analysis despite appearing in [USVI court filings](#).

**What the corpus reveals:** Prytanee LLC was an art investment entity under the Southern Financial umbrella. Its co-investor was **Caroline Lang**, identified in the KYC documents as Chairman of Sotheby's Switzerland, with an annual income of approximately \$450,000. The entity had a projected balance of \$1 million but held only approximately \$200,000.

The compliance struggle was acute. Deutsche Bank's Mumbai-based KYC team requested "refreshed ExCo approval" to complete remediation, but the original ExCo approval document — signed by Chip Packard and Patrick Campion — could not be located in full. The AML team questioned whether it "actually refers to Epstein's jail sentence." The Certificate of Good Standing could not be found in the USVI corporate registry.

Bradley Gillin's response to the compliance queries was dismissive. In a November 2016 email chain, he wrote: *"This is hysterical...Still laughing"* about the KYC questions. When asked about missing documentation for an existing account, he wrote: *"Do we really need this for an existing account?"* ([EFTA01421293](#)).

The KYC narrative for Southern Financial, the parent entity, explicitly acknowledged Epstein as a "registered sex offender" convicted of "soliciting an underage girl for prostitution" — yet accounts continued to be opened and maintained.

## D. Trading: Apple Options and European Equities

Tazia Smith, Director of Key Client Partners at Deutsche Bank Securities, managed Epstein's trading activity. [Handelsblatt reported](#) on a Deutsche Bank manager's enthusiasm for Epstein business; Smith's trading emails provide the operational detail.

**October 2013 — Apple Options** ([EFTA01754567](#)): Smith and Epstein discussed options strategies on Apple stock. Epstein wrote: *"no, with apple lets write an out of the money."* Smith managed the position — approximately \$1,060,000 in Apple shares and options (2,000 shares at ~\$530).

**November 2013 — ECB Rate Cut** ([EFTA01755103](#)): Following the European Central Bank's surprise rate cut, Smith emailed Epstein (CC'd Harry Beller): *"The ECB cut interest rates to 0.25% today — a surprise to many. We expect continued easing from the ECB and further downward pressure on the*

*Euro.*" She recommended a European equity basket including JCDecaux SA. The email also monitored Epstein's BRL (Brazilian Real) step-up notes at JP Morgan — indicating Deutsche Bank had visibility into Epstein's positions at other institutions.

**September 2014 (EFTA02097982):** Smith coordinated a "DB Call Mon 9am EST" involving London-based colleagues.

## **E. €30 Million in Currency Options While KYC Remained Incomplete**

In May 2018, Deutsche Bank AG London Branch executed two ISDA currency option confirmations with Southern Financial LLC:

1. **EUR Put/USD Call (EFTA01423292):** EUR 20,000,000 notional, strike 1.160, premium \$36,000 paid by DB to Southern Financial. Signed by Aparna Shrivastava, DB AG London Branch.
2. **EUR Put/USD Call (EFTA01423300):** EUR 10,000,000 notional, strike 1.150, premium \$11,750 paid by Southern Financial.

Together, these formed a risk reversal or collar structure on EUR/USD with tens of millions of euros in notional exposure — executed through Deutsche Bank's London Branch for an account whose KYC compliance was, at that same time, the subject of an ongoing 24-page remediation thread in which basic corporate documents could not be located.

The DB Management Board at the time of execution included John Cryan (Chairman), Christian Sewing, and others listed in the ISDA confirmations.

## **F. The Butterfly Trust Wire: \$150,000 to Karyna Shuliak**

On February 5, 2019 — five months before Epstein's arrest — a \$150,000 wire transfer was initiated from the Butterfly Trust (account 0044130552 at Deutsche Bank) to JPMS LLC (JP Morgan Securities), for further credit to **Karyna Shuliak** (account 03603923) (EFTA01421199).

Shuliak was Epstein's last known girlfriend. The wire failed due to a format validation error in the SWIFT messaging system, was flagged by Deutsche Bank's Global Messaging Operations center in **Eschborn, Germany** (Alfred-Herrhausen-Allee 16-24, 65760 Eschborn), and had to be reversed and resubmitted.

The Butterfly Trust was the entity identified in the NYDFS consent order as having transferred \$2.65 million in wires to beneficiaries (2014-2018), including women with Eastern European surnames, plus over \$7 million in settlement payments to law firms and over \$6 million in legal expenses.

## **G. Wires Through the German Operations Center**

Multiple Epstein wire transfers were processed through Deutsche Bank's Global Messaging Operations center in Eschborn, a suburb of Frankfurt. This is standard for Deutsche Bank's wire infrastructure — Eschborn handles SWIFT message formatting — but it means Epstein's financial activity routinely touched German soil.

**Mercedes-Benz Paris (EFTA01366155, EFTA01420840):** A 10,000 EUR wire sent February 15, 2019 from Epstein's personal DB account to Mercedes-Benz Paris via Societe Generale. The wire was returned; a months-long tracing effort involving Brigid Macias (DB), Bella Klein (Epstein staff), and Mercedes-Benz Paris accounting staff ensued. Language barriers (the Mercedes staff spoke only French) complicated recovery.

**Warren Power and Machinery (EFTA01421442):** An October 2017 wire from LSJE, LLC (a checking account for daily expenses of one of Epstein's residences) to Warren Power and Machinery LP (DBA WarrenCat, a Caterpillar equipment dealer). Cynthia Rodriguez at DB wrote: "*Why was this wire canceled? This wire must go out today.*" Also processed through Eschborn.

## **H. "Several Billion in Assets"**

On July 9, 2019, three days after Epstein's arrest, **Matthew Goldstein** of The New York Times emailed

the SDNY (EFTA00018401):

*"So we have been told that Deutsche Bank controls several billion in assets belonging to Financial Trust Company on behalf of Epstein's customers. We are told that up until his arrest Epstein was trading currencies through Deutsche for his client. We are told that Deutsche is considering going into bankruptcy court to take control of these assets and is coordinating its efforts with your office."*

An SDNY AUSA responded internally: *"First I'm hearing about it assuming it's even true."*

The KYC documents in the corpus list Epstein's personal account balance at DB as approximately \$4 million. If the NYT's reporting was accurate, the "several billion" through Financial Trust Company would represent a far larger financial footprint than has been publicly documented.

## I. The SDNY Subpoena and Akin Gump Productions

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Deutsche Bank received a grand jury subpoena from the SDNY on July 11, 2019 (EFTA00015937).

Outside counsel Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP (partners Parvin Daphne Moyne, James J. Benjamin Jr., and Thomas C. Moyer) managed the response.

The corpus documents at least thirteen rolling productions:

- **Production 11** (November 2019): DB-SDNY-0028783 to 0037559, including 1,287 pages of check images from twenty Epstein-affiliated accounts (EFTA00015937)
- **Production 13** (December 24, 2019): DB-SDNY-0100861 to 0124801, including emails from the relationship manager and from the person "involved in the decision to onboard" and "decision to maintain after concerns raised January 2015" (EFTA00016422)

Supplemental exhibits described in the production letters included:

- Wire transfers to hedge funds and private investment vehicles (Exhibit A)
- All payees from the LSJE, LLC account — "[c]hecking account for the daily expenses associated with running one of Jeffrey Epstein's private homes" (Exhibit B)
- All Butterfly Trust money market account transactions (Exhibit C)
- Timeline of openings and closings of Epstein's Wealth Management accounts (Exhibit D)
- Payments to beneficiaries of the Butterfly Trust and The 2017 Caterpillar Trust (Exhibit E)

In the initial Rule 16 discovery production (EFTA00018618), Deutsche Bank Records comprised 1,288 pages (USAO 000965 through 002252).

The USVI Attorney General subsequently subpoenaed Deutsche Bank for all Epstein-related materials (EFTA00017084). Akin Gump sought SDNY permission to disclose the federal subpoena and productions to the USVI AG.

## J. The WSJ Inquiry: Gratitude America

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On September 8, 2019, **Rebecca Davis O'Brien** of The Wall Street Journal contacted the SDNY (EFTA00009962) with details about Gratitude America, an Epstein USVI charity with a Deutsche Bank account:

- "1. It got most of its funding from a \$10 million grant from a foundation controlled by Leon Black (of Apollo) in 2015.*
- 2. Some of Gratitude's donations between 2016 and 2017, listed in its tax forms, were never received by the named charities.*
- 3. Epstein attempted to use the charity to pay fines in the Virgin Islands."*

She asked the SDNY: *"Is DB in trouble here? Do they face any criminal exposure?"* and *"Is SDNY looking into Epstein's work with his nonprofits and foundations?"*

An SDNY AUSA noted internally: *"Thought some of this might actually be helpful to you."*

## K. FBI Investigation Infrastructure

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The corpus reveals the investigative apparatus that examined Deutsche Bank's records:

- **Case number 2018R01618** — confirming the SDNY investigation predated Epstein's July 2019 arrest

(EFTA00014608)

- **July 17-18, 2019:** AUSAs requested American Express and Deutsche Bank subpoena returns burned to disc for FBI agents and detectives (EFTA00014608, EFTA00014613)
- **July 18, 2019:** An FBI special agent wrote: *"I've CC'd the forensic accountant in our squad who will be assisting in this investigation. Let's try and plan a day next week to meet briefly and discuss a game plan"* (EFTA00014611)
- **Steven Hoffenberg:** In the immediate aftermath of the arrest, an SDNY AUSA asked: *"I keep meaning to ask if we're going to reach out to Hoffenberg"* — referring to Steven Hoffenberg, the convicted Ponzi schemer who was Epstein's early business associate (EFTA00018170)

## L. Personal Relationships

The Oldfield-Kahn half marathon email (EFTA01421621) shows the personal dimension of the banking relationship. Stewart Oldfield (Deutsche Bank Director) and Richard Kahn (Epstein's accountant at HBRK Associates Inc., 575 Lexington Avenue) exchanged casual messages about the Brooklyn Half Marathon in May 2017. Oldfield: *"Sadly. I always sign up when the races become available. And then systematically under prepare. It's not the best approach."*

This is unremarkable between banker and client accountant — but it illustrates how routine the Epstein relationship had become within Deutsche Bank's wealth management operation.

## M. Known vs. New Information

Topic	Public Record	Corpus Adds
\$150M NYDFS fine	NYDFS July 2020	N/A
Paul Morris onboarding	NYDFS consent order	Investment ideas: "getting 10 million to work" in HY bonds, Petrobras, CLO mezz
Stewart Oldfield as RM	Reuters Feb 2026	Full wire operation threads, personal relationship with Kahn
January 2015 concerns	NYDFS consent order	Akin Gump confirmation that maintaining relationship was deliberate decision
Tazia Smith trading	Handelsblatt (German)	NEW: Full text of Apple options emails, ECB rate cut analysis, cross-bank monitoring of JPM positions
Butterfly Trust	NYDFS consent order	NEW: \$150,000 wire to Karyna Shuliak, processed through Eschborn
Prytanee LLC	USVI court filings only	NEW: Art investment entity, Caroline Lang (Sotheby's Switzerland) co-investor, missing ExCo approval, Gillin's "hysterical" dismissal of KYC
ISDA currency options	Not public	NEW: €30M notional through DB London while KYC incomplete
"Several billion" claim	Not previously sourced	NEW: NYT to SDNY email, SDNY surprised
Gratitude America + DB	WSJ reporting	NEW: Full WSJ-to-SDNY inquiry text, \$10M Leon Black grant, phantom donations
Akin Gump productions	Not public	NEW: 13+ productions, 124,801+ documents, exhibit descriptions

# PART II: POST-CONVICTION GERMAN DEAL-MAKING (2009)

## A. The Sal. Oppenheim Bank Rescue

In August 2009 — just weeks after Epstein's release from his Florida prison sentence on July 22, 2009 — a remarkable deal-making thread unfolds across the corpus. Epstein attempted to insert himself as a financial advisor in the rescue of **Sal. Oppenheim jr. & Cie.**, Germany's oldest and largest independent private bank, which was collapsing under approximately €900 million in losses tied to the **Arcandor insolvency** and reckless lending to Madeleine Schickedanz.

The intermediary was **David Stern** of Asia Gateway Ltd. (81 Fulham Road, London SW3 6RD), a **German-born financier** who has been **extensively reported** as an Epstein associate since the February 2026 EFTA release.

### The Timeline

**August 5, 2009:** Deutsche Bank **publicly confirmed** talks on a strategic partnership with Sal. Oppenheim and made a non-binding offer for a capital stake.

**August 7, 2009:** Jes Staley, then head of JPMorgan's asset management division, **forwarded an internal JPMorgan email chain about Sal. Oppenheim directly to Epstein (EFTA00738280)**. The chain included:

- **Karl X. Altenburg** (JPMorgan Germany): *"We are talking to Christopher von Oppenheim who is one of the four managing partners and the one who is representing the family. I had one 2hr meeting with him on this matter last week."*
- **Klaus Diederichs:** *"I think this will be too late. Also not sure if we can cherry pick. My understanding is that Deutsche is offering a capital injection into the group overall. If we are seriously interested we need to come forward now. Looks to me like Sal Op is back to the wall and Deutsche will run away with it if we don't act now."*
- **Mary Erdoes:** *"Just let us know what transpires—happy to get on a plane to meet sooner if need be."*  
Epstein's response to Staley: *"typical."*

That same day, Epstein warned Stern (**EFTA00738267**):

*"You must be careful, they are already talking to j.p. morgan, my bank, im told there is a meeting set up in early sept..., they should hire us to get the j.p morgan deal structured and negotiated.. the family is trying to do it themselves."*

Epstein was simultaneously receiving insider intelligence from JPMorgan about the competing bid and positioning himself to advise Sal. Oppenheim on that same bid.

**August 7, 2009:** Stern contacted Sal. Oppenheim directly. The response came from their Luxembourg office (Sal. Oppenheim jr. & Cie. Societe en commandite par actions, 4, rue Jean Monnet, 2180 Luxembourg) in German (**EFTA00773411**):

*"Sehr geehrter Herr Stern, Leider kann ich Ihnen noch nichts sagen denn wir sind in fortgeschrittenen Gesprächen, Chance aber zur Zeit unter 20%."*

Translation: "Dear Mr. Stern, unfortunately I cannot tell you anything yet as we are in advanced talks, chance however currently under 20%."

**August 9, 2009:** Epstein asked Staley: *"Are you available to take a call from the chairman of sal oppenheim?"* (**EFTA00738348**). Staley responded the next day: *"I just got this. Monday around ten can work."*

**Late August 2009:** The Oppenheim situation deteriorated. Stern reported to Epstein (**EFTA01816629**):

*"Oppenheim is still struggling internally. German government put huge pressure on them to*

*do DB deal (german elections in Sept). I am on the case."*

Epstein: "Keep on it."

**August 2009:** Stern reported direct contact with the German government (EFTA02436139):

*"Spoke to German ministry of finance — view is that Oppenheim management caused the mess (probably +900m EUR required)."*

**August 2009:** Epstein formulated his pitch (EFTA01818511):

*"The concept is not based on fees.. if oppenheim were to engage us, to find a solution."*

### **The Draft Pitch: "Independent Private Investment Arm of JP Morgan"**

Stern prepared a draft document describing how to present Epstein to Sal. Oppenheim (EFTA00739187):

*"Financial Trust is a private investment company based in xxx, USA. It operates as the independent, private investment arm of JP Morgan. JP Morgan takes on all reputational and — where necessary — balance sheet risks. David Stern heads the European investments and reports directly to the Chairman."*

The subject line was: "DRAFT IDEA incl how to describe me???"

Epstein rejected this characterization: "no lets talk."

This draft is significant because it reveals the deceptive framing Stern was prepared to use: positioning a convicted sex offender's private entity as an "arm of JP Morgan" to German financial institutions.

That Epstein rejected it suggests even he recognized it went too far.

### **The Broader Ambition**

Stern's emails reveal that the Oppenheim deal was part of a larger vision (EFTA02441612):

*"Increasingly real business in an advisory/financing solution package in Germany, Switzerland, UK."*

And more ambitiously:

*"For advisory business with massive fees there could be Malaysia where the Minister of Finance is my friend."*

The Oppenheim deal never materialized for Epstein. Deutsche Bank **completed the acquisition** in March 2010 for approximately €1 billion. Four former Sal. Oppenheim partners were **later convicted** of criminal breach of trust by the Cologne criminal court in 2015.

### **The Irony**

The institutional successor of Sal. Oppenheim became **Deutsche Oppenheim Family Office AG**, with **Jürgen Fitschen** (Deutsche Bank co-CEO 2012-2016) as Vice-Chairman (EFTA02662131).

Fitschen was co-CEO of Deutsche Bank during the period when the bank maintained Epstein as a client despite the January 2015 concerns.

An article about Deutsche Oppenheim's formation — referencing Fitschen joining the advisory board and mentioning **Jean-Christophe Pernollet** (later **Swissquote board member** and Chief Risk Officer at Edmond de Rothschild Suisse) — was circulated within the Epstein email network. There is no evidence that Fitschen or Pernollet had any direct contact with Epstein.

## **B. Scholz Edelstahl: The €150 Million Steel Financing**

One week after the Oppenheim thread, Stern pitched Epstein on financing for a German steel dynasty.

**September 8, 2009:** Stern sent the initial pitch to Epstein (EFTA02436800):

*"150 million Euro Bridge Financing for Scholz-Edelstahl GmbH in Germany.*

*Mr. Berndt-Ulrich Scholz is owner of Scholz AG. Business had a turnover of close to 5 bn Euro in 2008 (3.5 bn. Euros in 2007) and 5,000 employees. Scholz AG is amongst the leading steel and metal scrap recycling companies in Europe; it is 100% owned by the family of Berndt-Ulrich Scholz.*

*Over the last years Scholz-Edelstahl, apparently, built up an inventory and speculated the wrong way; the banks are forcing Scholz to find a solution."*

The subsidiary needed either a €150 million bridge loan (2-year term) or a loan secured by steel inventory and guaranteed by the parent company and Berndt-Ulrich Scholz personally.

**September 12, 2009:** Stern sent financial statements (EFTA00770140): *"Attached the financials of the Holding Scholz AG and the company Scholz Edelstahl GmbH that needs the 150m Euro financing. Unfortunately they have it in German only."*

**September 14, 2009:** Epstein's reply was dismissive (EFTA01817098): *"Silly send to me in German."* There is no evidence in the corpus that the financing materialized. **Scholz AG** subsequently accumulated approximately €1 billion in debt by 2013, **Toyota Tsusho** acquired a 40% stake in 2014, and the entire company was sold to Hong Kong-based **Chiho-Tiande** for €1 plus debt assumption in 2016.

No prior public reporting has connected Berndt-Ulrich Scholz or Scholz AG to Jeffrey Epstein.

## C. David Stern: The Intermediary

David Stern was the common thread in both the Oppenheim and Scholz deals. The corpus reveals a deeper relationship than deal-making alone.

**April 8, 2009:** Epstein introduced Nicole Junkermann to Stern (EFTA00748642):

*"I spoke to my very good friend/old girlfriend. nicole junkerman, german, doing many things in china.. perfect combo for you. call her. she has a sports fund. ~300mm 37 years old she is moving to berlin. she is partner/girl of robert louis-dreyfuss."*

Stern's earlier email in the same thread proposed that Epstein base his post-prison operations in Switzerland: *"How about you spend post 22nd July half the time on the island and half the time in Switzerland as base only?"* and *"I could organise, move there and run our operations from there. The JEDS headquarter"* — suggesting a joint entity (Jeffrey Epstein David Stern).

**Asia Gateway's Corporate Evolution:** Asia Gateway Ltd. was incorporated September 30, 2005 (UK Companies House #05579668) at Michelin House, 81 Fulham Road, London SW3 6RD (EFTA00696884). Stern later developed a healthcare IT platform for the Chinese government through Asia Gateway China (EFTA00640123), proposed a JPMorgan strategic partnership (EFTA00663880), and received a term sheet from **Greater Pacific Capital Ltd.** (Cayman Islands) for medical information platform financing in partnership with the Chinese Ministry of Human Resources and Social Security (EFTA00724646).

**BHF-BANK and Stefan Krause:** By 2016, Stern had become Executive Chairman of Celestial, a London-based principal investment firm, alongside CEO **Stefan Krause** (EFTA00826740). Krause had been a Member of the Management Board of Deutsche Bank AG from 2008 to 2015, served as Deutsche Bank's CFO from 2008 to 2015, and served as Chairman of the Supervisory Board of BHF-BANK until 2014. Before Deutsche Bank, he was a BMW Group executive and CEO of Rolls-Royce Motor Cars. Earlier, Stern had tracked Tim Collins' acquisition of BHF-BANK through the Kleinwort Benson Group, telling Epstein: *"To use this as platform to combine PA and Chinese wealth seems perfect"* (EFTA00682939).

The Stern-Krause connection represents a direct pipeline between the Epstein network and the senior management of Deutsche Bank — though Krause's relationship was with Stern, not with Epstein, and there is no evidence of direct Krause-Epstein communication.

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# PART III: THE GERMAN SCIENCE NETWORK

## A. Dr. Bert Sakmann and the Max Planck Society

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**Dr. Bert Sakmann**, born 1942 in Stuttgart, won the [1991 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine](#) (shared with Erwin Neher) for developing the patch-clamp technique for studying ion channels. He held positions at multiple Max Planck Institutes across Germany and served as founding scientific director of the Max Planck Florida Institute for Neuroscience.

On April 26, 2010, Epstein's assistant Lesley Groff relayed a message ([EFTA01811692](#)):

*"Phyllis from Dr. Axel's office called to say that Dr. Bert Sakmann is interested in the luncheon."*

Epstein's instruction: *"invite him for sunday lunch."* Sakmann's assistant **Monica Reum** at the Max Planck Florida Institute was listed as the contact.

No prior public reporting has connected Dr. Bert Sakmann to Jeffrey Epstein. The nature of the "luncheon" — whether scientific, social, or philanthropic — is not specified in the document. Dr. Sakmann may not have been aware of Epstein's criminal history.

## B. Max Planck in the Broader Network

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The Max Planck Society appears in three additional contexts:

1. **October 2012** ([EFTA01990538](#)): Epstein wrote to a Berlin-based woman: *"the max plank institute in germany is doing the most creative work in the world. how about researching for my foundation."* She replied: *"The Max Planck Society is a pretty large organization, composed of a lot of different institutes all over Germany. The main seat is here in Munich."*
  2. **June 2017** ([EFTA01613137](#)): In an iMessage conversation discussing Bill Gates' bgc3 initiative and biomarker research, an interlocutor wrote: *"MAX PLANCK was super interested in plants maybe more than Darwin — check out all the amazing stuff being done w plants at the Max Planck in Germany."*
  3. **July 2013** ([EFTA01965420](#)): A young woman asked Epstein for help securing an internship at Scripps, adding: *"oh I forgot to mention Max Planck or VGTI would also work."*
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# PART IV: GERMAN INFRASTRUCTURE — INSTITUTIONAL TOUCHPOINTS

## A. Siemens Building Technologies

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Siemens Industry, Inc. managed the building automation system at 9 East 71st Street (Epstein's New York mansion). This was a vendor relationship, not a financial one.

- **October 2011** ([EFTA01854959](#)): Epstein to Richard Kahn and Richard Barnett: *"we are at the end of october, the siemens upgrade is not yet complete the user interface is outdated and ridicultous."*
- **December 2011** ([EFTA02007071](#)): Jim Sullivan (Siemens Industry, Florham Park NJ) to Richard Kahn: *"Siemens needs to receive payment for these projects, I can not send any Tech to the site, until we receive payment. These invoices are over 90 days."* Kahn forwarded to Epstein: *"Attached is 36k invoice from Siemens as they refuse to come to house and are threatening legal action."*
- **December 2010** ([EFTA01831853](#)): Epstein instructed Kahn to raise Rich Barnett's salary to \$125,000 and *"transistion to contracts with ad winston, donnely, siemens, we should get maintenance contracts*

for each."

## B. Allianz SE Travel Insurance

The corpus contains 934 pages of Allianz SE travel insurance documents purchased for Epstein associates and connected to flight records. Allianz is Germany's largest insurance company. These documents relate to travel insurance products, not a financial advisory relationship.

## C. Commerzbank

Commerzbank appears in 87 pages as a correspondent bank in wire transfer chains. This is standard banking infrastructure — Commerzbank is one of Germany's major clearing banks. No direct Epstein-Commerzbank relationship is documented.

## D. The German Submarine Article

A complete Der Spiegel article about Israel's nuclear-capable submarines built by German shipyards was forwarded to Epstein by the office of **Terje Rod-Larsen** (President of the International Peace Institute) as part of a daily news briefing on June 5, 2012 ([EFTA01769065](#)). The article detailed Germany's financing of Dolphin-class submarines for Israel — including €135 million paid by Germany for submarine 6, approved by Chancellor Merkel. This was geopolitical intelligence consumption, not a personal connection.

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# PART V: NICOLE JUNKERMANN — SUMMARY

Nicole Junkermann maintained an eleven-year relationship with Epstein (2008-2019) documented across dozens of emails, appointment schedules, and business correspondence. She appears on the January 2019 Little St. James island guest list alongside Sultan Bin Sulayem, Eduardo Teodorani, Steve Bannon, and Jabor Yousuf. Epstein described her as *"my very good friend/old girlfriend"* and brokered her introduction to Leon Black of Apollo Global Management.

A complete analysis of the Junkermann-Epstein relationship, including all documented emails, the Leon Black introduction, the Auctionata investment pitch, and the Carbyne/Ehud Barak co-investment, is available in the dedicated report: **Nicole Junkermann & MC2 Model Management: FBI File Investigation**.

Junkermann's name also appears in the Oppenheim thread: Epstein introduced her to David Stern in April 2009 ([EFTA00748642](#)), describing her as *"german, doing many things in china.. perfect combo for you."* Stern subsequently met her for lunch in Munich.

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# PART VI: IAN OSBORNE AND THE "BRITISH AND GERMAN GOVERNMENTS"

**Ian Osborne**, the British financier who co-founded Hedosophia and **orchestrated "Project Jes"** to install Jes Staley as Barclays CEO, wrote to Epstein on October 7, 2012 ([EFTA01766728](#)):

*"I've been as busy as you these past 72 hours. Negotiating all weekend with the British and German governments, which continued in beer tents until 3am and 4am the past 2 nights."*

The nature of these negotiations is not specified. Earlier in the thread, Osborne mentioned lunching

with "Peter" who had *"interesting perspectives on the Mid-East"* and would be in New York October 4-16. The context suggests financial or policy negotiations at an EU-level event, but no further details are available.

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## PART VII: WHAT'S NOT THERE

German search traffic to our databases has included queries for:

- **Jens Spahn**: Zero results in corpus
  - **Friedrich Merz**: Zero results in corpus
  - **AfD**: Zero results in corpus
  - **Ursula von der Leyen**: Appears only in generic WEF attendee lists, with no personal correspondence
- No serving or former German politicians appear in direct correspondence with Epstein. The German connection in this corpus is entirely institutional — banking infrastructure, corporate deal-making, and scientific networks — not political.
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### Deutsche Bank — Internal Operations

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<a href="#">EFTA01421293</a>	10	24	Prytanee LLC KYC remediation — Caroline Lang, missing ExCo approval
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<a href="#">EFTA01421867</a>	10	—	Zbynek Kozelsky — Canyon/AIS, COD account
<a href="#">EFTA01754567</a>	10	4	Tazia Smith + Epstein: Apple options trading
<a href="#">EFTA01755103</a>	10	4	ECB rate cut, European equities, JCDecaux
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<a href="#">EFTA01424010</a>	10	—	Saudi bond new issue — Sabba, Stepanian
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<a href="#">EFTA01421621</a>	10	2	Oldfield-Kahn Brooklyn Half Marathon
<a href="#">EFTA01424819</a>	10	3	DB Sweep Deposit Program election form

### Deutsche Bank — SDNY Subpoena

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EFTA	DS	Pages	Description
<a href="#">EFTA00015937</a>	8	4	Akin Gump 11th production (Nov 2019)
<a href="#">EFTA00016422</a>	8	3	Akin Gump 13th production — "concerns raised Jan 2015"

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA00017084	8	1	USVI AG subpoena for DB's SDNY production
EFTA00018170	8	1	SDNY seeking DB contact; Hoffenberg mention
EFTA00018401	8	1	NYT: "several billion in assets"
EFTA00018618	8	5	USAO Rule 16 discovery index — 1,288 pages DB records
EFTA00009962	8	2	WSJ inquiry: Gratitude America + Leon Black + DB
EFTA00014608	8	1	FBI request for DB/AmEx subpoena returns on disc
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## Sal. Oppenheim Bank Rescue

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA00738280	9	—	Jes Staley forwards internal JPM chain to Epstein
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EFTA00738348	9	—	Epstein offers to connect Oppenheim chairman with Staley
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EFTA02698745	11	—	BHF-BANK management presentation
EFTA00614347	9	—	Leon Black \$8.25M art purchase via Sal. Oppenheim/Cologne

## Scholz Edelstahl Financing

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
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EFTA00770140	9	1	Stern sends Scholz AG financials
EFTA00770175	9	1	Stern sends Scholz Edelstahl GmbH financials
EFTA01817098	10	1	Epstein: "Silly send to me in German"
EFTA02444081	11	2	Scholz AG consolidated accounts (Dec 2008)

## David Stern / Asia Gateway

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA00748642	9	2	Epstein introduces Junkermann to Stern; "JEDS headquarter"
EFTA00629567	9	—	Asia Gateway UK entity vs. Informa plc
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EFTA00663880	9	—	JPM strategic partnership proposal
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EFTA00826740	9	—	Celestial — Stern + Stefan Krause (former DB CFO)
EFTA00682939	9	—	BHF-BANK acquisition — Kleinwort Benson Group

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA00688697	9	—	Tim Collins resigns from RHJI
EFTA00688966	9	—	Tim Collins to call Epstein from Germany

## Max Planck Society / German Science

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA01811692	10	1	Dr. Bert Sakmann (Nobel) "interested in the luncheon"
EFTA01990538	10	5	Max Planck research for Epstein's foundation
EFTA01613137	10	6	Max Planck plant research + Bill Gates/bgc3
EFTA01965420	10	2	Internship request: "Max Planck or VGTI"

## Other German Institutional Touchpoints

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA01854959	10	1	Siemens building system complaint
EFTA02007071	10	2	\$36K Siemens invoice, legal threat
EFTA01831853	10	1	Siemens maintenance contracts
EFTA01766728	10	2	Ian Osborne: "British and German governments"
EFTA01769065	10	18	Der Spiegel: German submarines for Israel

## EXTERNAL SOURCES

<b>Claim</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>URL</b>
NYDFS \$150M consent order (July 2020)	NYDFS	<a href="https://www.dfs.ny.gov/system/files/documents/2020/07/ea20200706_deutsche_ban">https://www.dfs.ny.gov/system/files/documents/2020/07/ea20200706_deutsche_ban</a>
NYDFS press release	NYDFS	<a href="https://www.dfs.ny.gov/reports_and_publications/press_releases/pr202007071">https://www.dfs.ny.gov/reports_and_publications/press_releases/pr202007071</a>
DB-Epstein relationship details	Fortune (Oct 2025)	<a href="https://fortune.com/2025/10/08/deutsche-bank-and-jeffrey-epstein-ghost/">https://fortune.com/2025/10/08/deutsche-bank-and-jeffrey-epstein-ghost/</a>
Stewart Oldfield named, "likes to have cash"	Reuters via Yahoo Finance (Feb 2026)	<a href="https://ca.finance.yahoo.com/news/likes-cash-inside-deutsche-banks-212916062.htm">https://ca.finance.yahoo.com/news/likes-cash-inside-deutsche-banks-212916062.htm</a>
Tazia Smith and DB Epstein business	Handelsblatt	<a href="https://www.handelsblatt.com/finanzen/banken-versicherungen/banken/epstein-skan-brauchen-mehr-dieser-kunden/100199088.html">https://www.handelsblatt.com/finanzen/banken-versicherungen/banken/epstein-skan-brauchen-mehr-dieser-kunden/100199088.html</a>
Sal. Oppenheim history	Wikipedia	<a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sal._Oppenheim">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sal._Oppenheim</a>

<b>Claim</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>URL</b>
Sal. Oppenheim collapse and criminal convictions	Delano/Paperjam	<a href="https://delano.lu/article/the-fall-of-the-sal-oppenheim">https://delano.lu/article/the-fall-of-the-sal-oppenheim</a>
DB acquires Sal. Oppenheim for €1B	Institutional Asset Manager	<a href="https://institutionalassetmanager.co.uk/deutsche-bank-closes-acquisition-sal-oppenheim">https://institutionalassetmanager.co.uk/deutsche-bank-closes-acquisition-sal-oppenheim</a>
Former Sal. Oppenheim bankers convicted	WealthBriefing	<a href="https://www.wealthbriefing.com/html/article.php/former-sal-oppenheim-senior-bank-trust-">https://www.wealthbriefing.com/html/article.php/former-sal-oppenheim-senior-bank-trust-</a>
Scholz Recycling history	Wikipedia (German)	<a href="https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Scholz_Recycling">https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Scholz_Recycling</a>
Toyota Tsusho acquires 40% of Scholz	Gleiss Lutz	<a href="https://www.gleisslutz.com/en/mandates-firm-news/gleiss-lutz-advises-scholz-ag-in">https://www.gleisslutz.com/en/mandates-firm-news/gleiss-lutz-advises-scholz-ag-in</a>
Chiho-Tiande buys Scholz for €1	EUWID Recycling	<a href="https://www.euwid-recycling.com/news/business/single/Artikel/chiho-tiande-takes-c">https://www.euwid-recycling.com/news/business/single/Artikel/chiho-tiande-takes-c</a>
David Stern profile and Epstein relationship	Middle East Eye	<a href="https://www.middleeasteye.net/news/david-stern-epsteins-source-who-sat-next-que">https://www.middleeasteye.net/news/david-stern-epsteins-source-who-sat-next-que</a> deals
David Stern biography	Wikipedia	<a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David_Stern_(German_businessman)">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David_Stern_(German_businessman)</a>
Stern resigns from Cambridge Judge	Poets&Quants	<a href="https://poetsandquants.com/2026/02/09/epstein-associate-resigns-from-cambridge-j">https://poetsandquants.com/2026/02/09/epstein-associate-resigns-from-cambridge-j</a>
Jürgen Fitschen biography	Wikipedia	<a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/J%C3%BCrgen_Fitschen">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/J%C3%BCrgen_Fitschen</a>
Deutsche Oppenheim Family Office	Company website	<a href="https://www.deutsche-oppenheim.de/en/about-us/">https://www.deutsche-oppenheim.de/en/about-us/</a>
Ian Osborne / Hedsophia	CityAM	<a href="https://www.cityam.com/havas-keeps-quiet-on-whether-ian-osborne-will-stay-on-bo">https://www.cityam.com/havas-keeps-quiet-on-whether-ian-osborne-will-stay-on-bo</a>
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USVI subpoenas to	ABC News	<a href="https://abcnews.com/US/virgin-islands-government-subpoenas-multiple-banks-jeffre">https://abcnews.com/US/virgin-islands-government-subpoenas-multiple-banks-jeffre</a>

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Nicole Junkermann biography	Wikipedia	<a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nicole_Junkermann">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nicole_Junkermann</a>
Junkermann media coverage	Sunday Guardian Live	<a href="https://sundayguardianlive.com/world/who-is-nicole-junkermann-german-countess-jeffrey-epstein-files-email-controversy-170701/">https://sundayguardianlive.com/world/who-is-nicole-junkermann-german-countess-jeffrey-epstein-files-email-controversy-170701/</a>
DB \$75M victim settlement	Banking Dive	<a href="https://www.bankingdive.com/news/deutsche-bank-epstein-settlement-75-million/65">https://www.bankingdive.com/news/deutsche-bank-epstein-settlement-75-million/65</a>
Thomas Bowers death	Public reporting	N/A — multiple outlets
Rosemary Vrablic departure	The Hill	<a href="https://thehill.com/policy/finance/537295-trumps-banker-resigned-from-deutsche-ba">https://thehill.com/policy/finance/537295-trumps-banker-resigned-from-deutsche-ba</a>

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# THE MIDNIGHT 911 CALL: CAD Record Anomalies at 358 El Brillo Way

## August 21, 2002 — Call Number 022330228

**Investigation Date:** February 17, 2026

**Primary Source:** DOJ-OGR-00031174 (135 pages, Public Records Request No. 17-295, dated 07/26/17; from [FBI Vault](#), [Epstein Part 09](#), DS99)

**Corroborating Copies:** [EFTA01333459](#) (DS10, 18 pages), [EFTA02729035](#) (DS11, 4 pages), [EFTA00260438](#) (DS9), [EFTA00187583](#) (DS9)

**Databases Searched:** full\_text\_corpus (1.42M documents, 2.91M pages), concordance\_complete (1.38M rows)

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On August 21, 2002 at 11:22 PM, Jeffrey Epstein dialed 911 from 358 El Brillo Way, Palm Beach, Florida. The Computer-Aided Dispatch (CAD) system logged the call as type 088 — SICK PERSON/FIRST AID. A single police unit responded. No narrative was recorded, no fire rescue or EMS was dispatched, and the call was explicitly disposed as "No Report" (code 021). The call record exists in five separate copies across three EFTA datasets plus the House Oversight production, all consistent in their content — and all consistent in what they lack.

This report documents two structural anomalies and one notable disposition in the CAD record for this call, and places them in the context of the complete dispatch history at 358 El Brillo Way. It does not speculate about who was ill, what the responding officer observed, or why no further documentation exists. The records do not support such conclusions; that is itself the finding.

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# PART 1: THE CALL RECORD

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## 1.1 Reconstructed CAD Entry

The following is reconstructed from the original page images (DOJ-OGR-00031180 and DOJ-OGR-00031210), cross-referenced against four corroborating copies:

Call Number: 022330228

Call Type: 088 SICK PERSON/FIRST AID ..... Police

Entry Day/Tm: 8/21/02 23:22:14

Caller Name: Last EPSTEIN First JEFFREY

Address: 358 Dr EL BRILLO WY

City/State: PALM BEACH

Phone#: 561-655-7629

Source: 911

Location: 358 Dr EL BRILLO WY

Block#: 300 Mapr: 10S

Intersectn: TRAVERS DEAD END

Agency: 001 Police Dept

Call Taker: 0000008465 DUNN WENDY

Dispatcher: 0000008465 DUNN WENDY

Disposition: 021 No Rpt/TOT

### Timeline:

RT (Received): 23:22:45

D (Dispatched): 23:25:12

PR (En Route): 23:25:12

ER (En Route): 23:25:20

AT (Arrived): 23:31:27

Unit: 301

Officer: IRION, DON [reads "IRIOS, DON" in EFTA02729035

"TRION, DON" in DOJ-OGR-00031180 OCR]

**Source:** DOJ-OGR-00031174, pages 7 and 37 (the document contains two complete copies of the dispatch history; pages 6 and 36 are folder dividers labeled "CAD CALLS"). Also confirmed in EFTA01333459 page 6, EFTA02729035 page 1, and EFTA00260438.

## 1.2 Key Observations

**Caller:** Jeffrey Epstein called personally. The phone number 561-655-7629 appears on multiple household documents as Epstein's primary Palm Beach line. The source is listed as "911" — not a non-emergency line, not a third-party relay.

**Call Taker and Dispatcher:** Both functions were handled by the same person, Wendy Dunn (badge 0000008465). This is not inherently unusual for late-night shifts but means there was no independent dispatcher overseeing unit allocation.

**Response Time:** 8 minutes and 42 seconds from receipt to arrival (23:22:45 → 23:31:27). The Palm Beach Police Department station at 345 South County Road is approximately 0.3 miles from 358 El Brillo Way.

**Responding Officer:** The officer's name reads "IRION, DON" in the clearest image rendering (DOJ-OGR-00031210, page 37). OCR variants include "TRION, DON" (DOJ-OGR-00031180), "IRIO\$, DON" (EFTA02729035), and "TRPON, DON" (DOJ-OGR-00031174 OCR text). This officer does not appear on any other call at 358 El Brillo Way in the complete CAD history.

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## PART 2: THREE FINDINGS

### Finding 1: No Narrative

The CAD system used by Palm Beach PD includes a narrative function (accessed via F11 on the call screen). In the complete CAD dispatch history at 358 El Brillo Way — contained in DOJ-OGR-00031174 — every other call has a narrative page immediately following the call record. These narratives document what was found on scene, what actions were taken, and any relevant details. For call 022330228, no narrative exists. In the document, page 7 (and page 37 in the second section) shows the call record; the next page jumps directly to the next chronological call. This pattern does not occur with any other call in the document.

For comparison, here are the narratives recorded for other calls at the same address:

Date	Call Type	Narrative Content
8/21/02	088 SICK PERSON/FIRST AID	[No narrative]
11/28/04	093 Suspicious Vehicle	"veh in his driveway/unsure type of veh... he drives a blk suburban/leaving now... veh is the company he was expecting"
2/02/05	008 Alarm/Burg-Intrusion	"203 was 10-12 with the caretaker giayano/everything is fine... aud/entry door/female on premise, luella"
2/07/05	143 CAD File Check	"update cad file"
3/26/05	069 Open Door	"house should be 10-7, open door to guest... caretaker is leaving from the police station and will meet the officer at the house"
8/04/05	008 Alarm/Burg-Intrusion	"called alrm co/they spoke to rep/not responding... aud/masterbedroom/655 7626/epstein"
9/09/05	005 Accident/Hit & Run	"neg inj, neg desc for other 1/2... veh was parked outside 10-20, veh was un-occd"

**Source for all:** DOJ-OGR-00031174, pages 7–19 (first section) and pages 37–49 (second section).

A CAD file update to change administrative metadata warranted a narrative entry. A parked car being hit in the driveway warranted a narrative entry. A late-night 911 call for a sick person did not.

### Finding 2: No Fire Rescue / EMS Dispatch

Call type 088 — SICK PERSON/FIRST AID — is a medical call category. In Florida's dual-dispatch protocol, medical calls typically generate both a law enforcement and a fire rescue/EMS response. The

CAD record for call 022330228 shows only one unit dispatched: police unit 301, assigned to Officer Don Irion.

No fire rescue unit number appears anywhere in the record. No EMS transport is documented. No hospital destination is recorded.

The Epstein household maintained an emergency contact sheet (found in six copies across five sources: [EFTA02729006](#), [EFTA01257329](#), [EFTA00257343](#), [EFTA01720967](#), [EFTA00007893](#), and [HOUSE\\_OVERSIGHT\\_014118](#)). This sheet lists:

- **FIRE RESCUE:** (561) 838-5422
- **HOSPITAL:** Good Samaritan Hospital, 1309 North Flagler Drive, West Palm Beach  
The existence of fire rescue and hospital contacts on the household's own emergency reference sheet confirms these services were known to and expected by the household. Their absence from a 911 sick-person call is notable.

### **Finding 3: Disposition 021 — No Report Filed**

The disposition field for call 022330228 reads 021 No Rpt/TOT — code 021, meaning "No Report / Turned Over To." This is not a blank or missing field; it is an explicit classification confirming that no police report was filed for this call.

For comparison, here are the dispositions for all other calls at 358 El Brillo Way:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Call Type</b>	<b>Disposition</b>
<b>8/21/02</b>	<b>088 SICK PERSON/FIRST AID</b>	<b>021 No Rpt/TOT</b>
11/28/04	093 Suspicious Vehicle	(resolved per narrative)
2/02/05	008 Alarm/Burg-Intrusion	034 Human Error
3/26/05	069 Open Door	022 No Rpt/Asmt, Comp
8/04/05	008 Alarm/Burg-Intrusion	036 Weather Related
9/09/05	005 Accident/Hit & Run	022 No Rpt/Asmt Comp

Two other calls — the Open Door and the Accident — also carry "No Report" dispositions (code 022). However, both of those calls have narrative entries documenting what was found. The 911 sick-person call is the only entry in the complete dispatch history with a no-report disposition AND no narrative: the officer arrived, coded the call as "no report," and left zero documentation of what he observed. The "TOT" suffix — "Turned Over To" — raises the additional question of whether the call was referred to another agency or individual, but no such referral is documented.

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## **PART 3: TIMELINE CONTEXT**

The midnight call of August 21, 2002 falls within a period that is now extensively documented across the EFTA corpus.

### **3.1 The First Investigation (December 2001 – April 2002)**

Four months before the 911 call, the Palm Beach Police Department's Organized Crime, Vice and Narcotics (OCVAN) unit had already investigated 358 El Brillo Way and closed its case.

The OCVAN Case Report (Case 2002-10, "Prostitution-Epstein") documents the following timeline:

- **December 6, 2001:** OCVAN received intelligence from West Palm Beach PD concerning Ghislaine Maxwell recruiting young women from Palm Beach Atlantic College (PBAC) to "answer phones" at 358 El Brillo Way for \$200/day.
- **December 10, 2001:** The report documented that "at least two of the girls complained about Epstein touching them inappropriately."
- **January 28 – April 16, 2002:** Intermittent trash pulls at 358 El Brillo Way yielded "nude photographs of women," "numerous references to massages through daily calendars, phone messages," "individual

directory listings for massages in New York, and the United Kingdom," and a list titled "People that I want you to meet" listing "females, ages, descriptions, and what they do."

- **April 24, 2002:** Two witnesses confirmed they had been approached by Maxwell and "had worked at the residence briefly answering phones, and were paid well."
- **April 25, 2002:** A third witness described "nude photographs of women all over the residence" and "women running around the pool area topless, and that people were always getting massages." She stated Epstein had asked her "to take her top off for the massage."
- **Case Status:** UNFOUNDED.

**Source:** [EFTA01308891–EFTA01308894](#) (DS10), with copies at [EFTA01334281](#), [EFTA00022654](#), [EFTA00077923](#), [EFTA00090685](#), [EFTA01699235](#).

The case report itself notes: "Although it appears as though unusual activity is occurring at this residence, at this time, no illegal activity has been reported or detected. This information will remain as intelligence purposes only."

### **3.2 Ongoing Activity at 358 El Brillo (2001–2003)**

The grand jury affidavit states: "Jane Doe estimates that she returned to Epstein's home approximately 100 times between 2001 and 2003. Epstein masturbated in Jane Doe's presence during all but three of the massages she provided." ([EFTA01718828](#))

The federal indictments charge that the conspiracy ran "from at least as early as 2001" through 2005, and document sexual activity with a 17-year-old in the presence of a 14-year-old "in the beginning of 2001." ([EFTA01659794](#), [EFTA01659911](#), [EFTA01660122](#))

FedEx invoices on account 1144-2081.6 from Dataset 10 show packages shipped from Palm Beach (zip 33480) from December 2001 through at least October 2002. John Alessi, identified in the burglary report and other records as the house manager at 358 El Brillo Way, was associated with the household during this period.

([EFTA01313271](#), [EFTA01313340](#), [EFTA01313357](#), [EFTA01313516](#), [EFTA01313762](#))

### **3.3 Later Known Occupants (October 2003)**

A burglary report filed on October 5, 2003 (Case 1-03-001498, DOJ-OGR-00030998, pages 43–45) lists the house guests and employees present at 358 El Brillo Way at that time:

#### **House Guests:**

- Nada Narcinkova (Slovakia)
- Teala Davies (described as "massage therapist" from California)

#### **Live-in Employees:**

- Michael Friedman
- Rosilee Friedman
- Chef Valdwon Cotrin

The report also references Juan Patricio Alessi Munoz (the house manager).

**Source:** [DOJ-OGR-00030998](#), page 43.

### **3.4 The Probable Cause Affidavit**

The same 135-page document containing the CAD records (DOJ-OGR-00031174) opens with the Probable Cause Affidavit for Case 05-368(2), Defendant Haley Robson. This affidavit, sworn September 20, 2005, by Detective Joe Recarey, describes the recruitment of a 14-year-old victim to 358 El Brillo Way and documents the pattern that would eventually lead to Epstein's arrest. The affidavit quotes Robson stating that when she tried to bring a 23-year-old woman, "Epstein stated that the female was too old," and that Epstein told her "the younger the better."

**Source:** [DOJ-OGR-00031174](#), pages 1–5.

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## PART 4: OTHER MEDICAL REFERENCES IN THE CORPUS

### 4.1 Fire Department Transport

One separate incident in the corpus documents a victim being "transported to the hospital by Royal Palm Beach Fire Department" with allegations of forced sex and a rape kit administered by Dr. Michael Zappa. Victim Services Counselor/Advocate Patricia Badu-Tweneboah was dispatched. This incident (1997, Royal Palm Beach jurisdiction) involves a different address, but demonstrates that fire rescue/EMS transport for sensitive incidents at Palm Beach County residences does generate documentation.

Source: [EFTA02691091](#), [EFTA01165900](#)

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## PART 5: WHAT THE RECORD DOES NOT SHOW

This investigation searched the full text corpus (2.91 million pages across all 14 datasets) for any documentation of what occurred during this 911 call. The following searches returned no relevant results:

- No Palm Beach Fire Rescue dispatch records for 358 El Brillo Way on August 21, 2002
- No hospital admission or EMS transport records for that date
- No police incident report or supplemental report referencing call 022330228
- No narrative page for this call in any of the five copies across four datasets
- No reference to the responding officer (in any OCR variant: IRION, TRION, IRIOS, TRPON) in any other EFTA document beyond this CAD record

The phone number associated with the call (561-655-7629) is confirmed as Epstein's primary Palm Beach line in the household emergency contact sheets and other documents. The address is confirmed as Epstein's primary Palm Beach residence. The call was placed via 911.

Beyond these facts, the CAD record is a closed system. It documents that a sick-person call occurred, that an officer was dispatched, that he arrived, that the call was coded as "no report," and that no further record was created. The identity of the sick person, the nature of the illness, and the outcome of the officer's response are not documented anywhere in the 2.91 million pages of the EFTA production.

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## PART 6: COMPLETE CAD DISPATCH HISTORY — 358 EL BRILLO WAY

For full transparency, below is every call logged at 358 El Brillo Way in DOJ-OGR-00031174:

#	Date	Time	Call Type	Caller	Officer	Unit	Disposition	Narrative ?
1	8/21/02	23:22	088 SICK PERSON/FIRST AID	EPSTEIN, JEFFREY	IRION, DON	301	021 No Rpt/TOT	NO
2	11/28/04	19:08	093 Suspicious Vehicle	RODRIGUEZ, MR	—	—	(resolved per narrative)	YES
3	2/02/05	12:02	008 Alarm/Burg-Intrusion	BENHAM (alarm co.)	AUTERL, DONALD	202	034 Human Error	YES
4	2/07/05	14:44	143 CAD File Check	(internal)	—	—	—	YES

#	Date	Time	Call Type	Caller	Officer	Unit	Disposition	Narrative ?
5	3/26/05	16:35	069 Open Door	UNK BM / LANGUAGE BARRIE	MILLER, JAMES	302	022 No Rpt/Asmt	YES
6	8/04/05	18:30	008 Alarm/Burg-Intrusion	BENHAM (alarm co.)	MUNYAN, KEITH	—	036 Weather Related	YES
7	9/09/05	15:16	005 Accident/Hit & Run	TORRES, JOSEF	ANDERSON, ANDREW	203	022 No Rpt/Asmt Comp	YES

**Source:** DOJ-OGR-00031174, Public Records Request No. 17-295 (07/26/17), pages 1–135. Call #1 is the only entry in this history with both conditions: no narrative AND a no-report disposition. Every other call — including the two other "no report" dispositions — has narrative documentation.

## METHODOLOGY

This report was produced through systematic querying of the EFTA full text corpus (6.3 GB, 1,416,711 documents, 2,914,901 pages) and the concordance database (729 MB, 1.38 million rows). All five copies of the CAD record were cross-referenced to resolve OCR artifacts. The complete 135-page CAD history document (DOJ-OGR-00031174) was read in full to establish the baseline for narrative presence across all logged calls. Original page images were inspected to verify data points where OCR was ambiguous.

All documents cited are available through the DOJ's EFTA production at [justice.gov/epstein](https://justice.gov/epstein) or through the House Oversight production at [archive.org](https://archive.org).

No conclusions are drawn about the identity of the person who was ill, the reason for the missing narrative, or the decisions made by the responding officer or dispatcher. The data is presented as found.

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# The Airfield: Epstein's Control of Aviation Infrastructure at St. Thomas

## Executive Summary

A forensic analysis of the EFTA corpus reveals that Jeffrey Epstein built and maintained a comprehensive private aviation ecosystem at Cyril E. King Airport (STT) in St. Thomas, USVI. Through a network of shell entities, informants, the USVI governor's wife, and a sitting senator, Epstein controlled fuel supply chains, hangar facilities, and real-time intelligence about competing aircraft movements at the airport that served as the sole gateway to his private islands.

When a potential competitor — Black Diamond Capital Management, led by Stephen Deckoff — was identified as trying to acquire the Jet Center FBO in May 2014, Epstein activated this intelligence network within hours: his employee surveilled the competitor's aircraft, identified its tail number, and offered to physically approach Black Diamond's personnel at Epstein's direction.

Nine years later, Deckoff's SD Investments LLC purchased both of Epstein's islands for \$60 million ([PR Newswire](#)). As of February 2026, nearly three years after the acquisition, no resort has been built and only one permit — for a warehouse — has been filed ([VI Daily News](#)).

Two documents relevant to this investigation have been removed from justice.gov.

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## Part 1: The Aviation Empire

Epstein operated a fleet of aviation entities registered in the USVI, collectively providing end-to-end control of his air travel infrastructure at STT:

Entity	Purpose	Value (at death)
Plan D, LLC	Gulfstream G-550 (N212JE)	\$17,000,000
Hyperion Air, LLC	Bell 430 helicopter + Sikorsky S-76C	\$4,200,000
Thomas World Air, LLC	Airport hangar lease at Cyril E. King Airport	\$25,000 (cash only)
Freedom Air Petroleum, LLC	Fuel operations	\$22,512
Freedom Air International, Inc.	Aircraft registration/management	—

(EFTA00076491, Estate Verified Inventory, DS9, 100pp)

Thomas World Air LLC maintained a hangar at the airport's General Aviation area, registered at 9053 Estate Thomas, Suite 101, Charlotte Amalie (EFTA00076491, p.52). Darren Indyke, Epstein's attorney, served as manager before resigning — his resignation letter is indexed in the attorney files

(EFTA00298036, DS9, p.3, item 8 under "Thomas World Air LLC").

The employee roster for LSJE (Little St. James Enterprises) explicitly listed the airport infrastructure as part of Epstein's island operation:

*VI Port Authority: Roy Romney — VIPAA*

*Jet Center: St. Thomas Jet Center FBO (Fix Base Operation)*

*Airport: Thomas World Air Hanger — Jet Center STT / Cyril E. King Airport — St. Thomas*

(EFTA00003150, DS1, 1p; EFTA01304255, DS10, 1p; EFTA01342151, DS10, 1p)

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## Part 2: The Three FBOs

As of 2014, Cyril E. King Airport in St. Thomas had three Fixed-Base Operators (FBOs) serving private aviation:

1. **St. Thomas Jet Center** — Owned by Michael Hancock, with hangars, fuel farm, and customs clearance (see Part 7, EFTA00663070)
2. **Alliance Aviation** — Also controlled by Hancock through a "silent partner out of New York" per Visoski's intelligence (see Part 7, EFTA00663070)
3. **ExcuJet Flight Services (Hairoun Aviation)** — Operated by F. Britt Harrington as president of Hairoun Aviation Services, Inc.

A USVI Port Authority Request for Proposals confirmed all three operators:

*Fixed-Base Operators: Alliance Aviation / Execujet (Hairoun Aviation) / St. Thomas Jet Center*

(EFTA01116037, DS9, 31pp, p.5)

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## Part 3: The ExcuJet Acquisition Attempt (2009)

Epstein attempted to acquire ExcuJet Flight Services (operated by Hairoun Aviation) through a formal purchase process. His attorney file index reveals the full scope of the transaction:

*Acquisition of Execujet (MISSING AS OF AUG. 14, 2009 WHEN I MOVED FILES FROM CAB.#1)*

1. Correspondence

2. Attorney Notes
3. Research
4. Memorandum
5. Contacts
6. Purchase Agreement
7. Assets
8. Wire Instructions
9. Corporate Documents of Hairoun
10. Lease agreement and Amendment b/w VI Port Authority and Hairoun
11. Assignment of Lease between Port Authority and Hairoun
12. Terms of Leasehold with VIPA and Hairoun
13. Spill Prevention Plan and Addendum
14. Small Business Administration Loan Eric Williams
15. Due Diligence (ALSO SEE BINDER)
16. Hairoun Complaint

(EFTA00298036, DS9, 17pp, p.3; see also EFTA00299850, DS9; EFTA00300480, DS9)

The acquisition failed and escalated into litigation. On July 1, 2009, Epstein filed suit:

***Jeffrey E. Epstein v. D. Eric Williams a/k/a Eric Williams, Hairoun Aviation Services, Inc., R. Pearlitha Williams and Josephine Simmons***

*Case No. ST-09-CV-307*

*Nature of suit: Breach of contract, specific performance, material misrepresentation, fraud and declaratory relief.*

(EFTA00307081, DS9, 2pp)

The case was settled in March 2010 with a mutual General Release (EFTA00725953, DS9, 3pp).

Notably, Epstein's relationship with Hairoun/ExcuJet appears to have been rehabilitated by 2015, when Cecile de Jongh brokered a meeting between Epstein and ExcuJet's president Britt Harrington through USVI Senator Carlton Dowe regarding hangar space (see Part 6).

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## Part 4: The Fuel Wars (2010–2012)

Per Visoski's report to Epstein, Michael Hancock set aviation fuel prices at STT — originally \$5.67 per gallon, later reduced to \$4.82. Epstein built an independent fuel supply chain to bypass these rates.

In February 2011, Visoski reported to Epstein:

*"I had a conference call with Emad, Dan Tomlinson (Chairman of Caribbean Petroleum) and John Iola (Dan's salesman for CP). Dan formally own Alliance Aviation (other STT FBO). He has a 'non compete' valid until Jan 2012, however, he is still interested in supplying fuel to us, via our own fuel truck... Hancock's temporary fuel price: \$4.82 (original price was \$5.67)."*

Visoski noted that the goal was to match competitor Bohlke's price of \$3.50 per gallon, and added:

*"Dan indicated that Hancock will lower his price in the 23rd hour of our negotiations when he hears of what we are trying to accomplish."*

(EFTA01779681, DS10, 1p)

By December 2011, Epstein had deployed his own fuel infrastructure. Richard Kahn forwarded photos of the solution:

*"See attached photo of our ISO container and wheels. ISO fuel tank is full of Jet fuel and located on St Thomas Jet Centers fuel storage area, ready to pump! 6000 gallons... fuel price \$3.15 per gallon. Total cost per gallon \$3.30."*

(EFTA00416998, DS9, 2pp)

Freedom Air Petroleum, LLC — the entity holding Epstein's fuel operations — was valued at just \$22,512 in cash at the time of his death (EFTA00076491, p.2).

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## Part 5: The Informant Network

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Epstein maintained multiple intelligence sources embedded within the STT aviation ecosystem:

### Roy Romney — Jet Center Insider

Roy Romney worked at St. Thomas Jet Center and appears on Epstein's employee roster as the **VI Port Authority** contact. He fed information to Visoski about airport operations, competitor movements, and internal Port Authority politics. He offered to leverage a Haiti humanitarian flight to improve Epstein's airport access:

*"Roy thought this would help us get ramp priviages [sic] at the airport."*

(EFTA00765384, DS9, 2pp)

Romney appears in Visoski's LinkedIn connections, confirming the professional relationship (EFTA01141951, DS9).

### Danny Vicars — Island Intelligence

Danny Vicars served dual roles as LSJE's **Boat Captain** and **Maintenance Supervisor** (EFTA00003150). He was the "Danny" who first alerted Epstein that the Jet Center was for sale, and who later tipped off Kahn that Black Diamond was trying to buy it.

### Cecile de Jongh — The Governor's Wife

Cecile de Jongh, wife of USVI Governor John de Jongh Jr. (2007–2015), served as Epstein's primary USVI fixer. JPMorgan Chase lawyers described her, per the **VI Daily News**, as:

*"Epstein's primary conduit for spreading money and influence throughout the USVI government."*

(EFTA00129016–EFTA00129017, DS9, 2pp — VI Daily News article quoting JPMorgan court filing) She was a named director of Financial Trust Company, Inc. (alongside Darren Indyke), an Epstein entity (EFTA00155209, DS9, 44pp). Per the same VI Daily News article quoting JPMorgan's filing, she received "a salary, bonuses, and other benefits, including \$200,000 in 2007 alone" from Epstein (EFTA00129017, DS9).

Her aviation-specific activities are documented in detail in Part 6.

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## Part 6: The Hangar Campaign (2011–2015)

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Cecile de Jongh served as Epstein's primary agent in securing hangar space and fuel infrastructure at the airport, working through VIPA officials and a sitting senator.

### March 2011: Fuel Dump and Hangar

De Jongh reported to Epstein:

*"Hangar — I spoke to Dale Gregory yesterday and he promised to let me know this afternoon which option worked best for the FAA... Fuel dump — I was dealing with Kenn Hobson but he is in the hospital in the states."*

(EFTA00664094, DS9, 2pp)

### May 2011: Thomas World Air Hangar Application

De Jongh submitted a formal application for Thomas World Air LLC to take over the General Aviation hangar space being vacated by Air Center Helicopters, Inc.:

*"Please find attached a Letter of Interest in a hangar space at the airport from Thomas World Air, LLC (TWA). This space is currently occupied by Air Center and it is our understanding that they do not intend to renew their lease with the Virgin Islands Port*

*Authority."*

(EFTA00640679, DS9, 8pp)

## **June 2011: Air Center Space and Fuel Depot**

*"Spoke to Kenn Hobson and I told him that we would like to get the Air Center space AND the fuel depot spot approved at the same time next month."*

(EFTA00628430, DS9, 1p)

## **Undated Operations Document: EDC Risk Warning**

A multi-page operations to-do list reveals Cecile's airport role and a telling detail about regulatory entanglements:

**Cecile:**

1. *Kenn Hobson and new hanger — Will setup meeting when she knows date of JE's return*
2. *Jermaine — Post job in newspaper for IT counterpart next week*
3. **Leon — Cecile will speak to Darren about this. The request that JE made regarding written warning will cause major problems at Department of Labor and put EDC status at risk**

(EFTA00304462, DS9, 27pp — **REMOVED from justice.gov**)

This document has been removed from the DOJ's public production. It reveals that Epstein's EDC tax benefit status was potentially vulnerable to labor complaints — the same EDC program that Black Diamond used.

## **January 2015: Senator Dowe Brokers Hangar Deal**

In a remarkable example of political facilitation, Cecile de Jongh brokered a meeting between Epstein, USVI Senator Carlton Dowe, and ExcuJet's Britt Harrington to circumvent the normal permitting process:

*"Carlton Dowe came out to the office to speak to me re the RFP on the proposed hangar facility. He said that Larry V has been speaking to Britt Harrington and Harrington, in turn, spoke to Dowe. Dowe thinks that **something can be done to get you the hangar space that you need without you having to be the one to go through the permitting process.** Apparently this Harrington person is willing to do that. Dowe would like to have a meeting with you and Harrington. Is that possible?"*

Epstein replied: **"Yes"**

(EFTA02512299, DS11, 2pp; EFTA02512664, DS11, 2pp)

This was the same Hairoun Aviation/ExcuJet that Epstein had sued for fraud five years earlier.

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## **Part 7: The May 2014 Jet Center Battle**

In May 2014, all of Epstein's aviation control mechanisms converged around a single event: the potential sale of St. Thomas Jet Center.

### **May 14, 2014 — The Tip**

At 6:48 AM, Epstein emailed Visoski and Darren Indyke:

*"danny tells me jet center is for sale. hancock, sick, .lets snoop . we are not supposed to know"*

(EFTA00663070, DS9, 2pp)

"Danny" is Danny Vicars, LSJE's boat captain and maintenance supervisor. Within hours, Epstein's intelligence network produced a detailed dossier.

### **May 14, 2014 — Visoski's Intelligence Report**

Visoski replied with intelligence gathered from Roy Romney at the Jet Center:

*"Roy at Jet Center confides in me, Roy informs:*

*-Port Authority board supposedly found proof that Hancock owns controlling shares in*

*Alliance Aviation in STT as well as STT Jet Center. This has always been a rumor, but no proof existed. Hancock was rumored to have a silent partner out of New York who owns Alliance FBO in STT.*

*-Port Authority board told Hancock he has to sell one of the FBO's in STT, he can't maintain a monopoly in SIT.*

*-Hancock has invested several Millions into The Jet Center, Hanger, Fuel Farm and West Hanger bay next to our Heli hanger... chances are, he would give up Alliance before he would STT Jet Center.*

*-Late March, Hancock was in meeting in Miami, during the meeting, he experienced a light seizure, He didn't know were he was at the time. Susan Hancock his wife, may have skin cancer since she's had several badges on her nose last month."*

### **May 14, 2014 — The Governor's Wife Weighs In**

Cecile de Jongh — still serving as Epstein's USVI fixer while her husband was governor — replied:

*"I think you should buy Jet Center."*

She followed up minutes later with a critical admission:

*"BTW, what happened at the board meeting is all true not rumor but please do not say that to Larry."*

(EFTA00663077, DS9, 2pp)

De Jongh was confirming that the Port Authority board proceedings Visoski had reported — about which private citizen should own which FBO — were accurate, and instructing Epstein not to share her confirmation with "Larry" (Visoski).

### **May 16, 2014 — Black Diamond Enters**

Two days later, Richard Kahn activated Visoski to gather intelligence on a competitor:

*"Can you poke around tonight about Black Diamond Trading as Danny says they are trying to buy Jet Center. They appear to be an nyc hedge fund with an office in stt as an EDC company as well. who are principals? type of plane? tail? anything else relevant.."*

Visoski identified the aircraft within 25 minutes:

*"LearJet 60 / N114BD / Is Blackdiamond"*

Kahn forwarded the intelligence to Epstein:

*"after speaking with Danny it appears these are the black diamond guys trying to buy aircraft [sic — Jet Center]... should larry meet the aircraft and poke around with them tonight at 7:30pm? please advise"*

At 10:35 PM, Epstein authorized the physical approach:

*"yes why not?"*

Visoski followed up:

*"Here you go Rich ask and ye shall receive, They arrived this evening at 7 PM in the Learjet, can you ask if you want me to introduce myself?"*

(EFTA02583238, DS11, 3pp; EFTA02383246, DS11, 2pp)

### **June 2014 — Epstein Contacts Hancock Directly**

Epstein's schedule for early June 2014 includes a specific reminder:

*"Reminder: Call Michael Hancock"*

(EFTA00284949, DS9, 7pp)

The same schedule includes a June 3 "Appt w/Nathan Myhrvold" and "Gate's Office" in Seattle, and a second "JE to call Michael Hancock" entry on June 9 from New York.

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# Part 8: Black Diamond Capital Management and Stephen Deckoff

## The Business Card

A single-page document in the EFTA production contains Stephen Deckoff's business card:

**BLACK DIAMOND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.**

*Stephen H. Deckoff*

*Managing Principal*

*One Sound Shore Drive, Suite 200*

*Greenwich, CT 06830*

(EFTA01204007, DS9, 1p — **REMOVED from justice.gov**; [OCR text](#))

This document has been removed from the DOJ's public production, along with thousands of others. The removal is confirmed by the presence of a Last-Modified: Tue, 02 Sep 2025 header on the 404 error page, a signature of genuine removal predating the EFTA production date.

## Who Is Stephen Deckoff?

Stephen H. Deckoff holds a B.S. in Operations Research from Cornell University's College of Engineering. He began his career at Drexel Burnham Lambert before positions at Chemical Securities, Bear Stearns, and Kidder Peabody, founding Black Diamond Capital Management in 1995 ([BDCM website](#); [KVH Industries board bio](#)). BDCM currently manages over \$11 billion in assets ([BDCM website](#)). Deckoff's net worth is approximately \$2.8 billion ([Forbes](#)).

## The USVI Timeline

Year	Event	Source
2011	Deckoff purchases Presidio del Mar, Peter Bay, St. John for ~\$12M	<a href="#">St. John Tradewinds</a>
2012	Black Diamond Advisors LLLP (Cat. IIA) and Black Diamond Holdings LLLP (Cat. IV) receive USVI EDC tax benefits	<a href="#">USVIEDA beneficiary list</a>
2014	Deckoff's business card is in Epstein's physical files; Black Diamond's Learjet surveilled at STT	<a href="#">EFTA01204007</a> ; <a href="#">EFTA02583238</a>
2018	Signature Flight Support acquires St. Thomas Jet Center from Michael Hancock (phased: 49% initially, remainder within 14 months)	<a href="#">Aviation Pros</a>
2023	Deckoff's SD Investments LLC purchases Great St. James and Little St. James for \$60M	<a href="#">PR Newswire</a>
2024– 2026	No resort built; one warehouse permit filed (incomplete — no environmental assessment)	<a href="#">VI Daily News, Feb 6, 2026</a>

## The Same Building

A separate document in the corpus reveals an additional coincidence. In January 2014 — four months before the Black Diamond surveillance — David Stern emailed Epstein a pitch deck for Regent Street Energy:

*"I met him, solid guy, geologist, will put his own money in. US\$ 100m."*

(EFTA02691628, DS11, 1p)

The pitch deck lists Regent Street Capital's address as:

**One Sound Shore Drive, Suite 102, Greenwich, CT 06830**

(EFTA02691629, DS11, 20pp)

Black Diamond Capital Management's address, per Deckoff's business card, is **One Sound Shore**

**Drive, Suite 200.** Same building.

This does not establish a direct connection between Deckoff and Epstein. It establishes that Epstein was receiving investment pitches from someone in the same small office building as BDCM in early 2014.

## What Is NOT in the Corpus

A comprehensive search of the full text corpus reveals:

- **Zero** direct communications between Deckoff and Epstein
- **Zero** mentions of "Mark Deckoff," "SD Investment," or "Black Diamond Capital" as an exact phrase
- **Zero** references to Deckoff purchasing or visiting either island before 2019
- The business card could have arrived through any intermediary
- Kahn's May 16 email calls them "Black Diamond **Trading**" — suggesting he may not have initially known the correct entity name

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## Part 9: Removed Documents

Two documents in this investigation have been confirmed removed from justice.gov:

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Last-Modified</b>
<b>EFTA01204007</b>	Deckoff's business card	1	Tue, 02 Sep 2025
<b>EFTA00304462</b>	Operations to-do list documenting Cecile de Jongh's airport infrastructure coordination and EDC risk warning	27	Tue, 02 Sep 2025

Both removals have the characteristic `Last-Modified: Tue, 02 Sep 2025` header that predates the EFTA production, confirming genuine removal (0% false positive rate per [statistical analysis](#)).

The removal of a single business card is notable because business cards are among the most innocuous documents in the production. Of 1.38 million documents, only ~64,000 were removed. The business card's removal may reflect automated batch processing rather than targeted deletion.

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## Assessment

### What the Corpus Proves

1. **Epstein built a comprehensive aviation control system at STT** spanning entities (Thomas World Air, Freedom Air Petroleum, Hyperion Air), informants (Roy Romney, Danny Vicars), political fixers (Cecile de Jongh, Senator Carlton Dowe), and independent fuel infrastructure.
2. **Epstein attempted to acquire one of the three FBOs** (ExcuJet/Hairoun) in 2009, failed, litigated, and later reestablished the relationship through political intermediaries.
3. **The governor's wife leaked confidential Port Authority board proceedings** to Epstein and encouraged him to acquire the Jet Center — while her husband was still governor.
4. **When a competitor appeared, Epstein's network identified, surveilled, and reported on them within hours.** The surveillance of Black Diamond's Learjet N114BD was conducted by Epstein's own pilot on Epstein's direct authorization.
5. **Stephen Deckoff's business card was in Epstein's physical files**, and one of Epstein's investment contacts operated from the same building as BDCM.

### What the Corpus Does NOT Prove

1. No direct communication between Deckoff and Epstein has been found
2. The business card alone does not establish a relationship — business cards circulate freely in finance
3. The 2014 surveillance was about the **Jet Center acquisition** (aviation infrastructure competition), not about the islands

4. Deckoff's 2023 island purchase was from the **estate**, not from Epstein ([PR Newswire](#))
5. Deckoff was a USVI resident before any documented Epstein interest in Black Diamond

## The Broader Pattern

The Black Diamond surveillance episode is best understood not in isolation but as one data point in Epstein's systematic treatment of St. Thomas aviation as personal territory. He attempted to acquire FBOs, built independent fuel supply, planted informants at the Jet Center, used the governor's wife to secure hangar space through political channels, and ordered physical surveillance of competitors — all documented in the EFTA corpus.

The question is not whether Epstein knew Deckoff. The question is what kind of person treats a public airport as a private intelligence operation.

*This analysis relies on Claude Code running Opus 4.6, which can make mistakes. Every factual claim is cited to a specific EFTA number. Readers are encouraged to verify against the primary documents.*

## Cited Documents

EFTA	DS	Pages	Description
<a href="#">EFTA00003150</a>	1	1	LSJE employee roster (Danny Vicars, Roy Romney)
<a href="#">EFTA00076491</a>	9	100	Estate Verified Inventory (aviation entities, Thomas World Air)
<a href="#">EFTA00129016</a> – <a href="#">EFTA00129017</a>	9	2	VI Daily News article: JPMorgan calls Cecile "Epstein's primary conduit"
<a href="#">EFTA00155209</a>	9	44	Financial Trust Company corporate docs (Cecile de Jongh, director)
<a href="#">EFTA00284949</a>	9	7	Schedule: "Reminder: Call Michael Hancock" (June 2014)
<a href="#">EFTA00298036</a>	9	17	Attorney file index: "Acquisition of Execujet"
<a href="#">EFTA00299850</a>	9	9	ExcuJet acquisition supporting documents
<a href="#">EFTA00300480</a>	9	59	ExcuJet acquisition supporting documents
<a href="#">EFTA00304462</a>	9	27	Operations to-do list: Cecile/hangar/EDC risk ( <b>REMOVED</b> )
<a href="#">EFTA00307081</a>	9	2	Litigation summary: Epstein v. Williams/Hairoun
<a href="#">EFTA00416998</a>	9	2	ISO fuel tank at Jet Center (Dec 2011)
<a href="#">EFTA00628430</a>	9	1	Cecile: "Air Center space AND fuel depot" (Jun 2011)
<a href="#">EFTA00640679</a>	9	8	Thomas World Air hangar application (May 2011)
<a href="#">EFTA00663070</a>	9	2	"lets snoop" email + Visoski intel + Cecile "buy Jet Center"
<a href="#">EFTA00663077</a>	9	2	Cecile: "board meeting is all true, don't say that to Larry"
<a href="#">EFTA00664094</a>	9	2	Cecile: hangar/fuel dump status with Kenn Hobson
<a href="#">EFTA00725953</a>	9	3	General Release: Epstein v. Williams/Hairoun (Mar 2010)
<a href="#">EFTA00765384</a>	9	2	Roy Romney: Haiti humanitarian flight / "ramp priviages"
<a href="#">EFTA01116037</a>	9	31	VIPA RFP listing all 3 FBOs
<a href="#">EFTA01141951</a>	9	3	Visoski LinkedIn connections (Romney listed)
<a href="#">EFTA01204007</a>	9	1	Deckoff business card ( <b>REMOVED</b> )
<a href="#">EFTA01304255</a>	10	1	LSJE employee roster (duplicate)
<a href="#">EFTA01779681</a>	10	1	Fuel negotiations: Caribbean Petroleum/Dan Tomlinson

EFTA	DS	Pages	Description
<a href="#">EFTA02383246</a>	11	2	Black Diamond surveillance email (Kahn's version)
<a href="#">EFTA02512299</a>	11	2	Cecile: Senator Dowe brokers Harrington/hangar meeting
<a href="#">EFTA02512664</a>	11	2	Epstein: "Yes" to Harrington meeting
<a href="#">EFTA02583238</a>	11	3	Black Diamond surveillance email (Visoski's version)
<a href="#">EFTA02691628</a>	11	1	David Stern: Regent Street Energy pitch to Epstein
<a href="#">EFTA02691629</a>	11	20	Regent Street Energy pitch deck (same building as BDCM)

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# The Epstein Legal Universe: Every Lawyer, Every Case

## A comprehensive index of legal actors and litigation in the EFTA corpus

Updated: March 2026

Scope: 1.42M documents, 2.91M pages across 12 DOJ datasets + DS98 (FBI Vault) + DS99 (House Oversight)

Databases: full\_text\_corpus.db, prosecutorial\_query\_graph.db, concordance\_complete.db, persons\_registry.json

**Machine-readable data:** [LEGAL\\_ACTORS.csv](#) (129 entries, 12 columns)  
| [LITIGATION\\_MATTERS.csv](#) (37 cases, 15 columns)

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The DOJ's EFTA production is, at its core, a legal archive. Over 35% of the corpus — more than 490,000 of 1.39 million documents — references attorneys or legal counsel. Attorney-client privilege is invoked on 548,831 pages. Privilege logs account for 2,636 pages. Motions to quash total 811.

This report indexes every lawyer, law firm, judge, prosecutor, and litigation matter identifiable in the corpus. The numbers:

- **120+ individual legal actors** identified by name with verifiable corpus presence
- **50+ law firms** with document counts
- **30+ distinct cases** (criminal, civil, regulatory, administrative)
- **25+ judges** across federal, state, and international jurisdictions
- **15+ prosecutors** (federal and state)
- **257 grand jury subpoenas** (from prosecutorial\_query\_graph.db)
- **548,831 pages** invoking attorney-client privilege

### The "Army of Legal Superstars"

Former U.S. Attorney Alexander Acosta himself used this phrase to describe Epstein's defense team during his OPR interview ([EFTA00009116](#), p. 396):

*"Mr. Epstein hired an army of legal superstars: Harvard Professor Dershowitz, former judge and then Pepperdine [Dean] Ken Starr, former deputy assistant to the president then Kirkland & Ellis law partner Jay Lefkowitz, and several others, including prosecutors that formerly worked in the U.S. Attorney's Office, the child exploitation section of the Department of Justice."*

The corpus confirms at least 120 named legal actors across the Epstein legal universe. Media reports have cited a figure of "75+ lawyers" though the original source for that number has not been definitively located. The actual count depends on how you draw boundaries: does it include Maxwell's defense team (7 lawyers)? The victim attorneys (12+)? Government counsel pursuing Epstein (15+)? By our corpus count, the Epstein-side total alone exceeds 52 named attorneys — and that is a floor.

### Key Structural Finding: Criminal Defense Lawyers for Everything

Nearly every member of Epstein's NPA-era defense team (2006-2008) was a criminal defense specialist: Dershowitz (criminal appellate), Starr (former judge/solicitor general), Lefkowitz (White House policy), Lefcourt (criminal defense), Goldberger (FL criminal defense), Roy Black (FL criminal

defense), Guy Lewis (former USAO chief). This team was assembled to fight a federal sex trafficking investigation but was simultaneously deployed for civil CVRA litigation, counter-suits against victim attorneys, and NPA negotiation — a pattern consistent with treating all legal threats as criminal-defense problems requiring aggressive advocacy rather than civil-matter resolution.

## Cross-References to Existing Reports

This index complements:

- [Prosecution Failures Analysis](#) — detailed NPA narrative, named individuals who escaped prosecution
  - [Ruemmler Deep Dive](#) — Kathryn Ruemmler's White House → Epstein → Goldman trajectory
  - [Grand Jury Subpoena Analysis \(PQG Index\)](#) — 257 subpoenas, 779 investigative gaps
  - [FBI 302 Missing Serials Dossier](#) — gaps in the investigative record
  - [Death Investigation Document Removal](#) — MCC death investigation records
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## HOW TO USE THIS INDEX

- **Looking for every lawyer who touched the NPA?** See §2.2 (NPA Defense Army) for Epstein's team, §1.2 for the NPA itself, §2.5 (SDFL prosecutors) for the government side, and §2.4 for victim counsel in the subsequent CVRA challenge.
  - **Looking for all matters with privilege log activity?** See §3.3 (The Privilege Architecture). Privilege logs are in 2,636 pages; start with [EFTA01325051](#).
  - **Looking for a specific lawyer?** Use Ctrl+F / Cmd+F. Every lawyer with 10+ docs appears at least once in this index.
  - **Looking for all litigation involving a specific bank?** See §1.8 (Deutsche Bank), §1.9 (JPMorgan). For subpoenaed banks, see §1.13 (PQG Summary) and the [PQG Index](#).
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## PART 1: THE CASES

### 1.1 Criminal Proceedings

#### USA v. Jeffrey Epstein — SDNY (19-cr-490-RMB)

Field	Content
Court	U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
Judge	Hon. Richard M. Berman (49 docs)
Filed	July 8, 2019
Resolved	August 10, 2019 — defendant died pre-trial (suicide ruling)
Charges	18 U.S.C. §§ 371, 1591 (sex trafficking conspiracy, sex trafficking)
Epstein's counsel	Reid Weingarten (Steptoe & Johnson, 2,393 docs), Martin Weinberg (solo P.C., 1,933 docs), Marc Fernich (91 docs), Bruce Barket (Barket Epstein Kearon, 162 docs), Joseph Nascimento (Ross Amsel Raben, 95 docs)
Prosecutors	Geoffrey Berman (U.S. Attorney), Maurene Comey (AUSA), Alison Moe (AUSA), Alexander Rossmiller (AUSA)
Magistrates	Barbara Moses (arrest warrant, 95 docs), Henry Pitman (search warrant), Kevin Fox (device warrants), Ruth Miller (USVI warrant)
DOJ case	2018R01618

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
number	
Corpus presence	1,404 pages
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01659328</a> (bail order), <a href="#">EFTA01301551</a> (search warrant), <a href="#">EFTA01625916</a> (warrant affidavit), <a href="#">EFTA01649305</a> (VNS notification)

#### **USA v. Ghislaine Maxwell — SDNY (20-cr-330-AJN)**

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Court	U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
Judge	Hon. Alison J. Nathan (61 docs)
Filed	July 2, 2020
Resolved	Convicted December 29, 2021 (5 of 6 counts); sentenced June 28, 2022 — 20 years, \$750,030 fine. <a href="#">2d Circuit affirmed September 17, 2024</a> . <a href="#">Supreme Court cert denied October 6, 2025</a> .
Charges	Sex trafficking conspiracy, sex trafficking of a minor, enticing a minor to travel to engage in illegal sex acts, transporting a minor to engage in illegal sex acts, conspiracy to commit sex trafficking, perjury
Maxwell's counsel	Laura Menninger & Jeffrey Pagliuca (Haddon Morgan Foreman, 1,447 docs combined firm), Mark Cohen & Christian Everdell (Cohen & Gresser, 1,495 docs), Bobby Sternheim (804 docs), David Bruck (sentencing, 210 docs)
Prosecutors	Audrey Strauss (Acting U.S. Attorney, 706 docs), Maurene Comey (380 docs), Alison Moe (423 docs), Alexander Rossmiller (108 docs), Nicolas Roos (46 docs), Rebekah Donaleski (31 docs)
DOJ case number	2020R00719
Corpus presence	17,848 pages — the single largest litigation matter in the corpus
Appeals	21-770, 20-3061, 22-1426, 21-58 (2d Cir.)
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01659412</a> (detention memo), <a href="#">EFTA01684225</a> (sentencing — 20 years), <a href="#">EFTA01655191</a> (juror ruling)

#### **USA v. Tova Noel & Michael Thomas — SDNY (19-cr-830-AT)**

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Court	SDNY
Charges	Conspiracy, making false records (MCC guard duty logs, night of Epstein's death)
Corpus presence	108 docs
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA00009786</a> , <a href="#">EFTA00022186</a>
Note	Guards entered deferred prosecution agreements in <a href="#">May 2021</a> ; government moved to dismiss charges <a href="#">late December 2021</a> after DPA completion

#### **State of Florida v. Epstein — 15th Judicial Circuit (CF 09454)**

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Court	Circuit Court, Palm Beach County, Florida
Judge	Hon. Deborah Dale Pucillo (76 docs)

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Filed	2006
Resolved	Guilty plea June 30, 2008 — 18 months county jail, lifetime sex offender registration
Charges	Felony solicitation of prostitution (1 count), procuring (1 count)
Epstein's counsel	Jack Goldberger (Atterbury Goldberger Weiss, 4,560 docs), Joseph Ackerman (Fowler White Burnett, 1,107 docs), Lilly Ann Sanchez (1,006 docs)
State Attorney	Barry Krischer (368 docs); reassigned by executive order to Bruce Colton (4 docs)
Other judges	Sandra McSorley (probation/work release, 36 docs), Jeffrey Colbath (NPA unsealing, 64 docs), David Crow (settlement matters, 65 docs)
Corpus presence	510 pages
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA00010496</a> , <a href="#">EFTA00027590</a> (plea transcript — pp. 38-39 reveal NPA trigger), <a href="#">EFTA01625438</a> (booking/probation records)

### **Rodriguez Obstruction — SDFL (10-80015-CR-MARRA)**

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Court	SDFL
Judge	Kenneth Marra
Defendant	Alfredo Rodriguez (Epstein household manager)
Resolved	Convicted — attempted to sell Epstein's "black book" for \$50,000 after testifying he didn't possess it
Corpus presence	11 docs
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA00608045</a> (FBI CW meeting), <a href="#">EFTA00728180</a> (document sale attempt)

### **1.2 The Non-Prosecution Agreement (NPA) — SDFL (08-80736)**

Not a filed case, but the most consequential legal instrument in the corpus:

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Negotiated	2006-2008
Parties	USAO-SDFL (Acosta/Villafana) and Epstein defense team
Immunity scope	Epstein + 4 named co-conspirators (redacted) + Lesley Groff + "any potential co-conspirators"
Condition	Epstein plead guilty to state charges
Victim notification	Deliberately concealed for 9 months in violation of CVRA
OPR finding	"Poor judgment" but not "professional misconduct" ( <a href="#">EFTA00095558</a> )
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA00010507</a> (Judge Marra's order), <a href="#">EFTA01659896</a> (Acosta letter to Starr), <a href="#">EFTA00009116</a> (Acosta OPR interview), <a href="#">EFTA01656152</a> (NPA immunity coverage)

### **1.3 CVRA / Victim Rights Litigation**

#### **Jane Doe #1 & #2 v. United States — SDFL (08-80736-CIV-MARRA)**

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Court	SDFL
Judge	Kenneth Marra (228 docs), Magistrate Linnea Johnson (119 docs)

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Filed	2008
Nature	CVRA enforcement — victims challenged the NPA's concealment
Victim counsel	Paul Cassell (2,895 docs), Brad Edwards (3,317 docs)
Government	Marie Villafana (846 docs), Dexter Lee (376 docs)
Epstein defense	Jack Goldberger, Roy Black, Martin Weinberg, Jay Lefkowitz
Corpus presence	1,397 distinct docs; 7,605 pages including related dockets
Appellate	In re Wild — 11th Circuit: 955 F.3d 1196 (2020), 994 F.3d 1244 (2021) <a href="#">EFTA01657752</a> (51-page privilege ruling), <a href="#">EFTA01325051</a> (privilege log), <a href="#">EFTA00073493</a> (removed from justice.gov) / <a href="#">EFTA00074599</a> (11th Circuit opinions)
Key EFTAs	

## 1.4 Civil — Giuffre Cases

### Giuffre v. Maxwell — SDNY (15-cv-7433)

<b>Field</b>	<b>Content</b>
Court	SDNY
Judges	Robert Sweet (17 docs, deceased), then Loretta Preska (21 docs)
Filed	2015
Nature	Defamation — Maxwell called Giuffre a liar
Plaintiff counsel	Sigrid McCawley (Boies Schiller, 736 docs), David Boies (370 docs)
Defense counsel	Laura Menninger, Jeffrey Pagliuca (Haddon Morgan)
Resolved	Settled 2017; unsealing proceedings continued through 2024
Corpus presence	1,655 pages
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01282143</a> (Deutsche Bank KYC referencing case), <a href="#">EFTA01340452</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01357027</a>

## 1.5 Civil — SDFL Victim Suits

The SDFL docket contains at least 11 related victim civil suits, all before Judge Marra/Johnson:

<b>Case Number</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>
08-cv-80119-KAM	Jane Doe v. Epstein (lead case)	634
08-cv-80232-KAM	Jane Doe No. 3 v. Epstein	190
08-cv-80380-KAM	Related victim suit	181
08-cv-80381-KAM	Related victim suit	149
08-cv-80811-CIV-MARRA	Victim suit	130
08-cv-80893-KAM	Victim suit	357
08-cv-80993-KAM	Victim suit	95
08-cv-80994-KAM	Jane Doe No. 6	102
08-cv-90693-CIV-MARRA	Subpoena enforcement	Small
09-cv-80469-KAM	Kellen intervention / Jane Doe II	301
09-cv-80591-KAM	Jane Doe No. 101	334

Case Number	Description	Doc Count
09-cv-80656-KAM	Related victim suit	331

Combined corpus presence of civil victim suits: ~2,900+ docs.

Defense counsel across these suits: Jack Goldberger (Atterbury Goldberger Weiss), Joseph Ackerman (Fowler White Burnett), Robert Critton (Burman Critton, 2,037 docs).

Victim counsel: Brad Edwards, Jack Scarola (Searcy Denney, 1,817 docs firm), Paul Cassell.

## 1.6 Counter-Litigation & SLAPP

**Epstein v. Edwards, Rothstein, L.M. — Palm Beach (50 2009CA040800XXXXMB AG)**

Field	Content
Court	Circuit Court, 15th Judicial Circuit, Palm Beach County
Nature	Epstein counter-sued victim attorney Brad Edwards, Ponzi schemer Scott Rothstein, and a Jane Doe (L.M.)
Epstein's counsel	Joseph Ackerman (Fowler White Burnett)
Edwards' counsel	Gary Farmer Jr. (Farmer Jaffe Weissing Edwards Fistos & Lehrman)
Rothstein's counsel	Marc Nurik (928 docs across corpus)
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01112732</a> (deposition notice for Rothstein), <a href="#">EFTA01099387</a> (interrogatories to Edwards)
Resolved	Settled December 4, 2018, on the eve of jury selection. Epstein issued a written apology: "The lawsuit I filed was my unreasonable attempt to damage [Edwards'] business reputation and cause Mr. Edwards to stop pursuing cases against me." Financial terms confidential.
Note	Scott Rothstein separately pleaded guilty to Ponzi scheme crimes (2010), sentenced to 50 years. His firm (Rothstein Rosenfeldt Adler) appears in 1,665 docs.

## 1.7 Financial/Corporate Litigation

**Gerber & Koenig v. Financial Trust Company / Epstein — SDNY (18-cv-07580)**

Field	Content
Nature	Towers Financial Corporation / Hoffenberg class action
Epstein's role	Named as "uncharged co-conspirator" of Steven Hoffenberg in TFC's \$450M Ponzi scheme
Corpus presence	45 docs
Related	In re Towers Financial Corporation (93-B41558), Hoffenberg v. Epstein (16-03989)
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01298858</a> (voluntary dismissal), <a href="#">EFTA01386750</a> (TFC complaint naming Epstein), <a href="#">EFTA01334040</a> (Hoffenberg told grand jury Epstein was "technical" person)

**Citibank v. Epstein — SDNY (02-CV-5332-SHS)**

\$10M loan dispute. Referenced in [EFTA01386058](#).

**NASD v. Epstein — NASD (02-03451)**

Referenced in [EFTA01387836](#).

## 1.8 Deutsche Bank Regulatory

Field	Content
Regulator	NYDFS (New York Department of Financial Services)

Field	Content
Result	\$150 million fine (July 2020) for compliance failures related to Epstein relationship
Corpus presence	9,122 pages matching Deutsche Bank + regulatory terms
Internal AML cases	Case Nos. 146215, 142716, 147864, 144434, 01946825
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01355597</a> (DBSI settlement with SEC/NASD/NYSE/NY AG), <a href="#">EFTA01415338</a> – <a href="#">EFTA01427000</a> range (massive AML/KYC documentation)

## 1.9 JPMorgan Chase

Field	Content
Regulatory/Civil	USVI AG suit; private victim class action
Result	\$290 million to Epstein survivors (class action, approved November 9, 2023) + \$75 million to USVI (September 2023) = \$365 million total
Corpus presence	7,742 pages matching JPMorgan + litigation terms
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01581722</a> (Highbridge objection to Epstein subpoena), <a href="#">EFTA01583334</a> (account applications)

## 1.10 USVI v. Epstein Estate

Field	Content
Filed by	Denise George (USVI Attorney General, 47 docs)
Filed	January 15, 2020
Nature	Civil enforcement under USVI anti-criminal enterprise, sex trafficking, child exploitation, and fraud laws. Initially sought \$577M in punitive damages.
Settlement	\$105 million in cash plus 50% of proceeds from sale of Little St. James island, plus \$450K for environmental remediation, plus return of \$80M+ in tax benefits. Settled November 29, 2022 — largest settlement in USVI history.
Outcome	AG George was fired December 31, 2022, by Governor Albert Bryan Jr. — days after she filed a separate suit against JPMorgan Chase (December 27, 2022) without informing the Governor.
Corpus presence	508 pages matching "Virgin Islands" AND "Attorney General"
Key EFTAs	<a href="#">EFTA01651272</a> , <a href="#">EFTA01654937</a>

## 1.11 Government Investigations (Non-Criminal)

Investigation	Entity	Corpus Presence	Key EFTAs
OPR (NPA handling)	DOJ Office of Professional Responsibility	Substantial	<a href="#">EFTA01659527</a> , <a href="#">EFTA00095558</a> (exec summary)
OIG (MCC death)	DOJ Office of Inspector General	Multiple	<a href="#">EFTA01659612</a> (guard falsification), <a href="#">EFTA01659557</a>
MLAT — UK (Prince Andrew)	OIA / UK Central Authority	52 docs	<a href="#">EFTA00022062</a> (MLAT request, April 2020)
MLAT — France	OIA / French	Referenced	<a href="#">EFTA00023110</a> (December 2020)

Investigation	Entity	Corpus Presence	Key EFTAs
(Maxwell)	authorities		
MLAT — Sweden	OIA / Swedish National Police	1 doc	<a href="#">EFTA01684085</a> (January 2020)
FCA/PRA (Jes Staley)	UK Financial Conduct Authority	30+ docs	<a href="#">EFTA00022164</a> (SDNY-FCA coordination)
Congressional — House Judiciary	U.S. House of Representatives	50+ docs	<a href="#">EFTA01655861</a>
Congressional — House Oversight	U.S. House of Representatives	Multiple	<a href="#">EFTA01655625</a> (Kash Patel FBI director letter, Feb 2025)

## 1.12 Sealed Miscellaneous Matters — SDNY

Case Number	Nature	Corpus Presence
19-mc-149	Sealed (related to Epstein/Maxwell)	13 docs — "All materials under this docket number... will be kept under seal"
19-mc-179	Sealed (related to Epstein/Maxwell)	Referenced

## 1.13 Prosecutorial Query Graph Summary

From [prosecutorial\\_query\\_graph.db](#):

Metric	Value
Grand jury subpoenas analyzed	257
Individual demand clauses	2,018
Subpoenas matched to returns	133 (51.8%)
Subpoenas with no identifiable return	124 (48.2%)
Investigative gaps	779 (all UNFULFILLED_DEMAND)
Subpoena targets include	Financial institutions (FirstBank PR, Wells Fargo, TD Bank, Capital One, UBS), Tech companies (Facebook, Google, Amazon, Lyft), Airlines, MCC, U.S. State Dept, Named individuals (Indyke, Kahn)

For detailed subpoena analysis, see [PQG Index](#).

# PART 2: THE LAWYERS

## 2.1 Epstein's Personal Legal Team (Inner Circle)

These attorneys managed Epstein's day-to-day legal affairs, estate, and business operations.

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Role	Key EFTAs
<b>Darren Indyke</b>	Indyke (solo)	25,719	General counsel, co-executor of estate, trustee of 1953 Trust. Most-mentioned lawyer in the corpus by a wide margin.	Privilege log emails ( <a href="#">EFTA02171955</a> ), estate administration

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Role	Key EFTAs
<b>Richard Kahn</b>	—	53,083	Co-executor, trustee, financial administration. The most-mentioned individual in the corpus after Epstein himself.	Financial records, wire authorizations, estate docs
<b>Kathryn Ruemmler</b>	Latham & Watkins → Goldman Sachs	9,164	Listed as backup executor in early 2019 version of Epstein's will (removed before death). Former White House Counsel (2011-2014); Latham & Watkins partner (2014-2020); Goldman Sachs GC (2021-2026, <b>announced departure Feb 2026</b> following EFTA email revelations, effective June 30, 2026).	See <b>Ruemmler Deep Dive</b>
<b>Erika Kellerhals</b>	Solo (USVI tax law)	4,809	USVI immigration/tax attorney. Received \$23M+ in documented payments.	USVI residency, tax planning, Southern Trust
<b>Robert Glassman</b>	—	634	Personal/business counsel	Referenced across business documents
<b>Alan Grubman</b>	Grubman Shire	205	Entertainment/media lawyer; personal relationship	Referenced in emails
<b>Dlugash</b> (full name varies)	—	1,251	Estate planning, tax	Settlement agreements, trust documents

## 2.2 The NPA Defense Army (2006-2008)

Assembled to fight the SDFL federal investigation. Acosta called them "an army of legal superstars." Nearly all were criminal defense specialists — a fact the corpus makes explicit.

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Specialty	Notes
<b>Alan Dershowitz</b>	Kirkland & Ellis → solo	2,212	Criminal appellate, constitutional law	Harvard Law professor. Threatened Acosta: "I would be the subject of a chapter in a book on prosecutorial overreach" (EFTA00009116, p. 391). Later named as abuser by Virginia Giuffre; denied allegations.
<b>Kenneth Starr</b>	Kirkland & Ellis	1,395	Former Solicitor General, former independent counsel (Whitewater)	Argued against federal prosecution in letters to SDFL (EFTA01659896). Died September 2022.
<b>Jay Lefkowitz</b>	Kirkland & Ellis	1,652	Former deputy assistant to the President	Negotiated NPA drafts with AUSA Villafana. Argued "insufficient evidence" Epstein targeted minors (EFTA00013811).
<b>Gerald Lefcourt</b>	Lefcourt (solo)	670	Criminal defense	NY criminal defense attorney

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Specialty	Notes
<b>Jack Goldberger</b>	Atterbury Goldberger Weiss, P.A.	4,560	FL criminal defense	Primary FL defense counsel. NPA implementation correspondence (EFTA01659770–01659773). Firm appears in 1,877 docs.
<b>Roy Black</b>	Black Srebnick Kornspan & Stumpf, P.A.	1,546	FL criminal defense	"Miami's best criminal defense lawyer." Firm appears in 994 docs. Listed on CVRA Certificates of Service.
<b>Lilly Ann Sanchez</b>	Fowler White Burnett, P.A.	1,006	FL defense	Managed privilege logs per email reminders (EFTA02171955).
<b>Guy Lewis</b>	Lewis Tein, P.L.	169	Former USAO chief (SDFL)	"Prosecutors that formerly worked in the U.S. Attorney's Office" (Acosta, EFTA00009116)
<b>Joseph Ackerman</b>	Fowler White Burnett, P.A.	1,107	FL defense	Signed Certificates of Service in victim civil suits (EFTA00592983). Firm total: 2,116 docs.

**The Kirkland & Ellis nexus:** 3,824 pages reference Kirkland & Ellis. The firm provided three of Epstein's most prominent defenders (Dershowitz, Starr, Lefkowitz). William Barr, who served as Attorney General when Epstein died in custody (August 2019), was formerly of counsel to Kirkland & Ellis.

### 2.3 Maxwell Defense Team

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Role
<b>Laura Menninger</b>	Haddon Morgan Foreman	1,156	Lead trial counsel
<b>Jeffrey Pagliuca</b>	Haddon Morgan Foreman	1,098	Co-counsel
<b>Christian Everdell</b>	Cohen & Gresser	1,058	Co-counsel
<b>Mark Cohen</b>	Cohen & Gresser	166 (by full name)	Lead counsel (pre-trial)
<b>Bobby Sternheim</b>	Sternheim & Sternheim	804	Co-counsel
<b>David Bruck</b>	—	210	Sentencing specialist

Firm totals: Haddon Morgan Foreman — 1,447 docs. Cohen & Gresser — 1,495 docs.

### 2.4 Victim Attorneys

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Clients/Role	Notes
<b>Brad Edwards</b>	Edwards & Pottinger (later Edwards Henderson)	3,317	Lead victim attorney, CVRA pioneer	Counter-sued by Epstein (see §1.6). Firm: 555 docs.
<b>Paul Cassell</b>	University of Utah (pro bono)	2,895	CVRA specialist	Filed original CVRA challenge to NPA. Constitutional law scholar.
<b>Jack Scarola</b>	Searcy Denney Scarola Barnhart & Shipley	1,972	Victim civil suits	Told Judge Crow "all lawsuits were settled for very substantial sums" (EFTA01480957). Firm: 1,817 docs.
<b>Sigrd McCawley</b>	Boies Schiller Flexner	736	Giuffre v. Maxwell	Lead counsel for Virginia Giuffre in defamation suit
<b>David Boies</b>	Boies Schiller	370	Giuffre v.	Chairman of BSF. Became embroiled in

<b>Name</b>	<b>Firm</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>	<b>Clients/Role</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	Flexner		Maxwell	the "Patrick Kessler" affair (2019): a man claiming to possess Epstein sex tapes approached Boies and Pottinger; Boies reported the contact to the FBI. No criminal charges resulted but ethics questions were raised. Firm: 1,423 docs. Also involved in the "Kessler" affair. Discussed using promised videos in litigation; "Kessler" turned out to be a fraud who never produced tapes. No criminal charges filed. Pottinger later died (age 84).
<b>Stan Pottinger</b>	Edwards & Pottinger	633	Victim attorney	
<b>Gloria Allred</b>	Allred Maroko & Goldberg	285	Victim representation	
<b>Jeanne Christensen</b>	Wigdor LLP	41	Leon Black victims	Emailed SDNY: "outrageous that criminal charges have not been brought against [Black]" (EFTA02731473). Firm: 84 docs.
<b>Spencer Kuvin</b>	Leopold Kuvin (formerly Ricci Leopold)	565	Victim representation	FL victim civil suits
<b>Theodore Leopold</b>	Ricci Leopold, P.A. (now Leopold Kuvin)	533	Victim representation	
<b>Stuart Mermelstein</b>	Mermelstein & Horowitz, P.A.	670	Victim representation	Firm: 362 docs
<b>Adam Horowitz</b>	Mermelstein & Horowitz, P.A.	529	Victim representation	
<b>Jeffrey Herman</b>	Herman Law	226	Victim representation	
<b>Jay Howell</b>	Jay Howell & Associates	282	Victim representation	
<b>Kara Rockenbach</b>	Link & Rockenbach / Burlington & Rockenbach	457	Appellate counsel	
<b>Scott Link</b>	Link & Rockenbach	474	Epstein defense (appellate)	
<b>Brittany Henderson</b>	Edwards Pottinger LLC	246	Victim representation	
<b>David Vitale</b>	Searcy Denney Scarola	212	Victim representation	
<b>Gary Farmer</b>	Farmer Jaffe	250	Edwards'	

Name	Firm	Doc Count	Clients/Role	Notes
Jr.	Weissing Edwards Fistos & Lehrman		defense (Epstein v. Edwards)	
Kevin Boyle	Panish Shea & Boyle	19	Maxwell victim representation	
Motley Rice LLC	—	19	USVI victim claims	

## 2.5 Prosecutors & Government Lawyers

### SDNY — Epstein/Maxwell Prosecution Team

Name	Title	Doc Count
Geoffrey S. Berman	U.S. Attorney, SDNY (2018-2020)	461
Audrey Strauss	Acting U.S. Attorney (2020-2021)	756
Maurene Comey	AUSA, lead trial prosecutor	394
Alison Moe	AUSA, co-prosecutor	423
Alexander Rossmiller	AUSA, co-prosecutor	173
Nicolas Roos	AUSA, BOP interviews	46
Rebekah Donaleski	AUSA, MCC interviews	31
Damian Williams	U.S. Attorney (2021-2025)	310
Jason Swergold	AUSA, MCC conditions/FOIA	13
Lara Pomerantz	AUSA	315
Andrew Rohrbach	AUSA	327

### SDFL — NPA Negotiation Team

Name	Title	Doc Count
R. Alexander Acosta	U.S. Attorney, SDFL	2,290
A. Marie Villafana	AUSA, lead investigator	826
Andrew Lourie	AUSA	51
Dexter Lee	AUSA	376

Note: Acosta resigned as Secretary of Labor in July 2019 over NPA controversy. Villafana's name is frequently OCR-garbled as "Villafalia" or "Villafaila."

### The Bruce Reinhart Trajectory

Bruce Reinhart (323 docs) appears in the corpus in two capacities: first as an AUSA in SDFL (1996-2008), then as a private attorney who resigned from the USAO on January 1, 2008, and was retained by Epstein the very next day to represent Sarah Kellen and other Epstein employees/co-conspirators who received NPA immunity. He was later appointed U.S. Magistrate Judge for the SDFL (sworn in March 14, 2018). The OPR investigated his "possible involvement in the Epstein matter" ([EFTA01657803](#)).

### State/Territory Prosecutors

Name	Title	Doc Count
Barry Krischer	State Attorney, Palm Beach County	368
Denise George	Attorney General, USVI	47
David Aronberg	State Attorney, 15th Judicial Circuit FL	7
Bruce Colton	State Attorney, 19th Judicial Circuit FL (DeSantis appointee)	4

<b>Name</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>
Cy Vance	Manhattan DA	83

## 2.6 Judges

### Federal — District

<b>Judge</b>	<b>Court</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>	<b>Primary Role</b>
<b>Kenneth A. Marra</b>	SDFL	6,451 (name) / 228 (full reference)	CVRA enforcement, victim civil suits. Most-referenced Epstein-case judge.
<b>Alison J. Nathan</b>	SDNY	1,265	Maxwell trial. Ruled on victim anonymity.
<b>Richard M. Berman</b>	SDNY	264	Epstein bail hearing, death aftermath.
<b>Colleen McMahon</b>	SDNY (Chief)	71	Ex parte proceedings — government obtained Giuffre deposition. Maxwell defense alleged government "misled" McMahon.
<b>Loretta Preska</b>	SDNY	135	Giuffre v. Maxwell unsealing after Judge Sweet's death.
<b>Robert W. Sweet</b>	SDNY	17	Original Giuffre v. Maxwell judge (deceased).
<b>Paul Engelmayer</b>	SDNY	4	Grand jury records unsealing.
<b>Linnea R. Johnson</b>	SDFL (Magistrate)	119	Marra case referrals.

### Federal — Magistrate (Search/Arrest Warrants)

<b>Judge</b>	<b>Court</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>	<b>Role</b>
<b>Barbara Moses</b>	SDNY	95	Signed Epstein arrest warrant (July 6, 2019), first search warrant for 9 East 71st St.
<b>Henry B. Pitman</b>	SDNY	59	Authorized additional NYC residence search (July 11, 2019).
<b>Kevin Nathaniel Fox</b>	SDNY	19	Electronic device search warrants (July 14, 2019).
<b>Ruth Miller</b>	SDNY	27	Little Saint James (USVI) search warrant.
<b>Sarah Netburn</b>	SDNY	29	Sealed proceedings, unsealing rulings.
<b>James L. Cott</b>	SDNY	8	Warrants, Dennis cyberstalker complaint.
<b>Debra Freeman</b>	SDNY	18	Maxwell civil stays.

### Florida State

<b>Judge</b>	<b>Court</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>	<b>Role</b>
<b>Deborah Dale Pucillo</b>	15th Judicial Circuit	178	Accepted Epstein's FL guilty plea. "After Circuit Judge Pucillo accepted the plea, he was fingerprinted... then handcuffed."
<b>Jeffrey Colbath</b>	15th Judicial Circuit	64	Unsealed NPA/federal deal documents.
<b>David Crow</b>	15th Judicial	65	Heard settlement matters.

Judge	Court	Doc Count	Role
	Circuit		
Sandra K. McSorley	15th Judicial Circuit	36	Probation/work release orders.
Bill Berger	15th Judicial Circuit (former)	42	Former judge turned victim advocate: "Everybody was in on this deal except the victims and the public."
Luis Delgado	FL Circuit	Referenced	Unsealed NPA-era documents (2024-2025).

## 2.7 Estate & Trust Lawyers

Name/Firm	Doc Count	Role	Notes
Brad Karp / Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison	1,898 (Karp) / 2,805 (firm)	Estate litigation defense, personal advisor	Chairman of Paul Weiss. Also retained by Leon Black for fee disputes with Epstein.
Alan Halperin	2,039	Paul Weiss — estate/GRAT valuations	
Matthew Menchel / Kobre & Kim	937 (Menchel) / 970 (firm)	International asset recovery/offshore	
Deborah Pechet Quinan	558	Riemer & Braunstein (RIW) — Trusts & Estates	
Carlyn McCaffrey	533	McDermott Will & Emery — Trusts & Estates	
Dlugash	1,251	Estate planning, tax trusts	Settlement agreement from 2000 (EFTA01917842)
Robert Josefsberg	1,004	Podhurst Orseck, P.A. — served as Special Master (NPA)	
Weil Gotshal & Manges	78	Estate-related	
Cooley LLP	115	Estate-related	

## 2.8 Third-Party & Peripheral Counsel

Name/Firm	Doc Count	Role/Context	Notes
Gary Bloxsome / Blackfords LLP	45 / 57	Prince Andrew's UK counsel	Systematic obstruction of SDNY interview requests. "The DOJ's dealings with the Duke of York have not been designed to seek his assistance" (EFTA00019885).
Peter Mandelson / Global Counsel LLP	5,530 / 833	Political consulting/legal advisory	Former UK First Secretary of State. 833 docs reference "Global Counsel" — the nature of legal work for Epstein remains undetermined.
Aileen Josephs	18	Immigration attorney	USVI immigration matters
Arda Beskardes	738	Immigration lawyer (NY-based)	

<b>Name/Firm</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>	<b>Role/Context</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>Marc Nurik</b>	928	Defense counsel (Rothstein)	Represented Scott Rothstein in Epstein v. Edwards/Rothstein
<b>Sullivan &amp; Cromwell</b>	425	Role undetermined	
<b>Akin Gump</b>	433	Role undetermined	
<b>Skadden Arps</b>	194	Role undetermined	
<b>Davis Polk</b>	172	Role undetermined	
<b>Dechert LLP</b>	77	Apollo independent report	
<b>Martin O'Connor</b>	311	O'Connor, Morss & O'Connor, P.C. — NJ estate/property matters	
<b>Erica Dubno</b>	505	Appellate counsel	
<b>Thomas Scott / Steven Safra</b>	127 / 75	Cole, Scott & Kissane, P.A. — Dershowitz defense counsel (Giuffre v. Dershowitz)	
<b>Benito Romano</b>	253	Former U.S. Attorney SDNY	
<b>Lanna Belohlavek</b>	340	Assistant State Attorney, Palm Beach County	
<b>Jeffrey Sloman</b>	134	U.S. Attorney, SDFL (successor to Acosta)	
<b>Michael Genovese</b>	53	Referenced in legal filings	

## 2.9 Under-Investigated Firms

These firms have substantial corpus presence but their role in the Epstein legal universe has not been fully attributed:

<b>Firm</b>	<b>Doc Count</b>	<b>Known Context</b>
<b>Burman Critton Luttier &amp; Coleman</b>	1,663	Robert Critton (2,037 docs) and Michael Pike (991 docs) appear on Certificates of Service as Epstein FL defense counsel in victim civil suits
<b>Rothstein Rosenfeldt Adler</b>	1,665	Scott Rothstein's disbarred Ponzi scheme firm; Epstein counter-suit defendant. Brad Edwards was initially at this firm before its 2009 collapse.
<b>Tonja Haddad, P.A. / Fred Haddad, P.A.</b>	1,184 / 1,599	Tonja Haddad Coleman and Fred Haddad appear in defense and victim civil dockets
<b>Sullivan &amp; Cromwell</b>	425	Role undetermined — likely financial institution counsel
<b>Akin Gump</b>	433	Role undetermined

Note: **Steptoe & Johnson** (802 docs) — previously listed as "role undetermined" — is now attributed: it is Reid Weingarten's firm, Epstein's lead criminal defense counsel for the SDNY 2019 case.

## 2.10 Co-Conspirators, Cooperators, and Immunity Recipients

### Named co-conspirators in the NPA:

Per [EFTA01656152](#): "Non Prosecution Agreement covering Epstein, 4 co-conspirators ([names redacted]) and Lesley Groff and any potential co-conspirators."

Public-record named accomplices (not victims — these are perpetrators identified in court filings):

- **Ghislaine Maxwell** — convicted 2021, sentenced to 20 years
- **Sarah Kellen** — "named accomplice in Epstein's 2008 plea deal, which shielded her from prosecution" ([EFTA01654937](#)). Participated in two proffer sessions (November-December 2019, [EFTA01625916](#)).
- **Nadia Marcinkova** — named in NPA immunity provision
- **Lesley Groff** — explicitly named in NPA text
- **Adriana Ross** — named in NPA immunity provision

### Cooperating witness — Alfredo Rodriguez:

Epstein household manager who attempted to sell Epstein's "black book" for \$50,000 to a cooperating witness after testifying under oath he didn't possess it. Convicted of obstruction (10-80015-CR-MARRA). Rodriguez also reported "lists of hundreds of additional victims" ([EFTA00207048](#)). Died of cancer while serving sentence.

**Steven Hoffenberg** — named Epstein as "uncharged co-conspirator" in Towers Financial Corporation fraud ([EFTA01386750](#)). Told grand jury Epstein was the "technical" person ([EFTA01334040](#)). Hoffenberg served 18 years for fraud. Died August 2022.

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## PART 3: CROSS-CUTTING ANALYSIS

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### 3.1 Criminal Lawyers for Civil Cases

The corpus confirms this pattern unambiguously. In the CVRA case (08-80736-CIV-MARRA) — a *civil* proceeding under the Crime Victims' Rights Act — the Certificate of Service literally labels Epstein's attorneys as "**Criminal Defense Counsel for Jeffrey Epstein**" ([EFTA01099482](#), p. 19; see also [EFTA01098253](#), p. 10):

- Roy Black, Esq. (Black Srebnick Kornspan & Stumpf — *criminal defense firm*)
- Jay P. Lefkowitz (Kirkland & Ellis — *policy/appellate*)
- Martin G. Weinberg, P.C. — *criminal defense*

That caption is not interpretive. The documents themselves label criminal defense lawyers as such on civil filings. The same team appeared in the Epstein v. Edwards/Rothstein counter-suit (a civil case), in victim civil suits, and in NPA negotiations. The Fowler White Burnett team (Ackerman, Sanchez) bridged both dockets, filing motions in victim suits while managing criminal-case privilege logs ([EFTA02171955](#)).

### 3.2 Conflicts of Interest Map

The Epstein legal universe contains an unusual density of role-crossing, boundary-blurring, and outright conflicts:

**Dershowitz**: NPA defense team negotiator → named by Virginia Giuffre as abuser → defamation defendant → victim-plaintiff who settled with Giuffre (2024). Denied all allegations.

**David Boies / Stan Pottinger**: Victim attorneys (Boies Schiller represented Giuffre) → embroiled in the "Patrick Kessler" affair where a fraudster claimed to possess Epstein sex tapes; ethics questions raised but no criminal charges resulted.

**Bruce Reinhart**: AUSA in SDFL (1996-2008) → resigned January 1, 2008, retained by Epstein the next day to represent Kellen and other employees/co-conspirators who received NPA immunity → appointed U.S. Magistrate Judge, SDFL (March 2018). OPR investigated his "possible involvement in the Epstein matter" ([EFTA01657803](#)).

**Kathryn Ruemmler:** White House Counsel under Obama (2011-2014) → Latham & Watkins partner (during which period she was listed as backup executor in early 2019 Epstein will, removed before his death) → Goldman Sachs GC (2021-2026, announced departure Feb 2026 after EFTA revelations, effective June 30, 2026). See [Ruemmler Deep Dive](#).

**Kirkland & Ellis / William Barr:** Kirkland provided three of Epstein's NPA defense lawyers (Dershowitz, Starr, Lefkowitz). William Barr was formerly of counsel to Kirkland & Ellis. Barr served as Attorney General when Epstein died in MCC custody (August 2019). (238 docs reference "William Barr".)

**Brad Karp / Paul Weiss:** Retained by Leon Black to handle fee disputes with Epstein. (Note: this is Brad *Karp*, not victim attorney Brad *Edwards*; the two are sometimes confused in reporting.)

### 3.3 The Privilege Architecture

The corpus reveals the scale of attorney-client privilege deployment:

Category	Page Count
Pages invoking attorney-client privilege	548,831
Privilege log pages	2,636
Motions to quash	811
"CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE" pages	2,385
"Esq" / "Esquire" pages	18,515

**548,831 pages** — roughly 20% of the entire 2.91M-page corpus — invoke attorney-client privilege.

This extraordinary volume reflects the dual reality of the Epstein archive: it is simultaneously a criminal investigation file and a record of the legal apparatus built to resist that investigation.

Privilege log management was an active, ongoing process. Emails show Darren Indyke receiving calendar reminders: "remind D: Privilege log re attorney's bills, Lilly to advise" ([EFTA02171955](#)) — referencing Lilly Ann Sanchez's role in managing privilege assertions.

### 3.4 Attorney Payment Flows

Documented legal fees identifiable in the corpus:

Lawyer/Firm	Amount	Source
<b>Erika Kellerhals</b>	\$23M+ (plus \$75K additional)	USVI tax/immigration work — see financial investigations
<b>\$526,000 attorney representative payment</b>	\$526,000	NPA compliance — "paid to attorney representative" ( <a href="#">EFTA01657823</a> )
<b>Victim attorney fees (NPA condition)</b>	Undisclosed	NPA required Epstein to pay victim attorney fees preceding litigation

The full scope of Epstein's legal spending is not determinable from this corpus alone. Wire transfers to law firms in the Deutsche Bank records (DS8) would require systematic extraction to quantify — a task better suited to the financial investigation workbench.

### 3.5 The Lawyer Count

Acosta described Epstein's team as "an army of legal superstars." Media reports have cited a figure of "no fewer than 75 lawyers," though the original source for that specific number has not been definitively traced. It may derive from a reporter's count of counsel of record across all proceedings.

From corpus evidence alone, this report identifies:

Category	Count
Epstein personal/business counsel	7
NPA defense team (2006-2008)	9
SDNY 2019 defense team additions	3

Category	Count
Additional FL defense counsel	6+
Maxwell defense team	6
Estate/trust lawyers	9+
Third-party/peripheral counsel	12+
<b>Total Epstein-side lawyers</b>	<b>52+</b>
Victim attorneys	20+
Federal prosecutors (SDNY + SDFL)	17+
State/territory prosecutors	6+
Judges	25+
<b>Grand total named legal actors</b>	<b>120+</b>

The 52+ Epstein-side lawyers identified here are a floor, not a ceiling. Many attorneys appear only in redacted or abbreviated form in the corpus. Under-investigated firms (Sullivan & Cromwell at 425 docs, Akin Gump at 433) may contain additional lawyers acting on Epstein's behalf whose names have not yet been extracted.

## METHODOLOGY

### Data Sources

1. **full\_text\_corpus.db** (6.3 GB): All page-level text from the DOJ EFTA production. 1,416,711 documents, 2,914,901 pages. FTS5 full-text search index.
2. **prosecutorial\_query\_graph.db** (2.5 MB): 257 subpoenas, 2,018 demand clauses, 779 investigative gaps.
3. **concordance\_complete.db** (729 MB): Cross-reference metadata including author/custodian fields.
4. **persons\_registry.json**: 1,536 persons, 42 in "legal" category.
5. **Existing reports**: PROSECUTION\_FAILURES\_ANALYSIS.md, RUEMLER\_DEEP\_DIVE.md, PQG Index.

### Counting Convention

"Doc Count" throughout this report means: the number of distinct EFTA documents in `full_text_corpus.db` that contain at least one match to the entity's search string. Computed as `COUNT(DISTINCT efta_number) FROM pages WHERE text_content LIKE '%SearchTerm%'`. "Pages" means page-level matches (a single multi-page document may contribute multiple page hits). Unless otherwise noted, all figures are doc counts, not page counts.

### Disambiguation Rules

High-collision surnames are flagged where they affect reported counts. The following entities require context-aware resolution:

Entity	Collision risk	Resolution used	Impact
<b>Richard Kahn</b>	"Kahn" appears in financial records (bank names, other individuals)	Searched "Richard Kahn" or "Kahn, Richard" where possible; raw "Kahn" count (53,083) is noted as inflated	Kahn doc count likely overstated by 2-5x
<b>Roy Black</b>	Overlaps with Leon Black, generic "black"	Searched "Roy Black" or "Black, Roy"	Count (1,546) is reasonably clean
<b>Mark</b>	Extremely common	Searched "Mark Cohen" — low-	Likely includes false

Entity	Collision risk	Resolution used	Impact
Cohen	name	confidence count (166)	positives; firm count (Cohen & Gresser, 1,495) is more reliable
Paul Morris	Common name	Excluded — raw count (12,450) is almost entirely false positives	Not reported as a lawyer
David Boies	Unique enough	"David Boies"	Clean (370)

For all other names, the search string is the full name or distinctive surname. Where a firm name is available, the firm-level count is the more reliable metric.

## Extraction Methods

- **Lawyer names:** "Esq" / "Esquire" pattern extraction (18,515 pages), "Bar No" / "admitted to practice" searches (3,323 pages), Certificate of Service extraction (2,385 pages), persons\_registry.json seed list (42 "legal" entries), concordance author/custodian fields (found to be sparse and not useful — mostly software metadata).
- **Law firms:** Pattern matching on "LLP", "P.A.", "P.C.", "& Associates", "Law Offices of" (firm-by-firm verification with doc counts).
- **Cases:** Case number extraction (-cv-, -cr-, -mc-, Case No, CF), caption extraction (v. patterns on page 1), PQG database records.
- **Judges:** "Honorable", "Judge", "Magistrate" pattern extraction with context windows.
- **Prosecutors:** "AUSA", "Assistant United States Attorney", "State Attorney", "Attorney General" pattern extraction.

## Limitations

- Doc counts are approximate and subject to the disambiguation rules above. For entities with common names, prefer firm-level counts.
- Redacted names in NPA co-conspirator provisions cannot be attributed.
- 27 fully-redacted subpoena targets in the PQG remain unidentified.
- Concordance author/custodian fields were sampled and found mostly empty (software usernames, not substantive attributions).
- Under-investigated firms (§2.9) require additional deep-reading to determine Epstein-relationship.

## Document URL Format

All EFTA citations link to the DOJ's public release:

[https://www.justice.gov/epstein/files/DataSet%20\(N\)/EFTA\(NUMBER\).pdf](https://www.justice.gov/epstein/files/DataSet%20(N)/EFTA(NUMBER).pdf)

Dataset numbers were verified against [full\\_text\\_corpus.db](#) for every cited document.

Documents confirmed removed from justice.gov (per CONFIRMED\_REMOVED.csv) are not linked.

## SEE ALSO

- [Prosecution Failures Analysis](#) — detailed NPA history, named individuals who escaped prosecution
- [Ruemmler Deep Dive](#) — White House → Epstein → Goldman Sachs
- [Grand Jury Subpoena Analysis](#) — 257 subpoenas, 779 investigative gaps
- [FBI 302 Missing Serials Dossier](#) — gaps in the FBI investigative record
- [Death Investigation Document Removal](#) — MCC death investigation records
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# The Hidden Numbering System: What Secondary Bates Stamps Reveal About the Epstein File Production

## Summary

The DOJ's Epstein Files production contains a hidden layer of information: secondary Bates numbering stamps on individual pages that reveal how documents were sourced, processed, and filtered before public release.

Analysis of these stamps across Datasets 9 through 12 identifies multiple distinct document streams, each with its own pre-production numbering system. Two numbering systems are independently trackable:

1. **EFTA\_R1\_** (FBI device extractions, DS10/DS11): 2.21 million pages reviewed, 970,000 released (43.8%), **1.26 million withheld (57.0%)**
2. **EFTA\_** (SDNY production sequence, DS9/DS10): 269,394 pages reviewed, 67,493 released (25.1%), **201,901 withheld (74.9%)**

Combined, the two trackable systems reveal **1.46 million pages** that were reviewed and stamped but not included in the public production.

## How This Was Found

Many pages in the EFTA production carry not just their final EFTA production number (e.g., **EFTA01927584**) but also one or more secondary stamps immediately above it. These secondary stamps use different formats depending on where the document originated. A typical page might look like:

```
3501.000-121 [discovery reference]
SUBJECT TO PROTECTIVE ORDER PARAGRAPHS 7, 8, 9, 10 [court order]
SDNY_00006393 [SDNY case number]
EFTA_00000478 [earlier EFTA number]
EFTA00134897 [final EFTA number]
```

The secondary stamps were extracted from the OCR text layer of 2.56 million pages across DS9, DS10, DS11, and DS12 using pattern matching against the `full_text_corpus.db` database. 1,192,725 pages carry at least one identifiable secondary stamp.

## The Numbering Systems

### System 1: EFTA\_R1\_ (FBI Device Extractions)

**968,304 pages across 645,222 documents in DS10/DS11**

The largest system. Pages carry a stamp in the format `EFTA_R1_00374571`, where the 8-digit number represents the page's position in the "R1" (Release 1 or Review 1) numbering sequence.

**Content:** Emails and messages extracted from Epstein's electronic devices and cloud accounts. The communications use the `jeevacation@gmail.com` email address (Epstein's personal Gmail) and include personal emails between Epstein and associates, staff communications (Lesley Groff, Ann Rodriguez), iMessage extractions (identifiable by Apple plist XML metadata), and sent/received correspondence with named individuals.

**Distribution:** DS10 (323,539 docs) and DS11 (321,683 docs). DS11 is 97% R1-stamped material.

## Gap analysis:

<b>Metric</b>	<b>Value</b>
R1 number range	11 to 2,214,168
Total R1 positions (span)	2,214,161 pages
Pages actually produced	969,970
Pages withheld (gaps in R1 sequence)	1,262,316
Withholding rate	57.0%
Number of separate gaps	240,799
Largest single gap	19,937 consecutive pages

The 240,799 gaps break down as:

<b>Gap size</b>	<b>Number of gaps</b>	<b>Total missing pages</b>
1-5 pages	193,506	408,925
6-20 pages	41,165	389,962
21-100 pages	5,291	195,498
101-500 pages	775	139,301
501-2,000 pages	44	39,419
2,001-10,000 pages	17	69,274
10,001+ pages	1	19,937

The majority of gaps are small (1-5 pages), consistent with individual emails or short threads removed during review. The withholding rate is uniform across the entire R1 corpus, with every 100,000-page region having between 37,000 and 89,000 pages withheld. No R2, R3, or subsequent review stamps exist.

## System 2: EFTA\_ (SDNY Production Sequence)

**79,419 pages across 10,850 documents in DS9/DS10/DS11/DS12**

A separate system from R1. Pages carry a stamp in the format EFTA\_00057769 (underscore, no "R1" prefix). This numbering begins at EFTA\_00000001, which appears on a Bureau of Prisons money transfer report from MCC New York (EFTA00134541). It is the literal first page of the SDNY production.

**Content:** BOP custody records, MCC commissary receipts, inmate housing logs, FBI 302s, confidential human source reports (FD-1023), victim correspondence, protective-order material from the Maxwell case, and SDNY investigative files.

**Distribution:** DS9 (18,491 pages), DS10 (59,174 pages), DS11 (1,563 pages), DS12 (191 pages).

## Gap analysis:

<b>Metric</b>	<b>Value</b>
EFTA_ number range	0 to 269,393
Pages present	67,493
Pages missing (gaps)	201,901
Coverage	25.1%
Withholding rate	74.9%

The SDNY production sequence has a higher withholding rate than R1. Only one in four pages from the original SDNY production appears in the public EFTA release. The densest coverage is in the 120,000-160,000 range (30-52% present); the sparsest is in the 30,000-50,000 range (under 1% present).

Many EFTA\_ pages also carry an SDNY\_ case number (e.g., SDNY\_00006393) that increments

alongside the EFTA\_ number but is offset by one, confirming the two systems were applied to the same pages simultaneously.

### **System 3: JPM-SDNY- (JPMorgan Chase Bank Records)**

**50,319 pages across ~49,000 documents, primarily in DS10**

Pages carry a stamp like JPM-SDNY-00063190 along with the header "Confidential Treatment Requested by JPMorgan Chase." These are bank records produced by JPMorgan Chase in response to SDNY subpoenas.

**Content:** Account statements, transaction records, KYC documents, internal bank correspondence, wire transfer records, and compliance documents related to Epstein's JPMorgan accounts.

**Location:** Concentrated in DS10 (49,870 pages) with 449 pages in DS9, in the EFTA 1,299,930 to 1,656,686 range. 86% of these documents also carry SDNY\_GM stamps.

### **System 4: DB-SDNY- (Deutsche Bank Records)**

**68,041 pages across ~55,000 documents, primarily in DS10**

Pages carry a stamp like DB-SDNY-0000085. These are bank records produced by Deutsche Bank in response to SDNY subpoenas. (OCR frequently misreads "DB" as "OB", "DI3", or "06".)

**Content:** Account records, correspondence, compliance documents, and transaction records related to Epstein's Deutsche Bank accounts (including the Butterfly Trust and other entities).

**Location:** Concentrated in DS10 (64,232 pages) with 3,809 pages in DS9, in the EFTA 1,282,009 to 1,462,305 range. Most also carry SDNY\_GM stamps.

### **System 5: SDNY\_GM (Maxwell Case Stamps)**

**185,165 pages across ~115,000 documents**

Pages carry a stamp like SDNY\_GM\_00278490. "GM" refers to Ghislaine Maxwell. This stamp was applied by the SDNY prosecution team during the Maxwell case (United States v. Maxwell).

Unlike the other systems, SDNY\_GM frequently appears alongside bank stamps. 42,603 documents carry both JPM-SDNY and SDNY\_GM stamps. 54,064 carry both DB-SDNY and SDNY\_GM stamps. Only ~16,000 documents carry SDNY\_GM as their sole secondary stamp; these represent the prosecution team's own investigative files.

### **System 6: 3501.xxx-xxx (Discovery References)**

**5,023 pages across ~1,178 documents in DS9**

A litigation support reference number in the format 3501.045-008. These appear alongside the EFTA\_ and SDNY\_ stamps on protective-order material. The 3501 prefix is the FBI case file serial numbering for the Epstein/Maxwell investigation — each serial represents one witness, victim, or investigative thread. These documents are consistently marked SUBJECT TO PROTECTIVE ORDER PARAGRAPHS 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, and 17 from the Maxwell case.

For a detailed analysis of the 3501 serial system — including which FBI interview records (FD-302s) are present versus missing from the production — see [Missing FBI 302s: A Gap Analysis](#). That analysis identifies 136 interview serials, 3 with zero documents in the production, and demonstrates (using serial 3501.045 as a case study) that more than half the sub-records listed in the government's own disclosure index do not appear in the published files.

## **How the Streams Relate**

The stamps reveal a layered production pipeline. Documents flowed through multiple organizations, each applying their own numbering, before receiving final EFTA production numbers.

**Bank records** were first stamped by the producing bank (JPM-SDNY or DB-SDNY), then received and re-stamped by the SDNY Maxwell prosecution team (SDNY\_GM), and finally assigned EFTA production numbers. These are concentrated in DS10.

**SDNY investigative files** (BOP records, FBI reports, victim correspondence) were stamped with SDNY case numbers and EFTA\_ sequential numbers simultaneously, then some received discovery

references (3501.xxx) during litigation review, and finally all were assigned final EFTA production numbers. These span DS9 and DS10.

**FBI device extractions** (emails, iMessages) followed a separate path through the R1 review process before receiving EFTA production numbers. These appear in the upper range of DS10 and nearly all of DS11.

**Near-zero overlap exists between the R1 stream and the SDNY/bank streams.** Only 14 documents out of 645,222 carry both EFTA\_R1\_ and any other secondary stamp — likely OCR artifacts. These were independent processing pipelines that were merged at the final production stage.

## Combined Withholding Analysis

System	Source	Pages Reviewed	Pages Released	Pages Withheld	Rate
EFTA_R1_	FBI extractions	2,214,161	969,970	1,262,316	57.0%
EFTA_	SDNY production	269,394	67,493	201,901	74.9%
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,483,555</b>	<b>1,037,463</b>	<b>1,464,217</b>	<b>58.9%</b>

1.46 million pages were reviewed and numbered but not included in the public production. This figure covers only the two systems where gap analysis is possible. The bank stamps (JPM-SDNY, DB-SDNY) and the SDNY\_GM stamps do not lend themselves to the same gap analysis because we cannot determine their original production span.

### Possible explanations for the gaps include:

- Attorney-client privilege (communications with lawyers)
- Grand jury secrecy (Rule 6(e) material)
- Duplicate documents (the same email extracted from multiple devices/folders)
- Material outside the production scope
- Protective order restrictions
- Law enforcement sensitivity (ongoing investigations)

The uniform distribution of R1 gaps is consistent with systematic review processes such as deduplication and privilege screening. The higher withholding rate in the SDNY production (74.9% vs 57.0%) may reflect the different nature of the material (investigative files vs. email) or different review criteria.

## Data Files

The complete cross-reference data is available as CSV files suitable for analysis in Excel or any spreadsheet tool:

- **all\_secondary\_stamps.csv** (1,192,725 rows): Every page in DS9-12 that carries a secondary stamp, with columns for all six numbering systems. One row per page.
- **r1\_crossref.csv** (645,222 rows): Document-level R1 mapping (page 0 only), with EFTA number, R1 number, dataset, and page count.
- **efta\_underscore\_crossref.csv** (68,406 rows): EFTA\_ (SDNY sequence) mapping with final EFTA number, page number, EFTA\_ number, and SDNY\_ number.

Column definitions for **all\_secondary\_stamps.csv**:

Column	Description
final_efta	The published EFTA production number
dataset	Dataset number (9, 10, 11, or 12)
total_pages	Total pages in this document
page_number	Page number within the document (0-indexed)

Column	Description
r1_number	EFTA_R1_ stamp number (FBI review sequence)
underscore_efta_number	EFTA_ stamp number (SDNY production sequence)
sdny_case_number	SDNY_ stamp number (SDNY case sequence)
jpm_sdny_number	JPM-SDNY- stamp number (JPMorgan production)
db_sdny_number	DB-SDNY- stamp number (Deutsche Bank production)
sdny_gm_number	SDNY_GM_ stamp number (Maxwell case)
discovery_ref	3501.xxx-xxx discovery reference

## Methodology

All analysis was performed against `full_text_corpus.db`, a 6.3 GB SQLite database containing OCR-extracted text from all 2,914,901 pages of the EFTA production. Secondary stamps were identified using regular expression pattern matching against the text layer of each page. OCR artifacts (misread characters, spacing errors) were accounted for using fuzzy matching patterns that tolerate common OCR substitutions (D/O, B/6/I3, N/M, Y/C).

For R1 gap analysis, each document's R1 stamp on page 0 was treated as the starting page number, and the document's total page count was used to determine the R1 range it occupies. For EFTA\_gap analysis, each individual page's stamp was used directly since the EFTA\_ numbers increment per-page. A small number of outlier values (154 R1 numbers above 3,000,000 and 110 EFTA\_ numbers above 400,000) were excluded as likely OCR errors where extra digits were appended to the stamp. The core ranges (R1: 11-2,214,168; EFTA\_: 0-269,393) contain 99.8% of all detected stamps and are internally consistent.

## See Also

- **Missing FBI 302s: A Gap Analysis** — Detailed analysis of the 3501.xxx serial system (System 6 above), identifying specific FBI interview records that the government's own indices say exist but that do not appear in the production.
- **Corpus Inventory** — Complete evidence chain for the 1,380,937 PDFs and 2,731,785 pages that make up the EFTA production.

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# The Removed Death Investigation Documents

What 3,034 Pages of Federal Records Reveal About the Investigation of Jeffrey Epstein's Death

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## Executive Summary

Between late 2025 and early 2026, the Department of Justice removed approximately 64,000 documents from its public Epstein Files Transparency Act (EFTA) database on justice.gov. Among the removed documents are records that constitute the core federal investigation into Jeffrey Epstein's death at the Metropolitan Correctional Center on August 10, 2019.

As of February 24, 2026, **16 death investigation documents totaling approximately 1,987 pages remain offline.** Two additional documents — the BOP Psychological Reconstruction (1,000 pages) and the July 23 first incident documentation (47 pages) — were restored to justice.gov on February 24, 2026, after a period of removal.

The documents that remain removed include:

- The **FBI FD-302 death investigation serial** containing at least 11 witness interviews (476 pages)
- **BOP TRUINTEL operational logs** from the Special Housing Unit where Epstein was held (1,395 pages across two documents)
- Four copies of the **BOP Form 583 incident report** for the death (88 pages total)
- FBI interviews with three BOP officers about the **cellmate chain-of-command failure** (15 pages)
- The **OIG evidence disposition memo** documenting 18 hard drives seized from MCC's camera system (2 pages)
- The **OIG forensic examination** of a correctional officer's phones that exonerated him (2 pages)
- The FBI's **one-page death investigation timeline**
- The **MCC SHU inmate roster** and the guards' **indictment press release email**

The EFTA's stated exceptions for withholding documents are: child sexual abuse material, victim personally identifying information, active law enforcement investigations, classified national security information, and images depicting the death or sexual abuse of a victim. None of these exceptions apply to institutional records about the investigation of a death inside a federal prison. No victims were housed at MCC New York.

The text of all these documents — including the period during which they were removed — is preserved in the **full text corpus** and summarized below.

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## The Three Federal Investigations

Three separate federal investigations examined Epstein's death, each with a different scope and set of conclusions:

### 1. The FBI Death Investigation (August 2019 – ongoing)

FBI case number 90A-NY-3151227, opened with Epstein classified as the **victim** and the subject listed as "UNSUB(S)" — unknown subject(s). The FBI conducted witness interviews, collected physical evidence, and coordinated with the medical examiner. The New York City Office of the Chief Medical Examiner ruled the death a suicide by hanging. ([EFTA00132208](#), p. 0 | [OCR](#))

### 2. The DOJ Office of Inspector General Investigation (August 2019 – June 2023)

The OIG conducted a four-year investigation and published its **127-page report** on June 27, 2023, finding "numerous and serious failures" by MCC staff. ([CNN](#), [Washington Post](#)) The OIG report remains available both on the OIG website and as [EFTA01656708](#) on justice.gov.

### 3. The SDNY Criminal Prosecution of MCC Guards (November 2019 – January 2022)

Correctional Officers Tova Noel and Michael Thomas were **indicted** in November 2019 for falsifying prison records. In May 2021, both entered deferred prosecution agreements requiring 100 hours of community service. Charges were **dismissed** in January 2022. ([NPR](#))

Additionally, in early 2025, the FBI conducted an **evidence review** of all seized materials from the Epstein investigation, reporting to Director Patel and Deputy Director Bongino that "no videos of any sexual abuse [were] identified at any point in the investigation" ([EFTA00164742](#), p. 0). The review also documented that MCC had **147 cameras** capturing **8.08 TB of data**, but "the cameras in the Special Housing Unit, where Epstein was located, were not active at the time" ([EFTA00164855](#), p. 0).

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## Chronology of the Death Investigation

The following timeline is reconstructed from the removed documents themselves, cross-referenced with the publicly available OIG report and court filings. Each entry cites its source.

### July 6, 2019: Arrest and Intake

Epstein was arrested at Teterboro Airport returning from Paris and entered MCC New York at 9:24 p.m.

He was initially placed in general population. (EFTA00041963, p. 5)

The next evening, he was moved to the Special Housing Unit (SHU) at approximately 7:20 p.m. due to media coverage and inmate awareness of his identity. The TRUIINTEL log records his arrival: "Inmate: 76318054 - EPSTEIN, JEFFREY" with a visual search conducted at 7:21 p.m. (EFTA00120887, p. 56 | OCR)

### **July 8-10: Intake Screening Failures**

Epstein's intake psychological screening was delayed beyond the required 24-hour window. Dr. Kari Schlessinger completed a Risk of Sexual Abusiveness document with an inaccurate affirmative mark for "History of prior prison sexual predation." Epstein was placed on Psychological Observation. (EFTA00041963, p. 6)

He was removed from Psychological Observation on July 10.

### **July 18: Bail Denial**

Epstein was denied bail. The BOP Psychological Reconstruction identifies this as "a significant disappointment" that "likely challenged his ability and willingness to adapt to incarceration." Despite BOP policy requiring psychological assessment after adverse legal events (the PSY ALERT protocol), no psychologist assessed him afterward. (EFTA00041963, p. 8)

### **July 23, 2019: The First Incident**

At approximately 1:27 a.m., officers responded to noise from M Tier in the SHU. The TRUIINTEL log entry, written by the responding officer, records:

*"At approximately 1:27 AM Officer Masullo and I heard some noise coming from M Tier. When responding we observed Inmate Epstein reg# 76318-054 with a handmade orange rope around his neck. I immediately called for Staff assistance to control center. Officer Masullo provided assistance to Inmate Epstein while I searched his cellmate Inmate Tartaglione reg# 78514-054. When additional staff arrived inmate Epstein was removed from the unit without further incident."*

(EFTA00120887, p. 159 | OCR)

Epstein's cellmate was Nicholas Tartaglione (Reg. #78514-054), a former police officer charged with quadruple murder. There is a documented discrepancy in descriptions of the item: the TRUIINTEL log calls it a "handmade orange rope," while Officer Silva's memorandum describes "a piece of handmade orange cloth" (EFTA00041963, p. 12).

Inmate Frederico Rancier-Medrano, housed on the same tier, told the FBI he heard the commotion:

"The guy's cellmate was screaming and banging on the cell door to get the SHU Officers' attention."

Medrano reported that Tartaglione's cellmate said "he thought the guy had died." (EFTA00132208, pp. 197-198 | OCR)

Epstein's own account was inconsistent. He told the psychologist he was "fearful to return to his cell with TARTAGLIONE because TARTAGLIONE had called him a pedophile" and that

"TARTAGLIONE had been playing with a bedsheet before EPSTEIN fell asleep, and then next thing EPSTEIN remembered was waking up snoring." (EFTA00132208, p. 60 | OCR)

The MCC Chief Psychologist told the FBI she "was not any clearer on which of her hypotheses might have been true. EPSTEIN could have been using his charm to create doubt about what happened."

(EFTA00132208, p. 60 | OCR)

The BOP incident report coding the July 23 event as "228 - Self Mutilation" was **expunged** by August 15, 2019. The BOP Psychological Reconstruction notes: "it is unclear why it had been expunged and whether Mr. Epstein knew this." (EFTA00041963, p. 7)

Medrano also told the FBI that guards mocked Epstein: "Officers would say that he could buy his freedom." (EFTA00132208, p. 197 | OCR)

### **July 23-29: Suicide Watch and Removal**

Epstein was placed on formal Suicide Watch at approximately 1:40 a.m. on July 23. He was removed

after **31 hours and 5 minutes** and stepped down to Psychological Observation on July 24.

(EFTA00132208, p. 95 | OCR)

Every BOP psychology assessment rated his chronic suicide risk as "**Absent.**" Acute risk was "Low" on July 9, stepped up to "Moderate" on July 23 (the night of the incident), then returned to "Low" on July 24 — where it remained through the final assessment on August 1, nine days before his death.

(EFTA00132208, pp. 77, 82, 93, 96, 111 | OCR)

On two occasions, July 26 and 27, Epstein "described himself as a coward and as someone who does not like pain." (EFTA00041963, p. 9)

On July 28, he told Dr. Imeri that the toilet in his cell "would not stop flushing for an extended period of time," and he "took to sitting in the corner with his hands over his ears." He complained of numbness in his right arm and neck. (EFTA00041963, p. 9)

On July 29, Epstein was presented with a choice: remain in Psychological Observation without his CPAP machine (the cord was not permitted), or return to the SHU with it. He "chose to stay in Psychological Observation one more night" without it, then returned to the SHU on July 30 with his CPAP. (EFTA00132208, p. 61 | OCR)

### **August 9, 2019: The Cellmate Gap and the Phone Call**

After the July 23 incident, BOP policy required Epstein to have a cellmate at all times. Efrain Reyes (Reg. #85993-054) was assigned as the replacement cellmate. On August 9, Reyes was transferred to court for a hearing in his own case and did not return. (EFTA00132208, p. 17 | OCR)

Staff were informed at approximately 1:50 p.m. that the cellmate would likely not return. A lieutenant told the FBI he "informed his direct subordinate that EPSTEIN needed another bunkie. They were short staffed that day." The subordinate replied: "I got it." No new cellmate was ever assigned. The message "was spread by word of mouth" — no emails or other communications documented the handoff.

(EFTA00132208, p. 48 | OCR)

The same lieutenant also advised that "Corrections Officer THOMAS didn't receive the training."

(EFTA00132208, p. 48 | OCR)

That same day, thousands of documents were unsealed in the *Giuffre v. Maxwell* civil defamation case.

**The phone call.** That evening, Epstein terminated his legal visit early to make a phone call. According to the BOP Psychological Reconstruction:

*"Mr. Bullock (who was the Institutional Duty Officer that week) escorted Mr. Epstein to SHU around 7:00 p.m. that evening and he was placed in the shower area on G tier. While there, he was provided the telephone to make a call. Since Mr. Epstein reportedly did not have his PAC or PIN number, which is required to use the inmate telephone system, the Unit Manager placed the call, dialing a number that reportedly began with area code 347. Mr. Epstein told Mr. Bullock he was calling his mother who, according to public records, has been deceased since 2004."*

(EFTA00041963, p. 14)

A congressional OIG interview transcript provides additional details. A retired BOP Regional Director testified:

*"This call was done on an unmonitored line. [...] It is extremely concerning why this call would have been placed, and why it would be done on an unmonitored line."*

The transcript also reveals that when the Unit Manager dialed the 347 number, "**a man answered**" — despite Epstein's claim that he was calling his mother. The Unit Manager "handed the phone to Epstein, and then left for the day." He "did not specifically instruct anyone of them to monitor the phone call."

(EFTA00061927, pp. 62-64)

A second OIG witness characterized the phone call's significance: "It could have potentially led to the incident, but we don't, we will never know." (EFTA00115642, p. 67)

Public reporting has identified the call recipient as **Karyna Shuliak**, described as Epstein's girlfriend and a primary estate beneficiary. (Yahoo News)

The BOP Reconstruction also notes: "a review of financial transactions associated with Mr. Epstein's prison account revealed one of his attorneys was depositing funds into his cellmate's (inmate Reyes) commissary account for unknown reasons." (EFTA00041963, p. 7)

The FBI's one-page death investigation timeline records only two entries for August 9: "Epstein's cellmate Efrain Reyes released" and "Epstein last observed on video returning to Special Housing Unit (SHU) at approximately 7:49pm." (EFTA00163686, p. 0 | OCR)

### **August 10, 2019: Discovery**

At approximately 6:33 a.m., a body alarm was activated in the SHU. Officers found Epstein unresponsive in cell #220 on L Tier. (EFTA00109863, p. 9 | OCR)

Clinical Nurse J. Ono's memorandum, filed that morning:

*"On Saturday, Aug 10, 2019, at approximately 0633 a.m., I responded to a medical emergency 9S, upon arrival Inmate (EPSTEIN, J. Reg #: 76318-054) was received on the floor of his cell unresponsive with CPR in progress by correctional officers, Inmate was Cold, with circumferential Bruising around the neck and posterior mottling, Pupils Fixed and dilated, No Palpable pulses were felt."*

An AED was placed — no shock was advised. The cardiac monitor showed **asystole** (flat line). Paramedics intubated Epstein and administered three rounds of epinephrine. He was transported to New York Presbyterian – Lower Manhattan Hospital at approximately 7:10 a.m. and pronounced dead at 7:36 a.m. (EFTA00109863, p. 12 | OCR)

Inmate Johnny Contreras, housed on L Tier, provided an eyewitness account to the FBI:

*"The Guard then tried to pick up EPSTEIN from behind, with his arms wrapped around EPSTEIN. Both the Guard and EPSTEIN fell back to the floor, with EPSTEIN falling to the side of the Guard. [...] The Guard then started giving EPSTEIN chest compressions and mouth-to-mouth. At this point the Guard said 'Fuck!' and asked the female Guard, who was standing near the L Tier gate, if she had pressed the button. The female Guard said 'Yeah, a long time ago.'"*

Contreras also told the FBI that "EPSTEIN did not have any marks around his neck and he didn't see a rope around EPSTEIN's neck," and that his cellmate "made a comment that EPSTEIN didn't hang himself because he didn't have the typical injuries." (EFTA00132208, p. 173 | OCR)

A Lieutenant at the hospital "instructed the escorting staff not to speak to anyone and or the media in regards to the situation" and "directed my staff to tell anyone making inquiries, to direct their questions to the MCC NY Public Relations Officer." (EFTA00109863, p. 13 | OCR)

The OCME took custody of the remains at 12:57 p.m. (EFTA00109863, p. 14 | OCR)

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## **The Institutional Failures**

The removed documents reveal a cascading series of institutional failures that, taken together, describe an environment in which effective monitoring was essentially absent.

### **SENTRY Records Chaos**

At the time of Epstein's death, the BOP's SENTRY computer system — the official record of inmate cell assignments — showed **three inmates** assigned to his double-occupancy cell: "Inmate Patrick Avila (#86710-054), inmate Gregory Ferrer (#79793-054), and Mr. Epstein." Neither Avila nor Ferrer was actually housed there. Meanwhile, SENTRY "never shows him in this cell" — the system did not reflect Epstein's actual location in cell 220L. (EFTA00041963, p. 16)

### **Monitoring Failures**

The BOP Psychological Reconstruction documented that during Epstein's time on Psychological Observation following the July 23 incident, **179 out of 183 required round signatures were missing** (97.8%). A lieutenant was required to sign the log book once per shift; signatures were missing

in 10 of 23 instances. A Physician Assistant was required to sign once per shift; **all 16 of 16 signatures were missing** — a 100% failure rate. (EFTA00041963, p. 14)

The MCC Captain told the FBI that the TRUSCOPE electronic logging system — which records when officers complete rounds — had "**no entries of counts in TRUSCOPE the entire night**" of August 9-10. (EFTA00039972, p. 5)

The MCC Chief Psychologist told the FBI she "was unaware regular rounds by the correctional officers were not being completed. She is considered executive staff, so officers would not tell her they were not being completed, and inmates wouldn't tell her because of fear of retaliation by the guards." (EFTA00132208, p. 62 | OCR)

## Log Book Manipulation

The BOP Reconstruction documents an instance of evidence manipulation: an officer on Suicide Watch used the wrong log book. A Drug Treatment Specialist subsequently "hand copied all of Officer [redacted]'s entries from 1:40 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. into a Staff Suicide Watch Log Book. She then initialed these entries, and this makes it appear as if she was the one conducting the watch." She then added entries for "6:15, 6:30, 6:45 and 7:00 a.m." — entries that "were not a part of the original entries" and for shifts she was "not assigned to work." This was discovered via an internal email on August 12, 2019. (EFTA00041963, p. 663)

Additionally, four attorney visit log books "could not be accounted for" after the death. "Staff could not explain their logging system." (EFTA00041963, p. 16)

## The Cellmate Policy Failure

A unit manager told the FBI that the requirement for Epstein to have a cellmate at all times was "not provided in writing" and was "passed by word of mouth." (EFTA00135165 | OCR)

A lieutenant who had been on duty told the FBI he did not inform the relieving shift that Epstein was without a cellmate. (EFTA00135513 | OCR)

A BOP captain told the FBI he directed that Epstein "needed a cellmate at all times" after the July 23 incident. (EFTA00135207 | OCR)

The chain broke at each link: the order was verbal, the handoff was incomplete, the subordinate who said "I got it" did not follow through, and neither of the officers on duty that night (Noel and Thomas) were told.

## The Camera System

DVR 2, which stored SHU security camera footage, experienced a hard disk failure on July 29, 2019 — twelve days before the death. The failure was not discovered until August 8. It was not repaired by August 10. The OIG found that "nearly all cameras in and around the SHU failed to record starting late July 2019." (OIG Report, pp. 73-82)

The OIG evidence disposition memo (dated December 19, 2024) documents that the OIG eventually seized "**18 Hard Drives seized from MCC New York NICE VISION Camera System**" along with DVR system components, round sheets, personnel files, suicide watch logs, and Epstein's CPAP machine. The camera hardware was seized on May 3, 2022 — nearly three years after the death. The evidence was transferred to BOP custody at Metropolitan Detention Center Brooklyn.

(EFTA00123409 | OCR)

## The Guards

The daily assignment roster for August 10, 2019, shows both Officers Noel and Thomas assigned to overnight SHU posts on **overtime** — not their regular assignment. Noel was simultaneously listed under "Sick Leave." (EFTA00109863, p. 24 | OCR)

A Lieutenant told the FBI that the two officers "admitted to her they did not complete rounds, the 3:00 AM and 5:00 AM counts, and that Officer [redacted] entered EPSTEIN's cell without supervision." (EFTA00039972, p. 4)

The OIG forensic examination of CO Thomas's personal phones (three Samsung Galaxy S9 devices)

found **no unauthorized communications** with inmates, media, or outside parties. This document, which exonerated Thomas of a specific line of inquiry, was among those removed from justice.gov. (EFTA00087827 | OCR)

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## The Aftermath

### Document Shredding

Six days after Epstein's death, a federal corrections officer at MCC called the FBI's National Threat Operations Center (NTOC) to report that a BOP After-Actions team was destroying records:

*"[He] helped throw the bags of shredded papers, around 4 or 5 bags, [was bringing them through] the gate to throw into the dumpster."*

The officer reported that a staff member told him: "Make sure you get that box too." The next day, another bag of shredded materials was brought to the dumpster. The officer reported the staff "were very nice to him, but they wouldn't let him leave the area." He warned: "if anyone cares about what was shredded, it needs picked up before Monday by 8am."

(EFTA00068331, pp. 0-1)

The same day, the OIG forwarded an independent corroboration to the U.S. Attorney's office:

*"He stated that members of the BOP after action team that were investigating what happened with the Epstein suicide were shredding boxes of paperwork. He stated, 'they are shredding everything.'"*

(EFTA00078396)

Within 43 minutes, a prosecutor at the Southern District of New York responded: "Can we take a look at the dumpster ASAP to see if the paper is still in there? Possible they didn't dump it yet."

(EFTA00092927)

The EFTA corpus shows that prosecutors subsequently researched **18 U.S.C. § 1519** — the federal obstruction statute governing destruction of records in connection with a federal investigation — indicating they considered whether the shredding constituted a crime. (EFTA00089106)

No charges were filed in connection with the shredding.

### The BOP Psychological Reconstruction

The BOP produced its mandated "Psychological Reconstruction of Inmate Death" per Program Statement 5324.08, prepared by the National Suicide Prevention Coordinator. The document, transmitted on October 4, 2019, was explicitly labeled an **"interim report"** because:

- **No formal interviews were conducted** to avoid interfering with the FBI and OIG investigations
  - **No video was available** — the FBI had confiscated all footage before the reconstruction began
- The report acknowledged that these absences "severely limited the ability to establish accurate timelines, confirm subjective reports, establish converging and diverging lines of facts."

(EFTA00041963, p. 5)

The reconstruction made **13 formal recommendations** addressing systemic failures including: mandatory double-celling for inmates with mental health histories, inclusion of psychologists in cellmate decisions, accuracy in documentation, monitoring of phone calls, post-bail-denial assessments, inmate accountability in SENTRY, securing of attorney log books, and staffing improvements.

The New York Times obtained the core 15-page report through FOIA litigation and **published it in November 2021**. The EFTA version is a 1,000-page production that includes the core report embedded within hundreds of BOP internal emails, media inquiries, Google Alerts, staff communications, and suicide watch log entries. This document was removed from justice.gov and subsequently **restored on February 24, 2026**. (CNN, November 2021)

### The Staffing Crisis

The removed staff rosters and TRUINTEL logs reveal the scale of MCC's operational dysfunction. The

July 23 staff roster shows only 113 correctional services staff with 9 AWOL. Rosters are filled with extensive overtime entries ("OT"), unassigned posts, and sick leave notations. An independent expert report embedded within the BOP reconstruction (prepared for a British solicitor in the Motiwala extradition case) stated that MCC had a population of **763 in a facility designed for 474**, with staff working 60-70 hour weeks and less than 70% of needed correctional officers on duty. (EFTA00041963, pp. 225-240)

## What Was Removed vs. What Remains

The pattern of removal separates the **official conclusions** from the **underlying evidence**:

### Still Available on justice.gov

Document	EFTA	Pages	Content
OIG Investigation Report	EFTA01656708	128	The public summary of findings
FBI Case Summary	EFTA01656152	20	FBI briefing document
Noel/Thomas Indictment	EFTA00010968	20	The public charging document
Minute-by-Minute Timeline	EFTA00033799	4	Death night chronology
Medical Emergency Records	EFTA00033611, EFTA00033613	3	Clinical encounter, medical memo
OIG Interviews (Phone Call)	EFTA00061927, EFTA00115642	211	Congressional OIG testimony about the unmonitored call
FBI Crisis Intake (Shredding)	EFTA00068331	2	"4-5 bags of shredded documents"
Shredding Follow-up Emails	EFTA00078396, EFTA00092927	2	OIG forward and USAO response
2025 FBI Evidence Review	EFTA00164742, EFTA00164855	4	"No videos of any sexual abuse"
TRUSCOPE Count Failure 302	EFTA00039972	6	"No entries of counts in TRUSCOPE the entire night"

### Restored to justice.gov (February 24, 2026)

Two death investigation documents that had been removed were restored on February 24, 2026:

Document	EFTA	Pages	Content
BOP Psychological Reconstruction	EFTA00041963	1,000	The institutional death analysis + BOP email ecosystem
July 23 Incident Documentation	EFTA00139555	47	First suicide attempt records

### Removed from justice.gov (verified February 24, 2026)

The following 16 documents return HTTP 404 with the Last-Modified: Tue, 02 Sep 2025 removal fingerprint:

Document	EFTA	Pages	Content
BOP TRUINTEL Logs (Facility)	EFTA00053963 (OCR)	1,000	Real-time operational logs, July 1 – Aug 19, 2019
FBI FD-302 Death	EFTA00132208 (OCR)	476	11+ FBI interviews, BOP

Document	EFTA	Pages	Content
Serial			institutional records
BOP TRUINTEL Logs (SHU)	EFTA00120887 (OCR)	395	SHU-filtered operational logs
Form 583 Incident Reports (×4)	EFTA00120010 (OCR), EFTA00109863 (OCR), EFTA00134560 (OCR), EFTA00137619 (OCR)	88	Official BOP death incident reports
FBI 302: BOP Lieutenant	EFTA00135513 (OCR)	3	Did not tell next shift about missing cellmate
FBI 302: BOP Captain	EFTA00135207 (OCR)	6	Directed cellmate-at-all-times policy
FBI 302: Unit Manager	EFTA00135165 (OCR)	6	"Not provided in writing... word of mouth"
OIG Evidence Disposition	EFTA00123409 (OCR)	2	18 hard drives seized from camera system
OIG: CO Thomas Phone Exam	EFTA00087827 (OCR)	2	Phones examined, no unauthorized communications
OCME Body Bag Tag	EFTA00109945 (OCR)	1	Medical examiner identification tag
FBI Death Timeline	EFTA00163686 (OCR)	1	7 bullet points summarizing investigation
MCC SHU Roster	EFTA00140243 (OCR)	3	SHU inmate roster, August 6, 2019
Guards' Indictment Email	EFTA00017935 (OCR)	4	Internal AUSA email forwarding press release

**Total still removed: ~1,987 pages across 16 documents.**

The pattern is notable. The documents that remain available on justice.gov — or have been restored — include the official summaries: the OIG report, the indictment, the FBI briefing, and the BOP Psychological Reconstruction (restored February 24). The documents that remain removed are the underlying evidence: the FBI witness interviews, the operational logs, the incident reports, the staff rosters, and the medical records. A reader can learn what the government concluded. They cannot read the evidence that supports — or complicates — those conclusions.

## The Broader Removal Context

The removal of death investigation documents occurs within a larger pattern. As documented in the [DOJ Document Removal Audit](#), an authenticated scan of all EFTA documents on justice.gov found approximately **67,784 confirmed 404 responses**, with a statistical estimate of roughly **64,000 genuinely removed documents** (95% CI: 62,940-65,578). The vast majority — 65,778 of the confirmed 404s — are from Dataset 9.

Separately, [NPR reported on February 24, 2026](#) that the DOJ removed or withheld dozens of pages specifically related to sexual abuse accusations against President Trump, including FBI interview notes and witness records. Attorney General Pam Bondi and Deputy Attorney General Todd Blanche stated that no records were withheld "on the basis of embarrassment, reputational harm, or political sensitivity."

The restoration of two death investigation documents on February 24, 2026 — the same day NPR

published its report on the removal of Trump-related documents — demonstrates that the DOJ can and does restore individual documents. The 16 that remain offline represent the raw evidentiary record: the FBI interviews, the operational logs, the incident reports, and the medical records.

The EFTA's five stated exceptions for withholding — child sexual abuse material, victim personally identifying information, active law enforcement investigations, classified national security information, and images depicting the death or sexual abuse of a victim — do not account for the removal of BOP operational logs, FBI witness interviews about a death inside a federal prison, or institutional incident reports. No victims of sex trafficking were housed at MCC New York.

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## Cross-References

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This report synthesizes material that overlaps with several previously published analyses:

- **Correctional Death Investigation (PQG Line 09)**: Maps 24 death-related grand jury subpoenas, 42 unfulfilled demand clauses across 6 MCC institutional subpoenas, and the Kearins records-destruction probe. Focuses on subpoena compliance rather than document contents.
  - **The 4chan Paramedic Investigation**: Reconstructs the 4chan leak, the full death night minute-by-minute timeline, the guards' prosecution from indictment through dismissal, and the FBI's digital evidence collection (Reddit, YouTube, 4chan).
  - **Congressional Addendum**: Covers the unmonitored phone call, the document shredding, TRUSCOPE count failures, the NARA whistleblower, and the 2025 FBI evidence review.
  - **DOJ Document Removal Audit**: The statistical methodology and results for the full-scale removal audit.
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## External Sources

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Claim	Source
OIG report released June 27, 2023 finding "numerous and serious failures"	<a href="#">OIG Official Release</a>
OIG report coverage	<a href="#">CNN</a> , <a href="#">Washington Post</a>
Guards' DPA (May 2021), charges dropped (January 2022)	<a href="#">NPR</a> , <a href="#">NBC News</a>
BOP Psychological Reconstruction obtained by NYT via FOIA (November 2021)	<a href="#">Wikisource</a> , <a href="#">CNN</a>
Unmonitored phone call recipient identified as Karyna Shuliak	<a href="#">Yahoo News</a>
Efrain Reyes died of COVID-19 on November 27, 2020	<a href="#">Prison Legal News</a>
AG Barr personally questioned Reyes after Epstein's death	<a href="#">Tampa Bay Times</a>
DOJ removed documents related to Trump accusations	<a href="#">NPR (Feb. 24, 2026)</a>
DOJ stated no records withheld for "embarrassment, reputational harm, or political sensitivity"	<a href="#">NPR (Feb. 24, 2026)</a>
Paula Epstein (Jeffrey Epstein's mother) died 2004	Public records, referenced in <a href="#">EFTA00041963</a>

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## Methodological Notes

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1. **Source material**: All document text is drawn from the full text corpus database containing OCR-extracted text from the EFTA production. Quoted passages were verified against the database before

inclusion.

2. **Removal verification:** Document removal status was determined via authenticated HTTP HEAD requests to justice.gov using Playwright to bypass the DOJ's age verification gate and Akamai bot detection. All 18 EFTAs initially flagged in CONFIRMED\_REMOVED.csv were re-verified on February 24, 2026. Two (EFTA00041963 and EFTA00139555) returned HTTP 200 with application/pdf and a Last-Modified date of February 24, 2026 — indicating they were restored that day. The remaining 16 returned HTTP 404 with Last-Modified: Tue, 02 Sep 2025 and Content-Length: 20, the genuine removal fingerprint documented in the DOJ Document Removal Audit.
3. **OCR limitations:** Some quoted passages contain minor OCR artifacts (e.g., "l" for "I", "comer" for "corner"). Where OCR corruption affects meaning, alternate copies of the same text (the BOP Psychological Reconstruction appears multiple times within its 1,000-page production) were used for cross-verification.
4. **Scope:** This report covers documents directly related to the investigation of Epstein's death at MCC. Other removed documents — including the Operation Leap Year grand jury presentation (EFTA00192670, 77 pages) and the NPA negotiation timeline (EFTA00224943, 51 pages) — are removed but outside the scope of this report.
5. **What this report does not do:** This report does not advance a theory about the cause or manner of Epstein's death. The New York City Medical Examiner ruled the death a suicide by hanging. This report documents what the federal investigation records contain and the fact that they were removed from public access.
6. **Victim privacy:** No victim names or identifying information appear in this report. The death investigation documents concern Epstein, MCC staff, and institutional operations.

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*The full text of all cited documents is available at [epstein-data.com/full\\_text\\_corpus](https://epstein-data.com/full_text_corpus). This analysis relies on Claude Code running Opus 4.6, which can make mistakes.*


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Drafted by Epstein's Private Attorney for the Governor

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# USVI Financial Services Legislation: A 284-Page Bill Drafted by Epstein's Private Attorney for the Governor

## Executive Summary

Between August and December 2016, William Blum — a partner at Solomon Blum Heymann LLP, a New York firm at 40 Wall Street — drafted a 284-page bill titled the "**Virgin Islands Financial Services Improvement and Corporate Modernization Act**" for submission to the USVI Legislature under Governor Kenneth Mapp's name. The bill was designed to position the U.S. Virgin Islands as an onshore alternative to offshore financial centers such as the Cayman Islands, BVI, Bermuda, and Channel Islands by creating statutory trust vehicles with automatic tax exemptions and asset protection features modeled on South Dakota, Alaska, Nevada, and New Hampshire law.

Blum did not send the drafts to the Governor. He sent them to Jeffrey Epstein — a registered sex offender — who forwarded them to Governor Mapp. The email correspondence, preserved across multiple EFTA documents, shows Epstein acting as the sole intermediary between his private attorney and the sitting Governor throughout the four-month drafting process.

This investigation was separately reported — in a different context — by media outlets including [NBC News](#), [Law & Crime](#), and [Fox Business](#), which documented Epstein's attorneys drafting *sex offender monitoring* legislation in 2011-2012. The financial services legislation described here is an entirely different bill, drafted four years later, by a different attorney, for a different governor, and has not been previously reported.

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## The Attorney

William Blum's professional biography, published on his firm's website ([Solomon Blum Heymann LLP](#)), states that he served as counsel to the USVI Governor from 1981 to 1984, during which time he "authored the legislation establishing the USVI's foreign sales corporation and exempt company laws" and "drafted initial regulations" for the Virgin Islands Economic Development Commission (EDC) tax exemption program. These are the foundational statutes that enabled entities like Epstein's Financial Trust Company and Southern Trust Company to claim 90% income tax exemptions in the USVI. Blum is simultaneously listed as Of Counsel at [Kellerhals Ferguson Kroblin PLLC](#), the St. Thomas firm that served as Epstein's primary USVI legal team and subsequently administered the Epstein estate. His Kellerhals bio describes him as "the foremost expert on the utilization of the U.S. Virgin Islands as a tax haven for non-U.S. persons."

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## The Bill

The bill's contents are known only from the drafting correspondence. The 284-page document itself was transmitted as an email attachment and was not extracted into the EFTA text corpus. What follows is reconstructed from the cover emails between Blum, Epstein, and — in one instance — Governor Mapp.

### Purpose

On August 23, 2016, Blum wrote to Epstein (copying Erika Kellerhals of Kellerhals Ferguson Kroblin):

*"Attached for your review and comment is our memo constituting the first part of our analysis regarding the possibility of establishing the VI as a jurisdiction where large US corporations could move their asset holding subsidiaries presently located in other foreign jurisdictions such as Ireland or other offshore locations such as Bermuda, BVI, Cayman, Channel Islands, etc. The focus of the memo is on IRC sections 367 and 1248."  
(EFTA02454259)*

In the same email, Blum described the statutory trust component:

*"I am cleaning up the draft statutory trust legislation prepared for the Governor by Peter Hiebert. Peter's draft of this legislation was lifted directly from Delaware (which is good). The initial changes I am making relate to putting it in proper VI legislative form, as well as making substantive changes to adopt provisions of the law of other jurisdictions (or new provisions) that are more favorable than those of Delaware. Asset protection is the main focus there and the jurisdictions we are primarily looking at in this regard are South Dakota, Alaska, New Hampshire, Nevada, and Cayman Islands."*

Blum also described the tax structure:

*"We are trying to work out a method by which the tax exemption for these entities will be automatic for some purposes/owner, i.e., no approval of an agency such as the EDC required; rather the exemption would be statutory if requirements are met like with USVI exempt companies."*

Epstein replied: "when will you have the draft. we need a fully examined bill ready by third week of sept?"

### Epstein's Trust Provisions

On September 15, 2016, Epstein sent Blum an eight-point list of trust features to incorporate into the bill:

1. Quiet Trusts vs. Trusts with obligation of Trustee to disclose to beneficiaries
2. Divided or Directed Trusts
3. Decanting
4. Reformation and modification

5. Dynasty Trusts
6. Self-settled asset protection trusts
7. Income and principal division

(Item 3 is missing from the OCR; the numbering jumps from 2 to 4 in the source document.)  
(EFTA02042877)

## Tax Provisions

In his September 20, 2016 response to Epstein's list, Blum wrote:

*"I have also drafted a provision to eliminate the 'Obama care tax' (formally known as the Net Investment Income Tax) with respect to USVI source interest and dividends in the future as well as some provisions to assist in enforcement of the tax with respect to past years (the tax started in 2013). Apparently, a lot of taxpayers have not been paying it arguing that it is not mirrored." (EFTA02042877)*

Blum added:

*"But this also brings up again the issue of an equivalent of PR Act 22 to eliminate all taxes on VI source capital gains (at least on personal property) and other passive income to the extent allowed by the IRC. In PR this only applies to newcomers. We need to talk about this."*

Puerto Rico's **Act 22** (now Act 60) provides 0% capital gains tax to new residents of the island. Blum was considering whether the USVI should adopt an equivalent provision.

## The Apple/Ireland Model

The bill's subject line in the email thread was "Virgin Islands Financial Services Improvement and Corporate Modernization Act." On September 13, 2016, when Epstein asked whether the bill addressed "inbound and outbound to the u.s.? 367 etc, or exit tax?", Blum replied:

*"Not yet. I am waiting on input from Peter and Barry on both of those issues, especially the exit tax. We need to understand, fairly precisely, how Apple/Microsoft, et al. are being taxed in Ireland in order to try to replicate that, if we can, in the VI." (EFTA01782906)*

The attorneys involved in this analysis were Peter Hiebert (who drafted the initial statutory trust provisions based on Delaware law) and Barry Hart (who worked on exit tax and Irish corporate tax replication). Blum noted they "have promised some input from contacts who may know those types of details."

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## The Intermediary Pattern

### The Drafting Process (August–October 2016)

Throughout the four-month drafting period, Blum sent all drafts to Epstein. The correspondence shows Blum explicitly controlling when the Governor would see the legislation.

**September 8, 2016:** Epstein emails Blum and Kellerhals with a one-word message: "draft?" Blum replies:

*"Preliminary by end of day tomorrow. Which I will send to you and Peter Hiebert so you can start to read it, but please don't send it to anyone, including the Governor." (EFTA01782654)*

Blum continued: "I expect a fully proofread and more perfected version by middle of next week and that one could be circulated more widely for review in advance of a 'final' version, to incorporate changes and comments, which presumably would be ready for the Governor before the end of the month."

**September 13, 2016:** Blum sends Epstein the "First Draft," stating: "I am also going to share this now with Peter Hiebert and Barry Hart as well as with others in our firm who have worked on the bill." He adds: "I expect that Peter and Barry, as well as other attorneys in both firms will have some further

suggestions which we will need to incorporate in future drafts before we send it on to the Governor." (EFTA01782906)

**October 8, 2016:** Blum sends version 7 — 284 pages — writing:

*"This is the latest version. Main differences from prior drafts is a revised title 15, section 1423 re tax exemptions for statutory trusts (pp 45-36) — which Barry and Peter have essentially signed off on -- as well as inclusion of uniform principal and income act (starts at p. 100) which is standard. Other changes were just clean up. Except for repatriation, we are almost done I think." (EFTA02448555)*

*"I am reserving space at the end (p. 284) to add the repatriation stuff — once we decide what we are doing on that."*

## **The Transmittal to the Governor**

**October 18, 2016:** Blum sends Epstein a proposed transmittal letter — written as if from the Governor to the Legislature:

*"Attached is the proposed transmittal letter to the Legislature from the Governor. I tried to draft it as a mostly 'political' document, as opposed to the Explanation section of the bill itself which is more technical and 'explanatory.' Please give me any comments."*

(EFTA01738723)

*"Please note that I have not yet included the repatriation provisions in the letter because (1) I have not drafted them yet, and (2) I am unsure of how you think the Governor will want to handle that issue politically."*

This sentence is notable: Blum asks Epstein — not the Governor — how the Governor will want to handle a political issue.

Blum also described his concept for the repatriation provisions: "my thought about how to draft the repatriation provisions is to establish a special type of statutory trust that requires a very large capital investment, the 25 employees we talked about, and the requirement that the trust and its assets remain in the USVI for a minimum period of time, etc."

**October 23, 2016:** Epstein forwards Blum's "Legislation" email to Governor Kenneth E. Mapp, adding: "see you tues?"

**October 24, 2016:** Governor Mapp replies to Epstein: "Got it, thanks."

(EFTA01738723)

## **The Follow-Up (November–December 2016)**

**November 22, 2016:** Blum writes to Epstein: "Do you know what the status of the legislation is with the Governor?"

**December 7, 2016:** Blum follows up again: "Hi, Jeff. Can you give me any update on this?"

Epstein replies: "ill see the governor tomorw"

Blum responds: "OK. Please let me know his plans/timing for this. I can be available, of course, for questions, etc."

The email subject line throughout this thread is "Financial Services/trust/repatriation legislation."

(EFTA01787145)

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## **The Epstein-Mapp Relationship**

The legislation was not drafted in a vacuum. The broader email corpus documents an established relationship between Epstein and Governor Mapp, facilitated by Cecile de Jongh — the wife of Mapp's predecessor, Governor John de Jongh Jr. (2007–2015) — who simultaneously worked as an "office manager" at Epstein's Financial Trust Company in St. Thomas.

**August 4, 2014:** While Mapp was still a candidate for governor, Cecile wrote to Epstein's assistant Lesley Groff: "I would like to set up a FTF meeting for JE with Kenn Mapp (candidate for governor of

the VI). I think the meeting should take place some time at the end of August but I need to make sure the JE is in the VI at that time." (EFTA01852880)

**March 10, 2015:** After Mapp took office in January 2015, Cecile sent Epstein a detailed intelligence briefing titled "Back Brief" — 13 bullet points on the new Governor's agenda, including appointments, federal negotiations, and fiscal condition:

*"Below are some back brief bullet points on some issues in preparation for your meeting with Mapp on Thursday. I'm not sure what the meeting is about but I wanted to give you a sense of what is happening in the community and issues that he has raised."*  
(EFTA01746665)

Among the items: the U.S. Treasury reducing the EDC residency requirement to 153 days, a White House meeting about using the HOVENSA facility as a Guantanamo replacement, and the USVI Commissioner of Finance testifying that "the GOVI only has two weeks of cash on hand."

Blum also maintained a direct relationship with Governor Mapp. In his August 23, 2016 email to Epstein, Blum noted: "I spoke with Governor Mapp about ten days ago and also I might see him when I am on island early next week" (EFTA02454259).

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## What Remains Unknown

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Several critical questions cannot be answered from the available corpus:

1. **Was the bill ever submitted to the USVI Legislature?** No evidence of submission was found in a search of USVI legislative records and news archives. The email trail ends in December 2016 with Epstein telling Blum he would see the Governor the next day.
  2. **Did any provisions of the bill become law?** Without the bill text itself — only the cover emails are in the corpus — a provision-by-provision comparison against enacted USVI legislation is not possible from these records alone.
  3. **Was the Governor aware that Blum was Epstein's attorney?** Blum had a direct relationship with Mapp ("I spoke with Governor Mapp about ten days ago") and had served as counsel to a previous USVI governor in the 1980s. Whether Mapp understood the legislation was being drafted on Epstein's behalf, or believed it was an independent policy proposal, cannot be determined from the available documents.
  4. **Who would have benefited?** The bill's features — automatic tax exemptions, asset protection trusts, repatriation incentives — would have benefited any entity or individual using the USVI as a financial domicile. Epstein's own entities (Financial Trust Company, Southern Trust Company) were among the largest beneficiaries of the existing USVI tax exemption framework that Blum himself had created in the 1980s.
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## Drafting Timeline

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Date	Event	Source
1981–1984	Blum serves as counsel to USVI Governor; authors exempt company/EDC legislation	Blum firm bios
08/04/2014	Cecile arranges Epstein meeting with candidate Mapp	EFTA01852880
01/05/2015	<b>Mapp inaugurated as Governor</b>	Public record
03/10/2015	Cecile sends Epstein "Back Brief" on Mapp's agenda	EFTA01746665
~08/13/2016	Blum speaks with Governor Mapp	EFTA02454259
08/23/2016	Blum sends Epstein memo on establishing USVI as financial	EFTA02454259

Date	Event	Source
	jurisdiction	
08/24/2016	Epstein: "we need a fully examined bill ready by third week of sept"	EFTA02454259
09/08/2016	Blum: "please don't send it to anyone, including the Governor"	EFTA01782654
09/13/2016	Blum sends "First Draft"; discusses Apple/Ireland tax replication	EFTA01782906
09/15/2016	Epstein sends 8-point trust provisions wishlist	EFTA02042877
09/20/2016	Blum drafts Net Investment Income Tax elimination	EFTA02042877
<b>10/08/2016</b>	<b>Blum sends version 7 — 284 pages</b>	<b>EFTA02448555</b>
10/18/2016	Blum drafts transmittal letter from Governor to Legislature	EFTA01738723
<b>10/23/2016</b>	<b>Epstein forwards bill to Governor Mapp: "see you tues?"</b>	<b>EFTA01738723</b>
<b>10/24/2016</b>	<b>Governor Mapp replies: "Got it, thanks"</b>	<b>EFTA01738723</b>
11/22/2016	Blum asks Epstein: "what the status of the legislation is with the Governor?"	EFTA01787145
12/07/2016	Epstein: "ill see the governor tomorw"	EFTA01787145

## Methodological Notes

- All EFTA citations were verified against the `full_text_corpus.db` database. Dataset assignments were confirmed via SQL query.
- The 284-page bill itself was transmitted as an email attachment (likely PDF) and was not extracted into the EFTA text corpus. Only the cover emails are available. All descriptions of the bill's contents are derived from what the drafters wrote about it in correspondence.
- Quoted passages from the corpus are drawn from OCR-processed text. Where OCR artifacts are obvious (e.g., = characters from quoted-printable encoding), corrections are made silently when the intended text is unambiguous from context. Original OCR text is preserved in the database and can be verified at `epstein-data.com/full_text_corpus/pages?efta_number=EFTA...`
- William Blum's professional biography is drawn from publicly available firm websites: [Solomon Blum Heymann LLP](#) and [Kellerhals Ferguson Kroblin PLLC](#).
- Cecile de Jongh's role at Epstein's Financial Trust Company and the \$200,000 wire from Southern Trust Company are documented in a Deutsche Bank presentation to SDNY prosecutors ([EFTA01681865](#) — [OCR text](#), page 36, "Exhibit P: Notable Payments to High Profile Individuals"). This document has been removed from `justice.gov`.
- The sex offender monitoring legislation drafted by Epstein's associates in 2011-2012 — reported by [NBC News](#), [Law & Crime](#), and [Fox Business](#) — is a different bill drafted by different individuals for a different governor. This report concerns financial services legislation drafted in 2016.
- No evidence was found that the bill was submitted to the USVI Legislature or enacted into law.

*This analysis relies on automated corpus search and Claude Code running Opus 4.6, which can make mistakes. All citations should be verified against the source documents.*

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# Villa Arabesque and the Boeing 727: The Jaffe Family Connection

## Executive Summary

In May 2016, the Jaffe family of Horseshoe Bay, Texas — through their aviation entity Jetran LLC — negotiated directly with Jeffrey Epstein, attorney Darren Indyke, and financial manager Richard Kahn to purchase Epstein's Boeing 727-31 (N908JE), the aircraft widely known as the "Lolita Express." The \$1.5 million deal included a \$100,000 deposit, an NDA governed by U.S. Virgin Islands law, and an aircraft inspection at Atlantic Aviation in West Palm Beach. The deal fell through in June 2016 after

engine corrosion issues.

Four years later, in July 2020, an anonymous caller phoned the FBI's National Threat Operations Center to report that **Greg Horvath and Jana Jaffe** — owners of Villa Arabesque, a 40,000-square-foot luxury estate in Acapulco, Mexico — had been involved in "drug and/or sex trafficking in the early 2000s." The tipster, who identified as a college friend of Doug Jaffe III (Jana Jaffe's nephew), described being drugged at a connected nightclub, witnessing an 11-12 year old girl "dressed scandalously" at the property, and seeing "large amounts of cocaine." The tip was assigned to the New York Field Office under the main Epstein case file (50D-NY-3027571).

The FBI closed the tip as "Information Only" in October 2021. There is no indication in the available documents that investigators connected the anonymous report about the Jaffe family to the Boeing 727 sale documents that were already serialized in the same case file.

**What's documented:** The Boeing 727 sale is proven through formal legal documents — a Letter of Intent, NDA, broker emails, and Epstein's personal directives. The FBI tip is an anonymous, unverified report that the Bureau investigated and closed. What is independently verifiable is the *connection* between the Jaffe family and Epstein's inner circle, and the FBI's apparent failure to cross-reference within its own case.

**Media coverage:** One local Texas newspaper ([DailyTrib.com](https://www.dailytrib.com), Feb 4, 2026) reported on the FBI tip. No outlet has reported on the Boeing 727 sale to the Jaffe family or the institutional failure to connect the two threads.

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## Part 1: The Boeing 727 Sale

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### The Aircraft

Boeing 727-31, Serial Number 20115, Registration N908JE — owned by **JEGE, Inc.**, a Delaware corporation controlled by Epstein. This is the same aircraft that flew between Epstein's properties in New York, Palm Beach, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and internationally, carrying passengers whose names appeared in pilot logs that became central evidence in federal investigations.

### The Letter of Intent (May 11, 2016)

On May 11, 2016, JEGE Inc. issued a formal Letter of Intent to sell the Boeing 727 to **Jetran LLC** of Horseshoe Bay, Texas, for **\$1,500,000**:

*JEGE, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Seller"), hereby expresses its intent to sell to Jetran, LLC ("Purchaser"), all of Seller's right, title and interest in and to that certain Boeing 727-31 jet aircraft, bearing Manufacturer's Serial No. 20115 and U.S. Registration No. N908JE*

The LOI was addressed to "**Doug Jaffe, CEO**" of Jetran LLC. Terms included a \$100,000 fully refundable deposit held in escrow at McAfee & Taft (Oklahoma City), an inspection at Atlantic Aviation in West Palm Beach, and a closing to follow.

The LOI was signed by **Darren K. Indyke**, identified as "Vice President" of JEGE, Inc. — the same Darren Indyke who served as Epstein's longtime personal attorney and later became co-executor of Epstein's estate.

([EFTA01082630](#))

### The NDA

JEGE Inc. and Jetran LLC executed a Non-Disclosure Agreement governing the aircraft inspection.

The NDA's confidentiality provisions were sweeping — covering "the appearance and interior layout of, any and all improvements on, and furniture, furnishings, and other items of personal property contained anywhere in or on, the Aircraft" and prohibiting communication to "members of the general public and to any media representatives, magazines, filmmakers, film companies, publishers, authors, producers, reporters, bloggers, screenwriters, or similar persons or entities."

The NDA was governed by **U.S. Virgin Islands law** — "construed in accordance with the laws of the

United States Virgin Islands applicable to contracts executed, delivered and to be fully performed in such jurisdiction."

(EFTA00585744)

### The Deposit and Inspection (May 13, 2016)

Two days after the LOI, Jetran's SVP Legal, Patricia Pfeil Pozza, circulated the executed agreement. The \$100,000 deposit was received by escrow. Larry Visoski, Epstein's chief pilot, reported to Epstein:

*100k deposit received by escrow. Mr Jaffe's son still requesting brief walk thru of 727 with Power on, Tuesday next week, for 30min, and complete the inspection further May 23rd.*

Epstein approved: "ok, you can be on phone." Indyke began drafting the Aircraft Purchase Agreement. The email chain CC'd **Douglas Jaffe, Justin Jaffe, Jordan Jaffe, and Judith Cardona** — multiple members of the Jaffe family and their legal team.

(EFTA00827561)

### The Negotiation Collapses (May 30-31, 2016)

On May 30, 2016, Jetran issued an initial rejection "based on our inspection of the Engines." Indyke forwarded this to Epstein and Visoski; **Richard Kahn** of HBRK Associates was CC'd.

(EFTA00716734)

But the deal wasn't dead yet. On May 31, aircraft broker Gary Anzalone reported to Visoski after speaking with "Doug Jaffe, the father":

*If we did not have these engine issues we would be done, as he likes the overall condition to the aircraft and the ability to purchase the shares with the certificate is appealing to him. HOWEVER, he thinks the quote to repair the engines is grossly under quoted...In the end he said that for him to buy the aircraft AS-IS he would only pay \$1,000,000 million dollars, or option B, we call him when it has been repaired and he will give us the \$1.5 million.*

Kahn suggested "at that price or slightly higher buyer is responsible to pay our broker Gary so we net at least 1mm."

(EFTA00826582)

Later that day, Doug Jaffe walked back even the \$1.5M repaired offer. His engine expert "Leo 'the -219 guru'" assessed that engines 7 and 8 had "crapped out" on corrosion inspections and weren't worth repairing. Anzalone reported: "I do not think there is any way he will do this at the 1.5 million any more."

Epstein responded personally: "tell him 1 mill net and they pay garys commiions" [sic].

(EFTA00826502)

### Final Rejection (June 8, 2016)

Jetran formally rejected the aircraft for the second time on June 8, 2016. Patricia Pozza wrote to Indyke:

*This email will serve as notice from Jetran, LLC that it has rejected Boeing 727-31, Serial Number 20115 and Registration N908JE (the "Aircraft"), based on our additional due diligence. Please authorize Erin Van Laanen at McAfee & Taft, P.C. to refund Jetran's deposit in the amount of US\$100,000 as soon as possible.*

The email CC'd **Jaffe Jordan, Justin Jaffe, and Douglas Jaffe**. Indyke found the rejection email in his spam folder and forwarded it to Epstein — "I just found this going through my spam folder."

(EFTA00825947)

### Transaction Timeline

Date	Event	Source
May 11, 2016	LOI issued: JEJE Inc. → Jetran LLC, \$1.5M	EFTA01082630
May 13, 2016	\$100K deposit received; inspection walkthrough requested	EFTA00827561
May 30, 2016	First rejection: engine inspection failure	EFTA00716734

Date	Event	Source
May 31, 2016	Continued negotiation: Doug Jaffe offers \$1M as-is	EFTA00826582
May 31, 2016	Epstein: "tell him 1 mill net and they pay garys commiions"	EFTA00826502
June 8, 2016	Final rejection: Jetran requests deposit return	EFTA00825947

## Key Participants

Name	Role	Entity
<b>Doug Jaffe</b> ("the father")	CEO of Jetran, lead negotiator	Jetran LLC, Horseshoe Bay TX
<b>Douglas Jaffe III</b>	Son; requested aircraft walkthrough	Jetran LLC
<b>Justin Jaffe</b>	Son; CC'd on transaction emails	Jetran LLC
<b>Jordan Jaffe</b>	Son; CC'd on rejection email	Jetran LLC
<b>Patricia Pfeil Pozza</b>	SVP Legal, Jetran	Jetran LLC
<b>Jeffrey Epstein</b>	Owner (via JEGE Inc.); directed pricing	JEGE Inc.
<b>Darren K. Indyke</b>	VP of JEGE, signed LOI, drafted APA	Darren K. Indyke PLLC
<b>Richard Kahn</b>	Financial advisor; CC'd on negotiations	HBRK Associates
<b>Larry Visoski</b>	Chief pilot; managed inspection logistics	—
<b>Gary Anzalone</b>	Aircraft broker; intermediary with Jaffe	—

## Part 2: The FBI Tip

### The Anonymous Call (July 13, 2020)

On July 13, 2020, an anonymous female caller from a 408 (San Jose, California) area code phoned the FBI National Threat Operations Center to report "possible sex trafficking by Greg Horvath and Jana Jaffe in New York, NY." The caller identified as a college friend of **Doug Jaffe III**, Jana Jaffe's nephew, who had invited her to Villa Arabesque during a spring break in the "early 2000s."

The tip was filed under Guardian ID 658904\_NY and assigned to the main Epstein case: **50D-NY-3027571** — the same case file that contained the Boeing 727 sale documents.

### The Tipster's Account

The anonymous caller reported the following (from [EFTA00067074](#)):

#### On the property:

*ANON believes Greg Horvath and Jana Jaffe, owners of Villa Arabesque in Acapulco, MX, were involved in drug and/or sex trafficking in the early 2000's. Horvath and Jaffe currently live in Olympic Tower in New York, but they used Villa Arabesque to house Henry Kissinger and other high profile individuals who had ties to Epstein. Horvath and Jaffe owned multiple private jets which they used to fly people to Villa Arabesque, including ANON.*

#### On a minor at the property:

*Upon entering the property, which was built into the side of a mountain, ANON noticed a girl, approximately 11-12 years old, who was dressed scandalously. ANON asked Doug about the young girl being there with all the partying. Doug told ANON the girl was his niece, which she later found out what a lie. Villa Arabesque went on to use the girl, dressed inappropriately, for their advertisements.*

#### On the nightclub:

*Doug took ANON and several others to Palladium which had a "pizza shape" symbol.*

*Palladium was known for their show "666 Dance with the Devil", which was an Aztec show where young girls (possibly underage) were brought onto the stage and groped. The girls had their bras removed and breasts fondled. The girls were also bent over after their pants were removed without permission to show the entire audience their butt.*

### **On being drugged:**

*ANON and her friends were given bottle service, but ANON immediately started to feel like something was wrong. ANON knew she didn't drink enough to feel the way she did. The Palladium owner put ANON in a car and had her taken back to Villa Arabesque. During the ride, ANON was completely incapacitated, but she could still hear what was going on around her. ANON remembers getting stopped at the gate prior to Doug coming out to remove her from the car. ANON was carried inside and placed on a bench where she woke up the next day unsure of what happened after she lost consciousness.*

### **A warning from within:**

*Tori LNU, the girlfriend of Doug's brother, Jordan Jaffe (Jordan), told ANON she needed to be very careful because everyone who comes to stay at Villa Arabesque likes to take things too far. Tori referenced the fact there are code words used to describe what they do to girls there.*

## **FBI Investigation and Closure**

The New York Field Office (Squad NY-C20) conducted database searches on the subjects:

- **Greg Horvath:** 377 Sentinel/Guardian results, 251 DIVS results
- **Jana Jaffe:** 81 Sentinel/Guardian results, 15 DIVS results
- **Doug Jaffe III:** 36 Sentinel/Guardian results, 41 DIVS results

Clear and Accurint searches for Horvath and Jaffe in New York "yielded negative results."

The case was **closed on October 8, 2021** as "Information Only" — "Guardian closed, information associated with pending FI [Full Investigation]." It was serialized to the main Epstein case file (50D-NY-3027571) as **Serial 660**.

(EFTA00067093 | OCR — removed from justice.gov)

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## **Part 3: The Missed Connection**

The Boeing 727 sale documents and the FBI tip were both serialized within case file **50D-NY-3027571** — the master Epstein/Child Sex Trafficking investigation. The corpus contains the FBI's **master serial listing** for this case (EFTA01684300, 166 pages), which catalogs every document associated with the investigation.

The anonymous tip names the **Jaffe family** and alleges sex trafficking connections to Epstein. The Boeing 727 sale documents — filed in the same case — prove that the Jaffe family had a direct, documented business relationship with Epstein, Indyke, and Kahn just four years before the tip was received. The sale involved Epstein's most notorious asset — the aircraft that carried passengers to his properties in Palm Beach and the Virgin Islands.

The FBI's investigation of the tip consisted of database searches on the named individuals. There is no indication in the available documents that these database searches returned hits on the Boeing 727 sale documents, or that investigators recognized the Jaffe family name from the transactional evidence already in their possession.

**This is not a failure of information collection. It is a failure of information integration.** The FBI had both puzzle pieces — the tip and the transaction — in the same case file. Whether institutional siloing, volume overwhelm (the NTOC received hundreds of tips), or simple human oversight prevented the connection is unknown from the documents available.

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## Part 4: Villa Arabesque — Background

Villa Arabesque is a **40,000+ square-foot luxury estate** perched on a cliff in Acapulco, Mexico, built between 1978 and 1982 for **Baron Enrico "Ricky" di Portanova**, a flamboyant heir to the Cullen oil fortune and Italian noble. Designed by architect Aurelio Munoz Castillo, the property features 28 rooms, the "Poseidon discothèque" (capacity 200), the Poseidon Grill (seats 60), and a rooftop terrace called "the Camel Walk."

The property appeared as the residence of drug lord Franz Sanchez in the 1989 James Bond film *Licence to Kill*. After the Baron and his wife, Baroness Alessandra, died around 2000, the villa passed to Alessandra's brother **Gregory Hovas** — the person identified as "Greg Horvath" in the FBI tip (the name discrepancy suggesting the anonymous tipster was working from memory or a phonetic approximation).

Jana Jaffe, described as a "**renowned interior designer**" who operates Atelier Jana Jaffe at 641 5th Avenue in New York, completely renovated the property. **Getty Images** show Jana Jaffe and Gregory Hovas attending the World Science Festival's 12th Annual Gala at Jazz at Lincoln Center on May 22, 2019.

The **Jaffe family** separately controls the **Horseshoe Bay Resort** in Texas Hill Country, one of the largest golf resorts in the country — 10,000+ acres along Lake LBJ. Douglas Jaffe Jr. is the owner; his son **Douglas "Doug" Jaffe III** was **appointed CEO of Jaffe Group, Ltd. in 2012**. The Jaffe aviation entity, Jetran LLC, operates from 1449 Airpark, Horseshoe Bay, Texas — an airstrip within the resort property.

### Doug Jaffe III: Subsequent Criminal Charges

In 2024, Douglas "Doug" Jaffe III was **charged with aggravated sexual assault of a child under 14** in Burnet County, Texas. The charges were initially filed as sexual assault of a child under 17, then upgraded. A **second grand jury declined to indict** on the aggravated charges, and the Burnet County DA's office moved to dismiss the case. The charges were dismissed.

Doug Jaffe III is the same person identified in the 2020 FBI tip as the nephew who invited the anonymous caller to Villa Arabesque during college spring break.

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EFTA00067074	9	3	FD-71A Guardian Complaint: Anonymous tip re Horvath/Jaffe sex trafficking
EFTA00067093 (OC R)	9	5	Guardian Incident Summary: Full tip, database checks, closure as "Information Only"
EFTA00585744	9	3	NDA between JEGE Inc. and Jetran LLC for Boeing 727 inspection (USVI law)
EFTA00716734	9	2	First rejection: Jetran rejects aircraft based on engine inspection (May 30)
EFTA00825947	9	3	Final rejection: Jetran requests \$100K deposit return (June 8)
EFTA00826502	9	2	Epstein personal directive: "tell him 1 mill net and they pay garys commiions"
EFTA00826582	9	2	Broker Anzalone: "Boeing Super 27 conversation with Doug Jaffe" — price negotiation
EFTA00827561	9	3	\$100K deposit received; Jaffe son requests 727 walkthrough with power on

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<a href="#">EFTA01082630</a>	9	3	Letter of Intent: JEJE Inc. to Jetran LLC, \$1.5M for Boeing 727 N908JE
<a href="#">EFTA01245146</a>	9	5	XML/structured data version of eGuardian submission
<a href="#">EFTA01684300</a>	10	166	Master serial listing for case 50D-NY-3027571 (entire Epstein case file index)

## External Sources

Claim	Source
Villa Arabesque history, Bond film, architecture	<a href="#">Bond Lifestyle</a>
Baron di Portanova biography	<a href="#">Texas Monthly</a>
Doug Jaffe III appointed CEO of Jaffe Group (2012)	<a href="#">GlobeNewswire</a>
Doug Jaffe III child sexual assault charges dismissed	<a href="#">DailyTrib.com (Oct 2024)</a>
DailyTrib coverage of FBI tip from EFTA files	<a href="#">DailyTrib.com (Feb 4, 2026)</a>
Jana Jaffe and Gregory Hovas at World Science Festival	<a href="#">Getty Images</a>
Atelier Jana Jaffe, 641 5th Avenue NYC	<a href="#">Yelp</a>
<i>Licence to Kill</i> filming locations	<a href="#">Wikipedia</a>

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# Zorro Ranch Investigation, Part 2: Inside the Compound

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## Executive Summary

Federal court records establish that minors were brought to Jeffrey Epstein's Zorro Ranch and abused there. The Maxwell indictment charges that a minor was groomed at the property in 1996, starting with an unsolicited topless massage. A victim's sentencing statement describes being flown to the ranch at age 15 in 2004 and sexually molested "for many hours." These are separate incidents involving different victims, spanning at least eight years.

Yet Zorro Ranch — a 10,000-acre compound near Stanley, New Mexico — was never fully searched until March 2026. The FBI searched Epstein's Manhattan townhouse and Little Saint James in 2019. They did not search the ranch. The District of New Mexico offered to help prepare a search warrant that November. No application was submitted. The state's own investigation had already been shut down at SDNY's request the previous July. The property sat undisturbed for nearly seven years. Part 1 of this investigation documents [how that happened](#).

This report — Part 2 — reconstructs what the EFTA corpus shows about the ranch itself: how it was built, staffed, funded, connected, and operated over 25 years. The corpus contains over 17,000 pages mentioning Zorro Ranch across legal filings, FBI materials, and Epstein's 2009–2019 Gmail archive. This is a comprehensive source-linked reconstruction of the property.

Where possible, claims rest on federal court filings, FBI interview transcripts, and official correspondence. Where the report draws on investigative journalism or books, that provenance is noted. Anonymous tips and unverified claims are identified as such and assessed skeptically.

## What the documents show

A 63-page FBI interview with a reflexologist who worked at the ranch from 1999 to 2008 — never previously contacted by law enforcement — describes young women arriving by aircraft, an "attractiveness requirement" for all staff and service providers, a live-in teenage massage therapist who traveled between properties with Epstein, and pressure to sign a \$250,000 NDA. The first known FBI contact with this nine-year witness occurred in 2021, twenty-two years after she began working there (EFTA00090036).

**The email archive reveals an actively managed operational site.** Named staff were screened by Epstein personally — including one whose husband was a deputy sheriff, which Epstein approved. His accountant scrutinized individual housekeeper salaries. A dedicated telecommunications system was built out over six years, from Sprint T1 lines to a licensed microwave relay to Sandia Crest, with equipment sourced through OneWeb founder Greg Wyler. The ranch operated through four corporate entities layered across three jurisdictions.

**When outside contacts occurred, the alert system was fast.** In 2011, a reporter called the reflexologist seeking information about Ghislaine Maxwell and Epstein. By the next morning, ranch staff had pipelined the reporter's details to Epstein (EFTA01790757).

**No evidence in the EFTA corpus supports claims** linking the ranch to PROMIS software, Sandia National Laboratories (the weapons research facility), Los Alamos, or Mossad operations. "Sandia Crest" appears exclusively as a telecommunications relay point. The absence of evidence in this corpus is not proof of falsehood, but it defines an evidentiary boundary: across 2.91 million pages of Epstein's own email, financial records, FBI files, and legal filings, none of these connections appear. This Part 2 focuses on the ranch itself — its operations, staff, infrastructure, and documented connection to abuse. **Part 1** details how the 2019 investigation was halted. Together they provide a comprehensive source-linked reconstruction of Zorro Ranch from the EFTA corpus.

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## 1. 1993: Origins

### Acquisition

Jeffrey Epstein acquired the property through the **Zorro Trust, an Ohio trust dated March 1, 1993** (EFTA00310887, page 3 — Special Warranty Deed). The Special Warranty Deed records the transfer from the King family (then-Governor Bruce King). Separately, Epstein employee Larry Morrison recalled in a deposition: "I thought that part of the property the Zorro was built on was owned by Bill Richardson. He sold it to Jeffrey" (EFTA01110271, page 43). Morrison's recollection has not been confirmed by deed records in the corpus; the hard documentary evidence shows the King family as grantor.

The **New Mexico State Land Office lease file** ([EFTA01305252](#), 418 pages, DS10) documents the ranch's full land footprint:

- **84.86 acres** — Section 36, T13N, R9E (Waterline Right-of-Way R-30137)
- **1,158.97 acres** — Section 16 + parts of Section 2, T12N, R9E (Grazing Lease GR-2122)
- **Land appraisals** dated May 22, 2012 (ADP-303, ADP-304)
- **BLM assignments** for federal land parcels

In an April 2019 iMessage exchange with a real estate agent about European properties, Epstein described the ranch as "my ranch in new mexico sits on 10,000 acres" and "best house in america," adding: "I have turned down 75m for my ranch" ([EFTA01612459](#), page 4).

### Corporate Origin

The Zorro Trust was the first entity in what would become a layered corporate structure spanning Ohio, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and New Mexico (see [Section 6](#)). At this point, the trust held the land directly; the operating entities came later.

### What This Section Does Not Show

The property was sold in 2023 to Don and Mary Catherine Huffines (Texas) under an LLC named San Rafael Ranch LLC. The Huffines' purchase, planned Christian retreat conversion, and 2026 construction halt are outside the EFTA corpus timeline (which ends circa 2021). "Huffines" returns zero results across the 2.7 million-page corpus.

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## 2. 1999–2008: The Reflexologist's Window

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### Document Overview

[EFTA00090036](#) is a **63-page transcript** of an FBI interview conducted on **May 4, 2021** under the SDNY Epstein investigation. The witness is a licensed professional clinical counselor (LPCC) and certified reflexologist based near Santa Fe who worked at Zorro Ranch from approximately **1999 to 2008**, making roughly 30 visits over nine years. The witness was primarily hired to perform foot reflexology on Ghislaine Maxwell, with Epstein receiving treatment only two or three times across the entire period.

This is a detailed FBI witness interview conducted in the SDNY investigation — among the strongest categories of source material in the corpus.

The witness had **never been previously interviewed** by any law enforcement agency about Zorro Ranch. When asked "Has anybody interviewed you about any of this before?", the witness responded: "No. That's why when you came to the door and I was happy to help you" (page 44). This means the first known FBI contact with this 9-year witness occurred in 2021 — **22 years** after they began working at the ranch.

### The Property Before Completion

During the early visits, the main house was still under construction. Epstein used a temporary structure — "almost like a log cabin or a mobile home" — that was "made to be very nice" ([EFTA00090036](#), page 37). The property grew into a "fifty-thousand square-foot house" with staff cabins and guesthouses ("there were all sorts of different homes, like, little cabins or guesthouses, where different staff would live" — page 56), horses, and multiple outbuildings.

The witness entered through the back of the house, through a mudroom adjacent to the kitchen, and was not permitted in other areas: "I wasn't allowed in the rest of the house" (page 14). Sessions took place in a library off the kitchen or occasionally in Ghislaine's bedroom.

### Key Testimony

**The "Attractiveness Requirement."** Ghislaine Maxwell asked the reflexologist to recommend a reflexologist for the New York property. The condition: "you have to be attractive." The witness stated:

*"That was the one thing that disturbed me. You know, that you can't really be on the property unless you're attractive" (page 21).*

When asked whose rule that was, the witness said: "I don't know" (page 21).

**Young women arriving by aircraft.** On one occasion while waiting in the kitchen to be called for a session, the witness observed approximately **four young women** arrive, escorted by staff:

*"They were being driven from the airport or a helicopter and I was waiting in that room off the kitchen, where then they arrived as I'm waiting for Ghislaine, to work on Ghislaine, and there were several young women, that were girls, that would be there, and I was only — I don't know if [the colleague] told me or Ghislaine told me that they were working for the Limited or Victoria's Secret or they were just younger girls" (page 16).*

Asked to estimate their age: "probably, like, eighteen or under. But I never saw someone who looked fourteen or fifteen" (page 18). Asked how they were dressed: "in any suggestive way, they were just dressed, like, in a normal [way]" (page 18). The witness did not see them again: "they literally came in the space, look up, see them, and then they're moved — so, they're walked on through" (page 19).

**The traveling massage therapist.** Epstein asked the reflexologist to teach a young woman — described as "his massage therapist" — how to perform reflexology. The woman was already living in the house and "flew with them" between properties: "she comes with me" (page 36). Age estimate: "maybe eighteen" (page 36). The witness described her as "a young, attractive girl that sat next to me" who "was very sweet" and "watching, fascinated" (page 40).

**NDA pressure.** Toward the end of the working relationship, staff attempted to get the witness to sign a non-disclosure agreement with a **\$250,000 penalty**:

*"They wanted me to sign a contract saying, like, a celebrity contract, like, 'if you see anything going on here you have to keep it private.' And I refused to sign it" (page 26).*

The witness could not recall who specifically presented the NDA but believed it was one of the housekeepers. The penalty amount stuck in the witness's memory: "if I did violate that contract, I'd be sued for two hundred and fifty thousand dollars" (pages 26–27). The demand was framed as protecting the privacy of celebrities who might visit. Separately, [ITV News](#) has **reported** that construction workers at Zorro Ranch were asked to sign NDAs with a \$100,000 penalty — some scratched out the figure and replaced it with \$1 in protest ([ITV News](#), March 24, 2026).

**Ghislaine's management role.** The witness described Maxwell as managing "his world in the sense of their home" — she "would be there to do trainings" with new staff on how to serve guests. Service had to be exact: "if they were at the dinner table, they had to be served a certain way from a certain — like, 'come to the left'" (page 26). The witness heard that guests could include "a celebrity or — I don't know, like, Trump or Clinton" (page 33), though the witness never personally saw any guests other than the young women described above.

**Housekeeper identification.** FBI agents showed the witness photographs, and the witness tentatively identified one of the housekeepers: "I think that was her. One of the housekeepers — at this point, I won't swear my life to —" (page 55). The witness recalled there may have been "two sets of housekeepers" over the years, and that one couple ran the ranch (pages 54–55).

## **How the Witness Was Found**

The reflexologist was introduced to the FBI by a colleague — a local psychotherapist who also did massage work for Ghislaine Maxwell. FBI agents visited the colleague's Santa Fe home but did not find her; the reflexologist agreed to facilitate contact ([EFTA00090036](#), [pages 46–47](#), 60).

## **The Reporter and the Reflexologist (March 2011)**

Ten years before the FBI finally interviewed this witness, Epstein's operation was already monitoring outside contacts. On March 12, 2011, Karen (ranch manager) emailed Epstein with the subject "FYI": the "reflexologist - foot massages - at Zorro, was contacted by phone by a LA reporter yesterday who was looking for information on GM and yourself." The reflexologist "acknowledged nothing and asked

how he got her number." Karen had Wendy forward the reporter's details to Epstein (EFTA01790757). The information pipeline ran from reflexologist → Zorro office → Karen → Epstein overnight. A reporter calling a service provider triggered an alert to the principal by the next morning.

### **What This Interview Does and Does Not Show**

The witness explicitly stated: "I never witnessed any of the things that Jeffrey is being accused of" (page 16) and "he was never, ever inappropriate with me. He was very respectful to me" (page 29). The witness's access was limited to the kitchen, library, and occasional bedroom visits for reflexology — a small fraction of a 50,000-square-foot house. But the testimony documents the infrastructure around the abuse: young women arriving by aircraft at a remote compound, an "attractiveness requirement" enforced for all staff and service providers, a live-in teenage massage therapist who traveled between properties with Epstein, and a \$250,000 NDA designed to ensure silence. Taken together, these facts are consistent with a system that brought young women to an isolated location, tightly controlled access, and discouraged disclosure. The witness saw the machinery, not what it produced.

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## **3. 2007–2010: First Law Enforcement Contact**

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### **Gordon FBI Interview (February 2007)**

Brice Gordon, the ranch manager, was interviewed by the FBI at **49 Zorro Ranch Road on February 8, 2007** (EFTA00269597). This was during the Palm Beach investigation — the first federal investigation into Epstein, which ultimately resulted in the 2008 non-prosecution agreement. Gordon also managed Little Saint James.

Richard Barnett, an operating engineer hired by Maxwell, had been traveling to Zorro Ranch **quarterly from 1995 to 2014**. His FD-302 (EFTA01245366) documents work across Little Saint James, Zorro, and the Palm Beach residence.

### **Sex Offender Registration (August 2010)**

On **August 19, 2010**, the New Mexico Department of Public Safety sent Epstein a letter at 49 Zorro Ranch Road regarding the "SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION ACT" — his registration classification (EFTA00731095). Epstein was subsequently removed from the NM registry just two days after registering because his Florida conviction involved a victim over 16 — NM's age of consent. The NM legislature introduced HB 445 in 2026 to close this loophole.

### **What This Section Does Not Show**

The 2007 FBI interview with Gordon occurred early in the federal investigation, before the non-prosecution agreement. What Gordon told the FBI is partially redacted. Whether additional law enforcement visits occurred between 2007 and 2019 is not documented in the corpus, though the reflexologist — who worked at the ranch through 2008 — was never contacted until 2021.

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## **4. 2009–2014: The Email Archive Opens**

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Epstein's Gmail archive begins in May 2009, after his release from the Florida county jail. From this point forward, the corpus captures daily operations at the ranch in granular detail — staff hiring, payroll disputes, construction projects, and visitor coordination.

### **The Staff Network**

The email corpus reveals a larger staff network than has been publicly reported. NBC News has **identified** Rachel Benavidez (massage therapist who refused an NDA), and Brice Gordon is named in the EFTA corpus as ranch manager (EFTA00269597), but the full roster documented in Epstein's email archive is considerably larger.

Name	Role	Key EFTA	Detail
<b>Brice Gordon ("BMG")</b>	Property manager (also LSJ)	EFTA01888084, hundreds of emails	Oversaw both Zorro and Little Saint James. Interviewed by FBI at 49 Zorro Ranch Road, Feb 8, 2007 (EFTA00269597)
<b>Karen</b> (surname redacted)	Ranch manager, ZDC	EFTA02006496, EFTA02097616	Circulated telephone directory; handled day-to-day operations
<b>Wendy Martinez</b>	Ranch staff	EFTA01797902, EFTA02012901	Daily operations logs
<b>Cynthia Cano</b>	Housekeeper (hired Aug 2012)	EFTA01888084, EFTA01990742	Replaced Norma. Brice Gordon to Epstein: "Her husband is a Dupty Sheriff for Torrence county, are you ok with this?" [sic] Epstein replied "yes"
<b>Norma</b>	Former housekeeper	EFTA01887834	Replaced by Cynthia Cano
<b>Louella</b>	Staff	EFTA01989977	Lower-paid than Cynthia per Kahn
<b>Steve</b> (+ wife Amber)	Ranch staff	EFTA02020294, EFTA02006476	Moved on-site September 2012
<b>Marc</b>	Staff	EFTA01852329	Task list completion
<b>Carlos</b>	Staff	EFTA01764785	Health insurance discussion
<b>Richard Barnett</b>	Maintenance/construction	EFTA02020811, EFTA01245366	Operating engineer, worked for Epstein 1995–2014, hired by Maxwell. Traveled to Zorro quarterly
<b>Mark Tollison</b>	Project manager	EFTA01949622, EFTA01755098	Managed projects across 9E, Zorro, and LSJ
<b>Casey Cook</b>	Hydrogeologic/geology	EFTA01875410	Well drilling contact
<b>Larry Visoski</b>	Pilot	EFTA00068582, EFTA01976135	Visited Zorro 5-6 times/year per trial testimony
<b>James and Nena Herrera</b>	Prospective ranch managers	EFTA02020961, EFTA01880506	Skype-interviewed 2012

## Payroll and Control

Richard Kahn emailed Epstein on September 19, 2012 with the subject line "Zorro Payroll," complaining: "I believe that this payroll has gotten very frothy. Seems strange that our new housekeeper Cynthia who has been with us 2 weeks makes more money than Louella. It is the health [insurance]..." (EFTA01989977). This email, in which Epstein's accountant scrutinizes individual housekeeper salaries at a ranch valued at \$75 million, illustrates the granular financial control Kahn exercised over Epstein's properties.

## Construction and Improvements

Project	EFTA	Detail
Well drilling	EFTA01875410	\$117,221 contract with Hydrogeologic Services (Bill Whaley), negotiated by Kahn

Project	EFTA	Detail
C-level basement renovation	EFTA02020811	"Major floor installation" in laundry room, kitchen, catering kitchen
Architecture (Gensler)	EFTA01999568	Warwick Wicksman (Gensler, Santa Monica) + Tom Sze sent living room and pool sections/elevations
Stucco	EFTA02012901	JB Henderson estimate, 2012
Yurt	EFTA01975508	Pacific Yurt refurbishment, 8-10 week lead time
Piñon trees	EFTA01754904	28 × 10ft trees, \$5,040
Log cabin grading	EFTA01747925	Westward Landscape, \$48,500
Fire alarm panel	EFTA02032292	New fire alarm for main house, 2012
Sony projector	EFTA01755098	Movie room installation
Pool/spa	EFTA01940163	Maintenance records

**What these documents do not show:** No references to underground construction, tunnels, or bunkers appear in any Zorro-related EFTA document. The corpus survey returned zero results for "underground," "tunnel," or "bunker" co-occurring with "Zorro."

## The Visitors

The email corpus (DS10) documents coordination of visits to Zorro Ranch by several notable individuals. These emails confirm scheduling or travel arrangements; they do not document what occurred during visits.

Visitor	EFTA	Detail
Danny Hillis	EFTA01875156	Lesley Groff checking with "Danny Hillis office regarding going to the ranch end of the month"
Joshua Cooper Ramo	EFTA02131073	Invited to dinner at Zorro; also meeting "Martin" (likely Martin Nowak, Harvard evolutionary dynamics)
Ed Boyden	EFTA02131416	MIT Media Lab, synthetic neurobiology — travel arrangements to ranch
Bill Richardson	Multiple via Caitlin Wakefield (Richardson's office)	Governor of NM 2003–2011. Morrison recalled Richardson selling Epstein land (EFTA01110271, p.43; unconfirmed by deed records). Santa Fe New Mexican <b>reported</b> continued meetings post-conviction
Woody Allen	EFTA02155136, EFTA02162000	Lesley Groff provided ranch address to Caitlin Wakefield (Richardson's office), coordinating a possible visit
Greg Wyler	EFTA01975307	Founder of O3b Networks and OneWeb. Helped source Motorola radio equipment for ranch (see Section 5). Bloomberg <b>reported</b> Epstein advised Wyler on OneWeb fundraising — the telecom assistance was reciprocal
"Paula"	EFTA02006935	Epstein arranged transportation; she declined and drove herself

Larry Visoski testified that he visited Zorro Ranch **5–6 times per year** throughout his employment as Epstein's pilot (EFTA00068582).

## What This Section Does Not Show

Staff names are drawn from Epstein's email archive (DS10), which begins in May 2009 and runs through 2019. The ranch was operational from the mid-1990s. Staff who worked there before 2009 — or who were not named in email — are not captured here. The FBI interview with the reflexologist (Section 2) provides the only pre-2009 staff perspective in the corpus. The email archive captures visitor scheduling, not activities. The presence of a visitor at Zorro Ranch does not imply awareness of or participation in criminal conduct. Many of these individuals visited multiple Epstein properties for legitimate professional or social purposes. Flight logs, which would provide a more complete visitor record, are only partially represented in the corpus.

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## 5. 2010–2016: Building the Network

The ranch's telecommunications infrastructure has attracted significant attention after journalist Alisa Valdes identified two active FCC microwave licenses (WQXY316 and WQXY300) linking the ranch to Sandia Crest Tower ([Alisa Writes, Substack](#)). The EFTA corpus contains the underlying email chains showing who designed and built this system, and why.

### Timeline of Communications Infrastructure

**2010–2012: Sprint T1 Circuit.** The ranch's initial dedicated internet was a **Sprint T1 line at \$894.46/month** MRC. Brice Gordon compared this against a Time Warner T1 data service alternative ([EFTA02006931](#)).

**May 2013: Greg Wyler / Motorola Radio.** Jermaine Ruan, an Epstein employee who also managed technology on Little Saint James, wrote to Epstein: "With the help of **Greg Wyler**, Motorola 'point to point' radio solutions would be the best fit for Zorro Ranch" ([EFTA01975307](#)). Greg Wyler is the founder of O3b Networks and OneWeb, major satellite internet companies. Bloomberg [reported in February 2026](#) that Epstein advised Wyler on OneWeb fundraising. This email shows Wyler reciprocated by helping source communications equipment for Epstein's ranch. Epstein responded: "and island?" — asking whether the same solution could work for Little Saint James.

**2013–2014: Richard Boltz System Build.** **Richard Boltz of Advanced Communications and Electronics** (Albuquerque) designed and installed the Sandia Crest relay system. The architecture ran from **Sandia Crest over "Ethernet Packet radio" to Ranch Central to Main House** ([EFTA01966493](#), [EFTA01963857](#), [EFTA01965094](#), [EFTA02020654](#)).

**2014: Satellite Frustration.** Epstein complained directly:

*"Satellite does not work for my primary purpose, it was supposed to be back up to an improved more reliable delivery and distribution system at a significant cost."*

Speed tests showed 3–4.5 Mbps down. He demanded a return to T1 service ([EFTA01932494](#), [EFTA01932345](#)).

**September 2014: ZDC Telephone Directory.** Karen (ranch manager) circulated an updated cell and land line directory for all Zorro Development Corp personnel, referencing attached files "TELEPHONE NUMBERS.ods" and "ZDC\_TELEPHONE\_LISIT\_091114.pdf" [sic] ([EFTA02098147](#), [EFTA02097616](#)). The phone directory itself was an email attachment and is not separately indexed in the corpus.

**2015: St. Croix Fiber Discussion.** Richard Kahn compared internet infrastructure quotes from Terrence Rabsatt and Richard Boltz, discussing "St Croix fiber" for the USVI properties alongside Zorro upgrades ([EFTA01752832](#), [EFTA01754863](#)).

**2016: CenturyLink Fiber / Microwave Link.** Emails discuss running a fiber/microwave internet connection from **Sandia Crest** to the ranch. CenturyLink engineers confirmed fiber was "8 feet from a conduit running 70 feet to ZDC's tower location on Sandia Crest." Discussion of licensed vs. unlicensed microwave links, with a company called "Future Tech" to design and install

(EFTA01780693, EFTA01739328, EFTA01802844). Brice Gordon and "Hector" coordinated the project. The FCC licenses WQXY316 and WQXY300 were granted July 12, 2016, matching this timeline.

### Contact Information

Two different phone numbers appear for the ranch across the corpus:

- **505-938-2920** (tel), **505-938-2924** (fax) — Zorro Development Corp letterhead (EFTA02020961)
- **505-832-2625** (tel), **505-832-2676** (fax) — earlier reference (EFTA00595238)
- **Email:** zorro.office@gmail.com

### What This Section Does Not Show

The emails document a wealthy person's persistent struggle to get reliable broadband to a remote New Mexico property — from T1 lines to satellite to microwave relay. The Sandia Crest relay point was chosen because it is one of the highest communications towers in the region, not because of any connection to Sandia National Laboratories (the nuclear weapons research facility, which is located 50 miles away in Albuquerque). **No email in the EFTA corpus reviewed for this report references Sandia National Labs, Los Alamos National Laboratory, PROMIS software, or any intelligence operation in connection with the ranch's communications.** The system was designed by a local Albuquerque communications contractor (Richard Boltz) for the stated purpose of providing internet service.

This does not foreclose the possibility that the infrastructure served additional purposes not documented in email, but the corpus evidence supports a mundane explanation: Epstein wanted fast internet in a location where none was easily available.

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## 6. The Financial Architecture

The ranch operated through a layered corporate structure that evolved over two decades. The financial entities span multiple time periods and are presented together for clarity.

### Corporate Entities

**Zorro Trust** — Ohio trust dated March 1, 1993. Original holding entity. Jeffrey Epstein, Trustee. JP Morgan account closed December 17, 2012, with a \$516,811.47 transfer to Epstein's personal account (EFTA01588756).

**Cypress, Inc.** — Virgin Islands corporation, address 9100 Havensight, Port of Sale, Suite 15/16, St. Thomas, USVI 00802. Received the ranch via Special Warranty Deed dated December 19, 2011, with Darren Indyke handling the transfer through local counsel David G. Gordon at Sutin, Thayer & Browne APC in Albuquerque (EFTA00310887). The transfer package included assignment of State Land Office Grazing Lease No. GR-2122, assignment of State Right-of-Way Easement No. RW-30137, and pending BLM assignments.

**Zorro Development Corporation (ZDC)** — Operating entity with a Wells Fargo bank account (ABA 121000248, account 849825286). Received regular wire transfers from Epstein's JP Morgan account, typically \$50,000–\$100,000 (EFTA01590103). Used the address 49 Zorro Ranch Road, Stanley, NM 87056. Filed under the zorro.office@gmail.com email.

**Zorro Management, LLC** — Deutsche Bank entity, GCIS #550331. Subject to **2018 Periodic Review of High Risked Accounts** alongside Southern Trust Company, Inc. and Epstein personal accounts, under the "SOUTHERN FINANCIAL RELATIONSHIP" at Deutsche Bank (EFTA01421805). The KYC review process flagged multiple compliance deficiencies requiring remediation (EFTA01424829, EFTA02204112).

**HBRK Associates Inc. Zorro** — Wire recipient via TD Bank, part of the \$14.66 million aggregate flagged in FinCEN BSA filings (EFTA01656415).

## JP Morgan KYC Note

A JP Morgan compliance note for the Zorro-related entity states: "Please tag the UBO [Ultimate Beneficial Owner] as a PEP [Politically Exposed Person] due to his close relationship with Bill Clinton and Prince Andrew" (EFTA01416621). This PEP designation — tagging Epstein because of his political connections — triggered enhanced due diligence requirements that JP Morgan compliance officers documented but that did not result in account closure until years later.

## The Wyler Connection

The ranch's communications infrastructure (Section 5) was partly sourced through **Greg Wyler**, founder of O3b Networks and OneWeb. Bloomberg **reported** that Epstein served as an adviser behind the funding of OneWeb. The email evidence shows the relationship flowed both ways: Wyler helped source Motorola radio equipment for the ranch (EFTA01975307), and Epstein immediately asked "and island?" — seeking the same solution for Little Saint James. This is one of several instances in the corpus where Epstein's social network provided material benefits to his properties, and his properties served as venues for cultivating that network.

## What This Section Does Not Show

The financial records in the corpus are fragmentary. The full scope of spending at Zorro Ranch — total construction costs, aggregate staff payroll over 25+ years, property tax history — is not available from EFTA documents alone. The \$75 million valuation is Epstein's self-reported claim in a private conversation, not an independent appraisal.

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## 7. The Evidence Trail

This section presents evidence connecting Zorro Ranch to the abuse of minors. The evidence comes from multiple sources across the corpus — some undated, some spanning years — and is grouped thematically. **No victim names, pseudonym-to-name mappings, or individually identifying details are included.** The goal is to document the *system*, not to identify individuals.

### Sworn Testimony: The Sentencing Statement

At the SDNY sentencing hearing, a Jane Doe stated:

*"In 2004, when I was 15 years old, I flew on Jeffrey Epstein's plane to Zorro Ranch, where I was sexually molested by him for many hours. What I remember most vividly was him explaining to me how beneficial the experience was for me and how much he was helping me to grow."*

(EFTA00019994 / EFTA00076185 / EFTA00080160 — three copies of the same 86-page sentencing transcript appear across DS8 and DS9.)

### The Maxwell Indictment: Minor Victim-2 in New Mexico

The Maxwell indictment (20 Cr. 330) contains the most detailed federal charging document describing abuse at Zorro Ranch. The indictment states that "in or about 1996," Maxwell "interacted with Minor Victim-2 on at least one occasion... at Epstein's residence in New Mexico when Minor Victim-2 was under the age of 18":

*"Minor Victim-2 had flown into New Mexico from out of state at Epstein's invitation for the purpose of being groomed for and/or subjected to acts of sexual abuse. MAXWELL knew that Minor Victim-2 was under the age of 18 at the time. While in New Mexico, MAXWELL and Epstein took Minor Victim-2 to a movie and MAXWELL took Minor Victim-2 shopping. MAXWELL also discussed Minor Victim-2's school, classes, and family with Minor Victim-2."*

(EFTA01659394, pages 8–9 — Maxwell indictment, filed June 29, 2020)

The superseding information (filed March 29, 2021) adds: "In New Mexico, MAXWELL began her efforts to groom Minor Victim-2 for abuse by Epstein by, among other things, providing an unsolicited

massage to Minor Victim-2, during which Minor Victim-2 was topless. MAXWELL also encouraged Minor Victim-2 to massage Epstein" (EFTA01659462, page 9).

The overt acts section charges that "In or about 1996, when Minor Victim-2 was under the age of 18, MAXWELL provided Minor Victim-2 with an unsolicited massage in New Mexico, during which Minor Victim-2 was topless" (EFTA01659394, pages 11, 14). This conduct formed the basis of charged offenses in the federal case.

The Maxwell detention memo (20 Cr. 330) separately references abuse at "Epstein's properties in New York, Florida, and New Mexico" (EFTA01659412).

### **Photographic Evidence: The Safe**

FBI agents searching Epstein's 71st Street Manhattan residence found, inside a safe in a third-floor closet, "several binders containing sleeves of compact discs, most of which are labeled with handwriting." The search warrant application describes: "One disc is marked 'Young [redacted].' Another disc is marked 'Nudes 00-24.' Another is marked 'Misc. Nudes.' Yet another is marked 'Girl Pics Nude.' Some discs contain the word 'Zorro' or 'LSJ.' For example, one disc is marked '**Dana Zorro Pics**'" (EFTA01648851, page 7; EFTA01262900, page 8). "Zorro" refers to Zorro Ranch and "LSJ" to Little Saint James.

These photographs were seized from Manhattan — not from Zorro Ranch itself, which was never searched until 2026.

### **Seized Device Catalog**

EFTA00004477 (DS3, 100 pages) is a catalog of contents from a seized device/computer. The first page lists a folder labeled "**ZORRO**" alongside folders labeled:

- "THAIS, MOSCOW GIRLS"
- "AFRICA"
- "MINUDES"
- "YOGA GIRLS"
- "BALI/THAILAND (ASIA)"
- "RUSSIA"
- "BOOK"

The geographic organization of these folder names — sorted by nationality or region — is consistent with the trafficking routes documented elsewhere in the corpus. The folder names do not, by themselves, establish what the folders contained.

### **FBI Observations**

The FBI Albuquerque tactical intelligence report (EFTA00129048) states that a contractor "likely observed victim [redacted] in a room at the ranch" and that employees were "sworn to secrecy" about property details.

### **Financial Records: The Ranch Was Operational**

A 2004 expenditure report for "Jeffrey E. Epstein & Related Entities" includes a dedicated "Zorro" column showing \$63,803 in general (non-house) expenditures for that year, including \$10,603 for "**Massage & Exercise**" and \$2,474 for "Entertainment & Meals" (EFTA01304421, page 2). The sentencing statement documents a 15-year-old victim being sexually abused at the ranch in 2004. The expenditure report shows the ranch was not only operational that year but was actively spending in the category of services through which the documented abuse occurred.

### **What This Section Does Not Show**

The corpus does not contain a complete account of abuse at Zorro Ranch. The sentencing statement and Maxwell indictment establish that abuse occurred there in at least two separate documented incidents spanning at least eight years: one victim was groomed at the ranch in 1996 starting with an unsolicited topless massage; a different victim flew in at age 15 in 2004 and was "sexually molested for many

hours." These are the cases that entered the federal record. The reflexologist interview (Section 2) describes the infrastructure of access but no witnessed abuse. The photographic evidence was found in Manhattan, not at the ranch. The truth commission and AG Torrez's investigation may produce additional testimony from victims and witnesses who never entered the federal process.

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## 8. 2019: The Year Everything Stopped

### July 2019: The Investigation Halt

This section summarizes the investigation halt documented in detail in [How SDNY Halted the Zorro Ranch Investigation](#). Readers should consult that report for the full email chain analysis and timeline. In July 2019, SDNY instructed the New Mexico Attorney General's office (AG Hector Balderas) to cease its independent sex trafficking investigation into Zorro Ranch. An SDNY AUSA wrote on September 8, 2019:

*"In essence, they agreed to cease any investigation into sex trafficking and share whatever they had gathered to date regarding sex trafficking activity with our office."*

([EFTA00019183](#), page 8.) Page 10 references "Alison and Maurene" — likely AUSAs Alison Moe and Maurene Comey, who are publicly known to have handled the Epstein case at SDNY. Comey was [fired by the Trump DOJ in July 2025](#).

Former AG Balderas has stated that New Mexico provided SDNY with police reports, recorded witness interviews, correspondence, and documents related to Epstein's land leases — and received nothing in return. He described the arrangement as "[a one-way relationship](#)" ([ABQ Journal, March 1, 2026](#)).

### August 10, 2019: Epstein's Death

Epstein was found dead in his cell at the Metropolitan Correctional Center. The federal case effectively died with him. The NM investigation was already halted. No search warrant for Zorro Ranch had been submitted or sought.

### September 2019: Lease Cancellation

NM State Land Commissioner Stephanie Garcia Richard initiated cancellation of Cypress Inc.'s grazing leases on 1,243 acres of adjacent state trust land after Cypress failed to respond to multiple inspection access requests following Epstein's death. The formal cancellation letter cited obstruction of access, misrepresentation, and non-agricultural use. The leases effectively functioned as a privacy buffer around the ranch ([NM State Land Office, Sept 2019](#); [NM Political Report](#)).

### November 2019: The Extortion Email and the Search Warrant That Wasn't

The District of New Mexico explicitly offered to assist SDNY with a search warrant application for Zorro Ranch ([EFTA00019183](#), page 7). No application was submitted. No search occurred until March 10, 2026 — nearly seven years later.

Separately, [EFTA00067066](#) (DS9, 2 pages) is an email forwarded to the FBI on November 25, 2019 by Albuquerque radio host Eddy Aragon. The original was sent from an encrypted ProtonMail account on November 21, 2019, by someone claiming to be "a former staff at the Zorro." It alleged that "two foreign girls were buried on orders of Jeffrey and Madam G" who "died by strangulation during rough, fetish sex."

**This email is an anonymous, unverified claim that also contains hallmarks of an extortion attempt.** It demanded 1 bitcoin for a USB drive allegedly containing video footage, listed specific video descriptions with timestamps, and provided a bitcoin wallet address. The sender specified a payment deadline. Whether the FBI investigated the underlying claims — setting aside the extortion demand — is not documented in the corpus.

### What This Section Does Not Show

The corpus does not contain internal SDNY memoranda explaining why no search warrant was sought for Zorro Ranch. The halt may have been a routine case coordination decision or may have reflected

higher-level policy. The corpus contains no evidence that AG William Barr personally directed the halt. See the [companion report](#) for full analysis.

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## 9. Addendum: 2026 Investigations (Status as of March 28, 2026)

After seven years of inaction, three concurrent investigations are now underway in New Mexico. **This section lies outside the EFTA corpus timeline** and relies entirely on external reporting (news coverage, official statements). It is included as a status snapshot, not as a corpus-grounded finding.

### AG Torrez Criminal Investigation

On **February 19, 2026**, New Mexico Attorney General Raul Torrez formally reopened the criminal investigation into Zorro Ranch. The NMDOJ statement read: "Although the State of New Mexico's prior investigation was closed in 2019 at the request of the U.S Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York, revelations outlined in the previously sealed FBI files warrant further examination" ([NMDOJ statement](#); [Source NM](#); [ABQ Journal op-ed by Torrez](#)).

On **March 9–10, 2026**, NMDOJ conducted the **first known full property search** of Zorro Ranch, assisted by New Mexico State Police and Sandoval County K-9 teams. (FBI agents interviewed ranch manager Brice Gordon on-site in 2007, but no property search was conducted at that time.) Cadaver dogs and ground-penetrating radar were deployed. As of March 24, 2026, **no human remains have been found** ([Reuters, March 10](#); [ITV News, March 24](#); [Time](#); [CNN](#)). The current owners (Don and Mary Catherine Huffines) cooperated with the search ([Reuters](#)).

### Truth Commission

On **February 16, 2026**, the New Mexico House voted **unanimously** to create a bipartisan truth commission with subpoena power and a budget reported between \$2 million and \$2.5 million ([Source NM](#); [NBC News](#)).

Members:

- **Rep. Andrea Romero (D-Santa Fe)** — Chair
- **Rep. Marianna Anaya (D-Albuquerque)** — abuse survivor advocate
- **Rep. Andrea Reeb (R-Clovis)** — former child crimes prosecutor
- **Rep. William "Bill" Hall (R-Aztec)** — retired FBI agent

Interim findings are due **July 2026**; final report by **end of 2026**. The commission held its first meeting on February 17 ([Source NM](#)).

### State Land Commissioner

On **February 10, 2026**, Commissioner Stephanie Garcia Richard wrote to state and federal law enforcement urging investigation of the burial allegations, noting that state trust lands are adjacent to the ranch property ([Source NM](#); [ABQ Journal](#)).

### Second Tipster (2020)

Separately from the 2019 ProtonMail email (Section 8), a different individual claimed to have trespassed onto Zorro Ranch in 2020 and found "grave-like plots" that appeared to have been excavated. Photos were submitted to NM state lawmakers and published by Al Jazeera on March 17, 2026 ([Al Jazeera](#)). This is an unverified anonymous claim from a self-described trespasser. The March 2026 search using cadaver dogs and GPR has not confirmed human remains as of this writing.

### Political Fallout

- **Bill Richardson's name removed** from University of New Mexico Hospital building amid Epstein file revelations ([KOB-TV](#))
- **Gary King** (Bruce King's son, NM AG 2006–2014) accepted \$35,600 in campaign donations from Epstein during his 2014 gubernatorial bid — the largest outside donation — which he returned after

press reporting ([US News/Reuters, March 21, 2026](#))

- **March 9 protest:** Hundreds caravanned from Albuquerque to Zorro Ranch over International Women's Day weekend demanding justice for survivors ([KUNM](#))
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## 10. What the Corpus Does Not Show

This section addresses specific claims circulating in public discourse that are not supported by evidence in the 2.91 million-page EFTA corpus reviewed for this report. The absence of evidence in this corpus is not proof of falsehood — it defines an evidentiary boundary.

### PROMIS Software / Intelligence Operations

Alisa Valdes has published a detailed article arguing that Robert Maxwell sold a Mossad-modified version of PROMIS surveillance software to Sandia National Laboratories in 1985, and that Ghislaine Maxwell subsequently led Epstein to purchase a ranch "located halfway between" Sandia and Los Alamos ([Alisa Writes, Substack](#)). The article cites FBI counterintelligence files obtained through FOIA and the book *Robert Maxwell, Israel's Superspy* (Gordon Thomas & Martin Dillon, 2002).

**In the 2.91 million-page EFTA corpus reviewed for this report, there are zero references to PROMIS, Sandia National Laboratories (as a weapons research facility), Los Alamos National Laboratory, Mossad, or any intelligence operation in connection with Zorro Ranch. The term "Sandia" appears in ranch-related documents exclusively in the context of "Sandia Crest" — a telecommunications relay point used by CenturyLink and the ranch's microwave system (see Section 5). Sandia Crest is a geographic feature (the highest point of the Sandia Mountains at 10,679 feet) that hosts numerous commercial communications towers; it is not part of Sandia National Laboratories. This does not disprove Valdes' thesis, which relies on sources outside the EFTA production. But the corpus — which contains Epstein's personal email from 2009–2019, financial records, FBI investigative files, and legal filings — provides no corroboration. Valdes' claims rest partly on published books and FOIA documents — credible secondary sources — and partly on inferential geographic reasoning that the corpus does not corroborate.**

### Underground Structures

Zero results for "tunnel," "bunker," or "underground" co-occurring with "Zorro" in the EFTA corpus reviewed for this report. Construction records (Section 4) document a basement ("C-level"), which is a conventional architectural feature.

### The \$85 Million Lottery

Valdes has also [reported](#) that a "Zorro Trust" claimed an \$85 million Powerball prize in Oklahoma in July 2008, identifying Brice Gordon as the ticket purchaser. Contemporary local reporting attributed the win to a different individual who set up a trust of the same name. The coincidence of the name "Zorro Trust" does not, by itself, establish a connection to Epstein. **This claim is not present in the 2.91 million-page EFTA corpus reviewed for this report, and the underlying connection to Epstein is disputed.**

### Complete Visitor List

The corpus captures only visitors whose names appear in Epstein's email archive (DS10, 2009–2019) or in legal filings. Visitors who arrived without email coordination, who visited before 2009, or whose names were redacted are not represented. The truth commission's subpoena power may surface a more complete record.

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# Evidence Inventory

## Primary Documents

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA00090036	9	63	FBI interview — reflexologist/psychotherapist, 1999–2008
EFTA00019183	9	10	SDNY-DNM email chain — investigation halt
EFTA00310887	9	103	Zorro Trust → Cypress Inc. transfer package
EFTA01305252	10	418	NM State Land Office complete lease file
EFTA00004477	3	100	Device catalog — ZORRO/MOSCOW GIRLS/MINUDES folders
EFTA01671962	10	186	AmEx Gold Card statements — ranch expenditures
EFTA00129048	9	10	FBI Albuquerque tactical intelligence report
EFTA00067066	9	2	Anonymous burial allegation (ProtonMail extortion)
EFTA00731095	9	1	NM sex offender registration letter
EFTA01304421	10	13	2004 Epstein & Related Entities expenditure report
EFTA01612459	10	5	iMessage: "I have turned down 75m for my ranch"

## Email Corpus (DS10) — Communications Infrastructure

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA01975307	Greg Wyler / Motorola point-to-point radio
EFTA01966493	Richard Boltz system design
EFTA01963857	Boltz — T1 circuit failures
EFTA01965094	Boltz — speed tests
EFTA02020654	Boltz — system diagram
EFTA01780693	CenturyLink fiber / Sandia Crest
EFTA01739328	CenturyLink — conduit distance
EFTA01802844	Licensed vs. unlicensed microwave
EFTA02006931	Sprint T1 vs. Time Warner
EFTA01932494	Satellite frustration — "does not work for my primary purpose"
EFTA02098147	ZDC telephone directory circulation
EFTA02097616	Telephone directory — Karen email
EFTA01752832	Kahn — St. Croix fiber comparison

## Email Corpus (DS10) — Staff and Operations

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Description</b>
EFTA01888084	Cynthia Cano hiring — "husband is a Deputy Sheriff"
EFTA01989977	Kahn — "Zorro Payroll" — "very frothy"
EFTA02006496	Karen — ZDC employee breakdown request
EFTA01887834	Norma replacement
EFTA02020294	Steve and Amber — moved on-site
EFTA01764785	Carlos — health insurance
EFTA02020961	James and Nena Herrera interview
EFTA01949622	Mark Tollison — project management

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>EFTA01790757</b>	Karen → Epstein — LA reporter contacted reflexologist, March 2011

## **Email Corpus (DS10) — Financial**

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>EFTA01588756</b>	Zorro Trust JP Morgan account closure (\$516K)
<b>EFTA01590103</b>	Wire transfer to ZDC Wells Fargo
<b>EFTA01421805</b>	Deutsche Bank — Zorro Management LLC HIGH risk review
<b>EFTA01416621</b>	JP Morgan KYC — Clinton/Andrew PEP note
<b>EFTA01656415</b>	FinCEN BSA — HBRK Associates Inc. Zorro
<b>EFTA02204112</b>	Zorro Management LLC formation

## **Legal and FBI Materials**

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>EFTA00019994</b>	Victim sentencing statement — sexually molested at age 15 (3 copies: also <b>EFTA00076185</b> , <b>EFTA00080160</b> )
<b>EFTA01659394</b>	Maxwell indictment (20 Cr. 330) — Minor Victim-2 groomed in NM, 1996
<b>EFTA01659462</b>	Maxwell superseding information — NM grooming detail, unsolicited message
<b>EFTA01648851</b>	FBI search warrant — "Dana Zorro Pics" disc in safe
<b>EFTA01262900</b>	FBI search warrant (additional copy) — "Zorro" labeled discs
<b>EFTA01625916</b>	FBI — nude photos with "Zorro" filenames
<b>EFTA01659412</b>	Maxwell detention memo — NM referenced
<b>EFTA00068582</b>	Visoski trial testimony — 5-6 visits/year
<b>EFTA01245366</b>	Barnett FD-302 — quarterly visits 1995–2014
<b>EFTA00269597</b>	Brice Gordon FBI interview, Feb 2007
<b>EFTA01659529</b>	FBI Albuquerque headlines — NM AG as "fact-gatherer"
<b>EFTA01110271</b>	Morrison deposition — Richardson land sale

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*Based on forensic analysis of the DOJ EFTA production (2.91M pages) and external research*

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## Executive Summary

The first grand jury subpoena in the entire SDNY Epstein investigation was not about sex trafficking. It was about **wire fraud**.

On July 13, 2017, Acting U.S. Attorney Joon H. Kim signed a grand jury subpoena to Google, Inc. requesting all accounts associated with the domain **helpfulexperts.com** — a Google Workspace email domain registered since December 2006 that has left virtually zero trace on the public internet. The subpoena was issued under USAO Reference No. **2017R00550**, citing 18 U.S.C. §§ 1341 and 1343 (mail fraud and wire fraud). A 180-day non-disclosure order, signed by Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Peck the previous day, prohibited Google from notifying anyone.

This subpoena is the **only document in the entire 2.91M-page EFTA production that mentions helpfulexperts.com**. The domain never appears in any seized email, financial record, or investigative memo. Despite being registered for 19 years, it has zero Google search results, zero media mentions, and zero Wayback Machine content snapshots. Yet as of December 2025, someone is still paying to maintain it — with all four domain protection flags enabled.

Every public source — **PBS, NBC, NPR, the FBI's own records** — states that the SDNY Epstein investigation began on **December 6, 2018**, prompted by the Miami Herald's "**Perversion of Justice**" series. This subpoena proves that SDNY had an **active grand jury investigation 17 months earlier**, operating under a different case number and different statutory authority. The public timeline of the Epstein investigation is wrong.

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## The Subpoena: **EFTA00153743**

The 9-page document (**EFTA00153743**, Dataset 9) contains:

- **Pages 0-2:** Application for a §2705(b) Non-Disclosure Order (sealed)
- **Page 3:** Cover letter from the AUSA to Google, Inc.
- **Page 4:** Grand Jury Subpoena face page
- **Page 5:** Rider (the operative demands)
- **Page 6:** Non-disclosure request
- **Page 7:** Declaration of Custodian of Records template
- **Page 8:** Signed Non-Disclosure Order (Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Peck, July 12, 2017)

### Case Details

Field	Value
Magistrate Case	17MAG5207
USAO Reference	2017R00550
Date Issued	July 13, 2017
Return Date	July 21, 2017
Statutes	18 U.S.C. §§ 1341 (mail fraud), 1343 (wire fraud)
Acting U.S. Attorney	Joon H. Kim
Magistrate Judge	Andrew J. Peck
Target	Google, Inc., 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View, CA
NDO Duration	180 days

### The Rider

The rider requests all records for accounts associated with specific identifiers — **the first bullet point is redacted** in the production — plus "any other accounts associated with the domain 'helpfulexperts.com.'" The full demands include:

1. All email accounts hosted by Google using the domain name "helpfulexperts.com"
2. All subscriber identifying information (name, username, address, phone numbers, email addresses, DOB, SSN, network addresses, MAC addresses, browser/OS information)
3. Session times, durations, and IP addresses
4. Length of service and types of service utilized
5. Means and source of payment for services (credit card or bank account numbers)
6. Account notes, logs, and customer-service communications
7. Investigative files or user complaints concerning the subscriber

The redacted identifier above the helpfulexperts.com reference indicates prosecutors already knew of at least one specific account on the domain. They were asking Google to confirm it and reveal any others.

## The Non-Disclosure Order

The §2705(b) application states that "the attached subpoena relates to an ongoing criminal investigation that is neither public nor otherwise known to all targets of the investigation." The 180-day non-disclosure order prohibited Google from notifying any subscriber about the subpoena until approximately January 2018.

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## Two Case Numbers, Two Investigations

The most significant finding in the corpus is that the helpfulexperts subpoena was filed under a **completely different case number** from the main Epstein sex-trafficking investigation.

Case Number	First Appearance	Statutes	Subject
2017R00550	July 13, 2017	§§ 1341, 1343	Mail fraud, wire fraud
2018R01618	December 19, 2018	§§ 1591, 371, 1594(c), 2422(b)	Sex trafficking, conspiracy

USAO reference numbers in the format "YYYYR#####" designate grand jury investigations. The "2017" prefix indicates this investigation was opened in calendar year 2017 — 17 months before the sex-trafficking case (2018R01618) came into existence.

The later Google subpoenas — October 23, 2019 ([EFTA00082565](#)) and August 26, 2020 — all cite the trafficking case number 2018R01618 and the trafficking statutes. The July 2017 subpoena is the only document in the corpus filed under 2017R00550. No other EFTA references this case number.

Yet the subpoena appears in the EFTA production. The DOJ produced only documents responsive to the Epstein Files Transparency Act. Its inclusion means the Department considers this July 2017 fraud investigation part of the Epstein matter.

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## The Conventional Timeline Is Wrong

Every authoritative public source dates the SDNY Epstein investigation to late 2018:

- **PBS**: "FBI agents and the U.S. attorney's office in Manhattan began a new investigation into Epstein" on **December 6, 2018**
- **NBC News**: "In late 2018, a series of Miami Herald stories about the plea deal prompted federal prosecutors to take a fresh look"
- **FBI Records** (per **Just Security**): "On 12/06/2018, FBI NY initiated a case after Southern District of New York (SDNY) contacted FBI NY regarding several victims"
- **Just Security**: Investigation timeline begins with the Miami Herald's November 2018 "**Perversion of Justice**" series

This subpoena proves that SDNY had an active grand jury — with a signed non-disclosure order, a specific target (helpfulexperts.com), and identified statutes (fraud) — in **July 2017**. This predates:

- The Miami Herald's "**Perversion of Justice**" series by **16 months** (November 28, 2018)
- The publicly reported FBI case opening by **17 months** (December 6, 2018)
- Epstein's SDNY arrest by **24 months** (July 6, 2019)

### The Political Context of July 2017

The subpoena was signed during a specific political window:

- **March 11, 2017**: President Trump fires Preet Bharara as SDNY U.S. Attorney (after Bharara refuses to resign)
- **March 11, 2017**: Joon H. Kim, Deputy U.S. Attorney, **becomes Acting U.S. Attorney**
- **July 12-13, 2017**: Kim signs the helpfulexperts subpoena
- **January 5, 2018**: Geoffrey Berman takes over as Interim U.S. Attorney; Kim's acting period ends

- **November 2018:** Miami Herald publishes "**Perversion of Justice**"
  - **December 6, 2018:** FBI NY opens the sex-trafficking case
  - **July 6, 2019:** Epstein arrested
- The investigation was initiated under Kim's leadership, months before Berman took office. Whether the fraud investigation continued under Berman, was paused, or was folded into the later trafficking case cannot be determined from the corpus.
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## The 524-Day Gap

After the July 13, 2017 subpoena, there are **no further subpoenas in the EFTA production until December 19, 2018** — a 524-day gap, the longest in the entire investigative timeline. The Prosecutorial Query Graph flags this as a CRITICAL temporal gap (Gap ID 750).

This gap has three possible explanations:

1. **The fraud investigation continued but its records were filed under 2017R00550**, and only the initial subpoena was included in the EFTA production. The rest may exist in sealed court files.
2. **The investigation was paused or dormant** during the leadership transition from Kim to Berman.
3. **The investigation concluded** and was later reopened under different authority when the Miami Herald reporting created public pressure.

The December 2018 subpoenas that end the gap target entirely different entities — Oath Holdings/Yahoo for Epstein's personal email accounts (littlestjeffie@yahoo.com, jeffreypsteinorg@yahoo.com, etc.) and Microsoft for jeffreypstein@live.com. These use the sex-trafficking case number 2018R01618. The helpfulexperts.com domain is never mentioned again.

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## The Ghost Domain

helpfulexperts.com is one of the most thoroughly invisible domains on the internet.

### Registration and Maintenance

Field	Value
Registrar	GoDaddy.com, LLC
Created	December 29, 2006
Last Updated	December 23, 2025
Expires	December 29, 2026
Protection Flags	clientDeleteProhibited, clientRenewProhibited, clientTransferProhibited, clientUpdateProhibited
Registrant	Redacted (GoDaddy WHOIS privacy)

All four client-side domain lock flags are enabled — the maximum protection posture available from a registrar. The domain was updated as recently as December 23, 2025. Someone is still actively maintaining and paying for this domain nearly 20 years after registration.

### DNS Infrastructure

The domain's DNS records confirm it was a **Google Apps (now Google Workspace) domain** with full email capability:

Record Type	Value	Meaning
A	216.239.32/34/36/38.21	Google Blogger custom domain IPs
MX	aspmx.l.google.com (+ 6 alternates)	Google Workspace email — full mail configuration

Record	Type	Value	Meaning
CNAME (www)		ghs.google.com	Google Hosted Services
CNAME (start)		ghs.google.com	Google Apps dashboard/start page
SOA serial		2016050400	DNS zone last updated ~May 4, 2016

The MX records prove that **@helpfulexperts.com email addresses existed and were hosted by Google**. The subpoena's request for "all email accounts hosted by Google using the domain name 'helpfulexperts.com'" was precisely targeted — prosecutors knew the domain ran Google-hosted email. The SOA serial date of May 2016 indicates the DNS zone was last structurally modified over a year before the subpoena, suggesting the domain's technical infrastructure was established well in advance of the investigation.

## Internet Presence

Search	Results
Google: "helpfulexperts.com"	<b>Zero</b>
Google: "helpfulexperts"	<b>Zero</b>
Google: "helpful experts" + Epstein	<b>Zero</b>
Wayback Machine content snapshots	<b>Zero</b> (7 captures, all redirects to dead Google page)
CourtListener: "helpfulexperts"	<b>Zero</b>
Forum posts, social media, link directories	<b>Zero</b>

A domain registered for 19 years with **zero internet footprint** is extraordinary. No website content was ever captured by the Wayback Machine. No one has ever linked to it, mentioned it, or referenced it anywhere on the public internet. The only evidence it exists is its DNS records, its WHOIS entry, and one page of one subpoena in the EFTA production.

## Current Behavior

Visiting helpfulexperts.com in a browser (verified February 24, 2026) produces:

1. HTTP 301 redirect to `start.helpfulexperts.com`
2. HTTP 302 redirect to `partnerpage.google.com/helpfulexperts.com`
3. Google 404 error

The `partnerpage.google.com` service was Google's AdSense for Domains program, which displayed advertisements on parked custom domains. **Google shut down this service** effective February 10, 2026.

## No Return, No Response

There is **no Google return for the July 2017 subpoena anywhere in the EFTA corpus**. The Prosecutorial Query Graph flags all three Google subpoenas as having "no matched returns" (Gap IDs 35, 43, 101), but the automated matching system failed to link the later returns that do exist:

Subpoena	Return Found?	Details
July 2017 (helpfulexperts)	<b>No</b>	No return exists in production
December 2018 (Epstein emails)	<b>Yes</b>	Google produced records January 15, 2019 ( <b>EFTA00170256</b> ) for jeevacation, jeeitunes, jeffreypsteinorg accounts
October 2019 (Maxwell)	<b>Yes</b>	Google produced records December 30, 2019 ( <b>EFTA00082559</b> ) for Maxwell accounts

Subpoena	Return Found?	Details
August 2020 (unidentified)	Yes	Google responded September 1, 2020 (EFTA00019636), partially objecting

The absence of a return for the helpfulexperts subpoena likely reflects that the return was filed under the separate case 2017R00550 and was either not included in the EFTA production or remains sealed. It is also possible Google found no responsive records, though this seems unlikely given the domain's active Google Workspace configuration.

## The NDO Expiration Email

On February 21, 2020, an AUSA emailed colleagues (EFTA00029774, Dataset 8):

*"FYI, our NDO for the subpoenas we cut at the beginning of the case for Epstein's email accounts has expired, so they're going to notify (unclear to me who they'll notify, of course). I have no problem with that, but let me know if you think there are any issues there."*

The reply: "Thanks, agree that shouldn't be a problem."

The phrase "subpoenas we cut at the beginning of the case for Epstein's email accounts" likely refers to the December 2018 Google and Yahoo subpoenas, but the characterization of "the beginning of the case" is ambiguous — it could encompass the July 2017 subpoena as well. The AUSA's reference to "Epstein's email accounts" implies the helpfulexperts.com domain was considered part of the Epstein email infrastructure.

## The Full Google Subpoena Timeline

### Phase 1: The Fraud Investigation (Case 2017R00550)

Date	Event	EFTA
July 12, 2017	Magistrate Judge Peck signs NDO	EFTA00153743 p.8
July 13, 2017	Grand jury subpoena to Google re: helpfulexperts.com	EFTA00153743

*524-day gap — no further subpoena activity in the production*

### Phase 2: The Sex-Trafficking Investigation (Case 2018R01618)

Date	Event	EFTA
Dec 12, 2018	Preservation request to Oath Holdings (Yahoo)	EFTA00037896
Dec 19, 2018	Subpoena to Oath Holdings — littlestjeffie@yahoo.com, etc.	EFTA00152432
Dec 19, 2018	Subpoena to Google — jeevacation, jeeitunes, jeffreypsteinorg	(referenced in return)
Jan 15, 2019	Google return — 3 account info files	EFTA00170256
Jan 15-16, 2019	Oath/Yahoo return — notes some addresses invalid	EFTA00152147, EFTA00083913
Aug 1, 2019	FBI subpoena tracking email — Amazon non-responsive	EFTA01660712
Aug 15, 2019	NDO calendar cancellation — Google/Apple/Oath	EFTA00014338
Oct 23, 2019	Subpoena to Google — Ghislaine Maxwell accounts	EFTA00082565

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>EFTA</b>
Dec 30, 2019	Google return — Maxwell account info	EFTA00082559
Feb 21, 2020	AUSA email — NDO for Epstein email subpoenas expired	EFTA00029774
Aug 2, 2020	Discovery review — Google responses marked "No issues"	EFTA00074886
Aug 26, 2020	Subpoena to Google — partially objected	(referenced in return)
Sep 1, 2020	Google return — partial compliance, some objections	EFTA00019636

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## What We Don't Know

1. **Who registered helpfulexperts.com.** Historical WHOIS records from before GDPR privacy (pre-2018) might reveal the registrant, but these require paid database subscriptions (DomainTools, WhoisXML API) to access.
  2. **What the redacted identifiers are.** The first bullet point on the rider — the specific email addresses or account identifiers prosecutors already knew about — was redacted from the EFTA production.
  3. **What Google produced in response.** No return for this subpoena exists in the corpus. It may be sealed under the separate case number 2017R00550.
  4. **Why the domain has zero internet presence.** A Google Workspace domain registered since 2006, actively maintained through 2025, with full email infrastructure — and yet no email from or to @helpfulexperts.com appears anywhere in the 2.91M-page production, and no trace of it exists on the public internet. This level of invisibility is consistent with a domain used exclusively for private communication.
  5. **Who is still maintaining the domain.** Someone renewed helpfulexperts.com as recently as December 23, 2025, and has all four domain protection flags enabled. Nineteen years of registration fees for a domain that serves no visible content.
  6. **Whether the fraud investigation (2017R00550) produced additional records** that were either not included in the EFTA production or remain sealed.
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## Structural Observations

### 1. The Investigation Had an Earlier, Unreported Phase

The existence of case number 2017R00550 proves that SDNY was investigating Epstein-related matters under fraud statutes in mid-2017 — well before any public reporting or the Miami Herald series that is universally credited with triggering the investigation. The fraud investigation may have been the precursor to, or ran parallel with, the sex-trafficking case that ultimately led to the July 2019 indictment.

### 2. The Fraud-to-Trafficking Pivot

The shift from §§ 1341/1343 (fraud) to §§ 1591/371 (trafficking/conspiracy) between 2017 and 2018 suggests the investigation's focus evolved. **Bloomberg reported in October 2025** that the original 2007 Florida investigation had a money-laundering probe examining "every financial transaction conducted by Epstein and his six businesses" dating to 2003. The 2017 fraud statutes are consistent with a financial investigation that predated the trafficking focus.

### 3. helpfulexperts.com Was Communication Infrastructure

The domain's technical profile — Google Workspace email, Google Hosted Services web presence, 19 years of registration with maximum protection flags — indicates it was purpose-built communication infrastructure. The subpoena's focus on email accounts, subscriber information, and payment records

confirms prosecutors were interested in who was communicating through this domain and how it was funded.

#### 4. Total Compartmentalization

Despite triggering the first subpoena in the investigation, "helpfulexperts" never appears in any of the 2.91M pages of seized communications, financial records, or investigative materials. Whatever role this domain played, it was compartmentalized from Epstein's other documented activities. No email from @helpfulexperts.com appears in any seized device, email account, or financial record in the production.

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## Document Summary

EFTA	Dataset	Pages	Type	Description
EFTA00153743	9	9	Subpoena	July 2017 Google subpoena — helpfulexperts.com (Case 2017R00550)
EFTA00082565	9	9	Subpoena	Oct 2019 Google subpoena — Maxwell (Case 2018R01618)
EFTA00091937	9	9	Subpoena	Oct 2019 Google subpoena — Maxwell duplicate
EFTA00029774	8	1	Email	Feb 2020 AUSA email — NDO expired for email subpoenas
EFTA00014338	8	1	Email	Aug 2019 NDO calendar cancellation
EFTA00170256	9	3	Return	Jan 2019 Google return — Epstein email accounts
EFTA00082559	9	4	Return	Dec 2019 Google return — Maxwell accounts
EFTA00019636	8	4	Return	Sep 2020 Google return — partial objections
EFTA01660712	10	3	Email	Aug 2019 FBI subpoena tracking — Amazon non-responsive
EFTA00074886	9	4	Email	Aug 2020 discovery review — Google responses
EFTA00152432	9	8	Subpoena	Dec 2018 Oath Holdings subpoena
EFTA00037896	8	1	Email	Dec 2018 preservation request to Oath Holdings

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## Methodological Notes

- Corpus search:** FTS5 and LIKE searches for "helpfulexperts" (one word), "helpful experts" (two words), and "@helpfulexperts" across all 2,914,901 pages of `full_text_corpus.db`. Only one page (EFTA00153743, page 5) contains any match.
- PQG cross-reference:** The Prosecutorial Query Graph database (257 subpoenas, 2,018 demand clauses) identifies EFTA00153743 as Subpoena 214 with 15 rider clauses, and flags the subsequent 524-day gap as Gap ID 750 (CRITICAL severity).
- External research:** Wayback Machine (web.archive.org), live DNS lookups, WHOIS queries, Google searches for "helpfulexperts.com," "helpfulexperts," and "helpful experts" + Epstein all returned zero substantive results. The domain has no internet footprint beyond its DNS/WHOIS records.
- Dataset verification:** All cited EFTAs verified against `documents` table in `full_text_corpus.db`. None appear on the DOJ confirmed-removal list (`doj_audit/CONFIRMED_REMOVED.csv`).
- Media coverage:** Zero results as of February 24, 2026. No journalist, researcher, or commentator has ever publicly written about helpfulexperts.com, the July 2017 subpoena, USAO reference 2017R00550, or the pre-December 2018 phase of the SDNY investigation.

6. **Analytical neutrality:** The report presents what the documents show. The 524-day gap may reflect sealed proceedings, a dormant investigation, or records filed under a separate case number. The absence of a Google return may reflect sealed filings or negative results. We state what can be verified and identify what remains unknown.
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## External Sources

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All external claims in this report are independently verifiable:

Claim	Source
SDNY investigation began December 6, 2018	<a href="#">PBS NewsHour Timeline</a>
Miami Herald prompted federal re-examination	<a href="#">NBC News Timeline</a>
FBI NY initiated case 12/06/2018 per FBI records	<a href="#">Just Security — FBI Stand-Down Directive Timeline</a>
Miami Herald "Perversion of Justice" series (Nov 2018)	<a href="#">Miami Herald</a>
Preet Bharara fired March 11, 2017	<a href="#">NPR</a>
Joon H. Kim became Acting U.S. Attorney	<a href="#">Wikipedia — Joon Kim</a>
Geoffrey Berman appointed January 5, 2018	<a href="#">DOJ Press Release</a>
2007 Florida money-laundering probe	<a href="#">Bloomberg (Oct 2025)</a>
Google AdSense for Domains shutdown	<a href="#">Domain Name Wire</a>

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# FBI Intelligence Investigations of Jeffrey Epstein

## A Forensic Reconstruction from the EFTA Corpus

*The FBI had at least five intelligence case numbers connected to Jeffrey Epstein, running from 2017 through at least 2022, across field offices in New York, Los Angeles, Dallas, Birmingham, Buffalo, Albuquerque, and San Juan. The criminal investigations are well known. The parallel intelligence track is not.*

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## Part 1: The Case Files

### How FBI Case Numbers Work

Before mapping the cases, a brief primer on the FBI's case numbering system — the [Universal Case File Number](#) (UCFN). Every FBI case file is assigned a number in the format **[Classification] [Suffix] - [FieldOffice] - [SequentialNumber]**. For example, 813B-NY-2928278 decodes as:

- **813** = The classification number — this identifies what *kind* of case it is. The FBI maintains hundreds of classifications; the most complete public mapping is a [researcher reconstruction](#) derived from FBI records in [National Archives Record Group 65](#) (the FBI has never officially published the full modern

list). The 800-series covers intelligence programs: 800 = Intelligence Program, 801 = International/Domestic Terrorism, 802 = Counterintelligence, 803 = Cyber, 804 = Criminal. Classifications **808 through 814** are all labeled "Foreign Intelligence Program" in the NARA-derived records — likely each corresponding to a specific country or region (the specific mapping is classified).

- **B** = A sub-type suffix within the classification. These vary by classification — for example, in the **266 threat classification**, "N" designates White Racially Motivated Violent Extremism and "K" designates Black RMVE. The specific meaning of "B" within 813 is not publicly documented.
- **NY** = Field Office of Origin (New York)
- **2928278** = Sequential case file number

Case files can also have **sub-files** (e.g., -INTELPRODS for intelligence products, -GJ for grand jury material) and individual documents within a case receive **serial numbers** (Serial 1, Serial 2, etc.).

Importantly, under the FBI's **Domestic Investigations and Operations Guide**, **all three levels of investigative activity — assessments, preliminary investigations, and full investigations — generate case file numbers** in the Sentinel case management system. A **2024 DOJ Inspector General audit** confirmed that even assessments opened in the FBI's Guardian intake system create "parallel case[s] opened in Sentinel." This means a case number alone does not tell us the investigation's level — only its subject matter, location, and type.

### The Four Criminal Investigations

The FBI's Epstein investigations are generally discussed as one story: the child sex trafficking case that led to his 2019 arrest. In reality, the EFTA corpus reveals at least **nine distinct case numbers** across four criminal investigations, multiple intelligence sub-files, and at least one standalone foreign intelligence case.

### The Four Criminal Investigations

Case Number	Type	Description	Opened
31E-MM-108062	Child Sex Trafficking	FBI Miami/West Palm Beach — original investigation	7/24/2006
72-MM-113327	Obstruction of Justice	Obstruction case against a former Epstein employee	10/28/2009
50D-NY-3027571	Child Sex Trafficking	FBI New York/SDNY — the case that led to Epstein's 2019 arrest	12/6/2018
90A-NY-3151227	Death Investigation	Epstein's death at MCC on 8/10/2019	8/12/2019

These are well-documented. The briefing deck at [EFTA00164939](#) lays out all four on its title page. But the corpus also reveals case numbers that fall outside this framework entirely.

### The Intelligence Cases

Case Number	Type	Field Office	First Appearance	Document
813B-NY-2928278	Foreign Intelligence Program	New York	12/13/2017	<a href="#">EFTA01683874</a>
804I-LA-3315657-INTELPRODS	Intelligence Products (Election Influence)	Los Angeles	10/19/2020	<a href="#">EFTA00090314</a>
804I-DL-5089795	Intelligence Products (VCAC Assessment)	Dallas	8/13/2019	<a href="#">EFTA01245082</a>
804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS	Intelligence Products (Human Trafficking)	New York	10/24/2019	<a href="#">EFTA00261437</a>
804I-SJ-3371215	Intelligence Products	San Juan	7/13/2021	<a href="#">EFTA00128664</a>

Case Number	Type	Field Office	First Appearance	Document
[FULLY REDACTED]	(TOC Assessment) Unknown (initiated 9/8/2020)	Unknown	11/4/2020	EFTA01683595

Plus sub-files:

Sub-file	Parent Case	Contents
50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	SDNY trafficking case	12 intelligence serials (TIRs)
31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	Miami trafficking case (NY sub-file)	Intelligence products from the older case
31E-MM-108062-GJ	Miami trafficking case	Grand jury material (restricted)

### What the Prefixes Mean

FBI case numbers encode their purpose. While the FBI's full classification guide is not public, the documents themselves reveal the system:

- **31E**: Child Exploitation investigations — the original Miami case used this prefix (EFTA00164941)
- **50D**: Human Trafficking / Sex Trafficking investigations — the SDNY case (EFTA00164943)
- **72**: Obstruction of Justice (EFTA00164942)
- **90A**: Death Investigation (EFTA00164950)
- **813B**: Foreign Intelligence Program — **classification 813** covers the FBI's Foreign Intelligence Program. The "B" suffix designates a sub-file type. This case was derived from the FBI's National Security Information Classification Guide (EFTA01683874)
- **804I**: Intelligence products and assessments — appears across four field offices in cases ranging from election influence to transnational organized crime
- **266N**: Domestic terrorism / threat assessment — the Birmingham case tracking the Black Book's appearance on extremist Telegram channels (EFTA00174673)

The **INTELPRODS** suffix designates a sub-file within a case specifically for intelligence products — Tactical Intelligence Reports (TIRs), Intelligence Notes (INs), and other analytical work product. These are distinct from evidentiary serials: they're produced by the Intelligence Division, not the criminal squads.

### The Significance of 813B-NY-2928278

**Classification 813** — "Foreign Intelligence Program" per the NARA-derived classification list — sits within the FBI's 800-series intelligence classifications (800 = Intelligence Program, 801 = International/Domestic Terrorism, 802 = Counterintelligence, 803 = Cyber, 804 = Criminal intelligence). While the FBI has not officially published the modern classification list, the 813 designation is independently corroborated by the document's treatment: SECRET//NOFORN classification derived from the FBI's National Security Information Classification Guide, an intelligence division squad (ID 25) as the handling unit, and a 25-year declassification timeline standard for national security material. An 813 case, based on the available evidence, is a foreign intelligence matter, not a criminal investigation.

The 2017 FD-1023 filed under case 813B-NY-2928278 is the only document in the corpus that shows Epstein as the subject of a foreign intelligence case. It was filed by New York Field Office Squad **ID 25** — an intelligence division squad, not a criminal squad like C-20 (which handled the trafficking case). The classification is derived from the **FBI NSIC** (National Security Information Classification Guide), and the declassification date is **2042-12-31** — 25 years out, the standard for national security material.

Whether the FBI formally opened 813B-NY-2928278 as a full investigation, a preliminary inquiry, or merely an assessment cannot be determined from the FD-1023 alone. Under the FBI's **Domestic Investigations and Operations Guide**, all three levels generate case file numbers in **Sentinel**. An assessment — the lowest threshold, requiring only an **"authorized purpose and clearly defined objective(s)"** rather than the **"articulable factual basis"** needed for predicated investigations — can still generate a dedicated case number, receive serialized CHS reports, and carry classification markings. The existence of a case number, a serialized FD-1023, an assigned intelligence squad, and SECRET//NOFORN classification is consistent with any of the three levels. What is clear is that the FBI's intelligence division was running Epstein-related material through a foreign intelligence case file **18 months before** the SDNY criminal investigation opened in December 2018.

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## Part 2: The Sources

The Sentinel File Review ([EFTA01649074](#)) maps every Confidential Human Source who reported on Epstein matters. Combined with a second, nearly identical file review at [EFTA01657282](#), we can reconstruct the full CHS landscape.

### 50D-NY-3027571 (SDNY Trafficking Case) — CHS Reports

Serial	Source ID	Classification	Documents
222	S-00017284	UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO	<a href="#">EFTA01245082</a>
459	S-00019639	UNCLASSIFIED	<a href="#">EFTA01245107</a>
473, 532, 558	S-00099701	UNCLASSIFIED	<a href="#">EFTA01245118</a>
538	S-00099701	SECRET//NOFORN	<a href="#">EFTA01683595</a>
684	S-00104760	SECRET//NOFORN	<a href="#">EFTA01683612</a>

### 31E-MM-108062 (Miami Case) — CHS Reports

**Serial Source ID**

229 S-00000640

228, 232 S-00023871

### 813B-NY-2928278 (Foreign Intelligence Case) — CHS Reports

**Date Source Classification**

11/27/2017 "Recently established" SECRET//NOFORN

### Source Profiles

#### Source S-00099701 — Los Angeles, Squad I-01

**The most prolific intelligence source in the Epstein corpus.** This CHS filed at least five reports between July and November 2020, spanning both criminal and intelligence case files.

**Contact method:** Encrypted messaging application — an unusual detail that appears on multiple FD-1023s for this source ([EFTA01245118](#), [EFTA00090314](#)).

**Handling agent:** SA Kevin Adam (named in [EFTA01245118](#)).

#### Reports filed:

1. **Serial 473** (7/1/2020): Initial contact. CHS claimed to have information about Maxwell and Epstein's money laundering through Harvard. Stated "Dershowitz was controlled by the Israelis," identified Mitch Webber as a contact who "spoke with Maxwell all the time" during the first plea deal, and claimed Maxwell and Epstein were "investors" in technology for Reid Hoffman, Brock Pierce, and Thor Halvorssen. CHS stated: "Mind raping is what foreign spies do to steal technology know-how." Also claimed both Epstein and Maxwell were "Israeli spies" ([EFTA01245118](#)).
2. **Serial 532** (10/16/2020): Filed under **both** 804I-LA-3315657-INTELPRODS **and** 50D-NY-3027571. The handling agent asked the CHS specifically about "improper domestic or foreign influence over the

electoral process in the U.S." The CHS reported:

- Dershowitz told Alex Acosta that Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services"
- After phone calls between Dershowitz and Epstein, "Mossad would then call Dershowitz to debrief"
- Epstein "trained as a spy under" Ehud Barak
- Masha Drokova (Day One Ventures) was in Silicon Valley to "steal technology"
- Leon Black "owns the mercenary firm formerly known as Blackwater, now Constellis"
- Synopsis: "Foreign influence on U.S. officials by Israel, Russia, and UAE"

(EFTA00090314)

3. **Serial 538** (11/3/2020): **SECRET//NOFORN** (per the **briefing deck**; the Sentinel export's overall classification field is redacted, but the visible synopsis portion marking is (S)). The primary case is fully redacted — initiated **9/8/2020**, a case opened over a year after Epstein's death. Two additional cases listed, one being the trafficking case. Squad: **I 03** (intelligence). Content: "(S) More information o..." — rest classified and redacted. This is one of the three S//NF serials the briefing deck identifies (EFTA01683595).
4. **Serial 558**: Referenced in the Sentinel File Review but the FD-1023 has not been identified separately in the corpus.

The import form for Serial 532 (EFTA00090310) reveals the 804I-LA case's full title: "**2020 Election Influence Threat Assessment; FBI Los Angeles Area of Responsibility; Type 3 Assessment; Intelligence Products.**" The FBI was routing this CHS's Epstein-related intelligence reporting through an election influence threat assessment.

**Credibility indicators:** Mixed. The CHS had apparent access to Dershowitz and knowledge of the Epstein-Maxwell orbit. However, the claim that Leon Black "owns the mercenary firm formerly known as Blackwater, now Constellis" is factually incorrect — Constellis was owned by private equity firms including Cerberus Capital Management and later ACADEMI Holdings, not Leon Black. This error, noted by the FBI's own closure codes on the related FD-1023 from the same source, suggests the CHS was mixing genuine access with secondhand or open-source claims. The FBI assessed Serial 684 (from the related S-00104760 source) as "Contains Open Source Information" and "Does not meet DETAILED threshold."

#### **Source S-00104760 — Los Angeles**

Filed **Serial 684**, the **SECRET//NOFORN** FD-1023 dated 12/22/2021. This is a different source from S-00099701, though both operated from the LA field office. The report covers:

- Sue Desmond-Hellmann's departure from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and Facebook board after the October 2019 New York Times article about Gates-Epstein meetings. The CHS reported that a "known U.S. person" (USPER) encountered Desmond-Hellmann at the "Alpha Club" in January 2020, where she appeared to have had a "miraculous recovery" from the illness she cited when resigning.
- Epstein was "running an Israeli state-sponsored technology collection and extortion operation"
- Maxwell's father Robert Maxwell "was a very wealthy Israeli Intelligence (Mossad) Agent"
- Epstein's operation "lured some of the most powerful and influential people in the world to his home, where they had the opportunity to have sex with young girls in lavish situations. This would have been recorded in some way, which could be used to control and extort non-cooperators"

(EFTA01683612)

**FBI disposition:** Three separate closure code assessments were conducted between January 20-27, 2022:

1. "Reports - Contains Operation Information" (completed 1/27/2022)
2. "Collection - Does not address an FBI requirement" (completed 1/24/2022)
3. "Reports - Contains Operation Information, Reports - Does not meet DETAILED threshold, Reports - Contains Open Source Information" (completed 1/20/2022)

The fastest closure (same day, 1/20/2022) applied the harshest assessment: the reporting contained

open-source information and didn't meet the threshold for a Detailed Intelligence Information Report. The FBI was saying, in bureaucratic language, that this CHS was partly telling them things from newspapers.

**Timeline verification:** The CHS's account of Desmond-Hellmann's movements is broadly accurate but conflates two departures. The New York Times published its [Gates-Epstein article](#) on October 12, 2019. On [October 30, 2019](#), Desmond-Hellmann departed Facebook's board, citing "increasing demands from my CEO role, my extended family, and my own health." On [December 5, 2019](#), the Gates Foundation announced she was stepping down as CEO, effective February 1, 2020. She subsequently joined Pfizer's board and became a senior advisor to Google Ventures. The CHS reported she informed the Facebook board "just after publication" of the NYT article "during the same week" — the Facebook departure was announced 18 days later, not within the same week. The CHS's characterization of Desmond-Hellmann "panicking" and then pursuing high-level positions is interpretation, not verifiable fact. No public reporting directly links Desmond-Hellmann to Epstein, though in February 2026, Gates [told foundation staff](#) he "brought foundation executives to meetings with Jeffrey Epstein."

#### **The 2017 New York CHS — Squad ID 25**

Filed the SECRET//NOFORN FD-1023 under case [813B-NY-2928278](#) on 12/13/2017, based on a contact dated 11/27/2017 in New York City. The FBI described this as a source with whom they had "recently established a relationship."

The CHS reported:

- Epstein "had a compound in New Mexico where he lured and video recorded underage women"
- Epstein "was President Vladimir Putin's wealth manager and provided the same service for Zimbabwean President Robert Mugabe"
- Epstein "made his money from charging his clients fees to hide their money offshore"
- "In the spring of 2015, President Trump had just been to Epstein's property for lunch"
- Epstein had a "personal hacker" — an Italian citizen born in Calabria who developed zero-day exploits, sold them to GCHQ and Hezbollah, and "established the Saudi government's cyber surveillance program." This hacker's former company "was acquired by CrowdStrike in fall 2017"
- The hacker had a "Vatican City passport" and possibly Iranian and Israeli passports ([EFTA01683874](#))

**The hacker:** Following the EFTA release in January 2026, multiple outlets [identified the individual as Vincenzo Iozzo](#), a former CrowdStrike senior director. Iozzo denied the characterization: "I was never Jeffrey Epstein's 'hacker,' nor did I do any hacking for him." However, emails in the EFTA corpus between Iozzo and Epstein independently confirm a relationship, lending some credibility to the CHS's claim of a connection while leaving the nature of that relationship disputed.

#### **Chuck Johnson — Washington, D.C. (Phone Interview)**

The only named source in the intelligence-related documents. The FD-302 at [EFTA01683889](#) records a phone interview on 4/28/2020 with an individual whose alias is given as "Chuck Johnson." The document is classified SECRET//NOFORN with classification reason [1.4\(b\)](#) — "foreign government information" and a declassification date of [2045-12-31](#).

The interview is almost entirely redacted across 9 pages. The one visible substantive passage states:

*(U//FOUO) [REDACTED] expressed concern that JEFFREY EPSTEIN was an Israeli spy. He and BANNON may have had a business relationship and EPSTEIN paid BANNON with money from the Israelis. [REDACTED] referenced a news story about Israel and Stingray equipment found around the WH. BANNON may have utilized the technology to get information out of the WH.*

Charles C. Johnson is a [right-wing blogger and political operative](#) who ran GotNews.com. He was permanently banned from Twitter in 2015 and was [found liable for \\$40 million in a civil racketeering case in 2025](#). He operated in the orbit of Steve Bannon and Mike Cernovich. The FBI interviewed him not because they considered him a credible intelligence source, but because he had access to the

Bannon-Epstein nexus.

The **1.4(b) classification** — "foreign government information" — is the most legally significant detail in this document. Under [Executive Order 13526 §1.4\(b\)](#), this classification reason applies specifically to information "provided by a foreign government or governments, an international organization of governments, or any element thereof, with the expectation that the information, the source of the information, or both are to be held in confidence." This is not a classification for *discussing* foreign governments — it is a classification for protecting information that *originated from* a foreign government. The classification protects either the information itself, the fact that the foreign government provided it, or both.

In the context of a phone interview with a right-wing blogger, this raises a question with three possible answers. First, Johnson may have relayed — knowingly or unknowingly — material that originated from a foreign government. Second, his statements may have been evaluated against classified foreign government information the FBI already possessed, requiring the 1.4(b) marking to protect that comparison. Third, the redacted portions of the nine-page interview may have involved the FBI sharing or referencing FGI during questioning. All three scenarios would warrant the 1.4(b) classification; what's clear is that the interview intersected with foreign government-origin material — something beyond simply discussing foreign affairs.

The visible passage referencing "Israel and Stingray equipment found around the WH" may relate to [confirmed reporting](#) from September 2019 that Israel had placed cell-site simulators near the White House, based on U.S. intelligence assessments. If the FBI's Stingray findings originated from or were shared with a foreign government partner, that would independently explain the 1.4(b) marking.

**Source S-00002345 — Birmingham, Squad 6**

Filed Serial 117 on 8/23/2019 under case **266N-BH-2232077**. This CHS is described with the strongest credibility language in the entire corpus: "An established source who is considered **highly reliable** and is responsive to tasking with both direct and indirect access, much of whose reporting has been corroborated and validated **over the past eighteen years.**"

The report is mundane — the CHS flagged that an alt-right Telegram channel ("Alt-Right Shitlords," [t.me/WhiteIsRight](https://t.me/WhiteIsRight)) had posted what purported to be "the Unredacted little black book" of Jeffrey Epstein. The CHS noted it included personal phone numbers for members of the Trump family and expressed concern about potential misuse by "spammers / blackmailers / journalists."

([EFTA00174673](#))

This was routed to New York's ID-13/C-20 (Intelligence/Criminal squads handling Epstein) via an email at [EFTA00174672](#).

**Source S-00019639 — Buffalo**

Filed Serial 459 on 7/16/2020 via telephone. A minimal single tip: "CHS, who is not in a position to testify," reported that a woman had gone to Epstein's island years ago, received money, and "had sex on the island." No intelligence content — pure criminal lead forwarding ([EFTA01245107](#)).

**Source S-00017284 — Dallas (Closed)**

Filed Serial 222 on 8/13/2019. A walk-in at the FBI Dallas-Tyler Resident Agency whose sub-source, a journalist named Pat Matrisciana, claimed to have been in direct contact with Ghislaine Maxwell. The CHS offered to provide Maxwell's location in the "Washington, D.C. area." This was filed under both a Dallas 804I intelligence assessment and the trafficking case ([EFTA01245082](#)).

**Sources from the Miami Case (31E-MM-108062)**

- **S-00000640**: Serial 229. No FD-1023 identified in the corpus.
- **S-00023871**: Serials 228 and 232. No FD-1023 identified in the corpus.

These CHS reports from the original 2006-era investigation remain unidentified in the EFTA production.

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## Part 3: The Intelligence Products

The INTELPRODS sub-file under the SDNY case (50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS) contains **12 serialized intelligence products**, all Tactical Intelligence Reports (TIRs), produced between August 2019 and March 2022.

A TIR is a finished intelligence product — an analytical assessment produced by the FBI's Intelligence Division that synthesizes raw information into actionable intelligence. TIRs are distinct from raw intelligence (FD-1023 CHS reports) and investigative documents (FD-302 interview reports). They represent the FBI's Intelligence Division working *in support of* criminal investigations.

### The 12 INTELPRODS Serials

Serial	Date	Case ID(s)	Subject	EFTA
1	8/29/2019	31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	Subfile Opening Document	EFTA00261337
2	10/1/2019	31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — financial analysis (BSA data)	EFTA00261337 p.1
3	10/2/2019	31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — travel records for [REDACTED]	EFTA00261337 p.3 1
4	10/18/2019	31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — Ghislaine Maxwell (BSA data)	EFTA00261337 p.5 7
5	10/18/2019	31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — travel records for Ghislaine Maxwell	EFTA00261337 p.6 8
6	10/24/2019	31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — toll records analysis, target telephone	EFTA00261437
7	1/31/2022	50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — Epstein travel records, arrest posture	EFTA01731246
8	3/2/2022	50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — person of interest identification	EFTA00261437 p.2 5
9	3/2/2022	50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS	TIR — person of interest identification	EFTA00261437 p.2 9
10	3/24/2022	50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS + <b>804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS</b>	TIR — person of interest identification	EFTA00261437 p.3 4
11	3/31/2022	50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS + <b>804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS</b>	TIR — Maxwell defense witness identification	EFTA00261437 p.3 9
12	3/31/2022	50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS + <b>804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS</b>	TIR — Maxwell defense witness identification	EFTA00261437 p.4 3

Note that Serials 10-12 are cross-filed to **804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS** — a standalone intelligence case for "Human Trafficking" intelligence products. This means the Intelligence Division was maintaining its own separate case file for Epstein-related analytical work beginning no later than March 2022.

### The Two Production Phases

**Phase 1 (October 2019):** Five TIRs produced in rapid succession after Epstein's death (8/10/2019) and before Maxwell's arrest. The Intelligence Division was analyzing financial records (Bank Secrecy Act data), travel patterns, and toll records. These supported the pivot from Epstein to Maxwell.

**Phase 2 (January-March 2022):** Seven TIRs produced after Maxwell's conviction (12/29/2021). The travel records TIR ([EFTA01731246](#)) retroactively documented how intelligence analysis of TECS (Customs) records enabled Epstein's arrest. The remaining TIRs identified persons of interest and researched Maxwell defense witnesses — the Intelligence Division conducting background checks to support trial preparation.

### **The Intelligence Note**

Beyond the TIR sub-file, the Intelligence Division produced a standalone **Intelligence Note** (IN) on April 6, 2022, filed under 804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS:

*(U//FOUO) Wealthy, Influential Individuals Involved in Sex Trafficking Likely Rely Primarily on Referrals and Career Enhancement Promises to Entice Victims, Representing an Expansion of Traditional Sex Trafficking Techniques*

This 8-page analytical product assessed — with "medium confidence" — that wealthy traffickers like Epstein, Peter Nygard, R. Kelly, Harvey Weinstein, and Allison Mack used their social and financial capital to recruit victims in ways that "represent an expansion of traditional sex trafficking techniques." It was produced by ID-13 (Intelligence Division, Section 13) at FBI New York ([EFTA00172536](#)).

The Intelligence Note uses formal IC (Intelligence Community) analytical tradecraft: expressions of likelihood, confidence levels, source summary statements, and analysis of alternatives. It's formatted for FBI internal consumption only ("DO NOT DISSEMINATE EXTERNALLY") but uses the same analytical framework as products shared with the broader Intelligence Community.

### **The NY Intelligence Division Weekly Reports**

Two weekly reports from the NY Intelligence Division confirm the operational integration between intelligence and criminal squads:

- **December 17, 2021** ([EFTA01683834](#)): During the Maxwell trial, notes that an SOS (Special Operations Specialist) from the Intelligence Division testified on December 6-7, 2021 "at end of day and on 12/7 at beginning of day on the Maxwell trial regarding case 50D-NY-3027571." The SOS was working alongside the case agent and AUSAs during the trial.
- **March 11, 2022** ([EFTA01683846](#)): Notes that "ID-13 SOS serialized a TIR on a person of interest in a child exploitation investigation to 50D-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS, serial 8." This confirms INTELPRODS Serial 8 was authored by an Intelligence Division SOS in ID-13.

Both reports are classified with declassification exemption **50X1-HUM** — the permanent exemption for information that could reveal human intelligence sources (up to 75 years).

### **The Albuquerque Intelligence Note**

A separate, unrelated 804I case — **804I-AQ-2482314** — produced a curious intelligence product. On August 12, 2020, FBI Albuquerque's INT-1 squad assessed that a historical artifact — a "Death Bell" missing from a New Mexico church since the 1930s — may have been housed at Epstein's Zorro Ranch, based on photos and videos showing what "appears to be a collection of New Mexico Colonial style artwork and artifacts in the residence" ([EFTA00129048](#)).

This is not intelligence-investigation related, but it demonstrates how widely the 804I intelligence product framework was being used across field offices for Epstein-adjacent matters.

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## **Part 4: The External Partners**

Two documents establish that the FBI was communicating with at least one external intelligence agency about Epstein:

### **The Memorandum ([EFTA01683698](#))**

A memorandum addressed to the FBI — specifically to the "Unit Chief, Crimes against Children and Human Trafficking Unit" — with the subject line "Response to Questions on Ongoing Criminal Investigation." The originating agency is redacted. The substantive content is almost entirely redacted

across three pages. The final page identifies three persons:

- **IDEN A:** U.S. Person [REDACTED]
- **IDEN B:** U.S. Person Jeffrey Epstein
- **IDEN C:** Presumed U.S. Person Ghislaine Maxwell  
(EFTA01683698)

The "IDENS" block and "U.S. Person" / "Presumed U.S. Person" designations are hallmarks of Intelligence Community products governed by Executive Order 12333 and USSID 18 minimization procedures. External agencies (CIA, NSA, DIA, etc.) use these designations when sharing information about U.S. persons with domestic agencies. The phrase "Presumed U.S. Person" for Maxwell — who held both U.S. and UK citizenship — is precisely correct IC terminology.

The memo establishes that an external agency **responded to FBI questions** about its ongoing criminal investigation of Epstein and Maxwell. The FBI asked; they answered.

### **The ORCON/NOFORN Email (EFTA01683701)**

An internal FBI email forwarding material from an "external partner":

*Classification: **SECRET//ORCON/NOFORN***

*Classified By: J54J32T82*

*Derived From: FBI NSICG*

*Declassify On: **50X1-HUM***

*Per UNET e-mail, attached is a copy of the information received from our external partner:*

(EFTA01683701)

The classification markings decode as follows:

- **SECRET:** Unauthorized release would cause "serious" damage to national security
- **ORCON** (Originator Controlled): The originating agency controls all dissemination
- **NOFORN:** Cannot be shared with foreign nationals
- **50X1-HUM:** Exempt from automatic declassification for up to 75 years because release "could be expected to reveal the identity of a confidential human source or a human intelligence source"

The ORCON caveat means the external agency retained control over who could see this material even after sharing it with the FBI. UNET refers to the **FBI Unclassified Network** (CJIS UNet) — a nationwide wide area network providing FBI personnel access to sensitive but unclassified intelligence information with two-factor authentication. That SECRET//ORCON/NOFORN material was referenced in a UNET email suggests the classified attachment was handled separately from the unclassified cover email.

These two documents — the memorandum and the ORCON/NOFORN forwarded material — are the clearest evidence in the EFTA corpus that the FBI's Epstein investigation involved active, bidirectional intelligence sharing with at least one other U.S. intelligence agency.

We do not speculate about which agency. The IDENS format, the ORCON marking, and the "external partner" designation are used across the Intelligence Community. Any of the 18 IC member agencies could be the originator.

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## **Part 5: The Timeline**

### **Pre-2017: The Foundation**

- **7/24/2006:** FBI West Palm Beach opens child exploitation investigation 31E-MM-108062
- **2006-2008:** CHS reports filed under the Miami case (S-00000640, S-00023871)
- **6/2008:** Epstein accepts plea deal
- **10/28/2009:** Obstruction case 72-MM-113327 opened
- **12/8/2009:** Black book seized

- **1996:** An FD-71 (lead document) referencing Epstein exists from this date — predating the FBI's current electronic records system. Referenced in [EFTA02730468](#) as "not included in the case file because they were NOT of evidentiary value."

### **2017: The CI Case Opens**

- **11/27/2017:** Two FBI agents meet with a newly established CHS in New York City. The CHS reports on Epstein's alleged role as Putin's wealth manager, the Italian hacker, and the Trump lunch. Filed under **813B-NY-2928278** by Squad ID 25 (Intelligence Division). Classification: SECRET//NOFORN ([EFTA01683874](#)).

### **2018-2019: Criminal Investigation Reopens**

- **12/6/2018:** FBI New York opens 50D-NY-3027571 at SDNY's request
- **7/2/2019:** Epstein indicted
- **7/5/2019:** TECS "Silent Hit" alert triggers — Epstein returning to Teterboro on 7/6/2019 at 5:20 PM on aircraft N212JE ([EFTA01731246](#))
- **7/6/2019:** Epstein arrested at Teterboro
- **8/10/2019:** Epstein found dead at MCC
- **8/13/2019:** Two CHS reports filed the same week:
- S-00002345 (Birmingham): Black book on Telegram ([EFTA00174673](#))
- S-00017284 (Dallas): Maxwell location tip ([EFTA01245082](#))
- **8/29/2019:** INTELPRODS sub-file opened — Serial 1 is the opening document ([EFTA00261337](#))
- **10/1-10/24/2019:** Five TIRs produced in rapid succession (Serials 2-6) — financial analysis, travel records, Maxwell tracking, toll records

### **2020: The Intelligence Surge**

- **4/28/2020:** Chuck Johnson phone interview — classified SECRET//NOFORN under 1.4(b) "foreign government information" ([EFTA01683889](#))
- **7/1/2020:** S-00099701 initial contact via encrypted messaging ([EFTA01245118](#))
- **7/2/2020:** Maxwell arrested in New Hampshire
- **7/13/2021:** SAR (Suspicious Activity Report) review meeting in USVI discusses "Estate of Jeffery E. Epstein, Southern Country International, Richard D. Kahn, Darren K. Indyke, Southern Trust Co." — filed under 804I-SJ-3371215 ([EFTA00128664](#))
- **7/16/2020:** S-00019639 (Buffalo) single tip ([EFTA01245107](#))
- **9/8/2020:** A new case is initiated — case number fully redacted. This is the primary case for Serial 538 ([EFTA01683595](#))
- **9/30/2020:** External partner communication received via UNET — SECRET//ORCON/NOFORN, 50X1-HUM ([EFTA01683701](#))
- **10/16/2020:** S-00099701 reports on election influence, Israeli intelligence, Drokova — cross-filed to 804I-LA-3315657-INTELPRODS ([EFTA00090314](#))
- **11/3/2020:** S-00099701 files SECRET//NOFORN report — Serial 538, the first of the three classified serials ([EFTA01683595](#))
- **11/9/2020:** Serial 539 filed — second S//NF serial (referenced in briefing deck, [EFTA00164943](#))

### **2021-2022: Trial and Final Intelligence Production**

- **11/29/2021:** Maxwell trial begins
- **12/6-12/7/2021:** Intelligence Division SOS testifies at Maxwell trial ([EFTA01683834](#))
- **12/17/2021:** NY Intelligence Division Weekly Report documents SOS involvement in trial
- **12/22/2021:** S-00104760 reports on Desmond-Hellmann, Israeli intelligence claims — Serial 684, SECRET//NOFORN ([EFTA01683612](#))
- **12/29/2021:** Maxwell convicted on 5 of 6 counts

- **1/20/2022**: Serial 684 serialized — third and final S//NF serial
  - **1/31/2022**: INTELPRODS Serial 7 — travel records TIR ([EFTA01731246](#))
  - **3/2-3/31/2022**: Five TIRs (Serials 8-12) — person of interest identification, defense witness research
  - **3/11/2022**: NY Intelligence Division Weekly Report notes ID-13 SOS serialized INTELPRODS Serial 8 ([EFTA01683846](#))
  - **4/6/2022**: Intelligence Note on wealthy trafficker recruitment techniques ([EFTA00172536](#))
  - **6/28/2022**: Maxwell sentenced to 20 years
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## Part 6: The "No Investigative Value" Paradox

The briefing deck states plainly:

*"3 Serials in 50D are classified at S//NF which have **no investigative value**"  
Serial 538 - 11/4/2020; 539 - 11/9/2020; 684 - 1/20/2022*

([EFTA00164943](#))

This has been widely cited as evidence that the FBI dismissed or buried its own classified intelligence on Epstein. The reality is more nuanced.

### What "No Investigative Value" Means

In FBI usage, "investigative value" refers to value for the **criminal prosecution** — evidence that could be used at trial or lead to additional charges. CHS reports about Epstein being an Israeli spy, regardless of their truth, have no investigative value for a child sex trafficking prosecution. The jury doesn't care about geopolitics; it cares about whether the defendant trafficked minors.

The classification itself tells you the FBI took the intelligence content seriously. You don't stamp SECRET//NOFORN on material you genuinely consider worthless. The "no investigative value" assessment is case-specific: no value to **50D-NY-3027571**, the criminal case. It says nothing about value to **813B-NY-2928278**, the CI case, or to the intelligence assessments routed through the 804I cases.

### The Closure Codes Tell a Different Story

Serial 538 (the SECRET//NOFORN FD-1023 from S-00099701) received the following closure codes:

- "Reports - Contains Open Source Information" — the CHS was partly regurgitating public information
- "Collection - **Addresses a validated field office collection gap**" — the reporting filled an identified intelligence gap
- "Collection - **Addresses NHCD or USIC requirement**" — the reporting satisfied a National HUMINT Collection Directive or U.S. Intelligence Community requirement

([EFTA01683595](#))

These codes are contradictory only if you assume "investigative value" and "intelligence value" are the same thing. They aren't. The FBI was simultaneously saying: this has no value for the criminal case, but it addresses a validated intelligence collection requirement. The intelligence side of the house was collecting against specific gaps; the criminal side was prosecuting trafficking. Both assessments can be true.

The "NHCD or USIC requirement" closure code is particularly significant. National HUMINT Collection Directives are issued by the Director of National Intelligence and specify intelligence gaps that the Intelligence Community needs filled. If Serial 538 addressed an NHCD, it means the content of that classified CHS report was responsive to a formally tasked intelligence collection priority — the opposite of "no value."

### The Bridge: INTELPRODS

The INTELPRODS sub-file is the mechanism that bridges this divide. Intelligence from the criminal case was packaged into analytical products (TIRs, Intelligence Notes) that could be used by the

intelligence side. The cross-filing of Serials 10-12 to 804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS shows this bridge in action: the same material served both criminal and intelligence purposes under different case numbers.

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## Part 7: Credibility Assessment

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### What Is Verified from the Corpus

The following claims from CHS reporting can be **independently corroborated** using other EFTA documents or public records:

1. **Iozzo-Epstein connection:** The CHS's claim of a relationship between the Italian hacker and Epstein is supported by emails in the corpus between the two. The nature of that relationship is disputed by Iozzo.
2. **Masha Drokova's Epstein ties:** An FBI ARMS (Asset/Risk Management System) investigation at [EFTA00129096](#) independently describes Drokova as "nicknamed 'Putin's kiss,' former publicist for JEFFREY EPSTEIN" and documents regular 2017 meetings with Epstein. This corroborates the LA CHS's claim about Drokova's connection.
3. **Desmond-Hellmann timeline:** The CHS's account of her departures from BMGF and Facebook aligns with public reporting: the [New York Times Gates-Epstein article](#) published October 12, 2019; Desmond-Hellmann's [departure announced December 2019](#); subsequent Pfizer and Google Ventures roles publicly confirmed.
4. **Acosta "belonged to intelligence" claim:** The CHS report at [EFTA00090314](#) states Dershowitz told Acosta that Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services." A [Daily Beast article by Vicky Ward](#) from July 2019, copies of which circulated within the SDNY office (found in the EFTA corpus), reports that Acosta told Trump transition officials he "was told Epstein 'belonged to intelligence' and to leave it alone." Acosta, in a [deposition under oath](#), gave a qualified denial: "Not to my recollection."
5. **FBI operational awareness since 1996:** An FD-71 (lead document) from 1996 references Epstein ([EFTA02730468](#)). This predates the commonly cited 2005 Palm Beach investigation as the FBI's first known contact with Epstein matters.
6. **Mitch Webber:** The CHS states "Mitch Webber, who now works for the US DOJ or the White House, spoke with Maxwell all the time when the first plea deal was being negotiated." This is substantially verified. Mitchell D. Webber served as a [research assistant to Alan Dershowitz](#) while at Harvard Law School during Dershowitz's defense of Epstein (2006-2008). [Billing documents](#) from DOJ releases show \$21,728 paid to Webber for work on Epstein's case. Court documents indicate Webber attended meetings with Florida prosecutors and communicated with Maxwell during plea negotiations. He later served as [Associate Counsel and Special Assistant to the President](#) in the White House Counsel's office (2019-2021) and is now a partner at Paul, Weiss. Webber [claims](#) he was merely relaying Dershowitz's legal interpretations.

### What Remains Unverifiable

1. **Putin wealth management:** The 2017 CHS claim that Epstein was "Putin's wealth manager" and provided the same service for Mugabe is extraordinary and unsupported. Putin's wealth is believed to be managed through oligarch intermediaries (Rotenberg brothers, Timchenko) and state structures. The claim that an American sex offender known to U.S. law enforcement since 2005 would serve this function defies operational logic.
2. **Mossad debriefing Dershowitz:** The claim that "Mossad would then call Dershowitz to debrief" after Dershowitz-Epstein phone calls is single-source from S-00099701 and cannot be verified from the corpus.
3. **Epstein "trained as a spy" under Barak:** Single-source from the same CHS. While Epstein's relationship with Ehud Barak is extensively documented in the corpus (including a [December 2018](#)

**email** where Epstein writes "you should make clear that i dont work for mossad :)" and "unfortunately, not" — Barak responds "You or I?" and Epstein clarifies "that I dont :)" ), this does not constitute evidence of a training relationship.

4. **Israeli state-sponsored operation:** The S-00104760 CHS's characterization of Epstein as "running an Israeli state-sponsored technology collection and extortion operation" is analytical conclusion, not first-hand observation. The FBI's closure codes assessed this reporting as containing open-source information that did not meet the DETAILED threshold.
5. **Leon Black / Blackwater:** The claim that Leon Black "owns the mercenary firm formerly known as Blackwater, now Constellis" is factually incorrect. This error in the CHS's reporting undermines the source's reliability on matters requiring specific factual knowledge.

### The Structural Finding

The most significant finding is not what any individual CHS said. It is that the FBI maintained **parallel intelligence and criminal tracks** on Epstein from at least 2017 through at least 2022:

- A foreign intelligence case (813B) opened by the Intelligence Division in 2017
- A criminal case (50D) opened by the Criminal Division in 2018
- An intelligence products sub-file (INTELPRODS) producing finished analytical work
- An election influence threat assessment (804I-LA) in 2020
- External partner communication (ORCON/NF) in 2020
- At least one fully redacted case initiated September 2020
- Intelligence Division personnel testifying at the Maxwell trial in 2021

The FBI was not ignoring the intelligence dimension of Epstein. It was processing it through institutional channels designed to keep intelligence work separate from criminal proceedings — a separation that is standard practice, not evidence of cover-up.

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## Part 8: What We Can Reconstruct

### The Known Architecture

FBI EPSTEIN INVESTIGATIONS — CASE ARCHITECTURE

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#### CRIMINAL TRACK

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├─ 31E-MM-108062 (Miami, 2006) — Child Exploitation
|   └─ CHS: S-000000640, S-00023871
|   └─ Grand Jury sub-file (31E-MM-108062-GJ)
|       └─ INTELPRODS sub-file (31E-NY-3027571-INTELPRODS, opened 8/29/2019)
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├─ 72-MM-113327 (Miami, 2009) — Obstruction
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├─ 50D-NY-3027571 (New York, 2018) — Sex Trafficking
|   └─ CHS: S-00017284, S-00019639, S-00099701, S-00104760
|   └─ 706+ serials (through 3/12/2025)
|   └─ INTELPRODS sub-file: 12 TIRs (8/2019 - 3/2022)
|       └─ 3 classified serials (538, 539, 684) — S//NF
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└─ 90A-NY-3151227 (New York, 2019) – Death Investigation  
    └─ 211 serials, closed 12/5/2022

#### INTELLIGENCE TRACK

|─ 813B-NY-2928278 (New York, 2017) – Foreign Intelligence Program  
|    └─ FD-1023 from Squad ID 25  
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|─ 804I-LA-3315657-INTELPRODS (Los Angeles, 2020) – Election Influence  
|    └─ S-00099701 reporting, cross-filed to 50D  
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|─ 804I-NY-304798-INTELPRODS (New York, 2019–2022) – Human Trafficking Intel  
|    |─ Intelligence Note (4/6/2022)  
|    └─ Cross-filed TIRs (Serials 10–12)  
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|─ 804I-DL-5089795 (Dallas, 2019) – VCAC Assessment  
|    └─ S-00017284 Maxwell location tip  
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|─ 804I-SJ-3371215 (San Juan, 2021) – TOC Assessment  
|    └─ SAR review of Epstein estate entities  
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|─ [FULLY REDACTED] (Unknown, initiated 9/8/2020)  
|    └─ Primary case for S//NF Serial 538  
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└─ 266N-BH-2232077 (Birmingham, 2019) – Domestic Threat Assessment  
    └─ S-00002345 Black Book Telegram

#### EXTERNAL COORDINATION

|─ Intel agency memorandum to FBI CACHT Unit [EFTA01683698](#)  
└─ SECRET//ORCON/NOFORN material from "external partner" [EFTA01683701](#)

### What This Means

The FBI's intelligence apparatus was engaged with the Epstein matter at a scale and duration that far exceeds what has been publicly discussed. This is not a story of one rogue CHS making spy claims. It is a story of institutional intelligence collection: validated collection gaps, NHCD requirements, finished intelligence products, external agency coordination, and classified case files maintained across multiple field offices for five years.

At the same time, the corpus provides no evidence that the intelligence track altered the criminal track — or that it should have. The CHS reports are raw, unverified claims from sources of varying reliability. The FBI's closure codes indicate awareness of their limitations. The INTELPRODS sub-file

produced tactical analysis (travel records, financial data, person identification) that supported the criminal investigation, not strategic intelligence assessments about Epstein's alleged intelligence connections.

The unanswered question is what happened in the spaces we cannot see: the fully redacted case initiated September 8, 2020; the substantive content of the external agency memorandum; the 6 fully redacted pages of the Sydney Australia interview ([EFTA01683669](#)); and the content of Serial 539, the one classified serial whose source document has not been identified in the EFTA production.

## What Is Not in the Corpus

Several expected documents are absent:

1. **No formal foreign intelligence investigation report:** If 813B-NY-2928278 progressed beyond an assessment to a preliminary or full investigation, there should be analytical products — assessments, case summaries, closing memos. None appear in the corpus.
2. **No response to the intelligence claims:** Despite multiple CHS reports alleging Israeli intelligence connections, the corpus contains no FD-302s or analytical products documenting the FBI's investigation of those specific claims.
3. **Serial 539:** The middle of the three classified serials. Serials 538 and 684 have been identified ([EFTA01683595](#) and [EFTA01683612](#)). Serial 539 (dated 11/9/2020) has not been matched to a specific FD-1023 in the corpus.
4. **The FD-71 from 1996:** Referenced in [EFTA02730468](#) as an attachment, but the text of the 1996 lead document itself — predating the FBI's digital records system — does not appear in the production. It was among documents described as "associated with Epstein but not included in 50D case file" because they "were NOT of evidentiary value."
5. **Operational orders:** Two "Ops Order" documents from 2019 are referenced in [EFTA02730468](#) — "Ops Order from 2019" and "Ops Order Form Section 2 from 2019." These are operational planning documents for FBI field operations (likely the Teterboro arrest or the search warrants). They were described as "NOT of evidentiary value" and not included in the case file.

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## Methodology

This report is based entirely on the DOJ's EFTA production (2.91 million pages across 12 datasets) plus FBI Vault and House Oversight materials. All EFTA citations were verified against the `full_text_corpus.db` database. All quoted text was read directly from the database, not from summaries.

For areas overlapping with Israeli intelligence connections, this report cross-references the [Israel Deep Dive V2](#) and focuses on the structural FBI architecture rather than re-documenting claims already covered in that report.

**Analytical standard:** CHS reports (FD-1023s) are raw, unverified intelligence. As the FBI's own [disclaimer](#) states: "Recording this information does not validate it, establish its credibility, or weigh it against other information." This report presents the structure of the FBI's intelligence investigations and the content of the source reporting without endorsing the claims made by individual sources. Where claims can be independently verified or contradicted, this is noted.

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## External Sources

Claim / Fact	Source	URL
Vincenzo Iozzo identified as the "Italian hacker"	CyberNews, Jan 2026	<a href="https://cybernews.com/security/jeffrey-epstein-personal-hacker-doj/">https://cybernews.com/security/jeffrey-epstein-personal-hacker-doj/</a>

<b>Claim / Fact</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>URL</b>
Iozzo denial: "I was never Epstein's hacker"	TechCrunch, Jan 2026	<a href="https://techcrunch.com/2026/01/30/informant-told-fbi-that-jeffrey-epstein">https://techcrunch.com/2026/01/30/informant-told-fbi-that-jeffrey-epstein</a>
Charles C. Johnson background and \$40M verdict	Wikipedia	<a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charles_C._Johnson">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charles_C._Johnson</a>
Desmond-Hellmann BMGF departure	GeekWire, 2020	<a href="https://www.geekwire.com/2020/sue-desmond-hellmann-step-ceo-bill-me">https://www.geekwire.com/2020/sue-desmond-hellmann-step-ceo-bill-me</a>
NYT Gates-Epstein article (Oct 2019)	New York Times	<a href="https://www.nytimes.com/2019/10/12/business/jeffrey-epstein-bill-gates.h">https://www.nytimes.com/2019/10/12/business/jeffrey-epstein-bill-gates.h</a>
Acosta "belonged to intelligence" original report	Daily Beast, Vicky Ward	<a href="https://www.thedailybeast.com/jeffrey-epsteins-sick-story-played-out-for">https://www.thedailybeast.com/jeffrey-epsteins-sick-story-played-out-for</a>
Israeli spy claims media coverage	Middle East Eye	<a href="https://www.middleeasteye.net/news/epstein-trained-israeli-spy-fbi-docum">https://www.middleeasteye.net/news/epstein-trained-israeli-spy-fbi-docum</a>
Mitchell Webber — Paul, Weiss bio	Paul, Weiss LLP	<a href="https://www.paulweiss.com/professionals/partners-and-counsel/mitchell-c">https://www.paulweiss.com/professionals/partners-and-counsel/mitchell-c</a>
Webber-Epstein billing and plea deal role	Forward, Feb 2026	<a href="https://forward.com/news/802885/jeffrey-epstein-files-mitchell-webber-b">https://forward.com/news/802885/jeffrey-epstein-files-mitchell-webber-b</a>
Webber Epstein emails and network	Bloomberg, 2025	<a href="https://www.bloomberg.com/features/2025-jeffrey-epstein-emails-the-netw">https://www.bloomberg.com/features/2025-jeffrey-epstein-emails-the-netw</a>
Webber claim of relaying Dershowitz advice	Above the Law, Feb 2026	<a href="https://abovethelaw.com/2026/02/paul-weiss-partner-wrote-epstein-on-sex">https://abovethelaw.com/2026/02/paul-weiss-partner-wrote-epstein-on-sex</a> <a href="https://abovethelaw.com/2026/02/paul-weiss-partner-wrote-epstein-on-sex-along-advice-from-alan-dershowitz/">along-advice-from-alan-dershowitz/</a>
FBI classification 813 = Foreign Intelligence Program	Secret No More / NARA	<a href="https://newstrench.com/secret-no-more/secret-no-more-fbi-central-record">https://newstrench.com/secret-no-more/secret-no-more-fbi-central-record</a>
Desmond-Hellmann Facebook board departure (Oct 30, 2019)	Meta Newsroom	<a href="https://about.fb.com/news/2019/10/desmond-hellmann-departs-board/">https://about.fb.com/news/2019/10/desmond-hellmann-departs-board/</a>
Desmond-Hellmann BMGF departure (Dec 5, 2019)	Gates Foundation	<a href="https://www.gatesfoundation.org/ideas/media-center/press-releases/2019/">https://www.gatesfoundation.org/ideas/media-center/press-releases/2019/</a>
Gates brought foundation executives to Epstein meetings	TechTimes, Feb 2026	<a href="https://www.techtimes.com/articles/314857/20260226/bill-gates-says-he-l">https://www.techtimes.com/articles/314857/20260226/bill-gates-says-he-l</a> <a href="https://www.techtimes.com/articles/314857/20260226/bill-gates-says-he-l-executives-meetings-jeffrey-epstein.htm">executives-meetings-jeffrey-epstein.htm</a>
FBI Unclassified Network (UNET)	FBI PIA for ETIS	<a href="https://www.fbi.gov/file-repository/pias/pia-enterprise-telecommunication">https://www.fbi.gov/file-repository/pias/pia-enterprise-telecommunication</a>
Bannon-Johnson-Epstein coverage	Rolling Stone	<a href="https://www.rollingstone.com/politics/politics-news/steve-bannon-jeffrey-">https://www.rollingstone.com/politics/politics-news/steve-bannon-jeffrey-</a>
50X1-HUM exemption (75 years, human sources)	NARA/ISOO	<a href="https://www.archives.gov/files/isoo/training/exemptions-automatic-declas">https://www.archives.gov/files/isoo/training/exemptions-automatic-declas</a>
ORCON, NOFORN classification markings	ClearanceJobs	<a href="https://news.clearancejobs.com/2022/08/29/understanding-classification-r">https://news.clearancejobs.com/2022/08/29/understanding-classification-r</a>
FD-1023 limitations	NewsGuard	<a href="https://www.newsguardrealitycheck.com/p/was-epstein-an-israeli-spy-new">https://www.newsguardrealitycheck.com/p/was-epstein-an-israeli-spy-new</a>

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FBI Universal Case File Number structure	OIG OKBOMB Report, Ch. 2	<a href="https://oig.justice.gov/sites/default/files/archive/special/0203/chapter2.htm">https://oig.justice.gov/sites/default/files/archive/special/0203/chapter2.htm</a>
FBI Central Records classification system	National Archives (RG 65)	<a href="https://www.archives.gov/research/investigations/fbi/central-records">https://www.archives.gov/research/investigations/fbi/central-records</a>
FBI classification 808-814 = Foreign Intelligence Program	Secret No More / NARA	<a href="https://newstrench.com/secret-no-more/secret-no-more-fbi-central-records/">https://newstrench.com/secret-no-more/secret-no-more-fbi-central-records/</a>
266N/K threat classification suffixes	Just Security (leaked FBI docs)	<a href="https://www.justsecurity.org/66124/leaked-documents-contain-major-revealed-terrorism-classifications/">https://www.justsecurity.org/66124/leaked-documents-contain-major-revealed-terrorism-classifications/</a>
Assessments generate Sentinel case files	DOJ OIG Audit, 2024	<a href="https://oig.justice.gov/sites/default/files/reports/24-096.pdf">https://oig.justice.gov/sites/default/files/reports/24-096.pdf</a>
FBI DIOG investigation levels	FBI Vault	<a href="https://vault.fbi.gov/FBI%20Domestic%20Investigations%20and%20Open">https://vault.fbi.gov/FBI%20Domestic%20Investigations%20and%20Open</a>
FBI investigation lifecycle (assessment → PI → full)	Lawfare	<a href="https://www.lawfaremedia.org/article/life-cycle-fbi-terrorism-investigation">https://www.lawfaremedia.org/article/life-cycle-fbi-terrorism-investigation</a>
EO 13526 §1.4(b) "foreign government information"	ISOO / National Archives	<a href="https://www.archives.gov/isoo/policy-documents/cnsi-eo.html">https://www.archives.gov/isoo/policy-documents/cnsi-eo.html</a>
Israel placed cell-site simulators near White House	Politico, Sep 2019	<a href="https://www.politico.com/story/2019/09/12/israel-white-house-spying-dev">https://www.politico.com/story/2019/09/12/israel-white-house-spying-dev</a>
FBI Sentinel case management system	FBI PIA	<a href="https://www.fbi.gov/how-we-can-help-you/more-fbi-services-and-information/privacy-act/departments-of-justice-fbi-privacy-impact-assessments/sentinel">https://www.fbi.gov/how-we-can-help-you/more-fbi-services-and-information/privacy-act/departments-of-justice-fbi-privacy-impact-assessments/sentinel</a>
Classified information and §1.4(b) explained	Brennan Center for Justice	<a href="https://www.brennancenter.org/our-work/research-reports/classified-information">https://www.brennancenter.org/our-work/research-reports/classified-information</a>

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# ISRAEL CONNECTIONS DEEP DIVE V2: COMPREHENSIVE ANALYSIS

**Classification: Research Analysis of Publicly Released DOJ FOIA Documents (218GB Corpus)**

**Date: February 8, 2026**

**Databases Queried: OCR text extraction database, primary document text database, Dataset 10 document text database, image catalog database**

**Supersedes: [ISRAELI\\_INTELLIGENCE\\_DEEP\\_DIVE.md](#) (Feb 6, 2026)**

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report is the definitive analysis of Israeli connections within the 218GB DOJ Epstein document corpus. It consolidates findings from all prior sessions and adds deeper readings of every relevant document. The evidence breaks into six categories:

1. **Ehud Barak** -- 3,756 documents (25+ in original databases; 1,689 in DS9 + 1,076 in DS10 + 978 in DS11 from the full email corpus) establishing a deeply integrated personal and logistical relationship with Epstein spanning 2010-2019, including a staffed apartment in Epstein's trafficking-linked building, a brokered meeting with Steve Bannon, presence on Epstein's calendar alongside Leon Black, Larry Summers, and Peter Thiel on a single day, and extensive Carbyne/Reporty investment correspondence (see below).
2. **Nicole Junkermann** -- 4,182 documents (10+ in original databases; 1,758 in DS9 + 1,198 in DS10 + 1,218 in DS11 from the full email corpus) across an 11+-year relationship (2008-2019, including prison-era contact), including Epstein brokering her introduction to Leon Black, a January 2019 island trip alongside Steve Bannon and Sultan bin Sulayem, business correspondence through March 2018, and Carbyne investment negotiation emails detailing exact financial splits.
3. **The "Intelligence Agencies" Reference** -- A social media post by George B. Tonks captured by the FBI in which a third party states: "If we are collaborating with intelligence agencies they are hardly going to listen to you Maria." This appears in 4 EFTA documents as part of a multi-page collection of social media screenshots, NOT as an FBI investigative finding.
4. **The Allen/Oren/Tal Victim Account** -- An NTOC tip in which a 16-year-old model reports rapes at Epstein's New York parties by three brothers (Allen, Oren, Tal), annotated by the FBI as "possibly identifiable as Alexander brothers." The names are Hebrew/Israeli in origin.
5. **Israeli Military Access** -- Epstein toured Israeli military bases during Passover 2008 with "Friends of Israel" chairman Benny Shabtai, while under criminal charges. IDF-branded clothing (sweatshirt and T-shirt with Hebrew text) and a white military dress uniform with medals (national origin unidentified) were found on Little Saint James island.
6. **The Acosta "Intelligence Asset" Admission** -- A Daily Beast article in the FBI files states Acosta told Trump transition interviewers: "I was told Epstein 'belonged to intelligence' and to leave it alone."

Under oath, Acosta carefully qualified his denial.

**Corrected Findings (Full Corpus Expansion, Feb 12, 2026):** The original report's negative findings were based on the redaction and OCR databases. The full email corpus (1,380,937 docs across all 12 datasets) overturns several of these. **Carbyne** now yields 50 documents (25 DS9 + 25 DS11) and **Reporty** yields 324 documents (196 DS9 + 25 DS10 + 103 DS11), including complete investment structures and board reports. **Unit 8200** yields 11 documents and **Shin Bet** yields 23, likely from news articles forwarded within the email corpus. **Mega Group** yields 4 documents (likely false positives from Wikipedia/news). **Ben-Menashe** and **LAKAM** remain confirmed at ZERO across the full 1.42M-document corpus. Additionally, an FBI CHS FD-1023 document ([EFTA00090314](#)) contains a source claim that Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services" and "trained as a spy under" Barak -- see Part VII below.

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# PART I: EHUD BARAK -- COMPLETE DOCUMENT ANALYSIS

**Total Documents: 3,756 across all document collections (25+ in redaction/OCR databases; 1,689 in DS9 + 1,076 in DS10 + 978 in DS11 from full email corpus)**

Ehud Barak -- former Prime Minister of Israel (1999-2001), former Defense Minister (2007-2013), and former Chief of Staff of the IDF -- is the most frequently appearing Israeli figure in the Epstein corpus. The DS9 expansion reveals thousands of calendar entries, schedule pages, and email chains, including Carbyne/Reporty investment correspondence documented in Part VII below.

**Relationship Origin:** Barak has publicly stated he was introduced to Epstein in 2003 by former Israeli President Shimon Peres at a Washington event attended by "American dignitaries." No EFTA document independently corroborates a specific 2003 meeting. Pre-2010 indicators confirm the relationship predates the first direct documentary evidence: by 2009, attorneys in a victim civil suit deposition already knew about the connection — a witness was asked whether Barak was "another person that Epstein procures underage minor females for" ([EFTA00159250](#)). A July 2010 Daily Beast article in the FBI files identified Barak as a "prominent passenger on [Epstein's] private jets" based on pilot logs from civil discovery ([EFTA00206574](#)). The earliest direct EFTA documentary evidence is September 2010: Epstein connecting Barak with Tom Barrack ([EFTA02422168](#)) and organizing a Barak dinner with Jes Staley ([EFTA02422165](#)) — the tone shows a fully established relationship, not a new introduction. The Carbyne/Reporty business partnership is first documented December 2014. The documented relationship runs through at least March 2019 (apartment cleaning, [EFTA02278459](#)).

## A. Direct Email Communications

**[EFTA01802812](#) -- Direct Email from ehbarak (April 17, 2016)**

- **Redaction content:** "April 17, 2016, ehbarak [...] wrote:"
- **Nature:** An email FROM Barak's email address (ehbarak@...) to Epstein or Epstein's staff. The body is redacted but the metadata confirms direct electronic correspondence.
- **Significance:** Proves Barak maintained direct email contact with Epstein's network well after Epstein's 2008 conviction.

**[EFTA01960277](#) -- "To: ehud barak" (Undated)**

- **Redaction content:** "To: ehud barak" / "tomorrow try to coordinate" / "I am flexible"

- **Nature:** Epstein or staff writing directly TO Barak's email, discussing scheduling flexibility.  
**EFTA02575361 -- Epstein to ehud barak (September 21, 2013)**
- **OCR content:** "Jeffrey Epstein [jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com) Saturday, September 21, 2013 3:45 PM / ehud barak; Lesley Groff"
- **Nature:** Epstein emailing Barak directly from his personal Gmail, CC'ing his executive assistant Lesley Groff.  
**EFTA02589113 -- "hope you are having fun" (September 9, 2014)**
- **OCR content:** "jeffrey E. [jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com) Tuesday, September 9, 2014 11:37 AM / ehud barak / hope you are having fun"
- **Nature:** A casual personal email from Epstein to Barak, suggesting an informal friendship.  
**EFTA01903624 -- Subject "Ehud Barak" (Undated)**
- **Redaction content:** "Subject: Ehud Barak"
- **Nature:** An email with Barak as the subject line, suggesting he was a topic of discussion among Epstein's staff or contacts.

## B. The Barak-Bannon Meeting Brokered by Epstein

### **EFTA02633609 -- Epstein Brokers Barak-Bannon Meeting (February 25, 2019)**

- **Full OCR content:**  
*"J [jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com) Monday, February 25, 2019 11:29 AM / ehbarak / Re: JE/SB"*  
*"steve canceled, sick in wash. you can still come or do later. or come anytime today tomorrow and if you like we can get him on the phone"*  
*Original from Barak: "Good idea. Done. EB"*  
*Epstein's original: "steve bannon here tomorrow morning if you want to join. 930?"*
- **Significance:** This document is extraordinary. Five months before Epstein's arrest, he was actively brokering meetings between:
  - **Ehud Barak** -- Former Israeli Prime Minister and Defense Minister
  - **Steve Bannon** -- Former White House Chief Strategist and Trump ally
- Barak responds with enthusiasm ("Good idea. Done.") to meeting Bannon at Epstein's residence
- When Bannon cancels due to illness, Epstein offers alternatives including a phone call
- The subject line "JE/SB" is coded (Jeffrey Epstein/Steve Bannon)

### **EFTA02518862 -- Nili Priel Schedules Ehud's Time (February 28, 2018)**

- **Full OCR content:**  
*"jeffrey E. [jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com) Wednesday, February 28, 2018 10:21 PM / Nili Priel / Re:"*  
*From Nili Priel: "Monday Ehud is free from 10:30 AM until 3:30 PM - anytime in between"*
- **Nature:** Barak's assistant (Nili Priel) coordinates Barak's availability directly with Epstein's personal email. This indicates a routinized scheduling relationship where Barak's calendar was managed in coordination with Epstein's.

## C. The Barak Dinner Circuit (2010-2017)

### **EFTA02422165 -- Jes Staley Attends Ehud Barak Dinner (September 20, 2010)**

- **Full OCR content:**  
*"Jeffrey Epstein [[jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com)] / Lesley Groff / Mon 9/20/2010 7:08:43 PM / Jes-Ehud Barak dinner / Jes plans to attend the Ehud Barak dinner (I hit send too quick*

*last time)"*

- **Significance:** Epstein organized a dinner FOR Ehud Barak that Jes Staley (then JPMorgan executive, later CEO of Barclays) attended. Staley was later accused by a victim of forced sex acts and "rough sex" (EFTA01656173). This places a future accused sexual abuser at an Epstein-organized event honoring the former Israeli PM.  
**EFTA02422168 -- Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak Introduction (September 16, 2010)**
- **Full OCR content:**  
*"Jeffrey Epstein [jeevacation@gmail.com] / Lesley Groff / Thur 9/16/2010 3:17:47 PM / Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak / ILM with Tom's assistant Cate and emailed her your exact wording as well. She will be in touch."*
- **Significance:** Epstein actively connected Tom Barrack (Colony Capital founder, later acquitted of charges of acting as an unregistered foreign agent of the UAE in November 2022) with Ehud Barak. The phrasing "your exact wording" suggests Epstein was carefully managing the introduction's language, indicating a brokerage role.  
**EFTA01923347 -- "12pm meeting w/Mort and Ehud Tomorrow" (Undated)**
- **Redaction content:** "Subject: 12pm meeting w/Mort and Ehud Tomorrow"
- **"Mort"** likely refers to Mort Zuckerman (Boston Properties, US News & World Report), whom Epstein controlled financially -- another document (EFTA02518881) shows Epstein managed "All trusts, tax returns, will, art inventory, BXP filings, Daily News financials" for Zuckerman.  
**EFTA01955948 / EFTA02128207 -- LUNCH w/Ehud Barak & Joel Klein (Undated)**
- **Redaction content:** "TBD LUNCH w/Ehud Barak & Joel Klein" / "Updated Invitation: 12:30pm Lunch w/Ehud Barak"
- **Joel Klein** was NYC Schools Chancellor (2002-2010) and later CEO of Oscar Health / Amplify (News Corp). This places Barak at lunches with a major US education and media figure, brokered by Epstein.  
**EFTA02138171 / EFTA02138185 -- "Having Ehud Barrak to his home on Tuesday"**
- **Redaction content:** "having Ehud Barrak to his home on Tuesday"
- **Note:** Barak's name is misspelled as "Barrak" (double R), suggesting this was written by someone unfamiliar with the correct spelling -- possibly household staff or a social contact, not Barak himself.
- **Nature:** Epstein hosting Barak at his private residence (likely 9 East 71st Street).  
**EFTA02154241 -- 8:30am Breakfast w/Ehud Barak (November 28, undated year)**
- **Redaction content:** "8:30am Breakfast w/Ehud Barak and [...] When: Wed Nov 28 8:30am / 9:30am East"
- **Nature:** Early morning breakfast meeting, calendar alert format.  
**EFTA02199213 / 02199243 / 02208207 -- 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud (2017)**
- **Redaction content:** "Alert - 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud" / "Alert - 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud and Tom" / "Alert - 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud"
- **"Tom"** likely Tom Barrack or Tom Pritzker, both of whom had overlapping Epstein relationships.  
**EFTA02211724 -- 5:00pm Appt w/Ehud (2017)**
- **Redaction content:** "Alert - 5:00pm Appt w/Ehud / 2017 5:00 PM : 5:00pm Appt w/Ehud"
- **Nature:** Calendar alert for an afternoon appointment.

## **EFTA02050653 -- "1pm w/Ehud" (Undated)**

- **Redaction content:** "should 1pm w/Ehud be L[unch]"
- **Nature:** Staff query about whether a 1pm meeting with Ehud should include lunch.

## **EFTA02052245 / EFTA02052296 -- Lunch w/Ehud (Undated)**

- **Redaction content:** "for lunch w/Ehud" / "Alert - 12:00pm LUNCH w/Ehud"

## **EFTA02072207 -- "should noon today w/Ehud" (Undated)**

- **Redaction content:** "Subject: Re: should noon today w/Ehud be [...]"

## **EFTA02122068 -- "knows if Ehud Barak is coming" (November 15, 2013)**

- **Redaction content:** "Friday, November 15, 2013 6:24 PM" / "knows if Ehud Barak is coming"
- **Nature:** Staff inquiry about whether Barak would attend an event.

## **D. Ehud and Nili -- Arrival Coordination**

### **EFTA02065729 / EFTA02065821 / EFTA02067253 -- Ehud/Nili Arrive Early**

- **Redaction content:** "Reminder: Ehud/Nili arrive early" / "Ehud/NILI arrive early" / "Subject: Re: Reminder: Nili and Ehud arrive"
- **Nature:** Multiple emails coordinating the early arrival of Ehud Barak and "Nili" at an Epstein-related venue. Nili is identified as **Nili Priel**, Barak's assistant/scheduler, confirmed by [EFTA02518862](#) and 7+ other documents showing her coordinating with Epstein's staff.
- **Additional Nili documents identified:**
  - [EFTA01798885](#): "nili Priell"
  - [EFTA01806124](#): "Subject: Re: Nili Mitchell" (unclear context)
  - [EFTA01887852](#): "nili priell [...] Wed Jan 23 2012 13:05 PM"
  - [EFTA02004936](#): "nili priell / Subject: RE:"
  - [EFTA02010285](#): "From: nili priell / Subject:"
  - [EFTA02010452](#): "nili [...] Thursday, March 17, 2011 12:33 PM"
  - [EFTA02015341](#): "From: Nili Priell"
  - [EFTA02035785](#): "nili [...] Monday, April 15, 2013 4:56 PM"
  - [EFTA02046202](#): "Nili [...] will"

## **E. The 301 East 66th Street Nexus -- Barak's Apartment**

### **EFTA02278459 -- THE KEY DOCUMENT (March 4, 2019)**

- **Full OCR content:**

*"merwin dela cruz / Leo / Mon 3/4/2019 3:58:37 PM / Re: clean Ehud's apt at 11am/clean 2G"*

*"ok, got it, so Ehud will get cleaned today at 11am and then 2G on Wed. that is totally fine also! We have a guest arriving for 2G on Friday"*

*From Merwin Dela Cruz: "Sorry for the confusion Les. I need Leo to start cleaning 9 East tomorrow (Tuesday) if JE is coming back on Wednesday. He will not be able to clean any apartments at 301 until Wednesday afternoon."*

*Earlier from Merwin: "Leo is picking up the suburban from Teterboro after he clean Ehud's apt as per JE as dad is in Florida. I also need Leo to clean 9 East Tuesday if JE is coming back on Wednesday as Sonam was given days off by Karyna until Thursday"*

*Original from JE: "Reminder: clean Ehud's apt at 11am and clean 2G"*
- **Analysis:** This single email chain establishes:
  1. Epstein personally ("as per JE") directed staff to clean "Ehud's apt" at 301 E. 66th Street
  2. "Les" = Lesley Groff (Epstein's executive assistant)
  3. The same staff member (Leo) cleaned both Ehud's apartment and 9 East 71st Street (Epstein's

mansion)

4. "Karyna" = Karyna Shuliak (Epstein's girlfriend) had authority over household staff
5. Apartment 2G was a guest apartment ("guest arriving for 2G on Friday")
6. The suburban was being picked up from Teterboro (private jet airport)
7. This email is dated March 4, 2019 -- just 4 months before Epstein's arrest

#### The Building's Multiple Functions:

Unit	Function	Evidence
"Ehud's apt"	Ehud Barak's apartment	EFTA02278459
Apt 2G	Guest apartment	EFTA02278459
Apt 10F	HBRK Associates Inc. / Karyna Shuliak	EFTA02533859, EFTA01378419
Various	MC2 model housing	EFTA00019513 (2000+ DAS records)
Various	Victim housing	EFTA00025109 (victim placed there 2004)

## F. HBRK Associates Inc. -- The Corporate Entity

**EFTA01285938 / EFTA01288104 -- "HBRK ASSOCIATES, INC"**

**EFTA02633134 -- Richard Kahn, HBRK Associates**

- **Full OCR content:**

*"Richard Kahn / HBRK Associates Inc. / 575 Lexington Avenue 4th Floor / New York, NY 10022"*

- **Nature:** HBRK Associates is Epstein's property management / financial entity, run by Richard Kahn. The name "HBRK" is widely understood to be an abbreviation derived from Ehud Barak's initials. HBRK's scanner email (scanner@hbrkas...) appears in multiple documents. The entity managed Epstein's island construction, property, and financial operations.

**EFTA02439403 -- HBRK Financial Operations**

- **Full OCR content:**

*"Rich Kahn / Subject: re: funding your personal JPM account / Story just told me to send Jack \$25,000 and we are currently down to \$68,500 in your JPM personal account. **Do I have your approval to fund \$1,000,000 from FTC?** / Rich Kahn / HBRK Associates Inc."*

- **Nature:** Richard Kahn at HBRK requesting Epstein's approval to transfer \$1 million from FTC (Financial Trust Company, an Epstein entity) into Epstein's personal JPMorgan account.

## G. The September 22, 2014 Calendar -- The Convergence Day

**EFTA00362483**

*"oody, Jabor, **Ehud**, Leon, Stone, Maldives, Mada" alongside "People To See: Jagland, Terje, **Thiel**, Simon, Kathy"*

On a single day, Epstein's schedule lists:

- **Ehud Barak** -- Former Israeli PM
- **Leon Black** -- Apollo Global Management (\$168M+ to Epstein)
- **Larry Summers** -- Former US Treasury Secretary
- **Peter Thiel** -- PayPal/Palantir founder (\$28.8M via Valar Fund)
- **Jagland** -- Thorbjorn Jagland, Nobel Committee Chairman

This is the single most concentrated convergence of power documented in the Epstein files.

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# PART II: NICOLE JUNKERMANN -- COMPLETE DOCUMENT ANALYSIS

**Total Documents: 10+ confirmed across all document collections**

Nicole Junkermann is a German-born investor, founder of NJF Holdings, and has been publicly reported to have invested in Carbyne (the emergency technology company chaired by Ehud Barak). The FBI files document a 10-year relationship with Epstein from 2009 to 2019.

## A. The Original Correspondence (2011 Calendar Entries)

### **EFTA01775214 -- Email FROM Junkermann (October 5, 2011)**

- **Redaction content:** "On Oct 5, 2011, at 6:14 PM, Nicole Junkermann [...]"
- **Nature:** An email sent from Junkermann to Epstein or his staff. Body is redacted.

### **EFTA01777903 -- Email FROM Junkermann (April 19, 2011)**

- **Redaction content:** "On Tue Apr 19, 2011 at 9:47 AM, Nicole Junkermann [...]"

### **EFTA01796749 -- Email FROM Junkermann (May 11, 2011)**

- **Redaction content:** "On May 11, 2011, at 5:47 PM, Nicole Junkermann [...]"

### **EFTA01883804 -- Calendar Entry + Question Marks (Undated)**

- **Redaction content:** "3:00 Apt w/Nicole Junkermann" / "Nicole Junkermann??" / "Alberto Pinto:"
- **Analysis:** The double question marks ("??") are notable -- someone on Epstein's staff is questioning Junkermann's identity or the nature of the appointment. Alberto Pinto was a French interior designer (died 2012) known for luxury yacht and residence interiors.

### **EFTA01833254 -- Subject: "Jeffrey Epstein" FROM Junkermann (Undated, likely 2011)**

- **Redaction content:** "[date] 16:32:27 +0100 / Junkermann / Subject: Jeffrey Epstein"
- **Analysis:** An email from Junkermann with "Jeffrey Epstein" as the subject line. The +0100 timezone indicates it was sent from Europe (CET). The content is fully redacted.

## B. The Leon Black Introduction (2009)

### **EFTA02435071 -- Epstein Brokers Junkermann-Leon Black Meeting (October-November 2009)**

- **Full OCR content (two email threads on the same EFTA):**

#### **Thread 1 (Oct 19, 2009):**

*"De: Jeffrey Epstein [mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com]"*

*"A: junkermann"*

*"I spoke to Leon Black, as you know I am not intimately familiar with the complexities of private equity... He said he will take you to lunch or dinner, and be any help he can"*

#### **Thread 2 (Nov 6-8, 2009):**

*From Junkermann: "How are you? The process is advancing slowly now after a meeting btw the lawyers, mld wants to have a meeting with the lawyers and me. I remember your words and you said I should avoid her to meet and I think you are right as it will be far too emotional and now she can deal with the lawyers."*

*Epstein: "tell them you would be happy to meet, after the negotiations with the lawyers are near an end. It would be nice to have this behind you. do not meet .... until at least a*

*year from his passing"*

*Junkermann: "will do - and YOU?"*

- **Analysis:** Two separate functions visible:
  1. Epstein acting as an **investment broker**, introducing Junkermann to Leon Black (Apollo Global Management, who would pay Epstein \$168M+)
  2. Epstein acting as a **personal advisor** to Junkermann on what appears to be an emotional legal matter, possibly an inheritance dispute ("negotiations with the lawyers," "a year from his passing")

## **C. The Business Relationship (2016-2018)**

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### **EFTA02664994 -- Auctionata/Paddles Discussion (December 29, 2016)**

- **Full OCR content:**

*From Junkermann: "Interesting situation around this company would you like to hear more or not interested?"*

*Epstein: "always interested in anything you are"*
- **Nature:** Junkermann pitching Epstein on Auctionata (an online auction house that went bankrupt in 2017). Epstein's response is casually intimate.

### **EFTA02513966 -- "Can u speak?" (March 8, 2018)**

- **Full OCR content:**

*"Nicole Junkermann | Junkermanngroup / Thursday, March 8, 2018 12:44 PM / Jeffrey E. / Can u speak?"*
- **Nature:** A brief, informal message from Junkermann to Epstein's email requesting a call. The informality suggests a close ongoing relationship.

## **D. The January 2019 Island Trip -- 5 Months Before Arrest**

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### **EFTA02273951 -- Island Guest List with Junkermann (January 14, 2019)**

- **Full OCR content:**

*"Jeffrey Epstein [jeevacation@gmail.com] / Mon 1/14/2019 7:34:21 PM / Subject: Re: 3BIS want to go to island Feb. 2-5"*

*"you would like me to tell the below you will be in Paris Jan. 22-31? can contact:"*

*"Sultan Bin Sulayem / Eduardo Teodorani / Nicole Junkermann / Jabor Yousuf"*

*"I do not have contact details for: Moritx / Bannon / Astrid / Annas"*

*Original message: "3BIS want to go to the island Feb. 2-5... we have not purchased them tickets. They are hoping they can fly to NY and then fly with you to the island."*
  - **Analysis:** This document is extraordinary for multiple reasons:
    1. **Active as of January 2019** -- just 6 months before Epstein's arrest
    2. **Junkermann** is on the contact list alongside **Steve Bannon** and **Sultan Bin Sulayem** (chairman of DP World, connected to Dubai's ruling family)
    3. "3BIS" is an entity/group wanting to visit Epstein's island
    4. The email mentions Paris travel (Jan 22-31) and island travel (Feb 2-5)
    5. **Sultan bin Sulayem** separately appears in [DUBAI\\_SULAYEM\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#) directing his DP World executive to contact Epstein's USVI attorney about the "port of St Croix"
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# PART III: THE "COLLABORATING WITH INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES" DOCUMENTS

**EFTA01652971 / EFTA01652995 / EFTA01653016 / EFTA01653060**

## What These Documents Actually Are

These four EFTA numbers contain the SAME collection of social media screenshots gathered by the FBI, primarily from accounts associated with **George B. Tonks** and **Lady Victoria Hervey** on Twitter/X and Instagram. The intelligence agencies quote appears as a screenshot of an Instagram or social media message:

*"If we are collaborating with intelligence agencies they are hardly going to listen to you Maria"*

This quote appears:

- **EFTA01652971**, page 15
- **EFTA01652995**, page 6
- **EFTA01653016**, page 4
- **EFTA01653060**, page 18

## Context of the Quote

The full context is a social media argument between:

- **George B. Tonks** -- who claims Maria Farmer and Virginia Giuffre are "liars" and "con artists"
- **Lady Victoria Hervey** -- who communicates with Ghislaine Maxwell and posts about "the Extortion Criminal Ring"
- **Maria Farmer** -- Epstein victim and FBI witness
- **Sarah Ransome** -- Epstein victim
- **Rebecca Cohen** -- anti-abuse advocate

The "intelligence agencies" quote is one person's statement IN a social media argument, addressed to Maria Farmer. It is NOT an FBI investigative finding, NOT a government document, and NOT a confirmed statement of fact. The person saying it appears to be claiming that unnamed intelligence agencies are collaborating with the anti-Giuffre/Farmer camp led by Tonks.

## The Full Social Media Collection Also Contains:

- **EFTA01652757**: A Tonks post listing: "Donald J. Trump, Prince Andrew, Alan Dershowitz, Lady Victoria Hervey, Leslie & Abigail Wexner, George B. Tonks, Eileen Guggenheim, Glenn & Eva Dubin, Richard Branson, the Maxwell's, **FBI, MI6, CIA or Mossad DID NOT KILL [Epstein] / [Virginia Giuffre] KILLED [Epstein]**"
- Multiple posts where Tonks claims to have communicated with Lady Victoria Hervey, who he says "communicates with Ghislaine" behind the scenes.

## Assessment

These documents are FBI-collected social media evidence, likely gathered because they relate to witness intimidation and tampering against Maria Farmer and Virginia Giuffre. The intelligence agencies reference is a third-party social media claim, not an investigative finding. However, the FBI's decision to collect and preserve these screenshots indicates they were considered relevant to the case, possibly as evidence of a coordinated campaign to discredit victims.

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# PART IV: THE ALLEN/OREN/TAL VICTIM ACCOUNT

## **EFTA01660651 / EFTA01660679 -- NTOC Tips Compilation**

### **Full Text of the Relevant Tip:**

*"At age 16, while modeling, caller attended 8 parties at Epstein's New York residence. On one occasion, caller reported she was sexually assaulted by Epstein. On another occasion, two twin brothers, Allen and Oren, lured caller and her friend upstairs but they escaped back downstairs. Caller stated Oren raped her best friend and a third brother, Tal, raped a 14 year old girl named Katie LNU. Caller named other individuals involved in 'big orgy parties' with her, other young girls, and older Victoria's Secret models, including Bill Clinton and Donald Trump."*

### **FBI's Own Annotation (from page 3):**

*"Allen, Oren, Tal (LNU, possibly identifiable as Alexander brothers)"*

### **Analysis:**

1. **The names Allen, Oren, and Tal are Hebrew/Israeli in origin.** Oren and Tal are distinctly Israeli first names. The FBI's annotation "possibly identifiable as Alexander brothers" suggests investigators attempted to identify these individuals.
2. **The victim reports 8 separate parties** at Epstein's New York residence while she was 16 and modeling, indicating serial access to minors through the modeling industry.
3. **Three separate sexual assaults are described:** Epstein sexually assaulted the caller; Oren raped her best friend; Tal raped a 14-year-old named Katie.
4. **Victoria's Secret models** are explicitly mentioned as present at these parties alongside "young girls," placing models and young girls at the same events where sexual abuse occurred.
5. **The "Alexander brothers" annotation** has never been publicly resolved. No charges against individuals by these names appear in the case record.
6. **The document also identifies** the caller's claim of "big orgy parties" involving Bill Clinton and Donald Trump at the same events.

### **Other Tips in the Same Compilation:**

The EFTA01660651/679 documents contain 16+ separate NTOC tips. Other notable entries include:

- A victim reporting she was "forced to perform oral sex on President Trump approximately 35 years ago in NJ" at age 13-14
  - A personal assistant to Epstein from 1986-1991 who named "Bill Clinton and Donald Trump" as party guests
  - A tip about sex trafficking at "the Trump Golf Course in Rancho Palos Verdes, CA between 1995-1996"
  - Multiple tips deemed "not credible" with "mandatory psychiatric evaluations" noted
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# PART V: ISRAELI GEOGRAPHIC AND MILITARY CONNECTIONS

## A. Epstein's 2008 Military Base Tour

**EFTA00013730** -- "Just Visiting" Press Clipping (April 25, 2008)

- **Full OCR content:**

*"Just received a call from [redacted]. One of Epstein's private investigators, Robert Myers, has been trying to track down one of our victims for several days and finally caught up with her today. She told him that she did not want to talk to him and he then told her that, **if she wouldn't talk to him, her name would somehow appear in the press and she should think about how that will affect her.**"*

*"JEFFREY Epstein -- who's facing jail time for soliciting prostitutes, some of whom were under the age of 18 -- isn't feeling the love stateside, so he's skipped the country (temporarily, we're assured) to feel the love in Israel. A rep said Epstein, who was spotted at the Tel Aviv Hilton over the weekend, **'is in Israel for Passover. He's meeting with Israeli scientists about medical research he's funding and taking a tour of military bases with [Friends of Israel chairman] Benny Shabtai.'**"*

*"As for his ongoing legal troubles, the rep added, **'It should be noted that the alleged victims have all acknowledged they lied about their age.'**"*

- **Critical context:** This AUSA email documents TWO things simultaneously:
  1. Epstein's PI was actively intimidating victims (threatening press exposure)
  2. Epstein was touring Israeli military bases WHILE UNDER CRIMINAL INDICTMENT
  3. His representative attacked the victims publicly while he traveled freely

**EFTA02148317 / EFTA02148337** -- **Benny Shabtai Coming (Undated)**

- **Redaction content:** "have any info re Benny Shabtai coming" (appears twice)
- **Nature:** Staff inquiry about Shabtai visiting Epstein, confirming an ongoing relationship with the "Friends of Israel" chairman.

**EFTA02175707** -- **Shabtai Reference**

- **Redaction content:** "Shabtai"
- **Nature:** Additional reference to Shabtai in Epstein's communications.

## B. IDF-Branded Clothing and Military Uniform on Little Saint James Island

**EFTA00001970** -- **IDF Sweatshirt (Image Analysis Database)**

*"The text on the sweatshirt reads 'IDF' (Israel Defense Forces) and includes some additional text in a language that appears to be Hebrew."*

*Found in "a wooden wardrobe with shelves and a drawer" alongside "folded sweatshirts in various colors."*

**EFTA00001971** -- **IDF T-Shirt with Hebrew Text**

*"'ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES' and 'tzahal' (Hebrew for 'Israel Defense Forces') are printed on the shirt."*

**EFTA00001969** -- **White Military Dress Uniform with Medals**

*"A white military uniform with several medals and ribbons pinned to the chest area... indicating a history of service and achievement."*

**Assessment:** Two items ([EFTA00001970](#), [EFTA00001971](#)) are clearly IDF-branded, with visible "IDF" logos and Hebrew text reading "צה"ל." The white dress uniform ([EFTA00001969](#)) bears no visible national insignia or markings that would identify its country of origin; it has not been identified as IDF and its provenance is unknown. Medals are issued for actual military service, not sold as souvenirs. The owners of these items are not established in the FBI files -- possible owners include Ehud Barak (who maintained an apartment in Epstein's building) or another visitor, but this is unverified.

## C. Jacqui Safra's Jerusalem Residence

### [EFTA01750543](#) / [EFTA01933564](#) -- Jerusalem Property Negotiation

- **[EFTA01750543](#):** March 24, 2014 — Lesley Groff forwarding John Brockman email to Epstein. Subject: "Jacqui's Jerusalem residence." Brockman's message explicitly names "**Jacqui Safra**" and provides his phone number. References a conversation at the March 17, 2014 Edge Foundation "Billionaires' Dinner" in Vancouver: "Jacqui wants to know if you would like to have a serious conversation about his Jerusalem residence that he discussed with you Monday night."
- **[EFTA01933564](#):** Epstein's reply: "yes, and Paul Allen" — confirming interest and requesting parallel outreach to Paul Allen (Microsoft co-founder, also present at the Vancouver dinner).
- **Earlier pitch:** [EFTA00394883](#) (Feb 26, 2013) — Brockman to Epstein: "Jacqui Safra is here with me. Wants to sell you his Jerusalem house in Talbieh neighborhood known as 'The Sherover House' across st from Jerusalem Theatre."
- **Identification:** Jacob "Jacqui" Eli Safra (b. 1947), Swiss billionaire (~\$5B), member of the Safra banking dynasty, owner of Encyclopaedia Britannica and Spring Mountain Vineyards. Safra acquired the Sherover property on Dubnov Street in the **Talbieh** neighborhood of Jerusalem in 1991 and expanded it in 2004. The property is across from the Jerusalem Theatre (built and donated by the Sherover family). Full investigation: [JACQUI\\_SAFRA\\_INVESTIGATION](#).
- **Israel Relevance Assessment:** The Safra-Epstein connection is **social/financial**, not intelligence-related. Safra was part of Epstein's Edge Foundation dinner circuit alongside tech billionaires. The Jerusalem property discussion reflects Epstein's interest in Israeli real estate but does not connect to intelligence infrastructure. No evidence suggests the property sale was completed. Epstein separately stated: "I would not do biz with the safras, under any circumstances" ([EFTA02468988](#)).

## D. "Military Edge in the Middle East" / "Possibility of Israel"

### [EFTA01982248](#) -- Israel/Military Reference (Undated)

- **Redaction content (V2):** "qualitative military edge in the Middle East C" / "ns an t c possibility of Israel octet g t c u"
- **Redaction content (DS10):** Same text fragments
- **Analysis:** The phrase "qualitative military edge in the Middle East" is standard US policy language referring to America's commitment to maintaining Israel's Qualitative Military Edge (QME) over regional adversaries. This appears to be from a policy document or news article, possibly related to the Obama-Goldberg interview ([EFTA02406470](#)) which discusses Israeli security in detail.

### [EFTA02406470](#) -- Obama-Goldberg Interview on Israel/Iran (Context Document)

- **Full OCR content (72KB):** This is an extensive document containing President Obama's interview with Jeffrey Goldberg of The Atlantic about Iran nuclear negotiations, Syria's chemical weapons, and Israel's security. Key excerpts:

*"In addition to the profound threat that it poses to Israel, one of our strongest allies in the world; in addition to the outrageous language that has been directed toward Israel by the*

*leaders of the Iranian government -- if Iran gets a nuclear weapon, this would run completely contrary to my policies of nonproliferation."*

- **Assessment:** This appears to be a policy article forwarded within Epstein's network, suggesting interest in US-Israel strategic relations. It is NOT a personal communication about intelligence operations.
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## PART VI: THE ACOSTA "INTELLIGENCE ASSET" QUESTION

### A. The Daily Beast Report in FBI Files

**EFTA00030182** -- "I was told Epstein 'belonged to intelligence'"

- **Full OCR content:**

*"Subject: transition / Date: Wed, 10 Jul 2019 02:02:06 +0000"*

*"Is the Epstein case going to cause a problem [for confirmation hearings]?" Acosta had been asked. Acosta had explained, breezily, apparently, that back in the day he'd had just one meeting on the Epstein case. He'd cut the non-prosecution deal with one of Epstein's attorneys because he had 'been told' to back off, that Epstein was above his pay grade. **'I was told Epstein "belonged to intelligence" and to leave it alone,'** he told his interviewers in the Trump transition, who evidently thought that was a sufficient answer and went ahead and hired Acosta."*

- **Source:** This is a Daily Beast article (by Vicky Ward, July 2019) forwarded by an AUSA at SDNY. The article reports Acosta's statement during Trump transition vetting.
- **Significance:** This was circulated internally at SDNY just days after Epstein's July 2019 arrest, indicating prosecutors were aware of the intelligence claims.

### B. Acosta's Sworn Denial (EFTA00009116)

Under oath in his deposition, Acosta said:

*"I'm not aware of it."*

*"Not to my recollection."*

*"There are questions that I may be asked publicly, that I don't think it's right for me to comment as to what classified information I may or may not know, because that's not the kind of stuff you'd go into, but the answer is no, and no."*

**Analysis:** Acosta's denial is notable for its qualifications:

- "Not aware" rather than "it didn't happen"
- "Not to my recollection" rather than "no one said that"
- Explicitly acknowledges classified information constraints
- His deposition denial contradicts the transition-vetting account reported by the Daily Beast

### C. FOIA Exemption for Foreign Government Relations (EFTA00015219)

The FBI's FOIA deliberative process memo, applied to withhold Epstein-related information:

*"The release of official United States Government documents that reveal the existence of a confidential relationship with a foreign government reasonably could be expected to strain relations between the United States and the foreign government."*

**Assessment:** This exemption was used to withhold information from public release. It does not specify which foreign government, but its application to Epstein files implies the existence of documents

touching on foreign government relationships that the FBI considers sensitive enough to withhold.

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## PART VII: THE MELVYN KOHN CORRESPONDENCE -- THE FULL TEXT

### **EFTA00037218 / EFTA00037239 -- Letters to Mark Epstein (August 2019)**

Between August 12-19, 2019 — beginning two days after Jeffrey Epstein's death on August 10 — a man identifying himself as Melvyn Kohn sent unsolicited emails to Mark Epstein (Jeffrey's brother). Mark Epstein forwarded these to his attorney Stacey Richman, who forwarded them to SDNY. Kohn's claimed intelligence background (see below) is self-reported and unverified in these files.

#### **Kohn's Self-Identification:**

*"Without narrowing down my identity too much, I can tell you that **I was in US military intel and had a clearance issued to me young, when my uncle was in fact head of int'l relations at the Pentagon and answered directly to the president.** Other family members hold TS+ and I might ask one to be a liaison."*

#### **On Mossad Allegations:**

*"No surprise to you I am sure that many are rushing to say that he, and you and sometimes even all of us are Mossad. And I take into account that many of the accusations against him are false, some conflated."*

*"You have some things here. You have information, which you may not know the value of, **as far as it shows that neither you nor he are Mossad, or even working knowingly for any foreign intel agency.**"*

*"But **there is the presence of certain parties in this mix who ARE**, including on the Humpty Dumpty charity, which you and he were part of, along with 29 Congressmen."*

#### **On Arms Dealers and Foreign Agents:**

*"Years ago **Jeffrey had some exposure to North Korean/Chinese agents, and was in the proximity of arms dealers who sold to these nations and on behalf of them.**"*

*"**Gerald Bull** may have been involved, after being stripped of his US citizenship. And possibly **Dr. Herman Erben**. That would have been in Europe, 70s/80s."*

**Gerald Bull** was a Canadian weapons designer who built a supergun for Saddam Hussein and was assassinated in Brussels in 1990, widely attributed to Mossad.

**Herman Erben** was an Austrian-American physician and spy who worked for multiple intelligence services during WWII, including the Abwehr (German military intelligence). He died in 1985.

#### **On Mark Epstein's Security:**

*"When the #1 target was a risk factor to a certain already mentioned person and their allies, you were safe. Until he was out of the equation. Now they can work down the list."*

*"I am not sure if GM is on it or their ally, she thinks she is but allies have ways of falling out. Or falling down dark stairs, despite her power."*

#### **Mark Epstein's Israeli Connections:**

*Mark Epstein: "Do you know Jumas, from the Knesset?"*

*Kohn discusses Knesset members including "Haim Oron" and "Sharon Haskell, the Likud member."*

## Source Credibility Assessment:

Kohn's letters are the only correspondence in the FBI files from a self-identified intelligence professional specifically addressing the Mossad question. However, significant credibility caveats apply:

- **Unverified identity:** Kohn's claimed intelligence background ("US military intel," uncle "head of int'l relations at the Pentagon") is self-reported. No verification exists in these files or in public records.
- **Timing:** The correspondence began 2 days after Jeffrey Epstein's death and lasted approximately one week — consistent with an unsolicited tipster inserting himself into a high-profile event.
- **Professional assessment:** T&M Protection Resources (the Epstein family's private security firm) conducted an email header analysis tracing Kohn's emails to UK-based Yahoo servers (EFTA00146777, EFTA00037242) and classified the correspondence as "emails harassing mark epstein" (EFTA00037236).
- **FBI non-response:** The FBI received the letters through two channels and met with T&M on August 20, 2019 (EFTA00037232). No FD-302 interview, case serial assignment, or documented investigative follow-up exists.
- **Own walkback:** Kohn acknowledged the Gerald Bull and Herman Erben references were speculative: "I was clutching at straws, almost certain you would not have heard of them" (EFTA00037218 p.1).
- **Verifiable knowledge:** Kohn correctly identified real Israeli Knesset members (Sharren Haskel/Likud, Haim Oron/Meretz) and their specific legislative activities, and his reference to Mark Epstein's involvement with the Humpty Dumpty Institute is confirmed by Mark's own emails (EFTA01929259, EFTA02598877).

Kohn's core claim — that Epstein was NOT Mossad but "certain parties in this mix" WERE connected to foreign intelligence — is an assertion from an unverified source. He does not identify which parties or which intelligence service.

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# PART VIII: THE WEXNER-ISRAEL AXIS

## A. The Financial Genesis

### **EFTA02731082 -- Wexner Attorney Proffer to SDNY (July 25, 2019)**

Wexner's counsel revealed:

- The 9 East 71st Street townhouse "belonged to Wexner, but the Wexners had moved out of it in 1995."
- "Epstein also sold himself a private plane that previously belonged to Wexner at a deeply discounted price."
- "Wexner learned that Epstein had stolen or otherwise misappropriated several hundred million dollars from Wexner."
- "Epstein said he was being blackmailed and it could get messy."
- Epstein had power of attorney over Wexner's finances.

### **EFTA01656173 -- Prominent Names Page (FBI Master Briefing)**

*"[Victim] stated he earned his money from Wexner"*

*"Wexner: [described as] homosexual" (in victim allegations context)*

### **EFTA00026723 -- \$46 Million Charitable Transfer (Post-Conviction)**

*"Epstein provided initial financing to Wexner's YLK Charitable Fund more than 10 years ago... Epstein in 2008 from essentially bankrolling one of Wexner's first nonprofit foundations with a contribution of more than \$40 million in stock and other assets."*

## B. Mega Group: ZERO Results (Confirmed)

Exhaustive searches across all document collections for "Mega Group" return ZERO results. This is confirmed as of February 8, 2026 with fresh queries to:

- primary document text database: 0 results
- OCR text extraction database: 0 results

The Mega Group -- co-founded by Leslie Wexner and Charles Bronfman in 1991 as a study group of Jewish billionaires focused on Jewish philanthropy and Israel advocacy -- is entirely absent from the FBI's Epstein investigative files. This is a notable negative finding.

## C. Wexner-Israel Implicit Connections

While no Wexner-Israel explicit documents exist, the following circumstantial links are documented:

1. Wexner's power of attorney granted Epstein access to "several hundred million dollars" -- the financial genesis of Epstein's entire operation
2. Epstein claimed to be managing money for "a sultan in Dubai" and "Prince Andrew" -- both groups he also procured victims for
3. MC2 Model Management advertised recruitment of girls "ages 13-20" -- the same agency housed models at 301 E. 66th Street where Barak had an apartment
4. The Prominent Names briefing links Wexner to Epstein's blackmail operation via victim testimony

# PART IX: CARBYNE, BEN-MENASHE, AND REPORTY -- NEGATIVE FINDINGS

## Fresh Searches Conducted February 8, 2026:

Search Term	Database	Results
"CARBYNE"	primary document text database	ZERO
"Reporty"	primary document text database	ZERO
"Ari Ben"	primary document text database	ZERO
"Ben-Menashe"	primary document text database	ZERO
"Mega Group"	primary document text database	ZERO
"Mega Group"	OCR text extraction database	ZERO
"Wexner" + "Israel"	primary document text database	ZERO

### Assessment:

**Carbyne** (formerly Reporty Homeland Security) is the emergency call-handling technology company that Ehud Barak chaired and Nicole Junkermann invested in through NJF Holdings. Despite extensive public reporting linking Carbyne to Epstein's funding, the term does not appear anywhere in the 218GB FBI corpus.

**Ari Ben-Menashe** is a former Israeli military intelligence officer who publicly claimed Epstein was recruited by Israeli intelligence. His name does not appear in any FBI document.

This complete absence could mean:

1. The FBI never investigated these connections
2. Relevant documents were classified and withheld from FOIA release
3. These connections were investigated under different case serials not included in this corpus
4. The public claims are not corroborated by the FBI's investigative findings

# PART X: THE BLACKMAIL INFRASTRUCTURE AND ITS INTELLIGENCE IMPLICATIONS

## A. Documented Blackmail Purpose

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### **EFTA00021553** -- Jane Doe #3 Filing (January 2, 2015)

*"Epstein also trafficked Jane Doe #3 for sexual purposes to many other powerful men, including numerous prominent American politicians, powerful business executives, foreign presidents, a well-known Prime Minister, and other world leaders. Epstein required Jane Doe #3 to describe the events that she had with these men so that he could potentially blackmail them."*

### **EFTA01731006** -- FBI Blackmail Case File (Serial 31E-MM-108062)

*"attempting to blackmail powerful businessmen in New York"*

*"STEIN offers to provide contacts, presumably for..."*

*"STEIN suggests names of individuals..."*

### **EFTA00024032** -- 2006 Lawsuit Allegation

*"Papers filed in a 2006 lawsuit alleged that Epstein surreptitiously recorded sexual activity between prominent individuals and underage girls for purposes of blackmail"*

### **EFTA02731226** -- Maxwell Prosecution Memo

*Victim "stated that Epstein had cameras in his clocks"*

### **EFTA00029761** -- Palm Beach Police (2003)

*Epstein was "purchasing cameras, concealing in clocks, monitoring on computer"*

## B. The Relevance to Intelligence Theories

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The blackmail infrastructure is well-documented:

- Victims were **required** to describe encounters with powerful men
- **Hidden cameras** were installed in clocks and confirmed by Palm Beach police
- An FBI case file documents investigation into **"blackmail of powerful businessmen"**
- A 2006 lawsuit alleged **surreptitious recording** of sexual activity for blackmail

This infrastructure is consistent with -- but does not prove -- an intelligence operation. What the files do NOT show is:

- Who received the intelligence product
  - Whether any intelligence service directed the operation
  - Whether the blackmail was for personal financial gain, intelligence purposes, or both
  - The destination of any recordings or compromising information
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# PART XI: THE DILORIO/SCHLAFF ISRAELI FINANCIAL THREAD

## **EFTA00010724 / EFTA00010786 / EFTA00010819 -- Dilorio Whistleblower Materials**

Christopher Dilorio's FBI filings connect Epstein to Israeli financial networks:

*"Alpha Capital: **Martin Schlaff**: MY CLAIMS / Ladenburg/Gruntal: Refco/Bawag"*

*"Schlaff AND: Englander/Nordlicht/Kushners"*

*"Epstein: Schwarzman / Epstein: Black / Black/Schwarzman: Kushner"*

*"Martin Schlaff/Baltimore/Alpha Cap: haaretz.com/israel-news..."*

*"**Martin Schlaff: Bag Man**"*

*"Stetson: Honig side kick. Therapix now SciSparc. Still Israel... 20 Raul Wallenberg Street, Tower A, **Tel Aviv 6971916, Israel**"*

*"Aegis 'Investment banking' has ties to Israeli military"*

*"Isaac Livni-EIDE: related?"*

**Martin Schlaff** is an Austrian-Israeli billionaire investigated for corruption in Israeli politics, particularly payments to Ariel Sharon's son. Dilorio alleges Schlaff's Alpha Capital Anstalt (Liechtenstein) was connected to money laundering networks intersecting Epstein's financial operations.

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## PART XII: COMPLETE ASSESSMENT

### What the Evidence Establishes:

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1. **Ehud Barak's relationship with Epstein was extensive and deeply integrated.** 25+ documents confirm a 9-year relationship (2010-2019) including: an apartment cleaned by Epstein's staff in a building that also housed MC2 models and trafficking victims, direct email correspondence, routinized scheduling through his assistant Nili Priel, lunches with Joel Klein and Mort Zuckerman, a brokered Bannon meeting, and presence on a single-day calendar alongside Leon Black, Larry Summers, and Peter Thiel. This is not a casual acquaintance -- the documents show a former head of state with sustained personal, logistical, and financial ties to Epstein across the period when trafficking was ongoing. No document links Barak to awareness of or participation in the trafficking itself.
2. **Nicole Junkermann maintained a 10-year business and personal relationship with Epstein (2009-2019).** Epstein brokered her introduction to Leon Black, advised her on personal legal matters, discussed investment opportunities, and included her on a January 2019 island trip guest list alongside Steve Bannon and Sultan bin Sulayem. Her relationship was active through at least March 2018 ("Can u speak?") and January 2019.
3. **Epstein had access to Israeli military installations** during his criminal proceedings (2008 Passover visit), toured military bases with the chairman of "Friends of Israel," and had IDF-branded clothing (sweatshirt and T-shirt) plus a white military dress uniform with medals (national origin unidentified) on his private island.
4. **Alexander Acosta told Trump transition interviewers** that he was "told Epstein 'belonged to intelligence' and to leave it alone." Under oath, he denied this but with notable qualifications about classified information.
5. **The blackmail infrastructure is well-documented** -- hidden cameras, required debriefs from victims,

FBI case file on "blackmail of powerful businessmen," surreptitious recording allegations -- but its ultimate beneficiary is not identified in the files.

6. **The "intelligence agencies" quote** is from a social media post collected by the FBI, NOT from any investigative finding or government document.
7. **The Allen/Oren/Tal victim account** describes rapes by three brothers with Hebrew/Israeli names at Epstein's New York parties, annotated by the FBI as "possibly identifiable as Alexander brothers." This was never resolved in the case record.

## What the Evidence Does NOT Establish:

1. **An FBI CHS FD-1023 document does contain intelligence claims.** [EFTA00090314](#) is a 3-page FBI Confidential Human Source reporting document in which a source relays that Dershowitz told Acosta "Epstein belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services" and that Epstein "trained as a spy under" Barak. While FD-1023 forms document unverified CHS claims (not FBI conclusions), the original report's statement that "No document in the FBI files states that Epstein was an intelligence asset" was incorrect -- this document exists in the FBI case file. Additionally, an investigative memo ([EFTA00098755](#), page 4) states: "Jeffrey Epstein worked for the United States government as a financial bounty hunter."
2. **Israeli intelligence service references exist in the email corpus**, though they appear to originate from news articles and Wikipedia content forwarded within email chains. Unit 8200 yields 11 documents (8 DS9 + 3 DS10); Shin Bet yields 23 documents (12 DS9 + 6 DS10 + 5 DS11). Mossad yields 96 DS9 documents, the most significant being the CHS FD-1023 noted above. These do not appear to represent operational intelligence connections in most cases but the categorical "ZERO" was incorrect. **LAKAM** remains genuinely absent.
3. **Carbyne and Reporty are extensively documented in the email corpus.** The original report stated these were "completely absent from the 218GB corpus." The full email corpus reveals 50 Carbyne documents and 324 Reporty documents, including complete investment structures, board reports forwarded by Barak to Epstein, CEO correspondence from Amir Elichai (57 docs), and legal documentation. **Mega Group** yields 4 documents (likely Wikipedia/news false positives). **Ben-Menashe** remains confirmed at ZERO.
4. **The provenance of the IDF-branded clothing and military uniform** on Little Saint James is never explained.
5. **The destination of blackmail intelligence** (if any) is never identified.
6. **MC2's Tel Aviv recruiting operations** are not investigated in any FBI document despite MC2 publicly advertising recruitment of girls ages 13-20.

## The Gap Between Public Narrative and FBI Files (Revised Assessment):

The public narrative connecting Epstein to Israeli intelligence relies heavily on:

- Ari Ben-Menashe's claims (ABSENT from FBI files -- confirmed ZERO across 1.42M docs)
- Carbyne/Reporty connections (**NOW DOCUMENTED**: 374 documents in the email corpus establishing Epstein as an active Carbyne investor alongside Barak and Junkermann)
- Mega Group theories (4 documents, likely Wikipedia/news references -- no operational connection)
- Robert Maxwell's Mossad history (NOT referenced in FBI investigative documents)

What the FBI files DO contain is extensive documentation of:

- Barak's physical integration into Epstein's infrastructure (3,756 documents total)
- Epstein's direct Carbyne/Reporty investments with Barak (\$500K personal investment, \$50M valuation, board-level reporting)
- Epstein's access to Israeli military facilities
- IDF-branded clothing and unidentified military uniform on Epstein's island

- The blackmail infrastructure (cameras, required debriefs, FBI case file)
  - The Acosta "intelligence" account AND the FBI CHS FD-1023 ([EFTA00090314](#)) containing source claims of intelligence service connections
  - The investigative memo ([EFTA00098755](#)) characterizing Epstein as a "financial bounty hunter" for the U.S. government
  - The Kohn letters (unverified source, see Part VII credibility assessment) claiming "certain parties in this mix" ARE intelligence-connected
  - FOIA exemptions for "confidential relationship with a foreign government"
  - Masha Drokova identified by FBI ARMS investigation as "Putin's kiss, former publicist for Jeffrey Epstein" with regular 2017 meetings and Russian technology transfer concerns ([EFTA00129096](#))
- The original report's conclusion that "the infrastructure is consistent with an intelligence operation but no explicit service connection is identified" requires revision. The FBI CHS report explicitly claims Epstein belonged to intelligence services. The Carbyne investment chain demonstrates direct financial connections between Epstein, Barak, and Junkermann in an Israeli emergency-services technology company whose founders had Unit 8200 backgrounds. The "financial bounty hunter" memo characterizes Epstein as a government operative. While none of these documents constitute proof of an intelligence relationship (CHS claims are unverified, memos may be speculative), they represent exactly the kind of explicit claims the original report said did not exist in the files.
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## **PART VII: FULL CORPUS EXPANSION -- CARBYNE/REPORTY, FBI CHS INTELLIGENCE DOCUMENT, AND DROKOVA (ADDED FEB 12, 2026)**

*This section documents findings from the full\_text\_corpus.db (1,380,937 docs across all 12 datasets) that were not available to the original Feb 8 report, which searched only the redaction and OCR databases.*

### **A. Carbyne/Reporty Investment Documentation (ZERO to 374 Documents)**

The original report's statement that Carbyne and Reporty were "completely absent from the 218GB corpus" has been overturned. The email corpus contains extensive Carbyne/Reporty documentation:

#### **Financial Structure**

[EFTA01030313/EFTA01030316](#) (DS9): Junkermann-Epstein negotiation email revealing exact Carbyne financial structure:

*"Carbyne invested 1.5 m (1m you and 0.5m me) net of fees is 3.9m your share, Ehud carry 1.5 m and my share 2m"*

This also discusses: "We invested 1M in carbon [Carbyne] at 8m pre. Total invested by all investors was 6m... valuation was 50m" and references Chinese investment discussions.

#### **Board Reports Forwarded to Epstein**

[EFTA00631912](#) (DS9): Barak forwarding Reporty/Carbyne monthly investor reports to Epstein: "Hag Same'ach Jeff. Looking forward for our next meeting. Best EB." The attached monthly report from

Amir Elichai (Reporty CEO) includes company metrics and strategic updates, establishing Epstein as an active investor receiving board-level information.

**EFTA01013926** (DS9): Another Barak forward of Reporty/Carbyne reports to Epstein, confirming a regular reporting pattern.

### **Barak Brokering Series B with Epstein**

**EFTA01013264** (DS9): Barak to Junkermann regarding Carbyne Series B funding: "I propose we will discuss the issue together with JE." Barak explicitly positioning Epstein as a decision-maker in Carbyne's next funding round.

### **Legal Documentation Chain**

**EFTA01034903** (DS9): Richard Kahn (HBRK Associates) forwarding Carbyne legal documents from Darren Indyke (Epstein's attorney) to Israeli law firm partner Tomer at fwmk-law.co.il. Epstein's legal infrastructure was directly involved in Carbyne corporate governance.

### **Reporty Financial Reports**

**EFTA00614842** (DS9): Reporty monthly financial highlights with bank balance details and burn rates.

**EFTA00798601** (DS9): Full Carbyne milestone/annual report (2017-2018).

**EFTA01035810** (DS9): Carbyne Annual Statements 2017 and forecasts.

### **Epstein Frustration (Pre-Arrest)**

**EFTA01030113** (DS9): Epstein to Junkermann, February 2019 (5 months before arrest): "I have little idea of carbyne results to date."

## **B. FBI CHS FD-1023 -- Intelligence Service Claims**

**EFTA00090314** (DS9): A 3-page FBI Confidential Human Source (CHS) reporting document (FD-1023 format) containing the following source claims:

*"Dershowitz told CHS that if he were young again, he would be holding a stun gun as an Israeli Intelligence (Mossad) agent"*

*"CHS remembered Dershowitz tell Alex Acosta that Epstein belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services"*

*"After these calls, Mossad would then call Dershowitz to debrief"*

*"Epstein was close to the former Prime Minister of Israel, Ehud Barak and trained as a spy under him"*

Additional claims in the same document include assertions about Leon Black owning "the mercenary firm formerly known as Blackwater, now Constellis," Masha Drokova described as "Putin's main contact in Russian Youth movement," and Chabad/Kushner references.

**Reliability note:** FD-1023 forms document CHS statements for investigation leads. The intelligence claims in this document have not been verified by the FBI -- they represent what a source reported. However, the document's existence in the Epstein case file means the FBI received and preserved these claims as part of the investigation.

## **C. Investigative Memo -- "Financial Bounty Hunter"**

**EFTA00098755** (DS9, page 4): An investigative memo stating: "Jeffrey Epstein worked for the United States government as a financial bounty hunter. He has retained significant political connections with both Israel and the United States."

## **D. Masha Drokova -- FBI ARMS Investigation**

**EFTA00129096** (DS9): FBI document identifying Drokova as "nicknamed 'PUTIN's kiss,' former publicist for JEFFREY EPSTEIN." Part of an FBI ARMS (Automated Record Management System) investigation connected to Day One Ventures (VC firm), Quantum Wave Fund, Runa Capital, Serguei Belousov, and Russian technology transfer concerns.

DS9 calendar entries reveal regular Drokova meetings with Epstein throughout 2017 (May, July,

September, November). A \$1,790 Prada purchase was coordinated through Epstein's staff for Drokova.

## E. Expanded Individual Counts

Name	Original Report Count	Full Corpus Count	Notes
Ehud Barak	25+	3,756	1,689 DS9 + 1,076 DS10 + 978 DS11
Nicole Junkermann	10+	4,182	1,758 DS9 + 1,198 DS10 + 1,218 DS11
HBRK Associates	3	34,909	12,336 DS9 + 12,546 DS10 + 10,023 DS11 (email headers)
Nili Priel	5	2,690+	Includes "priell" spelling variant
Melvyn Kohn	5	47	38 DS9 + 9 DS11; T&M email header analysis (EFTA00146777); unverified source — see Part VII
Benny Shabtai	3+	14+	Regular calendar entries, Skype calls

# APPENDIX A: COMPLETE EHUD BARAK DOCUMENT REGISTRY

EFTA Number	Date	Content	Source
EFTA01802812	Apr 17, 2016	Direct email from ehbarak@	Redaction DB
EFTA01903624	Undated	Subject: "Ehud Barak"	Redaction DB
EFTA01921900	Undated	"ehud b" reference	Redaction DB
EFTA01923347	Undated	"12pm meeting w/Mort and Ehud Tomorrow"	Redaction DB
EFTA01955948	Undated	"TBD LUNCH w/Ehud Barak & Joel Klein"	Redaction DB
EFTA01960277	Undated	"To: ehud barak" / "tomorrow try to coordinate" / "I am flexible"	Redaction DB
EFTA02050653	Undated	"should 1pm w/Ehud be L[unch]"	Redaction DB
EFTA02052245	Undated	"for lunch w/Ehud"	Redaction DB
EFTA02052296	Undated	"Alert - 12:00pm LUNCH w/Ehud"	Redaction DB
EFTA02065729	Undated	"Reminder: Ehud/Nili arrive early"	Redaction DB
EFTA02065821	Undated	"Ehud/NILI arrive early"	Redaction

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Source</b>
EFTA02067253	Undated	"Re: Reminder: Nili and Ehud arrive"	Redaction DB
EFTA02072207	Undated	"Re: should noon today w/Ehud"	Redaction DB
EFTA02122068	Nov 15, 2013	"knows if Ehud Barak is coming"	Redaction DB
EFTA02128207	Undated	"w/Ehud Barak & Joel Klein" (Updated Invitation)	Redaction DB
EFTA02136979	Undated	"Updated Invitation: 12:30pm Lunch w/Ehud Barak"	Redaction DB
EFTA02138171	Undated	"having Ehud Barrak to his home on Tuesday"	Redaction DB
EFTA02138185	Undated	"having Ehud Barrak to his home on Tuesday" (duplicate)	Redaction DB
EFTA02154241	Nov 28 (year unknown)	"8:30am Breakfast w/Ehud Barak and [...]"	Redaction DB
EFTA02199213	2017	"Alert - 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud"	Redaction DB
EFTA02199243	2017	"Alert - 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud and Tom"	Redaction DB
EFTA02208207	2017	"Alert - 9:00am BREAKFAST w/Ehud"	Redaction DB
EFTA02211724	2017	"Alert - 5:00pm Appt w/Ehud"	Redaction DB
EFTA02278459	Mar 4, 2019	"clean Ehud's apt at 11am" -- KEY DOCUMENT	OCR DB
EFTA02422165	Sep 20, 2010	"Jes plans to attend the Ehud Barak dinner"	OCR DB
EFTA02422168	Sep 16, 2010	"Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak" introduction	OCR DB
EFTA02518862	Feb 28, 2018	Nili Priel: "Ehud is free from 10:30 AM until 3:30 PM"	OCR DB
EFTA02575361	Sep 21, 2013	Epstein emails ehud barak directly	OCR DB
EFTA02589113	Sep 9, 2014	Epstein to ehud barak: "hope you are having fun"	OCR DB
EFTA02633609	Feb 25, 2019	Barak-Bannon meeting: "Good idea. Done. EB"	OCR DB
EFTA00362483	Sep 22, 2014	Calendar: Ehud, Leon, Thiel, Summers same day	OCR DB

## APPENDIX B: COMPLETE NICOLE JUNKERMANN DOCUMENT REGISTRY

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Source</b>
EFTA01775214	Oct 5, 2011	Email from Junkermann	Redaction DB

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Source</b>
EFTA01777903	Apr 19, 2011	Email from Junkermann	Redaction DB
EFTA01796749	May 11, 2011	Email from Junkermann	Redaction DB
EFTA01833254	~2011	Subject: "Jeffrey Epstein" from Junkermann	Redaction DB
EFTA01883804	Undated	"3:00 Apt w/Nicole Junkermann" / "Nicole Junkermann??"	Redaction DB
EFTA02273951	Jan 14, 2019	Island guest list: Junkermann, Bannon, Sultan bin Sulayem	OCR DB
EFTA02435071	Oct-Nov 2009	Leon Black introduction + personal legal advice	OCR DB
EFTA02513966	Mar 8, 2018	"Can u speak?" -- Junkermann to Epstein	OCR DB
EFTA02664994	Dec 29, 2016	Auctionata/Paddles investment discussion	OCR DB

## APPENDIX C: COMPLETE INTELLIGENCE-RELATED DOCUMENT REGISTRY

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Content</b>
EFTA00009116	Deposition	Acosta "intelligence asset" question -- denial under oath
EFTA00013730	AUSA Email	Israeli military base tour, Passover 2008
EFTA00015219	FOIA Memo	"Confidential relationship with a foreign government" exemption
EFTA00030182	News Article	Acosta: "told Epstein belonged to intelligence"
EFTA00037218	Correspondence	Melvyn Kohn: "certain parties in this mix who ARE"
EFTA00037239	Correspondence	Kohn letters (additional pages), Gerald Bull, Erben
EFTA01652757	Social Media	Tonks: "FBI, MI6, CIA or Mossad DID NOT KILL"
EFTA01652971	Social Media	"If we are collaborating with intelligence agencies"
EFTA01652995	Social Media	Same quote, page 6
EFTA01653016	Social Media	Same quote, page 4
EFTA01653060	Social Media	Same quote, page 18
EFTA01660651	NTOC Tips	Allen/Oren/Tal victim account (Hebrew names)
EFTA01660679	NTOC Tips	Same victim account (duplicate compilation)
EFTA01731006	FBI Case File	"Blackmail powerful businessmen in New York"
EFTA01750543	Email	Jacqui Safra's Jerusalem residence — Brockman/Groff, names Safra explicitly
EFTA01933564	Email	Epstein reply re Safra property: "yes, and Paul Allen"
EFTA01982248	Document	"Qualitative military edge in the Middle East" / "possibility of Israel"
EFTA02148317	Email	"any info re Benny Shabtai coming"
EFTA02148337	Email	"any info re Benny Shabtai coming" (duplicate)
EFTA02175707	Email	"Shabtai" reference
EFTA02406470	News Article	Obama-Goldberg interview on Israel/Iran nuclear policy

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Content</b>
EFTA00001969	Photo	White military dress uniform with medals, national origin unidentified (island)
EFTA00001970	Photo	IDF-branded sweatshirt with Hebrew text (island)
EFTA00001971	Photo	IDF-branded T-shirt with Hebrew text (island)

## APPENDIX D: SEARCH RESULTS -- UPDATED FEBRUARY 12, 2026 (FULL CORPUS)

Original negative search results (Feb 8, 2026) were based on redaction/OCR databases only. The table below reflects the full\_text\_corpus.db (1,380,937 docs across all 12 datasets).

Search Term	Redaction/OCR DBs (Feb 8)	Full Corpus		Distribution	Notes
		(Feb 8)	Total (Feb 12)		
"Carbyne"	ZERO		50	25 DS9 + 25 DS11	<b>CORRECTED:</b> Complete investment structure, board reports, legal docs
"Reporty"	ZERO		324	196 DS9 + 25 DS10 + 103 DS11	<b>CORRECTED:</b> Monthly financials, CEO correspondence
"Amir Elichai" (Carbyne CEO)	ZERO		57	43 DS9 + 14 DS11	<b>NEW:</b> Direct investor correspondence
"Mega Group"	ZERO		4	3 DS9 + 1 DS10	<b>CORRECTED:</b> Likely Wikipedia/news false positives
"Ben-Menashe"	ZERO		ZERO	--	<b>CONFIRMED ABSENT</b>
"Ari Ben"	ZERO		ZERO	--	<b>CONFIRMED ABSENT</b>
"Shin Bet" / "Shabak"	ZERO		23	12 DS9 + 6 DS10 + 5 DS11	<b>CORRECTED:</b> Likely news articles in email corpus
"Unit 8200"	ZERO		11	8 DS9 + 3 DS10	<b>CORRECTED:</b> Likely news articles in email corpus
"LAKAM"	ZERO		ZERO	--	<b>CONFIRMED ABSENT</b>
"Mossad"	4		173	96 DS9 + 52 DS10 + 21 DS11	Includes FBI CHS FD-1023 (EFTA00090314)
"Masha Drokova"	ZERO		12+	DS9	<b>NEW:</b> FBI ARMS investigation, regular 2017 meetings

Search Term	Redaction/OCR DBs (Feb 8)	Full Corpus Total (Feb 12)	Distribution	Notes
"Wexner" + "Israel"	ZERO	ZERO	--	Unchanged
"Acosta" + "intelligence"	ZERO (redactions)	1 (Daily Beast article)	--	Unchanged

## APPENDIX E: CROSS-REFERENCES TO PRIOR INVESTIGATIONS

This report incorporates, consolidates, and extends findings from:

- [ISRAELI INTELLIGENCE DEEP DIVE.md](#): Prior version of this analysis
- [JUNKERMANN\\_MC2\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Junkermann 10-year relationship, Leon Black introduction
- [UNNAMED\\_PERSONS\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): "Foreign president" identified as Ehud Barak
- [DILORIO\\_APOLLO\\_WHISTLEBLOWER.md](#): Schlaff/Alpha Capital connections
- [PROSECUTION\\_FAILURES\\_ANALYSIS.md](#): NPA architecture, Acosta deposition
- [JACQUI\\_SAFRA\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Jacqui Safra identification, Jerusalem property, Edge Foundation circuit
- [BLACKMAIL\\_INTELLIGENCE\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Earlier blackmail analysis
- [DUBAI\\_SULAYEM\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Sultan bin Sulayem, DP World, port of St Croix
- [BANNON\\_CLINTON\\_EVIDENCE.md](#): Bannon-Epstein relationship, Barak-Bannon meeting
- [EHUD\\_BARAK\\_ISRAEL\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Earlier Barak analysis
- [CLASSIFIED\\_INTELLIGENCE\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): SECRET/NOFORN documents
- [CBP\\_CORRUPTION\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): USVI access infrastructure

*Investigation conducted February 8, 2026. Revised February 12, 2026 with full\_text\_corpus.db expansion (1,380,937 docs across all 12 datasets). All findings derived from publicly released DOJ FOIA documents. 130+ EFTA citations. Original 4 databases + full email corpus queried with 70+ unique search terms. Key corrections: Carbyne/Reporty ZERO overturned (374 docs), FBI CHS FD-1023 intelligence claims identified, Unit 8200/Shin Bet categorical ZEROs corrected, Masha Drokova FBI ARMS investigation added.*

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# ISRAELI INTELLIGENCE CONNECTIONS: DEEP DIVE INVESTIGATION

**Classification: Research Analysis of Publicly Released  
FBI FOIA Documents (218GB DOJ Corpus)**

**Date: February 6, 2026**

**Databases Queried: OCR text extraction database,  
primary document text database, Dataset 10 document  
text database, image catalog database**

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This investigation systematically searched 218GB of DOJ documents across four databases for evidence connecting Jeffrey Epstein to Israeli intelligence operations, personnel, and infrastructure. The results reveal a dense web of connections between Epstein and Israeli state actors, military infrastructure, and intelligence-adjacent figures, but NO direct evidence in these FBI files that Epstein was a confirmed intelligence asset. What the documents do show is:

1. **Ehud Barak** (former Israeli PM and Defense Minister) maintained an apartment in Epstein's building at 301 E. 66th St -- the same building where MC2 models were housed and the FBI conducted a DAS search generating 2,000+ records
2. **Epstein toured Israeli military bases** during Passover 2008, while facing criminal charges, with "Friends of Israel" chairman Benny Shabtai
3. **IDF-branded clothing** (sweatshirt and T-shirt with Hebrew text) and a white military dress uniform with medals (national origin unidentified) were found on Little Saint James island
4. **Alexander Acosta** was asked at a press conference whether Epstein was "an intelligence asset" — in his OPR interview he explicitly denied it ("the answer is no, and no") but referenced classified information in the same exchange ([EFTA00009116](#), pages 404-405)
5. **Victim testimony** explicitly states Epstein required victims to describe sexual encounters with powerful men "so that he could potentially blackmail them"
6. **Wexner's attorney proffer** reveals Epstein stole "several hundred million dollars" and held power of attorney -- the financial genesis of Epstein's empire came from a co-founder of the Mega Group
7. **~ZERO results** for Carbyne, Mega Group, Shin Bet, Aman, Unit 8200, or LAKAM~~ **OVERTURNED** — Full corpus: Carbyne 50, Reporty 324, Unit 8200 11, Shin Bet 23, Mega Group 4 docs. Only Ben-Menashe, Aman, and LAKAM remain at zero. See V2 report and Part X corrections below.

*[REVISIT UPDATE — Full Corpus Expansion] Searching the complete 1.42M-document corpus (all 12 datasets) substantially expands several findings above. 301 E 66th Street now appears in **1,439 documents** (up from 4 in DS8 alone). **Ossa Properties LLC**, the corporate entity controlling 301 E 66th, appears in **784 documents** and was not mentioned in V1. **Paula Heil Fisher** (163 documents), absent from V1, bridges Epstein's personal life to the Israeli tech ecosystem through direct contact with Yehuda Zisapel. Blackmail references expand from 12 to **355 documents**. Additionally, an FBI CHS FD-1023 ([EFTA00090314](#)) states Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services" — discovered in the V2 revisit (Report #52). The V1 ZERO findings for Carbyne, Reporty, Mega Group, Unit 8200, and Shin Bet are all overturned by the V2 full-corpus search (see Part X corrections). Only Ben-Menashe and LAKAM remain at zero across the full corpus. A comprehensive V2 report exists at [ISRAEL\\_DEEP\\_DIVE\\_V2.md](#).*

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## PART I: EHUD BARAK -- THE 301 EAST 66TH STREET NEXUS

### A. The Apartment Building: Three Functions Under One Roof

[EFTA02278459](#) (Mar 4, 2019) -- THE KEY DOCUMENT

Epstein's property management email chain reveals the cleaning schedule for 301 E. 66th Street:

*"Reminder: clean Ehud's apt at 11am and clean 2G"*

*"ok, got it, so Ehud will get cleaned today at 11am and then 2G on Wed. that is totally fine also! We have a guest arriving for 2G on Friday"*

*"Leo is picking up the suburban from Teterboro after he clean Ehud's apt as per JE..."*

*Sonam was given days off by Karyna until Thursday"*

**Analysis:** This single email chain proves:

- Epstein's staff controlled and cleaned "Ehud's apt" (Ehud Barak's apartment) at 301 E. 66th Street
- The instruction came directly from "JE" (Jeffrey Epstein)
- Apartment "2G" was a separate guest apartment in the same building
- Karyna Shuliak (Epstein's girlfriend) had authority to give Sonam (household staff) days off
- The cleaning was coordinated with Epstein's movements between Teterboro and 9 East 71st Street

**EFTA00019513** (Dec 13, 2018) -- FBI INVESTIGATION OF THE BUILDING

*"could you please run database searches on 301 E. 66th Street? This is the address for a property that appears to be owned at least in part by Epstein, and where models for MC2 may have been provided housing."*

*"Attached is the negative results for whatsapp search of phone number. Additionally I've attached a DAS search for 301 E 66 Street which contains over 2000 records."*

This FBI Child Exploitation & Human Trafficking Task Force search was conducted just **3 months before** the Ehud apartment cleaning email.

**EFTA00014526** (Bloomberg Investigation Summary)

*"Epstein courted young women through the Miami modeling agency MC2, putting them up in an apartment he owned on 66th Street in Manhattan a former agency bookkeeper said in a 2010 deposition in a civil case."*

**EFTA00025109** (Victim Filing, Nov 2019)

*"Eventually, by approximately 2004, Epstein arranged for [victim] to live in an apartment at 301 East 66th Street in Manhattan, just blocks from his townhouse"*

**EFTA00022133** (Victim Compilation)

*"[Victim] says Epstein arranged for her to live in an apartment at 301 E. 66th St. in 2004 -- just blocks from his Manhattan mansion."*

**The Three Functions of 301 E. 66th Street:**

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Function</b>	<b>Evidence</b>
"Ehud's apt"	<b>Ehud Barak's apartment</b>	<b>EFTA02278459</b> (cleaning schedule, Mar 2019)
Apt 2G	<b>Guest apartment</b>	<b>EFTA02278459</b> ("guest arriving for 2G on Friday")
Apt 10F	<b>Corporate address</b> for Nine East 71st Street Corp / HBRK Associates	<b>EFTA02533859, EFTA00022151, EFTA00030236</b>
Various units	<b>MC2 model housing / victim apartments</b>	<b>EFTA00019513, EFTA00014526, EFTA00025109</b>

**Karyna Shuliak's residence:** **EFTA01378419** (redaction database) confirms "SHULIAK KARYNA / 301 E 66TH ST APT 10F" with partial SSN visible.

**EFTA02299114** (Nov 2012) -- Karyna Shuliak's bags being picked up "from 301" before airport travel, confirming she lived in the building.

This means the former Prime Minister and Defense Minister of Israel maintained an apartment -- cleaned by Epstein's staff on Epstein's orders -- in the same building where:

- Trafficking victims were housed (confirmed by FBI investigation)
- MC2 models were provided apartments (confirmed by bookkeeper deposition)
- Epstein's corporate entities were registered (HBRK Associates, Suite 10F)

- Epstein's girlfriend Karyna Shuliak resided (Apt 10F / 8H)

*[REVISIT UPDATE — 301 E 66th Street Full Corpus] The full 1.42M-document corpus reveals 1,439 documents referencing 301 E 66th Street (630 DS9, 647 DS10, 158 DS11), a 360x expansion from the 4 documents in DS8 alone. Ossa Properties LLC — the corporate entity controlling 301 E 66th — appears in 784 documents (355 DS9, 291 DS10, 135 DS11), comparable in corpus frequency to Southern Trust or Haze Trust. This was not mentioned in V1 but is among the most frequently referenced Epstein entities in the full corpus. The building's centrality to operations is now documented at massive scale.*

## B. The Full Ehud Barak Document Registry

14+ documents confirm direct Epstein-Barak contact spanning 2010-2019:

EFTA Number	Date	Content
EFTA02422165	Sep 20, 2010	"Jes plans to attend the Ehud Barak dinner" -- Jes Staley (JPMorgan CEO) attending dinner Epstein organized for Barak
EFTA02422168	Sep 16, 2010	"Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak" -- Epstein connecting Tom Barrack (Colony Capital) with Barak
EFTA02406464	Sep 15, 2011	Epstein asks contact: "can you do the 19th with ehud" -- arranging dinner with Barak
EFTA02575361	Sep 21, 2013	Epstein emails directly to "ehud barak" with Lesley Groff CC'd
EFTA02589113	Sep 9, 2014	Epstein to "ehud barak": "hope you are having fun"
EFTA00362483	Sep 22, 2014	Epstein daily schedule: "oody, Jabor, <b>Ehud</b> , Leon, Stone, Maldives, Mada" alongside "People To See: Jagland, Terje, <b>Thiel</b> , Simon, Kathy"
EFTA02518862	Feb 28, 2018	Nili Priel (Barak's assistant) to Epstein: "Monday Ehud is free from 10:30 AM until 3:30 PM"
EFTA02633609	Feb 25, 2019	Epstein to Barak (ehbarak): "steve bannon here tomorrow morning if you want to join. 930?" Barak replies: "Good idea. Done." Bannon cancels sick.
EFTA02278459	Mar 4, 2019	"Reminder: clean Ehud's apt at 11am" -- Epstein staff cleaning Barak's apartment at 301 E. 66th St

### Key Relationship Findings:

1. **Barak-Staley-Epstein Triangle:** Epstein organized a dinner for Ehud Barak that Jes Staley (then JPMorgan executive) attended (EFTA02422165). Staley was later accused by a victim of forced sex acts.
2. **Barak-Barrack-Epstein Triangle:** Epstein connected Tom Barrack (Colony Capital founder, later convicted of acting as UAE foreign agent) with Barak (EFTA02422168).
3. **Barak-Bannon-Epstein Triangle:** Epstein attempted to broker a breakfast meeting between Barak and Steve Bannon in February 2019, just months before his arrest (EFTA02633609).
4. **Barak on the September 2014 Calendar:** On a single day (Sep 22, 2014), Epstein's schedule lists Ehud Barak alongside Leon Black, Larry Summers, and Peter Thiel (EFTA00362483). This is the convergence point of Israeli political, American financial, and tech worlds.
5. **Nili Priel as Intermediary:** Barak's assistant Nili Priel coordinated scheduling directly with Epstein (EFTA02518862), indicating a routinized relationship.

## C. The Prominent Names Briefing -- Wexner Entry

The FBI's master Prominent Names page (EFTA01656173, EFTA01656198, EFTA01660622, page 17)

includes this entry for Epstein's relationship with Wexner:

*"[Victim] stated he earned his money from Wexner"*

This appears in the context of victim allegations about other prominent figures. While the entry for Wexner does not list specific sexual allegations, it confirms the FBI documented victims' knowledge of the Epstein-Wexner financial relationship. A separate SDNY investigation file ([EFTA00025533](#)) states: "Wexner: Epstein investigation / Russell cleared to participate" -- confirming Debevoise & Plimpton had a conflict check for the Wexner-Epstein investigation.

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## PART II: THE WEXNER-EPSTEIN FINANCIAL ARCHITECTURE

### A. The Attorney Proffer ([EFTA02731082](#))

The SDNY prosecution memo contains the most detailed account of the Wexner-Epstein relationship ever made public, from Wexner's own counsel:

*"On July 25, 2019, counsel for Wexner provided us with an attorney proffer."*

Key revelations:

1. **The Townhouse:** The 9 East 71st Street townhouse "belonged to Wexner, but the Wexners had moved out of it in 1995." Epstein effectively appropriated it.
2. **The Aircraft:** "Epstein also sold himself a private plane that previously belonged to Wexner at a deeply discounted price."
3. **No Payment Required:** "In the 1990s, Epstein told Wexner that he had other clients and that Wexner did not need to pay Epstein because Epstein was having fun and they would settle up later."
4. **False Client Claims:** "Epstein introduced Wexner to a number of other people as his clients" -- including "Prince Andrew, professors at Harvard, and a sultan in Dubai."
5. **Victoria's Secret Connection:** "Epstein had no formal role in L Brands or Victoria's Secret. At some point, Wexner heard a rumor that Epstein might be holding himself out as connected to Victoria's Secret."
6. **Theft of Hundreds of Millions:** "Wexner learned that Epstein had stolen or otherwise misappropriated several hundred million dollars from Wexner."
7. **Cover-Up of Abuse:** "Epstein said he was being blackmailed and it could get messy" -- Epstein's characterization to Wexner of the Florida investigation.
8. **Power of Attorney Withdrawn:** "The Wexners did not want to bring unnecessary public attention to the issue, so they withdrew the power of attorney, and hired counsel to negotiate a private settlement."

### B. The \$46 Million Charitable Transfer ([EFTA00026723](#))

*"Epstein provided initial financing to Wexner's YLK Charitable Fund more than 10 years ago... Epstein in 2008 from essentially bankrolling one of Wexner's first nonprofit foundations with a contribution of more than \$40 million in stock and other assets."*

This \$40M+ transfer occurred AFTER Epstein's Florida plea deal -- suggesting either ongoing financial entanglement or a settlement payment disguised as charity.

### C. Mega Group: ZERO Results

Despite exhaustive searches across all document collections, **no reference to "Mega Group" was found anywhere in the 218GB corpus.** This is a significant negative finding. The Mega Group -- co-founded by Wexner and Charles Bronfman in 1991 as a study group of Jewish billionaires -- is entirely absent from the FBI's investigative files, indicating either:

- The FBI never investigated this angle
  - References were classified/withheld from FOIA release
  - The connection was not documented in Epstein's seized communications
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## PART III: EPSTEIN IN ISRAEL -- MILITARY BASE TOURS AND SCIENTISTS

### A. The 2008 Passover Visit (EFTA00013730)

An April 25, 2008 AUSA email contains a New York press clipping:

*"JEFFREY Epstein -- who's facing jail time for soliciting prostitutes, some of whom were under the age of 18 -- isn't feeling the love stateside, so he's skipped the country (temporarily, we're assured) to feel the love in Israel. A rep said Epstein, who was spotted at the Tel Aviv Hilton over the weekend, 'is in Israel for Passover. He's meeting with Israeli scientists about medical research he's funding and taking a tour of military bases with [Friends of Israel chairman] Benny Shabtai."*

**Critical Context:** This visit occurred:

- DURING his Florida criminal proceedings (pre-sentencing)
- With access to Israeli military installations
- In the company of the chairman of an Israel support organization
- While his representatives publicly defended him by attacking his victims: "the alleged victims have all acknowledged they lied about their age"

The same email also documents victim intimidation by Epstein's PI Robert Myers:

*"She told him that she did not want to talk to him and he then told her that, if she wouldn't talk to him, her name would somehow appear in the press and she should think about how that will affect her."*

### B. IDF-Branded Clothing and Military Uniform on Little Saint James Island (EFTA00001969-71)

The image analysis database catalogs three photographs taken inside a wardrobe on Epstein's island:

**EFTA00001970:** "A green sweatshirt with the 'IDF' logo." Full text: "The text on the sweatshirt reads 'IDF' (Israel Defense Forces) and includes some additional text in a language that appears to be Hebrew." Found in "a wooden wardrobe with shelves and a drawer" alongside "folded sweatshirts in various colors (white, light blue, gray, and olive green)." The setting includes "a stone wall" consistent with island construction.

**EFTA00001971:** "A folded green T-shirt with the Israel Defense Forces emblem and text." Full text reads: "'ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES' and ' צה"ל' (Hebrew for 'Israel Defense Forces') are printed on the shirt."

**EFTA00001969:** "A white military uniform with several medals and ribbons pinned to the chest area." Analysis: "The uniform is adorned with various medals and ribbons, indicating a history of service and achievement." No visible markings identify the uniform's national origin -- it has not been confirmed as IDF.

**Analysis:** Two items are clearly IDF-branded: the sweatshirt (EFTA00001970) bears the "IDF" logo with Hebrew text, and the T-shirt (EFTA00001971) reads "ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES" with "

צה"ל." The white dress uniform with medals (EFTA00001969) has no visible national insignia; its country of origin is unidentified. The dress uniform with medals is notable because medals are issued

for actual military service, not sold as souvenirs. The provenance of all three items is not established in the FBI files -- they could belong to Epstein, Barak, or another visitor.

## C. Paula Heil Fisher and Israeli Tech Connections (EFTA02588573)

An August 2014 email from Paula Heil Fisher to Epstein:

*"I am perfectly overqualified, as you know, to organize properly your dinners and meetings in NYC... I did meet this man in Israel, and I am having dinner with him on Thursday. What do you think? Any business opportunities for you there?"*

She links to the profile of **Yehuda Zisapel**, Chairman of RAD Group -- one of Israel's most prominent technology entrepreneurs who co-founded RAD Data Communications and dozens of other Israeli tech companies. Fisher was offering to broker an Epstein-Zisapel connection.

**[REVISIT UPDATE — Paula Heil Fisher Full Corpus]** Fisher was absent from VI's main analysis despite appearing in the corpus. The full corpus reveals **163**

**documents** across DS9-DS11 (55 DS9, 60 DS10, 48 DS11). Key findings:

- **Calendar entries** show regular meetings, including April 2013 appearances alongside Leon Black on the same day
- **DS9 calendar**: December 2014 performance invitation — "Jeffity says he WILL attend" (intimate nickname)
- **Vanity Fair article (DS9/DS10)**: Identifies Fisher as Epstein's "long-term girlfriend" and "former Bear Stearns associate"
- **EFTA00995217** and **EFTA02588573** / **EFTA02717864**: All copies of the same email where Fisher discusses meeting Zisapel in Israel — the only Zisapel reference in the corpus and the direct Fisher-Zisapel-Epstein bridge
- **Yehuda Zisapel**: 4 documents total, all copies of the Fisher-Zisapel email. No independent Zisapel-Epstein correspondence. The connection runs through Fisher, not direct Epstein-Zisapel contact. Fisher's Bear Stearns background (same firm where Epstein began his career) and direct contact with Zisapel (RAD Group co-founder, Israeli tech pioneer) establish a previously undocumented bridge between Epstein's personal life and the Israeli technology connections.

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## PART IV: THE "INTELLIGENCE ASSET" QUESTION

### A. Acosta's OPR Interview on Intelligence Asset Question (EFTA00009116)

The Acosta deposition (pp. 404-405) contains the most direct examination of the intelligence question in the FBI files:

*Q: "You were asked whether you were ever made aware that Mr. Epstein was 'an intelligence asset of some sort.' And you -- you in your response you said you couldn't answer it -- couldn't address it directly because of guidelines. Can you clarify -- first of all, were you ever made aware of that --"*

*A: "I'm not aware of it."*

*Q: "Did defense counsel ever say to you that Epstein had that status?"*

*A: "Not to my recollection."*

*A: "I also don't know where press reports from multiple sources... that I told someone that he was an intelligence asset. I do not know where that came from... there are questions that I may be asked publicly, that I don't think it's right for me to comment as to what classified information I may or may not know, because that's not the kind of stuff you'd go into, but the answer is no, and no."*

*A: "There are also media reports that this was because of cooperation in some financial matters. I don't know where that may have come from."*

**Analysis:** Acosta explicitly denied the intelligence asset claim — twice saying "the answer is no, and no." However, the exchange contains noteworthy elements:

- He initially says he is "not aware" and "not to my recollection" before giving a definitive denial
- He references classified information he cannot publicly discuss, though he then explicitly denies both claims
- He specifically addresses two separate theories: (1) intelligence asset, (2) financial cooperation
- He denies both, and the full exchange — when read in its entirety — is an explicit denial, not a "non-denial"

## **B. FOIA Exemption for Foreign Government Relations (EFTA00015219)**

An FBI deliberative process memo states:

*"FBI, in connection with a wide variety of criminal and national security investigations, solicits and receives information regularly from state, local, and foreign agencies and authorities. Inherent in the cooperative effort is the mutual understanding that the identity of such a source and the information provided by it will be held in confidence by the FBI... The release of official United States Government documents that reveal the existence of a confidential relationship with a foreign government reasonably could be expected to strain relations between the United States and the foreign government."*

This standard FOIA exemption language was applied to withhold information from the Epstein files, though it does not specify which foreign government is referenced.

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# **PART V: THE BLACKMAIL OPERATION**

## **A. Victim Testimony on Blackmail Purpose (EFTA00021553)**

Jane Doe #3 (Virginia Giuffre) filing, January 2, 2015:

*"Epstein also trafficked Jane Doe #3 for sexual purposes to many other powerful men, including numerous prominent American politicians, powerful business executives, foreign presidents, a well-known Prime Minister, and other world leaders. Epstein required Jane Doe #3 to describe the events that she had with these men so that he could potentially blackmail them."*

The same filing states the trafficking was conducted:

*"for business, personal, political, and financial gain, as well as to obtain potential blackmail information."*

## **B. The 2006 Lawsuit Allegation (EFTA00024032)**

A National Enquirer FOIA request states:

*"Papers filed in a 2006 lawsuit alleged that Epstein surreptitiously recorded sexual*

*activity between prominent individuals and underage girls for purposes of blackmail, leaving many to wonder whether potential blackmail material played a role in his light sentence."*

## C. FBI Blackmail Case File (EFTA01731006)

The document text database reveals fragments from FBI case serial 31E-MM-108062:

*Page 3: "mpting to blackmail powerful businessmen in New York. O..."*

*Page 3: "EPSTEIN replies to..."*

*Page 3: "meet with... during his upcoming trip... STEIN offers to provide contacts, presumably f..."*

*Page 3: "STEIN suggests names of individuals... PSTEIN &..."*

This FBI case file (serial 230, dated from approximately 2006-2017) documents investigation into blackmail of "powerful businessmen in New York" in connection with Epstein. The fragments suggest Epstein was offering to "provide contacts" during trips, consistent with a procurement/entrapment operation.

## D. Wexner's Own Account of Blackmail (EFTA02731082)

In the Wexner attorney proffer to SDNY:

*"Epstein said he was being **blackmailed** and it could get messy, so it would be best for Wexner's wife to take over the family finances."*

Epstein characterized the Florida investigation as "blackmail" when explaining it to Wexner -- inverting the actual dynamic where victims say Epstein was the blackmailer.

## E. The "Hot List" and Video Recordings (EFTA00020442, EFTA00029251)

The NYT article "Jeffrey Epstein, Blackmail and a Lucrative 'Hot List'" was forwarded by SDNY staff:

*"A shadowy hacker claimed to have the financier's sex tapes. Two top lawyers wondered: What would the men in those videos pay to keep them secret?"*

This was circulated internally at SDNY on December 1, 2019.

## F. Maxwell Prosecution Memo on Cameras (Prior Session Finding)

**EFTA02731226**: The Maxwell prosecution memo references a victim who "stated that Epstein had cameras in his clocks and that the FBI was surveilling Epstein's residence from across the street."

*[REVISIT UPDATE — Blackmail Documentary Base] The full corpus reveals 355 documents containing "blackmail" references (DS8: 12, DS9: 211, DS10: 95, DS11: 37), a 30x expansion from the 12 documents available when V1 was written. While many are news articles and legal filings referencing the general blackmail theory, DS9 includes prosecution documents, victim statements, and FBI case materials not available at V1. The volume establishes that blackmail was a pervasive theme across the investigative record. Additionally, "intelligence asset" references expand from 1 to 22 documents (DS7: 1, DS9: 15, DS10: 6). The key intelligence-related document remains EFTA00030182 ("I was told Epstein 'belonged to intelligence' and to leave it alone"). The V2 revisit (#52) identified the far more significant EFTA00090314 (FBI CHS FD-1023 stating Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services").*

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# PART VI: THE MELVYN KOHN CORRESPONDENCE -- MOSSAD, ARMS DEALERS, AND CHINESE AGENTS

## EFTA00037218 / EFTA00037239 -- The Mark Epstein Letters

These two documents contain unsolicited correspondence from a man identifying himself as **Melvyn Kohn** to **Mark Epstein** (Jeffrey's brother), sent between August 12-19, 2019 — beginning two days after Jeffrey Epstein's death. Mark Epstein forwarded the letters to his attorney Stacey Richman, who forwarded them to SDNY. Kohn described himself as a former US military intelligence operative, but this background is self-reported and unverified (see credibility assessment below).

Kohn writes to Mark Epstein:

*"My concern is for the Jewish people. You are a Jew, I am a Jew. What is to be done to rectify this?"*

*"You have some things here. You have information, which you may not know the value of, as far as it shows that neither you nor he are Mossad, or even working knowingly for any foreign intel agency."*

*"But **there is the presence of certain parties in this mix who are, including on the Humpty Dumpty charity, which you and he were part of, along with 29 Congressmen.**"*

*"Years ago **Jeffrey had some exposure to North Korean/Chinese agents, and was in the proximity of arms dealers who sold to these nations and on behalf of them.**"*

*"**Gerald Bull** may have been involved, after being stripped of his US citizenship. And possibly **Dr. Herman Erben**. That would have been in Europe, 70s/80s."*

*"Up to the present, **what needs to be known is more about the PRC Chinese execs at Humpty.**"*

Kohn's self-identification:

*"Without narrowing down my identity too much, I can tell you that **I was in US military intel and had a clearance issued to me young, when my uncle was in fact head of int'l relations at the Pentagon and answered directly to the president.** Other family members hold TS+ and I might ask one to be a liaison."*

He also mentions Mark Epstein's Israeli contacts:

*Mark Epstein: "Do you know Jumas, from the Knesset?"*

*Kohn discusses Knesset members including "Haim Oron" and "Sharon Haskell, the Likud member."*

### Source Credibility Assessment:

Kohn's claimed intelligence background is unverified. Significant caveats apply:

1. The correspondence began 2 days after Jeffrey Epstein's death — consistent with an unsolicited tipster inserting himself into a high-profile event
2. T&M Protection Resources (Epstein family's private security firm) classified the emails as "emails harassing mark epstein" (EFTA00037236) and conducted only basic email header analysis (EFTA00037242)
3. The FBI received the letters through two channels and met with T&M on August 20, 2019 (EFTA00037232), but conducted no FD-302 interview, assigned no case serial, and documented no investigative follow-up

4. Kohn himself acknowledged the Gerald Bull and Herman Erben references were speculative: "I was clutching at straws" ([EFTA00037218](#) p.1)
5. In Kohn's favor: he correctly identified real Israeli Knesset members and their activities, and his reference to Mark Epstein's Humpty Dumpty Institute involvement is confirmed by Mark's own emails ([EFTA01929259](#), [EFTA02598877](#))
6. Mark Epstein engaged with the correspondence, asking about a Knesset member, suggesting he found some elements credible
7. The core claim — "certain parties in this mix who ARE" intelligence-connected — remains an unverified assertion from an unverified source

*[REVISIT UPDATE — Kohn Cyber Analysis + Humpty Dumpty Institute] The full corpus adds one new Kohn document: [EFTA00146777](#) (DS9) — an email header analysis of Kohn's emails performed by **T&M Protection Resources**, a private security firm hired by the Epstein family. T&M's cyber analyst William Barry traced the emails to UK-based Yahoo servers; T&M attorney Richard Frankel characterized the correspondence as "emails harassing mark epstein" ([EFTA00037236](#)). The analysis was conducted to assess the security threat to Mark Epstein, not to evaluate Kohn's intelligence claims. The **Humpty Dumpty Institute** expands from 2 to **17 documents**. DS9 reveals the organization's actual work: [EFTA00616319](#) and [EFTA01204254](#) are Congressional delegation agendas to **Azerbaijan**, establishing HDI as a real organization running Congressional trips to strategic countries. Azerbaijan is a strategic energy corridor, and Congressional delegations there involve intelligence-sensitive briefings. Kohn's mention of this organization alongside his intelligence claims now has documentary corroboration of the Institute's Congressional travel role.*

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## PART VII: THE DILORIO/SCHLAFF ISRAELI FINANCIAL THREAD

**[EFTA00010724](#) / [EFTA00010786](#) / [EFTA00010819](#) / [EFTA00027528](#)**

Christopher Dilorio, a financial markets whistleblower, filed extensive materials with the FBI connecting Epstein to Israeli financial networks:

*"Alpha Capital: **Martin Schlaff**: MY CLAIMS / Ladenburg/Gruntal: Refco/Bawag"*

*"Also **Schlaff AND: Englander/Nordlicht/Kushners**"*

*"Epstein: Schwarzman / Epstein: Black / Black/Schwarzman: Kushner"*

He links to Haaretz reporting:

*"Martin Schlaff/Baltimore/Alpha Cap: <https://www.haaretz.com/israel-news/business/martin-schlaff-is-behind-5-million-investment-in-collplant>"*

*"**Martin Schlaff: Bag Man**"*

And references Israeli-connected financial fraud:

*"Stetson: Honig side kick. Therapix now SciSpare. Still Israel... 20 Raul Wallenberg Street, Tower A, **Tel Aviv 6971916, Israel.**"*

**Martin Schlaff** is an Austrian-Israeli billionaire who has been investigated for corruption in connection with Israeli politics, particularly payments to Ariel Sharon's son. Dilorio's materials allege Schlaff's Alpha Capital Anstalt (Liechtenstein) was connected to money laundering networks that intersected with Epstein's financial operations.

*[REVISIT UPDATE — Schlaff/Dilorio Expansion] The full corpus expands Martin Schlaff references from 5 to **105 documents** (DS8: 5, DS9: 100). All 100 DS9 documents are Dilorio whistleblower filings — repetitive SEC complaint copies mentioning Schlaff in the context of Apollo/Kushner/Epstein Financial Trust. No new independent Schlaff-Epstein correspondence found. Dilorio references expand from 16 to **118 documents** (DS8: 16, DS9: 101, DS10: 1), confirming the massive Dilorio whistleblower filing presence in DS9. Northstar references expand from 1 to **65 documents** (DS8: 1, DS9: 28, DS10: 26, DS11: 10), though many may reference Northstar entities unrelated to the Epstein network.*

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## PART VIII: THE ISRAELI MOVING

### COMPANY TIP

#### **EFTA00020462 -- The Northstar/Moishe's Connection**

An NTOC tip filed August 3, 2020, describes:

*"[My artwork] disappeared while Matthew helped the **Israeli moving company Northstar/Moishe's** move me into my very first apartment in July 1997 when I was 20 years old in Los Angeles."*

*"In retrospect there was a clear plot taking place, and **I was introduced to Epstein early on** at a bar next to where Matthew Settle lived."*

The tipster describes a network connecting Matthew Settle, the Israeli moving company, and Epstein's associate Mark Epstein:

*"connected to **Mark Epstein**, Jeffrey Epstein, Jean Luc Brunel, Ghislaine Maxwell, Elle McPherson"*

*"[She was told to go] to **Cooper Union art school in NYC where Mark Epstein was director** and where the tuition was free"*

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## PART IX: CLASSIFIED/FBI TACTICAL

### INTELLIGENCE REPORTS

#### **EFTA02730271 -- FBI TIR on Maxwell Defense Witness (FOUO)**

This FBI Tactical Intelligence Report (March 2022, classified UNCLASSIFIED//FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY) covers research on defense witnesses for the Maxwell trial. Key finding:

- The subject was "employed by Jeffrey Epstein and Ghislaine Maxwell"
- Had "three prior addresses associated with Jeffrey Epstein" including his office, island, and NY residence
- Worked as a receptionist when "Maxwell was understood to be the office manager"
- Report derived from FBI interviews (FD-302s) and open source intelligence

# EFTA02730477 -- FBI TIR on Roderic Alexander Innes Hamilton (LES)

This more sensitive report (classified LAW ENFORCEMENT SENSITIVE) covers Roderic Hamilton:

- British national, Director of Releev Limited (London)
- Last traveled outbound from Newark to London/Heathrow on Feb 7, 2016
- TECS (Treasury Enforcement Communications System) travel records examined
- Identified as a Person of Interest for Maxwell defense witnesses

Neither report contains any Israel-specific intelligence, but they demonstrate the FBI conducted intelligence-style research on individuals in Epstein's orbit.

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## PART X: NEGATIVE FINDINGS -- WHAT WAS NOT FOUND

The following searches returned ZERO results across the original 4 databases (OCR, primary text, DS10 text, image catalog). [REVISIT CORRECTION] The full-corpus search against all 12 datasets (1.42M documents) overturns several of these ZERO findings, as noted in the rightmost column:

Search Term	V1 Result (4 DBs)	V2 Full Corpus Result	Notes
"Carbyne"	ZERO	~~ZERO~~ 50 documents (DS9:34, DS10:12, DS11:4)	Mostly news articles but establishes Carbyne visibility in corpus
"Reporty"	Not searched in V1	324 documents (DS9:12, DS10:312)	Reporty Homeland Security referenced extensively in DS10 legal filings
"Mega Group"	ZERO	~~ZERO~~ 4 documents (DS9:2, DS10:2)	Includes 1 direct mention in Kohn context, others in media
"Shin Bet" / "Shabak"	ZERO	~~ZERO~~ 23 documents (DS9:6, DS10:7, DS11:10)	All media/legal references
"Aman" (as intelligence service)	ZERO (only as name)	Unchanged	
"Unit 8200"	ZERO	~~ZERO~~ 11 documents (DS9:2, DS10:2, DS11:7)	All media articles referencing Israeli intelligence
"LAKAM"	ZERO	Still ZERO	Confirmed across 1.42M documents
"Ben-Menashe"	ZERO	Still ZERO	Confirmed across 1.42M documents
"Mossad" (as substantive reference)	3 documents	Expanded	All external correspondence, none from FBI investigation itself
Brunel + Israel/Tel	ZERO	Unchanged	

Search Term	V1 Result (4 DBs)	V2 Full Corpus Result	Notes
Aviv			
MC2 + Tel Aviv	<b>ZERO</b>	Unchanged	
Israel + blackmail + intelligence	<b>ZERO</b>	Unchanged	

**[REVISIT UPDATE — FBI CHS Intelligence Reporting]** The V2 revisit (#52) identified **EFTA00090314** (DS9): an FBI CHS FD-1023 reporting that Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services." This was not available when V1 was written and represents the most direct intelligence-connection statement in the corpus. Additionally, an FBI ARMS entry identifies **Masha Drokova** as "PUTIN's kiss, former publicist for Epstein." The Barak document count expands from ~25 to **3,756 documents** and Junkermann from ~10 to **4,182 documents** across the full corpus.

#### Revised Significance of Negative Findings:

- ~~The complete absence of Carbyne from FBI files is notable~~ Carbyne now appears in 50 documents, mostly news articles; Reporty Homeland Security appears in 324
- ~~The absence of Mega Group is striking~~ Mega Group now appears in 4 documents, though references are limited to media and Kohn context
- Israeli intelligence services (Shin Bet, Unit 8200) now appear in media/legal references within the corpus, though none in FBI investigative documents directly
- MC2's documented Tel Aviv recruiting operations are still NOT referenced in the FBI files despite the agency's investigation of MC2
- Only **Ben-Menashe** and **LAKAM** remain at true zero across the full 1.42M-document corpus

## PART XI: THE COMPLETE INTELLIGENCE CONNECTIONS MAP

### ISRAELI STATE ACTORS

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+---- EHUD BARAK (Former PM/Defense Minister)
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|   |---- Apartment at 301 E 66th St (Epstein-controlled building)
|   |---- 14+ direct contact documents (2010-2019)
|   |---- Dinner organized by Epstein (Staley attended)
|   |---- Connected to Tom Barrack by Epstein
|   |---- Connected to Steve Bannon by Epstein (Feb 2019)
|   |---- On Sept 2014 calendar with Leon Black, Larry Summers, Peter Thiel
|   |---- Assistant Nili Priel coordinated with Epstein
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+---- PUBLIC (not in FBI files): Carbyne chairman, Junkermann investor
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+---- BENNY SHABTAI ("Friends of Israel" chairman)
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|   +---- Toured Israeli military bases with Epstein (Apr 2008, EFTA00013730

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+---- MILITARY CLOTHING on Little Saint James  
| |--- IDF-branded sweatshirt EFTA00001970  
| |--- "Israel Defense Forces" T-shirt with ?"הצ (EFTA00001971)  
| +---- White military dress uniform with medals, origin unidentified  
EFTA00001969  
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#### FINANCIAL ARCHITECTURE

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+---- LESLIE WEXNER (Mega Group co-founder, L Brands/Victoria's Secret)  
| |--- Power of attorney to Epstein (withdrawn ~2007)  
| |--- "Stolen or otherwise misappropriated several hundred million dollars"  
| |--- 9 East 71st St townhouse transferred to Epstein  
| |--- \$46M charitable transfer post-conviction (2008)  
| |--- Attorney proffer to SDNY (Jul 25, 2019)  
| |--- Debevoise & Plimpton conflict-checked EFTA00025533  
| +---- FBI Prominent Names: victim "stated he earned his money from Wexner"  
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+---- MARTIN SCHLAFF (Austrian-Israeli billionaire)  
| +---- Alpha Capital / Balmore / Israeli financial networks (Dilorio filings)  
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#### INTELLIGENCE ANGLES

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+---- ALEXANDER ACOSTA (US Attorney)  
| +---- Asked about "intelligence asset" -- denied under oath EFTA00009116  
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+---- MELVYN KOHN (self-described military intel veteran)  
| |--- States Epstein "not Mossad" but "certain parties in this mix who are"  
| |--- References arms dealers Gerald Bull (assassinated by Mossad) and Erben  
| |--- Identifies Chinese/N.Korean agent exposure  
| +---- Letters forwarded to SDNY by Mark Epstein's attorney  
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+---- FBI BLACKMAIL CASE FILE EFTA01731006  
| +---- "attempting to blackmail powerful businessmen in New York"  
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+---- VICTIM TESTIMONY EFTA00021553  
| +---- "Epstein required Jane Doe #3 to describe the events... so he could

|                   potentially blackmail them"

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301 E 66TH STREET NEXUS [REVISIT: 1,439 documents in full corpus]

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---- OSSA PROPERTIES LLC (corporate entity, 784 documents in full corpus)

---- EHUD BARAK apartment (cleaned by Epstein staff)

---- MC2 MODEL HOUSING (FBI searched, 2000+ records)

---- VICTIM HOUSING (multiple victims placed there by Epstein)

---- GUEST APARTMENT 2G ("guest arriving on Friday")

---- NINE EAST 71ST STREET CORP / HBRK ASSOCIATES (Suite 10F)

---- KARYNA SHULIAK residence (Suite 10F / 8H)

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FISHER-ZISAPEL BRIDGE [REVISIT: New finding]

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---- PAULA HEIL FISHER (163 documents, "long-term girlfriend," Bear Stearns)

|       ---- Calendar presence alongside Leon Black (Apr 2013)

|       ---- "Jeffity says he WILL attend" (intimate nickname)

|       ---- Direct contact with Yehuda Zisapel in Israel

|       ---- Only pathway to Israeli tech ecosystem in corpus

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---- FBI CHS FD-1023 [EFTA00090314](#) [REVISIT: V2 discovery]

      ---- "Epstein belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services"

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## PART XII: ASSESSMENT AND GAPS

### What the Evidence Establishes:

1. **Ehud Barak had an extraordinary level of integration into Epstein's infrastructure.** His apartment was cleaned by Epstein's staff, in Epstein's building, alongside MC2 model housing and victim apartments. This is not a casual acquaintance -- this is a former head of state embedded in the physical infrastructure of a sex trafficking operation.
2. **Epstein had direct access to Israeli military installations** while facing criminal charges. His 2008 Passover visit to Israel included military base tours with "Friends of Israel" chairman Benny Shabtai.
3. **IDF-branded clothing was present on Little Saint James island** (sweatshirt and T-shirt), alongside a white military dress uniform with actual medals whose national origin is unidentified, suggesting a military connection beyond tourism.
4. **Epstein's financial empire originated with Wexner**, the co-founder of the Mega Group, through power of attorney that allowed Epstein to steal "several hundred million dollars" -- yet Wexner chose private settlement over prosecution.
5. **The blackmail operation is well-documented** in victim testimony, court filings, and FBI case files. Epstein "required" victims to describe encounters with powerful men "so that he could potentially

blackmail them."

6. **The Acosta "intelligence asset" question** remains unresolved. Acosta denied it under oath but framed his denial carefully around classification constraints.

## What Remains Missing:

1. **No direct evidence of Israeli intelligence direction** of Epstein appears in these FBI files. The Mossad references are exclusively in external correspondence (Kohn letters — an unverified source, see Part VI credibility assessment — social media posts, and news articles). However, the FBI CHS FD-1023 (EFTA00090314) states Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services" — the most direct intelligence-connection statement in the corpus, identified in the V2 revisit.
2. **Carbyne is completely absent** [REVISIT CORRECTION] Carbyne now appears in **50 documents** across the full corpus (DS9:34, DS10:12, DS11:4), mostly news articles. Reporty Homeland Security appears in **324 documents**. These are primarily media references, not FBI investigative documents, but the complete absence claimed in V1 is overturned.
3. **The Mega Group is completely absent** [REVISIT CORRECTION] Mega Group now appears in **4 documents** (DS9:2, DS10:2), though references are limited to media and Kohn letter context. The near-absence remains notable given Wexner's co-founding role.
4. **MC2's Tel Aviv operations** are not investigated in any document found in these databases, despite MC2 publicly advertising recruitment of girls ages 13-20.
5. **The provenance of the IDF-branded clothing and military uniform** is never explained -- whose items were they, and how did they end up on Epstein's island?
6. **The classified/redacted portions** of these files may contain the most relevant intelligence connections. The FOIA exemption memo (EFTA00015219) explicitly states information about "confidential relationship with a foreign government" was withheld.
7. [REVISIT UPDATE] T&M Protection Resources (Epstein family's private security firm) conducted an **email header analysis of Kohn's emails** (EFTA00146777), tracing them to UK Yahoo servers. T&M classified the correspondence as "emails harassing mark epstein" (EFTA00037236) — a threat-assessment framing, not a credibility endorsement of Kohn's intelligence claims.

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# APPENDIX A: COMPLETE DOCUMENT REGISTRY

EFTA Number	Date	Subject	Database
EFTA00001969	N/A	White military dress uniform with medals, national origin unidentified (island photo)	image catalog
EFTA00001970	N/A	IDF-branded sweatshirt in wardrobe (island photo)	image catalog
EFTA00001971	N/A	"Israel Defense Forces" T-shirt with צה"ל (island photo)	image catalog
EFTA00009116	N/A	Acosta deposition -- "intelligence asset" question	OCR
EFTA00010724	2019	Dilorio/Martin Schlaff/Alpha Capital financial thread	OCR
EFTA00010786	2019	Dilorio/Schlaff/Epstein-Schwarzman-Black-Kushner	OCR
EFTA00010819	2019	Dilorio/Schlaff/Stetson/Tel Aviv connections	OCR
EFTA00013640	N/A	"International Moneyman of Mystery" -- Wexner/Trump/Maxwell	OCR
EFTA00013730	Apr 25,	Epstein in Israel -- military base tour with Benny Shabtai	OCR

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Database</b>
	2008		
EFTA00014526	Jul 26, 2019	Bloomberg: MC2 models in "apartment he owned on 66th Street"	OCR
EFTA00015219	Mar 2021	FOIA exemption for foreign government confidential relationships	OCR
EFTA00019513	Dec 13, 2018	FBI DAS search of 301 E 66th Street (2000+ records)	OCR
EFTA00020442	Dec 1, 2019	SDNY forwards NYT "Blackmail and Hot List" article	OCR
EFTA00020462	Aug 3, 2020	NTOC tip re Israeli moving company Northstar/Moishe's	OCR
EFTA00021553	Jan 2, 2015	Jane Doe #3 filing -- blackmail purpose documented	OCR
EFTA00022133	N/A	Victim compilation -- 301 E 66th / blackmail references	OCR
EFTA00022151	Dec 2011	Nine East 71st Street Corp deed, address 301 E 66th 10F	OCR
EFTA00024032	N/A	National Enquirer FOIA -- "surreptitiously recorded... for blackmail"	OCR
EFTA00025109	Nov 2019	Victim filing -- apartment at 301 E 66th Street	OCR
EFTA00025533	N/A	Debevoise conflict check -- "Wexner: Epstein investigation"	OCR
EFTA00026723	Jul 11, 2019	CNBC: \$46M Wexner charitable donation from Epstein	OCR
EFTA00027528	2019	Dilorio/Schlaff financial connections (duplicate)	OCR
EFTA00029251	Dec 1, 2019	NYT "Blackmail and a Lucrative Hot List" forwarded	OCR
EFTA00030126	Dec 2011	Deed -- 9 East 71st / 301 E 66th 10F address	OCR
EFTA00030236	N/A	SDNY subpoena -- Nine East 71st Street Corp / 301 E 66th 10F	OCR
EFTA00030825	Jun 27, 2019	FBI: "apartment 10F is specifically associated with Jeffrey"	OCR
EFTA00037218	Aug 2019	Melvyn Kohn (unverified source) to Mark Epstein -- Mossad, arms dealers, Chinese agents	OCR
EFTA00037239	Aug 2019	Melvyn Kohn letters (duplicate/additional pages) — see Part VI credibility assessment	OCR
EFTA00037366	Jul 7, 2019	Co-conspirators contact -- Ohio (Wexner state) referenced	OCR
EFTA00362483	Sep 22, 2014	Epstein schedule: Ehud, Leon, Thiel, Summers on same day	OCR
EFTA01340345	N/A	301 E 66TH ST reference	primary text database
EFTA01359238	N/A	301 E 66TH ST APT 11E	primary text database

<b>EFTA Number</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Database</b>
EFTA01378419	N/A	SHULIAK KARYNA / 301 E 66TH ST APT 10F / partial SSN	primary text database
EFTA01525153	N/A	301 E 66TH ST reference	primary text database
EFTA01598117	N/A	Ossa Properties Inc / 301 East 66th St	primary text database
EFTA01652757	N/A	Tonks tweet mentioning Mossad, CIA, MI6 re Epstein death	primary text database
EFTA01656173	N/A	Prominent Names p.17 -- "earned his money from Wexner"	primary text database
EFTA01660622	N/A	Prominent Names p.17 (master version)	primary text database
EFTA01731006	~2006-17	FBI blackmail case file -- "powerful businessmen in New York"	primary text database
EFTA01943863	N/A	"FW: 301 East 66th Street Outstanding Proposals"	primary text database
EFTA02087669	N/A	"under the apartments on 66th!"	primary text database
EFTA02102357	N/A	"Fwd: 301 E 66 ST apartments condition"	primary text database
EFTA02189111	N/A	"pick up Shelley from 301 E 66th street"	primary text database
EFTA02278459	Mar 4, 2019	"clean Ehud's apt at 11am" -- THE KEY DOCUMENT	OCR
EFTA02299114	Nov 20, 2012	Karyna Shuliak bags picked up from 301	OCR
EFTA02317855	Nov 20, 2012	Karyna Shuliak bag left with doorman at 301	OCR
EFTA02406464	Sep 15, 2011	Epstein arranges dinner "with ehud"	OCR
EFTA02406470	N/A	Obama-Goldberg interview on Israel/Iran (context document)	OCR
EFTA02422165	Sep 20, 2010	"Jes plans to attend the Ehud Barak dinner"	OCR
EFTA02422168	Sep 16, 2010	"Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak" -- Epstein connecting	OCR
EFTA02518862	Feb 28, 2018	Nili Priel: "Ehud is free from 10:30 AM until 3:30 PM"	OCR
EFTA02533859	Dec 30, 2010	HBRK Associates / 301 E 66th St Suite 10F	OCR
EFTA02575361	Sep 21, 2013	Epstein emails ehud barak directly	OCR
EFTA02588573	Aug 10,	Paula Heil Fisher: "met this man in Israel" (Yehuda	OCR

EFTA Number	Date	Subject	Database
	2014	Zisapel, RAD Group)	
EFTA02589113	Sep 9, 2014	Epstein to ehud barak: "hope you are having fun"	OCR
EFTA02617803	Oct 28, 2018	Associate mentions brunch with Karyna and parents	OCR
EFTA02633609	Feb 25, 2019	Epstein brokers Barak-Bannon meeting	OCR
EFTA02730271	Mar 2022	FBI TIR (FOUO) -- Maxwell defense witness	OCR
EFTA02730477	Jan 2022	FBI TIR (LES) -- Roderic Hamilton	OCR
EFTA02731082	2019	SDNY prosecution memo -- Wexner proffer, Groff, Brunel	OCR
EFTA00090314   N/A   FBI CHS FD-1023: "Epstein belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services"   DS9 (V2 revisit)			
EFTA00146777   Aug 2019   T&M Protection Resources email header analysis of Kohn's emails — classified correspondence as "harassing"   DS9 (revisit)			
EFTA00616319   N/A   Humpty Dumpty Institute Congressional delegation agenda to Azerbaijan   DS9 (revisit)			
EFTA01204254   N/A   Humpty Dumpty Institute additional Azerbaijan delegation document   DS9 (revisit)			
EFTA00995217   N/A   Paula Heil Fisher email about meeting Yehuda Zisapel in Israel   DS9 (revisit)			
EFTA02717864   N/A   Fisher-Zisapel Israel meeting email (copy)   DS11 (revisit)			
<b>Total unique documents analyzed: 60+</b>			
<b>Databases searched: 4 (V1) + full corpus 1.42M documents across all 12 datasets (revisit)</b>			

## APPENDIX B: SEARCH METHODOLOGY

All four databases were queried with the following terms:

**Israeli Intelligence Services:** Mossad, Shin Bet, Shabak, Aman, Unit 8200, LAKAM, Israeli intelligence, Israel intelligence

**Israeli Figures:** Ehud Barak, ehbarak, Nili Priel, Benny Shabtai, Martin Schlaff, Yehuda Zisapel, Paula Heil Fisher

**Israeli Organizations:** Carbyne, Mega Group, Friends of Israel, IDF, Israel Defense Forces, צה"ל

**Locations:** 301 E 66th, 66th Street, Tel Aviv, Israel

**Intelligence Terms:** intelligence asset, intel asset, blackmail, kompromat, spy, agent, classified, SECRET, NOFORN

**Financial Architecture:** Wexner, power of attorney, L Brands, Victoria's Secret

**Other Searches:** MC2 + Israel/Tel Aviv, Brunel + Israel, Northstar/Moishe's, military bases, military uniform

**Classification Searches:** EFTA02730271, EFTA02730477 (FBI Tactical Intelligence Reports)

# APPENDIX C: CROSS-REFERENCES TO PRIOR INVESTIGATIONS

This report incorporates and extends findings from:

- [JUNKERMANN\\_MC2\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Nicole Junkermann, MC2, 301 E 66th Street
- [UNNAMED\\_PERSONS\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): "Foreign president" identified as Ehud Barak
- [DILORIO\\_APOLLO\\_WHISTLEBLOWER.md](#): Schlaff/Alpha Capital connections
- [PROSECUTION\\_FAILURES\\_ANALYSIS.md](#): NPA architecture and Acosta deposition
- [BLACKMAIL\\_INTELLIGENCE\\_INVESTIGATION.md](#): Earlier blackmail analysis

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*Investigation conducted February 6, 2026. Revisit updates integrated February 12, 2026 from full\_text\_corpus.db (1,380,937 docs across all 12 datasets). All findings derived from publicly released DOJ FOIA documents. A comprehensive V2 report superseding this V1 exists at ISRAEL\_DEEP\_DIVE\_V2.md.*


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# Kings, Royalty and World Leaders in the Epstein Files

## The Story

Between his release from a Florida jail in July 2009 and his arrest by the FBI in July 2019, Jeffrey Epstein maintained and in some cases expanded relationships with royalty, heads of state, and senior government officials across at least eight countries. The EFTA documents — 2.91 million pages released by the DOJ — show repeated efforts to broker access among politicians, royals, financiers, and state-adjacent actors. This was more than social climbing. It was infrastructure.

Epstein connected political figures to financial institutions. He connected JPMorgan's Jes Staley to Peter Mandelson, who was then UK Business Secretary. He connected Staley to Ehud Barak, the former Israeli Prime Minister. He connected Staley to Nicolas Sarkozy's inner circle at the Élysée Palace. He proposed connecting Sultan Ahmed bin Sulayem, who ran the world's largest port operator, to Barak. These introductions appear to have increased Epstein's value to major banking circles, especially at JPMorgan, by making him useful as a connector across political and financial networks. The documents also show something else: the political relationships predated the conviction. FedEx invoices from 2002 show packages shipped from Epstein and Ghislaine Maxwell to Peter Mandelson at the House of Commons. Prince Andrew's emails with Maxwell date to 2001. But the released documents are sparse before mid-2009 and contain virtually no personal email before September 2007. The peak period of relationship-building (late 1990s through 2006) is largely invisible. What survives in volume is the *maintenance* of relationships established earlier — the post-conviction rebuilding of a network that should have been destroyed.

This report presents every connection chronologically, citing the source documents and crediting the journalists who reported each finding first.

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## Before the Conviction (2001–2008)

### 2001–2002: Andrew, Maxwell, and Mandelson

The earliest documents involving royalty are seven emails between **Prince Andrew** and **Ghislaine Maxwell**, recovered from their devices by the FBI.

On **August 16, 2001**, Andrew wrote from Balmoral: "I am up here at Balmoral Summer Camp for the Royal Family...The Girls are completely shattered." He asked Maxwell: "Have you found me some new inappropriate friends?" The email was sent from `abx17@dial.pipex.com`, a UK ISP account listed in the FBI device search warrant. On **March 3, 2002**, Maxwell sent what prosecutors later identified in a Federal Rule of Evidence 404(b) letter ([EFTA00080134](#)) as the "2 legged sight seeing" email referencing "the Duke of York."

These emails were first reported by **NBC News** (Matt Lavietes, [December 23, 2025](#)) and **ABC News** ([same day](#)).

In that same period, Epstein and Maxwell were shipping packages to **Peter Mandelson** at Parliament. Two FedEx invoices from the Maxwell trial production document:

- **August 8, 2002:** 3.0 lbs, FedEx International Priority, from Jeffrey E. Epstein, 457 Madison Avenue, to Peter Mandelson, The Right Honorable Peter Mandelson, Member of Parliament, House of Commons, London. Delivered August 12 ([EFTA01317758](#)).
- **November 8, 2002:** 1.0 lbs, sender listed as "O. MAXWE[LL]" / Jeffrey E Epstein, same address. Delivered November 11 ([EFTA01313812](#)).

Also on the November invoice: a shipment from **Conrad Black** to Epstein. The contents of all packages are unknown.

Separately, **The Times** (Steven Swinford) reported that on **May 14, 2002**, **Tony Blair** met Epstein at Downing Street, where Blair discussed consulting "a wise religious man" and "the nature that religion plays in world conflicts." **LBC** ([March 2026](#)) later reported that Mandelson had emailed Blair's chief of staff Jonathan Powell: "Jeffrey is in London next week...he is safe (whatever that means)...Clinton is now doing a lot of travelling with him."

**What these documents do NOT show:** The scope of the pre-conviction relationships. The FedEx packages could contain anything — books, documents, gifts. The email record is sparse before mid-2009; the 2001–2002 materials survive only because they were on seized devices.

### **2008: Conviction and Barak**

Epstein pleaded guilty in June 2008 and served 13 months. During **Passover 2008**, while arrangements were being made for his sentence, Epstein toured IDF military bases in Israel with **Ehud Barak** (then Defense Minister). First reported by **Haaretz** ([July 11, 2019](#)), which also broke the Carbyne/Reporty investment partnership.

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## **The Rebuild (2009–2012)**

### **2009: Immediate Post-Release**

Epstein was released in July 2009, but the documents show the rebuilding was already underway before his release — and accelerated immediately after.

**June 5, 2009** (pre-release): Epstein emailed Jes Staley about Mandelson: "well for all intends and purposes peter mandelson is now deputy prime minister" ([EFTA02808649](#)).

**June 17, 2009** (pre-release): Epstein to Staley: "peter will be staying at 71st over weekend, do you want to organize either you, or you and Jamie, quietly, up to you." 71st Street is Epstein's Manhattan townhouse. "Jamie" is Jamie Dimon, JPMorgan's CEO.

**June 30, 2009** (pre-release): First documented email from **Sultan Ahmed bin**

**Sulayem** (Chairman/CEO, DP World), the most extensively documented Gulf relationship in the files — over 5,000 documents spanning a decade. First reported by **Drop Site News** (Ryan Grim and Murtaza Hussain, [January 14, 2026](#)).

**August 2009:** A conference planning document listed **Tony Blair** alongside **George Mitchell**, **Ehud Barak**, Larry Summers, and Bloomberg as desired participants for intellectual gatherings Epstein intended to fund ([EFTA00773584](#)).

**September 22, 2009:** A contact invited Epstein to "a very private evening in honor of President **Sarkozy** and **Carla Bruni**" at \$25,000 per couple, hosted by Stanley Shopkorn, and asked Epstein to recruit wealthy guests ([EFTA00773515](#)). Whether Epstein attended is not documented.

**November 29, 2009:** Epstein pitched Staley on a JPMorgan Middle East strategy: "think of the financial equivalent of aaramco.. jpm should be the oracle of middle east finance... **tony blair can lead that charge**" ([EFTA00742761](#)). The email was first quoted by **Ellie Leonard on Substack** in her analysis of the JPMorgan email chain.

## 2010: Davos, the Élysée, and the JPMorgan Pipeline

The year 2010 is the densest period in the files for political brokerage. Epstein was simultaneously facilitating contact between Mandelson, Barak, and Sarkozy's staff and JPMorgan executives.

**January 25, 2010:** Epstein to Staley: "The more time you have to announce, the better. I have set you up and Peter to meet in Davos with Darling." Darling is UK Chancellor **Alistair Darling**. First reported by **Tax Policy Associates** (February 1, 2026).

**January 28, 2010:** **Boris Nikolic** emailed Epstein from Davos: "Met your friend **bill clinton** yesterday followed up with **sarkozy**. Later in day meeting your other friend **prince andrew** as he has some questions re microsoft" (EFTA00764207). Three heads-of-state-level contacts in one Davos day, all described as Epstein's "friends." Reported by **Franceinfo** (February 2026).

**January 29, 2010:** Staley to Epstein: "Saw Peter last night. Darling in 20 minutes. Will talk again with Peter this AM."

**February 26, 2010:** Lesley Groff emailed Epstein: "Shall I prepare heavy snacks for your evening appointments with **Peter Mandelson, Jes Staley and Jamie Dimon**? Or is this to be a nice, sit-down dinner at 9 p.m.?" (EFTA02808484). In his deposition, Dimon denied ever meeting Epstein: "I have never had an appointment with Jeff Epstein. I've never met Jeff Epstein." He added: "I did know Peter Mandelson, and obviously I knew Jes."

**March 29, 2010:** Mandelson emailed Epstein: "Took 250 last night, 500 today. Feeling better. Can Jes send me email on issues re Dodds/Volcker." The numbers are ambiguous — they could refer to milligrams of any medication or supplement. The **Mail on Sunday** (March 2026) characterized them as references to Xanax supplied by Epstein; that interpretation is contested and unverified.

**May 16, 2010:** Epstein to Staley: "do you have time for the prince andrew and or peter."

**May 27, 2010:** Mandelson emailed Epstein about a Shanghai banking conference: "the entire Chinese banking fraternity is attending. Isn't it something that JPM should be represented at?" Epstein forwarded to Staley: "I think he is right."

**October 2010:** Epstein emailed directly with **Consuelo Remmert**, a senior Sarkozy aide at the Élysée Palace (Consuelo.REMMERT@elysee.fr). Epstein identified her to Staley as "Carla's half sister" — she was Carla Bruni's half-sister and Chargée de Mission for G20-G8 (EFTA00661653). Nikolic forwarded Remmert's private email: "Please for your eyes only...She is working very closely with President" (EFTA00751902). Epstein replied: "you might remind her that as nokolas is going to try to revamp the financial markets.. my ideas are new and unique" (EFTA00898623). Reported by **Franceinfo**.

**October 7, 2010:** Staley forwarded Epstein an email from Mandelson about a **Congo Brazzaville mining deal** with President Sassou N'Gusso and a JP-backed consortium.

**November 12, 2010:** A redacted sender told Epstein regarding Sarkozy: "He rates me but worried that I would not be 'faithful' to him. I will explain" (EFTA00753055).

**December 16, 2010:** Staley asked Epstein: "Who is the woman helping Sarkozy?" Epstein: "consuelo remmert carla half sister." Staley: "Do you know if she will be at Davos?" (EFTA00696828).

All Mandelson-Staley-Epstein brokerage was confirmed as undisputed fact in **USVI v. JPMorgan Chase** (EFTA02809437, SUF ¶¶ 293–296). Staley confirmed the Davos meeting under oath (EFTA02810739).

## 2011: Expanding the Map

**January 26, 2011:** Fabrice Aidan (UN diplomat) brokered a Davos dinner between Epstein and **Sheikh Abdullah Bin Zayed**, UAE Foreign Minister.

**January 27, 2011:** Nikolic reported to Epstein from Davos (third-party report): "In 30mn **bill is meeting sarkozy** to discuss various things. Not sure if currency will appear" (EFTA00648334).

**April 28, 2011:** Crown Prince of Dubai **Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's** personal cell number was circulated among Epstein staffers (EFTA00434212).

**May 9, 2011:** An email forwarded to Epstein described finding a companion for an unidentified man attending a dinner at the Élysée: "He is going to the Palace on thursday night to meet with president **Sarkozy** and **Carla**..they r good friends..he needs a beautiful lady to accompany him...don't worry it is not a date" (EFTA01777550). **Important caveats:** The "he" is unidentified. The email was forwarded to Epstein but does not establish that Epstein arranged or participated in whatever was being discussed. The phrase "don't worry it is not a date" is ambiguous — it could describe an innocuous social request. This email is included because it appears in the Élysée correspondence chain, but its meaning should not be overstated.

**June 15, 2011:** Epstein RSVP'd to a UN reception honoring **Sheikh Fahad Al Salem Al Ali Al Sabah** (Kuwait), forwarded by Katherine Keating (documented attendance) (EFTA00432147).

**June 2011:** Nikolic shared his Paris schedule with Epstein, including: "Working Session with Olivier COLOM et Emmanuel MOULIN, French Presidency Advisors to President Nicolas SARKOZY" and "Working Session with Jean-David LEVITTE, Diplomatic Adviser and Sherpa" (EFTA00744694).

**August 2, 2011:** **Ian Osborne** attempted to arrange a meeting between Epstein and **Berlusconi** in Rome/Sardinia. Osborne emailed Epstein: "Spoke to Valentini. As of now he is more likely to be in Sardinia than Rome on Sunday — with Berlusconi these things are fluid, especially with the EU bailout talks" (EFTA02031956). "Valentini" is **Valentino Valentini**, Berlusconi's international affairs adviser, who told *Wired* he had no recollection of the conversation and that no meeting ever took place. Reported by *Il Sole 24 Ore* (February 24, 2026) and the *Irish Times* (February 5, 2026).

**August 2011:** Epstein's schedule showed routing through Dubai, Abu Dhabi, and Saudi Arabia. Epstein attempted to arrange a meeting with a "Sheikh Abdullah" to deliver a science book (attempted introduction; canceled) (EFTA00559614).

## **2012: Gulf State Access**

**January 9, 2012:** Epstein instructed his house manager to prepare for "**Tom Barrack** and his friend, **Sheikh Hamad**" to tour 9 East 71st Street at 2pm (EFTA00421861). Esther Kaplan from Colony Capital coordinated. The Barrack-Epstein relationship, including the 71st Street tour, was reported by *CBS News* (Daniel Ruetenik, February 14, 2026), which quoted related correspondence: "He saw ur house. Love it but not enough bedrooms."

**May 5, 2012:** French election night. **Jean-Luc Brunel** sent Epstein live interior ministry polling data: "Last polls from ministry interior. Sarkozy 49.8" (EFTA00709642).

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## **The Network at Full Strength (2013–2016)**

### **2013: Rothschilds, Kings, and the Sultan of Brunei**

**March 14, 2013:** Epstein emailed Ian Osborne proposing a meeting: "sultan of brunei in ny.. want to meet up with him?" (EFTA01900253). No reply or follow-up appears in the files; whether the meeting occurred is unknown.

**April 30, 2013:** Epstein attended the Milken Global Conference where **Tony Blair** spoke. The Milken Institute wrote directly to Epstein soliciting a donation to Blair's Faith Foundation (EFTA00681800).

**June 2013:** The **Ariane de Rothschild** correspondence began via the `aderfam.ch` private email domain, running through December 2018. First reported by *Drop Site News* (Grim and Hussain, November 18, 2025).

**June 23, 2013:** Epstein asked **Olivier Colom** (Edmond de Rothschild banker): "corinna sayn wittgenstein what is her real story." Colom: "I only know that she had something with **King Juan Carlos**: she was supposed to be his informal adviser...and apparently a go-between." Epstein: "no, she is trying to get us to do business in russia? i never met her but dont like the smell" (EFTA01966361). Corinna zu Sayn-Wittgenstein was Juan Carlos's admitted mistress and alleged financial intermediary. Epstein declined the connection. Reported by *El Economista* and *Diario Sabemos* (February 2026).

**September 2013:** Colom brought **Bruno Le Maire** (then French National Assembly member, later Finance Minister 2017–2024) to Epstein's New York residence (third-party report via Colom correspondence).

### **2014: The Sarkozy-Barak-Rothschild Dinner and DSK**

**January 2014:** Ariane de Rothschild proposed a Paris dinner with **Sarkozy, Barak**, and Epstein (proposed meeting; unconfirmed outcome). The Rothschild-Epstein relationship was reported by **Reuters** (February 5, 2026) and **Bloomberg** (February 25, 2026).

**June 30, 2014:** Caroline Lang (daughter of former French Culture Minister Jack Lang) arranged a meeting between Epstein and **Dominique Strauss-Kahn** at the Royal Monceau Hotel in Paris.

### **2015–2016: \$25 Million, Qatar, and Mexico**

**October 5, 2015:** Letter of Agreement between Southern Trust Company Inc. (Epstein) and Edmond de Rothschild Holding S.A. (Ariane de Rothschild) for \$24,999,980 covering "risk analysis and the application and use of certain algorithms." Payment synchronized with the **December 18, 2015 DOJ Swiss Bank Program settlement** in which the bank paid \$45M in penalties. First reported by **Anadolu Agency** (February 1, 2026).

**June 18, 2015:** Epstein brokered a meeting between **Barak** and **Sultan bin Sulayem**.

**November 4, 2016:** The office of **Sheikh Jabor Yousef Jassim Al Thani** (Qatar ruling family) requested a landing permit for Epstein's aircraft at Doha International Airport (EFTA00438623). Reported by **Reason** (Matthew Petti, February 3, 2026).

**November 15, 2016:** Epstein emailed David Stern: "I met **carlos salinas** with john brockman at the billionaire dinner, and supposedly he is building a house on **hamad b jassem** property in marrakash. , me too" (EFTA01062078). Salinas is the former President of Mexico (1988–1994). "Hamad b jassem" is the former Prime Minister of Qatar. Brockman was Epstein's Edge Foundation organizer — reported by **BuzzFeed News** and **Chronicle of Higher Education**. The Salinas connection was noted by **Milenio** (Mexico) post-dump.

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## **The Bannon Era (2017–2019)**

### **2017: DNA Kits and Continued Access**

**July 2017:** 30 DNA ancestry kits were shipped to the **Al Maktoum family** (Dubai ruling family) via Emirates, acknowledged by "Mohamad Maktoum." Epstein instructed staff to register the kits under the name "rashid epstein." Reported by **Middle East Eye** and **CNN Business** (February 13, 2026).

**July 4, 2017:** Shahzad Shahbaz wrote to Epstein: "HE **Sheikh Hamad** mentioned that he may require me to meet with you in the next few days" (EFTA00627627) — five years after the 71st Street tour.

**June 2017:** Ariane de Rothschild emailed Epstein: "I must give a speech in Spanish tom for the **king of Spain**." By 2017, this was **Felipe VI** (Juan Carlos abdicated 2014). Epstein: "OY" (EFTA02360798).

### **2018: Bannon's European Tour**

The Bannon-Epstein relationship ran approximately January 2018 through Epstein's arrest, covering hundreds of texts and emails. Reported extensively by **NBC News** (February 12, 2026), **CNN** (February 9, 2026), **New Republic** (February 16, 2026), and **Jacobin** (Branko Marcetic, December 19, 2025).

**March 8, 2018:** Bannon texted Epstein from Milan: "I'm heading into Milan right now for meeting with **salvini** --- looks like tonight **Grillo** and tomorrow Rome and **berlusconi** and 5 star --- front nationale wants me to address their conference on Saturday --- thoughts." Epstein: "Not my expertise! I think attend but not address, too many echoes of Charlottesville... Less is more" (EFTA01614963).

**2018 (undated):** An iMessage exchange discussed a proposed meeting (proposed meeting; outcome unknown): "Peace mtg? W **Jared** and **Tony Blair** and all those folks?" followed by "Not sure bg interested in peace process mostly technologies" and "He says he speaks to Jared a lot"

(EFTA01612935). "Jared" is Jared Kushner. "bg" is unidentified. We did not find major press coverage of this specific exchange as of March 2026.

**September 11, 2018:** Epstein dined with **King Juan Carlos I** at a dinner organized by sugar baron **Pepe Fanjul** in Casa de Campo, Dominican Republic (documented meeting). A social diary entry included in the House Oversight production (DS99) describes the scene. Reported by **Diario Sabemos** (Marcos López, [February 6, 2026](#)).

**December 20, 2018:** Epstein brokered a meeting between former Qatari PM **Hamad bin Jassim** and **Ehud Barak** at One Hyde Park, London (documented meeting). Reported by **Reason** (Matthew Petti).

## **2019: The Island Meeting and the End**

**January 14, 2019:** A documented meeting on Epstein's island brought together **Sultan bin Sulayem**, **Steve Bannon**, **Ehud Barak**, **Nicole Junkermann**, and **Jabor Al Thani** (Qatar). Reported by **Drop Site News** (Grim and Hussain, [January 14, 2026](#)).

**February 2019:** Barak met Bannon at Epstein's residence.

**March 2019:** Epstein's staff coordinated cleaning of Barak's apartment at 301 East 66th Street — Epstein's building. First reported by **Daily Beast** ([August 6, 2019](#)). **Drop Site News** later reported ([February 18, 2026](#)) that the Israeli government managed surveillance at the building.

**July 6, 2019:** Epstein arrested by the FBI at Teterboro Airport.

**August 10, 2019:** Epstein found dead in his cell at MCC.

**December 3, 2019:** VG (Norway's largest newspaper) contacted the FBI asking about **Crown Princess Mette-Marit** and Epstein's flight logs. FBI New York forwarded the inquiry internally (EFTA00147994). The Crown Princess's Epstein connection was first reported by **Dagens Næringsliv** ([December 2, 2019](#)). The story resurfaced publicly after the January 2026 DOJ release; in March 2026, she told **NBC News** ([March 20, 2026](#)): "I was manipulated and deceived."

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## **The Pattern: Access Broker**

Across the full decade, a consistent architecture emerges. Epstein did not merely collect powerful contacts — he **connected them to each other**, and specifically to financial institutions:

### **The JPMorgan pipeline:**

- Epstein → **Mandelson** → Staley (Davos, Shanghai, Congo mining, Dodd-Frank)
- Epstein → **Blair** → Staley ("tony blair can lead that charge")
- Epstein → **Remmert/Sarkozy** → Staley ("Who is the woman helping Sarkozy?")
- Epstein → **Barak** → Staley (multiple confirmed meetings)
- Epstein → **Sultan bin Sulayem** → Staley (island meeting)

### **The Rothschild pipeline:**

- Epstein → **Colom** → Sarkozy circle
- Epstein → **Colom** → Le Maire
- Epstein → **Ariane** → Barak → Sarkozy (January 2014 dinner proposed; unconfirmed)

### **The Bannon pipeline (2018–2019):**

- Epstein → **Bannon** → Barak (confirmed meeting, February 2019)
- Bannon discussed Salvini/Grillo/Berlusconi meetings with Epstein (March 2018)
- Bannon floated Front National conference address; Epstein advised against

Each political figure provided Epstein with something different: Mandelson provided UK government and Chinese banking access. Sarkozy's circle provided French G20 policy intelligence. Barak provided Israeli defense/tech connections. Sultan bin Sulayem provided Gulf port and shipping infrastructure. In return, Epstein provided introductions into major banking circles, especially at JPMorgan — which appear to have helped sustain the environment in which his banking relationships survived.

Not every item in this report represents confirmed brokerage. Some entries show **confirmed direct coordination** (Mandelson/Staley/Davos, Barak/Sultan bin Sulayem meeting). Others show **proposed or attempted introductions** (Sultan of Brunei, Berlusconi, Sarkozy/Carla dinner invitation). Still others are **third-party descriptions or name-drops** (Nikolic reporting who he met at Davos, Brunel forwarding French election results). The distinction matters: a proposed meeting is not a completed one, and a name in an email is not a relationship.

**What this pattern does NOT prove:** Political introductions for financial institutions are not inherently unlawful. Many contacts occurred post-conviction but before the full scope of Epstein's crimes was publicly understood. The question the USVI litigation addressed was not whether introductions occurred, but whether JPMorgan continued the relationship specifically because of them. The pattern suggests Epstein's value to JPMorgan was tied in significant part to these political connections, but it does not by itself prove that JPMorgan maintained his account *solely* for this reason.

## What's Not Here

Expected Figure	Status	Explanation
Mohammed bin Salman	Absent	Zero substantive documents. "MBS" hits are mortgage-backed securities.
Juan Carlos I (direct contact)	Partial	Discussed <i>about</i> , never <i>with</i> — except the Sept 2018 dinner
Prince Bandar	Absent	Only a Marrakech real estate landmark and news subject
Japanese, Chinese, or Russian heads of state	Absent	Despite Epstein's mention of "Putin" in one email
African heads of state (except Congo/Sassou)	Absent	Only the Mandelson/Staley Congo mining reference
Prince Albert II of Monaco	Absent	No substantive documents
Sarah Ferguson	Mentioned only	"Sarah and the kids" in Andrew's 2001 email
Prince Charles / King Charles	Absent	104 pages, all news clippings
Adnan Khashoggi	Legal citation only	Maxwell bail brief cited 1989 case as precedent

The files contain few personal emails before mid-2009 and virtually none before September 2007. The peak period of political access-building (1998–2008) is largely invisible. What survives is the *maintenance* of relationships, not their origin.

### A Note on the Intelligence Claim

One document in the files makes a far more dramatic claim than anything else in this report. An FBI FD-1023 (confidential human source report) states that Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services" [OCR artifact in original: "ichallkbelonged"] (EFTA00090314). This claim, if true, would reframe every relationship documented above — transforming access brokerage into something closer to intelligence operations.

This report does not develop the intelligence thread for three reasons: (1) an FD-1023 records what a source *told* the FBI, not what the FBI verified — it is a Tier 1 document by provenance but an unverified claim by content; (2) the claim is not corroborated by any other document in the EFTA files; (3) a separate report on Epstein's intelligence connections covers this material in depth (see `intelligence/FBI_INTELLIGENCE_INVESTIGATIONS.md`). The FD-1023 is listed in Appendix A for completeness, but readers should not treat an unverified source claim as established

fact.

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## Appendix A: Key Documents

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<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>
EFTA00080134	9	Court filing	—	404(b) letter naming "Duke of York"
EFTA01317758	10	Financial	Aug 2002	FedEx: Epstein → Mandelson, House of Commons
EFTA01313812	10	Financial	Nov 2002	FedEx: Maxwell/Epstein → Mandelson
EFTA02440567	11	Contact	—	Mandelson vCard from Epstein's devices
EFTA00742761	9	Email	Nov 2009	"tony blair can lead that charge"
EFTA00764207	9	Email	Jan 2010	Nikolic: "your friend clinton...sarkozy...prince andrew"
EFTA02808649	12	Court filing	—	JPMorgan Ex. 191-4: Mandelson email catalog
EFTA02808484	12	Deposition	—	Dimon deposition: Mandelson/Staley/Dimon dinner
EFTA02810739	12	Deposition	—	Staley deposition: Davos meeting confirmed
EFTA02809437	12	Court filing	—	USVI SUF ¶¶ 293–296
EFTA00696828	9	Email	Dec 2010	"Who is the woman helping Sarkozy?"
EFTA00751902	9	Email	Nov 2010	Nikolic forwards Remmert's Élysée email
EFTA00898623	9	Email	Nov 2010	Epstein: pitch Sarkozy on "my ideas"
EFTA01777550	10	Email	May 2011	Élysée dinner companion recruitment
EFTA02031956	10	Email	Aug 2011	Osborne: "with Berlusconi these things are fluid"
EFTA01900253	10	Email	Mar 2013	"sultan of brunei in ny.. want to meet up?"
EFTA01966361	10	Email	Jun 2013	Corinna / King Juan Carlos inquiry
EFTA00421861	9	Email	Jan 2012	Sheikh Hamad tours 71st St with Barrack
EFTA00438623	9	Email	Nov 2016	Al Thani office: Doha landing permit
EFTA01062078	9	Email	Nov 2016	"I met carlos salinas...at the billionaire dinner"
EFTA01614963	10	iMessage	Mar 2018	Bannon: Salvini, Berlusconi meetings
EFTA01612935	10	iMessage	2018	"Peace mtg? W Jared and Tony Blair"
EFTA00090314	9	FBI report	—	FD-1023: intelligence claim (see "A Note on the Intelligence Claim" above)
EFTA00147994	9	FBI email	Dec 2019	VG/Norway: Crown Princess Mette-Marit inquiry

## Appendix B: Source Reliability

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- **TIER 1 (court filings, sworn testimony, FBI reports):** USVI v. JPMorgan depositions (Dimon, Staley), SDNY 404(b) letter, Maxwell trial FedEx invoices, FBI FD-1023 (provenance only; content unverified — see "A Note on the Intelligence Claim"), victim testimony (Mitchell, Richardson). These carry the highest evidentiary weight.
- **TIER 2 (authenticated correspondence):** Emails from FBI-extracted devices, FedEx invoices, conference records, contact databases.
- **TIER 3 (flagged):** The 2025 mass-complaint emails to FCA (unverified sender). "Peggy" social diary (provenance unclear). News clippings embedded in court filings.
- **Conflict Note:** Jamie Dimon testified he never met Epstein. Lesley Groff's February 26, 2010 email schedules a joint evening for Mandelson, Staley, and Dimon at Epstein's house. Both are presented without resolution.

## Appendix C: Public Fallout After the January 2026 Release

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*Point-in-time snapshot as of March 28, 2026. This section reflects developments known at the time of writing and will not be updated in real time. Verify current status independently before citing.*

- **Peter Mandelson:** Fired as UK Ambassador September 11, 2025 (NPR). Met Police opened criminal investigation (misconduct in public office) February 3, 2026 (NPR). Arrested February 23, 2026, released on bail (CNN). ITV uncovered [first photo of Andrew, Mandelson, and Epstein together](#) March 13, 2026.
- **Prince Andrew:** Arrested on suspicion of misconduct in public office (CBS News, February 19, 2026).
- **Sultan bin Sulayem:** Removed as DP World chairman February 13, 2026 (Bloomberg, CNN).
- **Crown Princess Mette-Marit:** Norwegian Storting voted to establish independent Commission of Inquiry (NBC News, March 20, 2026).
- **Ehud Barak:** The EFTA documents newly quantified 36+ visits to Epstein's properties 2013–2017, including an apartment at 301 East 66th Street referred to internally as "Ehud's apartment." Barak addressed his Epstein ties publicly (Haaretz, February 13, 2026). The general relationship was previously reported by **Daily Beast** (August 2019); what the files added was the documented *scope*.
- **Ariane de Rothschild:** Edmond de Rothschild Group announced it would monitor her Epstein links (Bloomberg, February 25, 2026). On **March 20, 2026**, French anti-corruption authorities raided the bank's Paris offices in an Epstein-linked probe targeting former UN diplomat **Fabrice Aidan** on charges of passive corruption of a foreign public official. Rothschild was present during the search. The bank said it is "cooperating fully with the judiciary" (CP24/Reuters).

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# POWER OVERLAP, SEALED FILINGS & SUPPRESSION INVESTIGATION

## Epstein Files Forensic Analysis -- 218GB DOJ Release

Date: 2026-02-10

Queries Executed: 100+ across 4 document collections

Total Records Searched: 954,241 redactions + 38,955 OCR records + 524 entities/2,096 relationships

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## METHODOLOGY

Searched across all document collections using 100+ distinct queries targeting:

- 14 named political-finance crossover individuals
- 9 intelligence/foreign service agencies
- 14 think tanks and policy institutions
- 13 sealed filing/court document terms
- 12 settlement/hush money terms
- 15 whistleblower suppression terms
- 8 named attorneys and their payment patterns

Results cross-referenced with prior investigation findings across 100+ completed reports.

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# PART 1: MULTI-DOMAIN POWER FIGURES

## 1.1 LARRY SUMMERS -- POLITICAL + FINANCE + ACADEMIC + SEXUAL ABUSE

**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** U.S. Treasury Secretary (1999-2001), Obama economic advisor

**DOMAIN 2 (Financial):** D.E. Shaw managing director, Wall Street advisor, spoke at Leon Black's Apollo investor event

**DOMAIN 3 (Academic):** Harvard University President (2001-2006), Harvard Kennedy School

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** Full corpus: **5,118 documents** (DS9: 2,095, DS10: 1,557, DS11: 1,464, DS12: 2). Direct emails, flights, dinners, W9 tax form on file with Epstein. DS9 calendar documents place Summers on planned dinner party lists alongside Kissinger, Barak, Blankfein, Staley, and Black ([EFTA00284908](#)).

### Key Evidence:

- **EFTA02731721:** Wigdor Law letter -- victim "was flown to NYC the first time (where she had sex with Larry Summers). At a later date, [she] flew with J and Dana Chasin somewhere else"
- **EFTA02731420:** Victim journal: "Both he and Larry Summers are fucking disgusting!"
- **EFTA02674889:** Summers to Epstein: "I spoke for your friend Leon Black's investor event today. Thought of you. How goes Mongolia etc?"
- **EFTA02484293:** Summers-Epstein: "central bank mongol does not like imf idea, too much transparency" (policy coordination)
- **EFTA00362483:** Single calendar day (Sept 22, 2014): Ehud Barak, Leon Black, Larry Summers, Peter Thiel ALL visiting Epstein
- **EFTA02233990:** Summers office actively seeking Epstein in NYC, Dec 2017 (9 years post-conviction)
- **EFTA02106342:** "Larry Summers's W9" -- Summers filed tax documentation with Epstein
- **EFTA02148052:** "Larry and Lisa Summers will also be fl[ying]" -- spouse involvement
- **Knowledge Graph:** 25 DS10 mentions, traveled with Epstein, Maxwell, Kellen, Gwendolyn Beck, Emmy Tayler
- **EFTA01749216:** "meeting with Larry Summers" -- CC'd with Terje Roed-Larsen (UN diplomat)
- **EFTA01825478:** "Summers/CX readou[t]" -- appears to be institutional readout involving Summers

### EFTA CITATIONS (18 unique documents

**V2):** [EFTA01749216](#), [EFTA01750363](#), [EFTA01756359](#), [EFTA01795085](#), [EFTA01936076](#), [EFTA0202053](#), [EFTA02053109](#), [EFTA02062444](#), [EFTA02078780](#), [EFTA02089135](#), [EFTA02090837](#), [EFTA02092102](#), [EFTA02092927](#), [EFTA02106342](#), [EFTA02148052](#), [EFTA02189982](#), [EFTA02233990](#), [EFTA02484293](#), [EFTA02674889](#), [EFTA02731420](#), [EFTA02731721](#), [EFTA00362461](#), [EFTA00362463](#), [EFTA00362483](#), [EFTA02546925](#), [EFTA02377043](#)

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** Harvard Kennedy School email signature used as institutional cover.

"Scheduling inquiries" routed through Abbie James/Sarah Mapes (Summers' assistants) to create buffer. W9 filing suggests financial relationship disguised as consulting/speaking.

**SEALED/SETTLEMENT:** Victim's Wigdor letter (EFTA02731721) is an attorney disclosure, not a sealed filing. No prosecution ever opened against Summers despite victim testimony naming him in sexual assault.

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## 1.2 EHUD BARAK -- POLITICAL + MILITARY + INTELLIGENCE + FINANCE

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**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** Prime Minister of Israel (1999-2001)

**DOMAIN 2 (Military/Intel):** Former IDF Chief of Staff, defense industry contractor

**DOMAIN 3 (Financial):** Defense technology ventures, apartment at 301 E 66th St (same building as MC2/victims)

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** Full corpus: **3,744 documents** (DS9: 1,689, DS10: 1,076, DS11: 978, DS8: 1). Direct emails 2013-2019, dinners, apartment cleaning at 301 E 66th, shared contacts

### Key Evidence:

- **EFTA01802812:** Direct email from ehbarak email, April 2016
  - **EFTA01903624:** Subject line: "Ehud Barak"
  - **EFTA01955948:** "TBD LUNCH w/Ehud Barak & Joel Kle[in]"
  - **EFTA02122068:** "[someone] knows if Ehud Barak is coming"
  - **EFTA02128207:** "w/Ehud Barak & Joel Kl[ein]"
  - **EFTA02136979:** "Updated Invitation: 12:30pm Lunch w/Ehud Barak"
  - **EFTA02154241:** "8:30am Breakfast w/Ehud Barak" -- Nov 28 morning meeting
  - **EFTA02422165:** "Jes-Ehud Barak dinner" -- Jes Staley + Barak dinner brokered by Epstein
  - **EFTA02422168:** "Tom Barrack-Ehud Barak" -- Tom Barrack (acquitted of UAE agent charges, Nov 2022) meeting brokered
  - **EFTA02575361:** Epstein emailing ehud barak and Lesley Groff simultaneously, Sept 2013
  - **EFTA02589113:** Epstein to ehud barak: "hope you are having fun," Sept 2014
  - **EFTA02633609:** "JE/SB" -- steve canceled, Barak still invited, Feb 2019 (5 months before arrest)
  - **EFTA00362483:** Same-day calendar with Black, Summers, Thiel (Sept 22, 2014)
  - **EFTA02278459** (prior findings): Epstein staff cleaning "Ehud's apt" at 301 E 66th St -- same building as MC2/trafficking
  - **EFTA00013730** (prior findings): Barak touring Israeli military bases with Epstein April 2008 (while under FL charges)
  - Deutsche Bank: Natalie Barak (DB staff) handling Epstein account transactions, including "Zorro management" and "Neptune" account and "Caterpillar" entities -- 50+ DB-related EFTA documents
  - **Knowledge Graph:** Associated with and communicated with Jeffrey Epstein
- OBFUSCATION METHOD:** 301 E 66th St apartment created plausible deniability -- Barak could claim visiting his own apartment while same building housed MC2 models and trafficking victims. "Nili Priell Barak" (aide/partner) served as scheduling intermediary. Deutsche Bank "Natalie Barak" (DB employee, coincidental name) handled Epstein account transactions.
- SEALED/SETTLEMENT:** Identified as most likely candidate for "unnamed foreign president" in victim depositions (EFTA00022133). Never charged. FOIA exemption invoked for intelligence-related material (EFTA00015219).
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## 1.3 PETER MANDELSON -- UK POLITICS + RUSSIA + CONGO + FINANCE

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**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** UK Secretary of State for Business, Lord, Labour Party powerbroker

**DOMAIN 2 (International):** Russia connections (Oleg Deripaska), Congo (Andely/Ollivier), Global Counsel chairman

**DOMAIN 3 (Financial):** Advisory roles, Global Counsel Ltd

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 11+ in older databases; full corpus: **5,354 documents** (DS9: 2,356, DS10: 1,856, DS11: 1,141). Direct emails 2009-2013, Moscow property deal, Congo political coordination

### Key Evidence:

- **EFTA02434424:** Mandelson forwarding Moscow City penthouse listing to Epstein: "Oleg has a great woman who looks after things for him" (Oleg = likely Deripaska)
- **EFTA02571022:** Mandelson-Epstein: "tasty models and dancing" + St Petersburg reference
- **EFTA02434434:** "Jes Staley is wondering time and place for drinks this sat with Peter Mandelson and yourself"
- **EFTA02323048:** Congo official Andely: "will report to Jean-Yves Ollivier and Peter Mandelson" about cancelled meeting with "Peter and Jeffrey"
- **EFTA01744877:** "Mandelson has joined the ad[visory board?]"
- **EFTA01779440:** PETER MANDELSON email Jan 2011
- **EFTA02351725:** Epstein to Mandelson: "Speak?" July 2012
- **EFTA02439459:** Epstein to PETER MANDELSON, June 2009
- **EFTA00024275:** Groff notes: "Call... Peter Mandelson in Paris on Thursday"
- **EFTA00037176:** FT article: Mandelson stayed at Epstein's NY townhouse while Epstein was in prison
- **EFTA02183329:** David Mitchell email subject: "RE: Peter Mandelsohn" [sic]

### EFTA

**CITATIONS:** [EFTA01744877](#), [EFTA01779440](#), [EFTA01794197](#), [EFTA01801051](#), [EFTA01814302](#), [EFTA01821580](#), [EFTA01829081](#), [EFTA01835192](#), [EFTA02027197](#), [EFTA02029879](#), [EFTA02168451](#), [EFTA02323048](#), [EFTA02351725](#), [EFTA02434424](#), [EFTA02434434](#), [EFTA02439459](#), [EFTA02571022](#), [EFTA00024275](#), [EFTA00037176](#), [EFTA02183329](#)

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** "Global Counsel" (38 Wigmore Street, London) provided legitimate advisory firm cover. Congo relationship triangulated through Andely/Ollivier intermediaries. Moscow property forwarded through Deripaska's handler. David Mitchell (Epstein estate co-executor) served as logistics intermediary.

*Revisit addition (2026-02-12): DS9 contains [EFTA00086575](#) -- a UK citizen's letter directly to SDNY urging them to interview Mandelson, noting: "Mandelson is gay. This is widely known and I assume that Epstein would not have offered him the services of any underage girls. I would not be surprised if Epstein offered the services of men or boys... it would allow him to blackmail anyone who took advantage." Also suggests interviewing Kevin Spacey and notes "Andrew, Mandelson and Spacey had social or professional connexions with each other in England." DS9 also contains 2024-2025 journalist inquiries about Mandelson's UK ambassador appointment and Epstein links ([EFTA00143413](#)).*

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## 1.4 KATHRYN RUEMLER -- POLITICAL (WH COUNSEL) + LEGAL + CAREER BROKERING

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**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** Obama White House Counsel (2011-2014), highest-ranking legal advisor

**DOMAIN 2 (Legal/Corporate):** Goldman Sachs General Counsel trajectory, Latham & Watkins

**DOMAIN 3 (Intelligence-Adjacent):** Consulted on sealed indictment (Manafort), discussed Clinton/Obama implications

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** Full corpus: **8,940 documents** (DS9: 1,409, DS10: 891, DS11: 6,640).

The DS11 count reflects trust documents appearing across many related filings. 15+ substantive emails spanning Sept 2014 - May 2019

### **Key Evidence:**

- **EFTA02484285:** Epstein to Ruemmler: "defense counsel might create Clinton Obama unnecessary implication" (Oct 2015) -- advising on political exposure
- **EFTA02575359:** Epstein to Ruemmler: "why would they file a sealed indictment? if it is true" (Oct 29, 2017) -- DAY BEFORE Manafort indictment unsealed
- **EFTA02570921:** Epstein to Ruemmler: "your Nigerian is a lefty. predisposed to empower women. minorities etc.. its yours to lose" -- career placement coaching (likely Adebayo Ogunlesi for Goldman Sachs GC)
- **EFTA02513986:** Ruemmler to Epstein: "had assumed you were exaggerating about Benjamin" -- re Benjamin de Rothschild (\$25M to Southern Trust 11 months later)
- **EFTA00362480:** Ruemmler "would love to join" Epstein dinner with Jagland (Nobel Committee chair)
- **EFTA02532942:** Epstein to Ruemmler: "awake? chat?" (Jan 2018)
- **EFTA02474948:** Ruemmler: "Re: PW, I have another idea" -- coded reference
- **EFTA02470950:** Epstein to Ruemmler: "air con photo" (Feb 2016)
- **EFTA02517295:** Ruemmler: "Yes. We are having a good meeting" (Sept 2014)
- **EFTA02570967:** Ruemmler sending "St James Park" photo with attachment (Nov 2017)
- **EFTA02560625:** Epstein forwarding Russia doping article to Ruemmler (Nov 2017)
- **EFTA02664900:** Epstein: "welcome back, what are your plans?" (Dec 2016)
- **EFTA02066240/66243:** "Kathy Ruemmler" -- Richard Kahn (Epstein accountant) involved in Ruemmler-related matter

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** Post-White House "personal friendship" framing. Latham & Watkins position provided professional distance. Epstein functioned as career broker -- coaching on Goldman Sachs GC appointment, Nobel Committee access, sealed indictment intelligence. "PW" and coded references in emails.

*Revisit addition (2026-02-12): DS9 reveals Ruemmler was a **named Trustee of the Jeffrey E. Epstein 2018 Trust** (EFTA00099449), signed May 8, 2018, alongside Darren K. Indyke and Richard D. Kahn. This elevates her relationship from social/advisory to a **fiduciary position** over Epstein's estate. Additional DS9 findings: Mandarin Oriental spa appointment for "Ruemmler, Kathy" February 13, 2016 (EFTA00283634); "LUNCH w/Kathy Ruemmler & possibly Nathan Myhrvold" April 2015 (EFTA00285028); "TBD Meeting w/Ariane DeRothschild and Kathy Ruemmler" (EFTA00284969); September 2014 contact list placing her alongside Bill Burns, Peter Thiel, Bob Kerry, and Terje (EFTA00284982).*

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## **1.5 TERJE ROED-LARSEN -- UN DIPLOMACY + MIDDLE EAST + PHILANTHROPY**

**DOMAIN 1 (Political/Diplomatic):** UN Special Envoy, Oslo Accords architect, International Peace Institute president

**DOMAIN 2 (Philanthropic):** Gates Foundation proposal coordination

**DOMAIN 3 (Finance-adjacent):** Connected to international policy-finance nexus

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 21 in older databases; full corpus: **8,885 documents** (DS9: 3,870, DS10: 2,913, DS11: 2,100, DS8: 2). Direct emails, dinners, personal relationship (birthdate inquiries, shirt purchases)

**Key Evidence:**

- **EFTA01749216:** "meeting with Larry Summers" -- Roed-Larsen CC'd
- **EFTA01784616:** To Terje Rod-Larsen, Cc Camilla Reksten-Monsen, Subject: "Trump and American Political Decay | Foreign Affairs"
- **EFTA01860915:** "have you spoken to Terje yet regarding the attack on the"
- **EFTA02041422:** "hat for lunch with Terje"
- **EFTA02072154/72201/72247:** "Terje's birthdate?" -- personal intimacy level
- **EFTA02105481:** "Re: Terje Shirts" -- personal purchases
- **EFTA02147131:** "Reminder: Terje dinner and Tim Z[uckerman?]"
- **EFTA02173287/703/733:** "Dinner w/Terje?"
- **EFTA02233948:** "Re: Terje Roed-Larsen" (Dec 2017)
- **EFTA01745511:** "Proposal for BMGF" (Gates Foundation) -- coordinated through Epstein with Roed-Larsen CC'd
- **EFTA01763800:** "boris, ge en, jag an, terje, mette, na la" -- guest list including Norwegian royalty ("mette" = Princess Mette-Marit)

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** International Peace Institute provided institutional cover. BMGF proposal routed through Epstein created dependency relationship. Guest lists mixing diplomats with targets.

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## 1.6 BILL RICHARDSON -- POLITICAL + ENERGY + NM GEOGRAPHY

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**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** New Mexico Governor, U.S. Energy Secretary, UN Ambassador

**DOMAIN 2 (Geographic):** New Mexico overlapped with Zorro Ranch location

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 35 in older databases; full corpus: **2,437 documents** (DS9: 1,188, DS10: 884, DS11: 320, DS8: 44)

**Key Evidence:**

- **EFTA00022133:** Named by victim alongside "former Democratic Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell; the late MIT computer scientist Marvin Minsky; and MC2 model agency cofounder Jean Luc Brunel"
- **EFTA00024683:** Richardson May 2021 videoconference: "Never met any women through JE or GM" -- directly contradicts sworn testimony
- **EFTA00014372:** SDNY prosecutor: "This is so, so frustrating" re Richardson lawyer misrepresenting conversation
- **EFTA00014374:** Richardson counsel call memo -- "was ordered to, but doesn't appear to say anything actually happened"

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** Legal counsel misrepresentation of conversations. Blanket denials in videoconference contradicting sworn testimony. NM Attorney General deferred to SDNY, creating jurisdictional gap. Richardson deceased (Sept 2023), eliminating prosecution possibility.

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## 1.7 GEORGE MITCHELL -- POLITICAL + DIPLOMATIC + VICTIM TESTIMONY

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**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** U.S. Senate Majority Leader, Northern Ireland peace broker

**DOMAIN 2 (Diplomatic/Think Tank):** Trilateral Commission member, Council on Foreign Relations

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 3 in older databases; full corpus: **315 documents** (DS9: 154, DS10: 101, DS11: 57, DS8: 2, DS12: 1). Named in 2 victim testimonies + profile article

### Key Evidence:

- **EFTA00013640:** "George Mitchell, for example. In Epstein's mind, Mitchell is the world's greatest negotiator, based on his work in Ireland" -- Epstein profile article, also notes he is "an enthusiastic member of the Trilateral Commission and the Council on Foreign Relations"
- **EFTA00022133:** "former Democratic Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell" named by victim
- **EFTA02731420:** Victim journal: "even old senators like George Mitchell who you think would be good like a grandpa are bad"

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** Elder statesman reputation. Never formally investigated despite two independent victim identifications. Age (92) makes prosecution practically impossible.

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## 1.8 LESLIE WEXNER -- FINANCE + PHILANTHROPY + INTELLIGENCE-ADJACENT

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**DOMAIN 1 (Financial):** Billionaire, L Brands/Victoria's Secret founder

**DOMAIN 2 (Philanthropic):** Wexner Foundation, Ohio State University donations

**DOMAIN 3 (Intelligence-Adjacent):** "Certain parties in this mix who ARE" intelligence-connected (Kohn letters — unverified source, see ISRAEL\_DEEP\_DIVE\_V2 Part VII)

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 27 in older databases; full corpus: **1,497 documents** (DS9: 675, DS10: 629, DS11: 178, DS8: 10, DS12: 4)

### Key Evidence:

- **EFTA00037218/37239** (prior findings): Melvyn Kohn letters (unverified source): "certain parties in this mix who ARE" working for foreign intelligence
- **EFTA01660622:** Prominent Names page: "Wexner (homosexual)" -- FBI briefing
- **EFTA01652995/757:** George B. Tonks posting: "Leslie & Abigail Wexner" in list with Trump, Andrew, Dershowitz, Dubins
- Power of attorney given to Epstein over Wexner's finances (public record, corroborated in files)
- 9 E 71st St mansion transferred from Wexner to Epstein (public record)

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** Wexner claimed in 2019 he was unaware of Epstein's crimes. Power of attorney arrangement created financial entanglement that was difficult to unwind publicly. "Blackmail" claim surfaced (**EFTA01731006**) suggesting compromised relationship.

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## 1.9 BOB KERREY -- POLITICAL + ACADEMIC + INTELLIGENCE BROKERING

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**DOMAIN 1 (Political):** U.S. Senator (Nebraska), Medal of Honor recipient, Vietnam veteran

**DOMAIN 2 (Academic):** New School President

**DOMAIN 3 (Intelligence-Adjacent):** Arranged lunch between Peter Thiel and Bill Burns (future CIA Director)

**EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** Full corpus: **421 documents** (DS9: 148, DS10: 179, DS11: 94). Regular

social engagement 2013-2014, not merely a single event.

### **Key Evidence:**

- **EFTA02589110** (prior findings): Epstein lunch with Peter Thiel and possibly Bill Burns (future CIA Director), arranged by Bob Kerrey (Sept 2014)
- **EFTA00362699** (DS9): Epstein to Thiel: "see you at 5, bill burns will be here then dinner with woody and kathy" + "Sunday lunch with Kerrey would be great." Full email text of the Burns-Thiel-Kerrey weekend.
- **EFTA00362703-718** (DS9): Complete email chain between Groff and Jennifer Hill (Kerrey's assistant at Allen & Company) scheduling "Jeffrey Epstein dinner - Senator Bob Kerrey" for Sept 14, 2014 lunch at "9 East 71st street."
- **EFTA00287420** (DS9): April 23, 2013 -- "7:30pm Dinner w/Woody Allen, Soon Yi, Bob Kerrey, Mort Zuckerman, Joel Klein and his wife, Nicole Seligman."
- **EFTA00306308** (DS9): May 5, 2013 -- "9:00am Breakfast w/Bob Kerry."
- **EFTA00299816** (DS9): "12:00pm Lunch w/Professor Kosslyn, Ben Nelson and Senator Bob Kerrey."
- **EFTA00284982** (DS9): Kerrey on September 2014 contact list alongside Burns, Thiel, Ruemmler, Brockman.

**OBFUSCATION METHOD:** New School presidency provided academic cover. Regular dinners and breakfasts at 9 E 71st Street spanning 2013-2014 connect intelligence (Burns/CIA), technology capital (Thiel), and political establishment (Kerrey).

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## **1.10 ADDITIONAL MULTI-DOMAIN FIGURES (Lower Document Counts)**

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### **Henry Kissinger**

**Domains:** Political (Secretary of State) + Diplomacy + Finance (Kissinger Associates)

**Query Result:** 0 in V2 hidden text; full corpus: **431 documents** (DS9: 210, DS10: 167, DS11: 54)

**Key new document:** **EFTA00284908** (DS9) -- "2014 Dinner Party" guest list places Kissinger alongside Terje Rod Larsen, Leon Black, Ehud Barak, "Geitner" [sic], Jes Staley, Lloyd Blankfein, Len Blavatnik, Larry Summers, David Blaine, Jacob Frankel, Woody Allen, and JJ Abrams. **EFTA00284799** notes "Kissinger is free" in a September 2013 calendar alongside Barak, Summers, and Terje. While many DS9 hits are news clips, the dinner party list is a first-person planning document confirming Kissinger's presence in Epstein's social orbit.

### **Tony Blair**

**Domains:** Political (UK PM) + Finance (Tony Blair Associates) + Philanthropy

**Query Result:** No direct correspondence in older databases; full corpus: **269 documents** for "Tony Blair" (DS9: 165, DS10: 57, DS11: 47). Many hits are news clips, but the volume warrants further analysis to distinguish substantive from incidental references.

### **Andrew Cuomo**

**Domains:** Political (NY Governor) + Legal

**Query Result:** **EFTA02696360** -- "Tony Cuomo" invited to Epstein's NY house (Jan 2012). However, per Session 8 investigation, "Cuomo" on FBI Prominent Names page is a VICTIM SURNAME, not Governor Andrew Cuomo. **EFTA01660651**: NTOC caller claims "school wanted her to testify and say things against Andrew Cuomo."

### **Timothy Geithner**

**Domains:** Political (Treasury Secretary) + Finance (Warburg Pincus)

**Query Result:** 0 in older databases; full corpus: **162 documents** (DS9: 101, DS10: 46, DS11: 15). The misspelling "Geitner" appears on the **EFTA00284908** dinner party list alongside Kissinger, Black,

Barak, Summers, Staley, and Blankfein. While many DS9 hits are news clips mentioning Geithner in policy context, his presence on Epstein's personal dinner party list is a first-person planning document.

## Robert Rubin

**Domains:** Political (Treasury Secretary) + Finance (Citigroup)

**Query Result:** "Rubin" hits are predominantly Delores Rubin (Deutsche Bank staff handling Rothschild accounts), Jeremy Rubin (Joi Ito/MIT connection), Ellis Rubinstein (NYAS), Donald Rubin. No Robert Rubin correspondence found. **EFTA01774335:** "rem Rubin" + "Jeffrey Epstein" subject line -- potentially Jeremy Rubin.

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# PART 2: INTELLIGENCE CROSSOVERS

## 2.1 CIA / CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

**Results:** Mostly incidental references (news clips about Schulte/Vault 7 trial, CIA analyst profiles).

Key substantive hits:

- **EFTA00027307/31263:** Prosecutors required to "obtain records from the Office of the Vice President and the Central Intelligence Agency" in related case
- **EFTA00147306:** CIA technology compromise, spy ring identification -- in SDNY news clips within Epstein case file
- **EFTA00010956:** Soviet infiltration of Reagan camp, CIA recruitment -- in news clips
- **EFTA00015219:** FOIA exemption: "confidential relationship with a foreign government" material withheld -- the intelligence nexus is SEALED

## 2.2 FBI + INFORMANT/SOURCE/COOPERATION

**Results:**

- **EFTA01650395:** "(DO) (FBI)" + "Epstein man" + "esource" -- fragmentary reference to Epstein as FBI resource
- **EFTA00009329:** "From within the office, from within the FBI" -- pushback on sex cases, resource allocation debates
- **EFTA00010507:** Jane Doe notification letters from FBI re investigation
- FBI case number **90A-NY-3151227** confirmed across multiple EFTAs as primary Epstein case serial
- **EFTA01684300:** "Special Agent (SA)" conducting August 2019 operations

## 2.3 MOSSAD / ISRAELI INTELLIGENCE

**Query Result:** 0 hits in older databases; full corpus: **2,151 documents** for "Mossad" / "CIA" / "intelligence service" combined (DS9: 1,117, DS10: 783, DS11: 198, DS8: 46). Additionally, 47 documents reference FBI CHS FD-1023 / "CHS Reporting."

**Correction (2026-02-12):** *The original claim of "0 hits for Mossad...in substantive Epstein context" was an artifact of searching only the older databases. The DS9 corpus contains multiple substantive intelligence agency references:*

- **EFTA00090314** (DS9): FBI CHS FD-1023, filed 10/19/2020, Source S-00099701, LA Field Office. CHS states Dershowitz told Acosta "Epstein belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services." CHS further states "Mossad would then call Dershowitz to debrief" after Epstein calls. Epstein "trained as a spy under" Barak. CHS also states Dershowitz said "if he were young again, he would be holding a stun gun as an Israeli Intelligence (Mossad) agent." Filed under case numbers 804I-LA-3315657-INTELPRODS and 50D-NY-3027571.
- **EFTA00030182** (DS8): Email dated July 10, 2019, forwarded by AUSA. Acosta "was told

*Epstein 'belonged to intelligence' and to leave it alone."*

- **EFTA00076059/EFTA00076060/EFTA00097444** (DS9): Same Daily Beast article forwarded to Geoffrey Berman (USANYS) with subject "For our next discussion" -- three copies circulating within SDNY prosecution team on July 9, 2019, the same day as Epstein's arrest.

*Note: FD-1023 documents are unverified CHS reports, not FBI conclusions. But their existence in the case file means the FBI received this intelligence. The classification of Part 9.3 has been changed from "intelligence gap" to "intelligence connection documented but unverified by FBI."*

The following remain significant as context:

- **EFTA00037218/37239**: Kohn (unverified source) states certain parties "ARE" intelligence-connected
- **EFTA00015219**: FOIA exemption invoked for foreign government relationship
- Barak's military/intelligence background + Epstein's Israeli military base tours

## 2.4 MI6/MI5/SIS

**Query Result:** 0 substantive hits. Maxwell's UK Special Forces security detail (**EFTA00011187**) is closest: "25-year veteran" of UK military providing security.

## 2.5 GEORGE SOROS -- PHILANTHROPY + FINANCE + INTELLIGENCE-ADJACENT

**Results:**

- **EFTA00014715/14717/23040**: Someone calling FBI claiming "information about Ghislaine Maxwell and that they are a friend of George Soros" -- FBI tip
- **EFTA01734786**: Soros Fund Management listed on LedgerX (Epstein crypto venture) confidential pitch deck
- **EFTA00013640**: Profile article: "Soros. Wasserstein. Kravis. Weill" -- context of Wall Street power
- **EFTA00016805**: Third-party letter mentioning "Scaramucci (friend of Soros and Goldscheider)"
- **EFTA00018180**: Tip claiming "Kalikow, Black, Soros, and many many more"
- **No direct Epstein-Soros correspondence found.** Soros Fund Management on LedgerX pitch is only institutional connection.

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# PART 3: THINK TANKS AND POLICY INSTITUTIONS

## 3.1 Trilateral Commission + Council on Foreign Relations

**Key Finding -- EFTA00013640:** Epstein profiled as "an enthusiastic member of the Trilateral Commission and the Council on Foreign Relations." This single document confirms Epstein's self-identification with both institutions.

- **EFTA00014526**: Trilateral Commission directly inviting Epstein: "Dear Mr. Epstein: I hope you have seen the program and other materials for the 2005 North American [regional meeting]" -- sent Sept 30, 2005 by O'Neil
- **EFTA01753765**: "cfr.org" reference in Epstein correspondence

## 3.2 Gates Foundation (BMGF)

- **EFTA01745511**: "Proposal for BMGF" -- CC'd Terje Roed-Larsen, coordinated through Epstein
- **EFTA01750755/02102896/02105139/02112426/02112483**: "Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation"

references

- **EFTA02546928** (prior findings): Gates Foundation Deputy Director Fitzgerald "private donor engagement" with Epstein
- **EFTA02532935** (prior findings): "Bill Gates will be here on monday night"

### 3.3 Clinton Foundation / Clinton Global Initiative

**Query Result:** 0 direct hits for "Clinton Foundation" or "Clinton Global Initiative" in hidden text. However:

- **EFTA00004477/577/5284** (prior findings): 300+ Clinton photos across continents
- **EFTA02513978** (prior findings): Maxwell-Epstein strategizing about Clinton dinner testimony

### 3.4 Other Institutions

*Correction (2026-02-12): The original "0 hits" claims for the institutions below were based on older databases only. Full corpus results:*

Institution	Original Claim	Full Corpus
Bilderberg	0 hits	51 documents
Brookings / Aspen Institute / Atlantic Council	0 hits each	486 documents combined
World Economic Forum / Davos	0 hits	1,962 documents
Rockefeller Foundation / Ford Foundation	0 hits	105 documents combined

- **World Economic Forum:** Epstein's C.O.U.Q. Foundation made direct donations: \$3,000 (1999) and \$50,000 (2000), per IRS Form 990PF (**EFTA00192298**). Isabel Maxwell (Ghislaine's sister) identified herself as "a World Economic Forum Technology" [Pioneer] (**EFTA00065640**). **EFTA00065987** references "notes from Davos" in same email discussing Glenn Dubin's retirement and "past ties with Jeffrey Epstein."
- **Carnegie:** 0 substantive hits
- **RAND:** 0 substantive hits (hits are mostly names like Randy, Rand property records)
- **Open Society / Soros:** See section 2.5 above

## PART 4: SEALED FILINGS AND COURT DOCUMENTS

### 4.1 Sealed Indictments and Orders

28 unique EFTA documents containing "sealed" references in V2 hidden text.

#### Key Sealed Documents Identified:

1. **EFTA01731021:** "(U) 20\_MAG\_247\_SEALED\_ORDER.pdf" -- Maxwell sealed magistrate order in FBI case index
2. **EFTA00008874:** "SEALED UNITED STATES OF AMERICA INDICTMENT" -- Maxwell indictment (20 Cr. 330)
3. **EFTA00009809:** "SEALED UNITED STATES OF AMERICA INDICTMENT" -- Epstein indictment (19 Cr. 490)
4. **EFTA00009502:** "shall be sealed" + grand jury immunity order for witness
5. **EFTA00009890:** Multiple defense reply briefs filed "under seal" with exhibits
6. **EFTA00010182:** "sealed memorandum opinion and order issued by Judge Nathan"
7. **EFTA00010186:** "Second Circuit has unsealed (and posted) a ton of documents from Ghislaine"

Maxwell libel lawsuit"

8. **EFTA00010194**: "letters shall be temporarily sealed while the Court resolves the redaction request"
9. **EFTA00010474**: "United States' Sealed Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Subject Matter Jurisdiction" -- GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS FGJ 07-103(WPB) and FGJ 05-02(WPB)
10. **EFTA00009977**: "Notable was reference to the sealed Federal indictment. I hadn't realized that he had already been indicted when he got the deal" -- references sealed 2007 federal indictment that preceded NPA
11. **EFTA01655209**: File management reference to "FINAL,SEALED,NEW VICTIMS" folder in document review system
12. **EFTA00019645/23503**: "ex parte sealed letter"
13. **EFTA01728788**: "UNDER SEAL" (pages 9 and 17) -- document under continuing seal

### **Protective Orders:**

- **EFTA01327387/28713/26217/29795/31448/26828**: All marked "SUBJECT TO PROTECTIVE ORDER PARAGRAPHS 7, 8, 9, 10, 15 and 17" -- Maxwell discovery materials under protective order. This is the JPMorgan/Deutsche Bank discovery protective order covering financial records.
- **EFTA00028529**: "protective order distinguishes between all discovery and that marked [confidential]"
- **EFTA00017943**: "Maxwell's appeal relating to the protective order mod[ification]"
- **EFTA01334133**: Multiple pages marked protective order paragraphs 7-8 (financial records)
- **EFTA00031993**: "RE: protective order and..."

### **Under Seal Motions:**

- **EFTA00021534/21549/21746/28529**: Series of emails: "motions under seal?" -- SDNY prosecutors coordinating seal status
- **EFTA00038631/38630**: "Maxwell trial docs under seal"
- **EFTA00010292**: "Motion FILED to seal document" -- 2d Circuit appeal
- **EFTA00010164**: "Joint letter (filed under seal) re: pseudonyms used by witnesses"
- **EFTA00009983**: Prosecutor asking "Do we think Judge Nathan would let us just file it under seal?"

## **4.2 Non-Prosecution Agreement (NPA)**

- **EFTA00013965**: "RE: Non-Prosecution Agreem[ent]"
- **EFTA00014033**: "Re: Confidential -- Non Prosecution Agreement"
- **EFTA00014122**: "Epstein state plea agreement was in compliance with the September 2007 non-prosecution agreement"
- **EFTA00014564**: "attached are the non-prosecution agreement, previously publicly filed in civil proceedings"
- **EFTA00027666**: "A non prosecution agreement would..." + "rescission or reopening of a prosecutorial agreement, including a non-prosecution agreement"
- **EFTA00028785**: "conviction and the non prosecution agreement (NPA). Records obtained by the Government from Institution-1 appear to show that just two days later, on or about November 30, 2018, the defendant wired \$100,000 from a trust account he controlled to an individual named as a possible co-conspirator"

### **NPA Architecture:**

The NPA (September 2007) was negotiated by:

- **Alexander Acosta** (U.S. Attorney, Southern District of Florida) -- 15+ documents
- **Jay Lefkowitz** (Epstein's attorney) -- mentioned **EFTA00027666**
- **Alan Dershowitz** (Epstein's attorney, self-negotiated immunity)

**EFTA00011475/13359**: OPR investigated whether Acosta gave NPA terms "favorable to Epstein, because of an improper motive, such as a bribe, political consideration, personal interest, or favoritism"

**EFTA00009977**: Internal recognition: "sealed Federal indictment" existed BEFORE the NPA -- meaning prosecutors had already secured a grand jury indictment and then chose not to pursue it, instead negotiating the NPA.

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## **PART 5: SETTLEMENT PAYMENTS AND SUPPRESSION**

### **5.1 Settlements**

- **\$600+ million estate**: Multiple documents (**EFTA00037515/19/29/32/35/38**, **EFTA00038491**, **EFTA01651264/72/79/83/98**) discuss "George placed liens on the more than \$600 million estate that have restricted his attorneys from paying settlements to victims"
- **EFTA00013511/13623**: "Epstein's signature on this agreement, nor its terms, nor any resulting waivers or settlements by Epstein are to be construed as admissions"
- **EFTA00013520**: "RE: Epstein settlement agreement" -- direct email, Oct 2007 (during NPA negotiation)
- **EFTA00013890**: NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENT plea document: "Felony Solicitation of Prostitution" -- plea terms
- **EFTA02731484** (prior findings): Leon Black paid \$62.5 million to USVI
- **EFTA00021442**: "Settlement Agreement and General Release"

### **5.2 Witness Tampering and Intimidation**

#### **"Forced off the Road" Incident:**

- **EFTA00015532**: Government detention memo: Epstein's "apparent previous willingness to obstruct a federal investigation, harass or tamper with witnesses, and hire private investigators that 'forc[ed] off the road' the father of an individual relevant in the investigation is alarming"
- **EFTA00028785**: Government bail memorandum references same incident

#### **Witness Tampering (Documented):**

- **EFTA00007157**: "will be compensated and those who hurt him will be dealt with." Detective told witness: "tampering with a witness/victim is an arrestable offense and very serious"
- **EFTA00007157**: "intimidation" -- victim intimidated, calls logged between witness and Epstein's assistant
- **EFTA00015532/28785/28297/29004/30832**: "credible allegations that the defendant engaged in witness tampering, harassment, or other obstructive behaviors" -- repeated across multiple government filings
- **EFTA00015532**: "demonstrated willingness to harass, intimidate and otherwise tamper with victims and other potential witnesses against him, render his dangerousness readily apparent"
- **EFTA00015661**: "prior investigation that the defendant or his agents engaged in witness tampering and harassment, and in fact there is evidence that he was contemplating pleading"
- **EFTA00020185**: Judge: "you describe some obstruction or harassment, witness tampering, alleged, by Mr. Epstein"
- **EFTA00018384**: Judge: "dangerousness is considerable and includes sex crimes with minor girls and tampering with potential witnesses"

## **\$100,000 Post-Miami Herald Wire:**

- **EFTA00028785**: "Records obtained by the Government from Institution-1 appear to show that just two days later, on or about November 30, 2018, the defendant wired \$100,000 from a trust account he controlled to an individual named as a possible co-conspirator in the NPA"
- **EFTA00020685** (prior findings): \$100K from Butterfly Trust to Avilooop LLC (Marcinkova) -- 2 DAYS after Miami Herald series began

## **5.3 Whistleblower Suppression**

### **Christopher Dilorio (Apollo/Epstein Whistleblower):**

- **EFTA00010819**: "Christopher J Dilorio, Whistleblower Extraordinaire" -- filed SEC complaints re ESWW shell company connecting Epstein Financial Trust to Leon Black/Apollo
- **EFTA00009904/10305/10710/10724/10750/10767**: "This was a blatant attempt to intimidate a whistleblower. 'HE' (I think a male although very effeminate voice) was an anonymous, coward, scumbag who threatened me. AND then called me another 11/12 times after that"
- Subject lines: "Fw: Apollo/ Epstein/Kushner connection"
- **EFTA00010750**: "ESWW was a money laundering shell. The SEC knows it. The degenerate Epstein knows it. The Degenerate Leon Black/Kushner BFF/ Milken proteges/Marc Rowan/Apollo knows it"

### **Maria Farmer (Victim/Whistleblower):**

- **EFTA01652337/01652143/01652061/01652208/01652719/01652016**: Extensive social media capture of Farmer's posts accusing Brad Edwards and David Boies of being "GATEKEEPERS" -- "BRAD RUTHLESSLY FISCALLY ABUSED ME WHILE BOIES WATCHED. They are enabling EPSTEIN EMPLOYEES 13 years via MILLION\$ while abandoning my need for cancer surgery"
- George B. Tonks: 424-document campaign against Farmer (captured by FBI as 4chan/social media evidence)

### **Artistic Whistleblower:**

- **EFTA00038111**: "Artistic WhistleBlower" -- forwarded message suggesting additional whistleblower communication

### **Victim Fear of Retaliation:**

- **EFTA00018441/18466**: Victims "reluctant to discuss [experiences with Epstein] for fear of retaliation"
- **EFTA00019994**: Victim: "I couldn't tell anyone, out of fear of judgment, blame or retaliation, keeping this secret completely hindered my ability to uncover why these issues existed"
- **EFTA00023292**: "continuous and active deception, duress, threats of retaliation, and other forms of misconduct that Epstein and his co-conspirators used to silence his many victims"
- **EFTA00015219**: FOIA response: witnesses could be "subjected to retaliation, intimidation, or physical or mental harm"

## **5.4 Obstruction of Justice**

- **EFTA00021861**: "investigating possible violations of federal criminal laws, including perjury, subornation of perjury, obstruction of justice and conspiracy"
- **EFTA00023910/30943**: "temptations of perjury, subornation and intimidation are ever present"
- **EFTA00024954**: "fabricating evidence or suborning perjury or the like"
- **EFTA00016349**: "tampering with evidence, or intimidat[ion would] jeopardize the investigation"
- **EFTA00020372/26494/26851**: Judicial finding that disclosure would result in "destruction of or tampering with evidence, or intimidation of potential witnesses"

## **5.5 Bribery References**

- **EFTA00011475/13359**: OPR examined whether NPA was result of "a bribe, political consideration,

- personal interest, or favoritism"
  - **EFTA00019889/19892**: UK litigation: "Did Worster take a bribe or was he ordered by the TSC to gag me? I presume if Staley was going to bribe a judge to cover up his role in the Epstein paedophile circle"
  - **EFTA00019286**: "U.S. v. Adams (MCC guard bribery)" -- MCC guard bribery case related to Epstein death investigation
  - **EFTA00021512**: "without coercion or bribery, during the normal back and forth of plea negotiations"
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## PART 6: ATTORNEY DUAL ROLES AND PAYMENTS

### 6.1 David Boies -- Victim Attorney AND Epstein-Adjacent

- **49 unique EFTA documents** containing "Boies" in V2 hidden text
- Boies Schiller Flexner LLP represented victims (Sigrid McCawley as lead)
- **EFTA00032751** (prior findings): "conspiracy to commit extortion" -- Boies and Pottinger accused of using Epstein's "illicit videos"
- **EFTA00015277**: "Pottinger was a lawyer at Boies Schiller who represented [victim] the plaintiff in the civil action"
- **EFTA00011418**: List of attorneys: "David Boies, Sigrid McCawley, Peter Skinner, Stanley Pottinger, Paul Cassell, Spencer Kuvin"
- **EFTA01476982/77103/77146**: BOIES appearing in Deutsche Bank financial records (**EFTA01477146** at pages 70 and 126)
- **EFTA01688359**: BOIES SCHILLER & FLEXNER LLP in wire records
- **EFTA01422362/34396**: "Boies Family" appearing in Epstein-related roster/account listing  
**CRITICAL FINDING**: Boies Schiller appears BOTH as victim representation AND in Deutsche Bank financial records associated with Epstein entities. The "Boies Family" listing alongside other Epstein contacts (Jonathan Liggett, David Mitchell, Adam Lindemann, Erik Moody) suggests social or financial overlap beyond attorney-client.

### 6.2 Brad Edwards / Edwards Pottinger LLC

- Founding Partner of Edwards Pottinger LLC, primary victim attorney
- **EFTA02731577** (prior findings): Edwards later RETAINED BY LEON BLACK as part of settlement -- creating conflict of interest
- **EFTA00019994**: Edwards: "Brad Edwards, B-r-a-d E-d-w-a-r-d-s, with the law firm of Edwards Pottinger. I have in the courtroom today 15 victims"
- **EFTA01651639/41/48/58**: "Civil Litigation of Sexual Abuse Claims -- Jeffrey Epstein Case Study" presented by Edwards Pottinger
- **EFTA01652846**: Maria Farmer accusing: "@BradEdwards\_Esq are atrocious GATEKEEPERS. BRAD RUTHLESSLY FISCALLY ABUSED ME"
- **EFTA00030765**: Edwards Pottinger Touhy Requests -- subpoena-related correspondence with SDNY

### 6.3 Stanley Pottinger

- **EFTA00014499**: Stan Pottinger, Partner, 1930 Broadway Suite 128, New York
- Pelham Bell Pottinger (**EFTA02013592/01777411**) -- PR firm, separate entity but name overlap

- **EFTA00015277**: "Pottinger was a lawyer at Boies Schiller who represented [victim]"
- **EFTA00032751** (prior findings): Pottinger implicated in "conspiracy to commit extortion" using Epstein's surveillance recordings

## 6.4 Alexander Acosta (NPA Prosecutor)

- 15+ documents referencing "Acosta, Alex (USAFLS)" -- U.S. Attorney for Southern District of Florida
- **EFTA00013557/559/723**: Acosta email: AAcosta@usa.doj.gov in NPA correspondence
- **EFTA00013754**: "RE: Epstein" -- Acosta direct involvement
- **EFTA00013678**: "Acosta, Alex (USAFLS)" + "RE: Epstein pleads guilty in state court"
- **EFTA01718407**: "Meeting (US: Alexander Acosta)" -- 2007 meeting documented
- **EFTA00027666**: Lefkowitz letter to Acosta initiating NPA process

# PART 7: CROSS-REFERENCE POWER MAP

## Entry 1: LARRY SUMMERS

- **DOMAIN 1 (Political)**: U.S. Treasury Secretary
- **DOMAIN 2 (Financial)**: D.E. Shaw, Apollo/Black nexus
- **DOMAIN 3 (Academic)**: Harvard President
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION**: Sexual assault allegation (Wigdor letter), 30+ emails, W9 filing, flights
- **EFTA CITATIONS**: 26+ unique documents
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED**: Victim Wigdor letter is not sealed but was submitted in attorney-SDNY context. No prosecution.
- **OBFUSCATION**: Harvard email signatures, assistant scheduling buffers, W9 as "consulting" cover

## Entry 2: EHUD BARAK

- **DOMAIN 1 (Political)**: Israeli Prime Minister
- **DOMAIN 2 (Military/Intel)**: IDF Chief of Staff, defense contracts
- **DOMAIN 3 (Financial)**: 301 E 66th apartment, Carbyne/defense tech
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION**: 25+ docs, direct emails, dinners, apartment in trafficking building
- **EFTA CITATIONS**: 50+ (including Deutsche Bank Natalie Barak staff records)
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED**: FOIA intel exemption (**EFTA00015219**). No prosecution.
- **OBFUSCATION**: Apartment at same address as MC2/victims. Nili Priell Barak as intermediary. "Defense consulting" cover.

## Entry 3: PETER MANDELSON

- **DOMAIN 1 (Political)**: UK Lord, Business Secretary
- **DOMAIN 2 (International)**: Russia (Deripaska), Congo (Andely/Ollivier)
- **DOMAIN 3 (Financial)**: Global Counsel advisory firm
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION**: 11+ docs, Moscow property, "tasty models and dancing," Congo coordination
- **EFTA CITATIONS**: 20+ unique documents
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED**: JPMorgan report referenced (**EFTA00037176**). No prosecution.
- **OBFUSCATION**: Global Counsel Ltd as legitimate cover. Congo/Russia triangulation. David Mitchell as intermediary.

## Entry 4: KATHRYN RUEMMLER

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- **DOMAIN 1 (Political):** Obama White House Counsel
- **DOMAIN 2 (Legal):** Goldman Sachs GC track, Latham & Watkins
- **DOMAIN 3 (Intelligence-adjacent):** Sealed indictment consultation, Clinton/Obama protection strategy
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 10+ docs, 15+ emails, career brokering, Nobel Committee access
- **EFTA CITATIONS:** 15+ unique documents
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED:** Discussion of sealed indictment ([EFTA02575359](#)). No prosecution.
- **OBFUSCATION:** "Personal friendship" framing. Post-WH professional transitions. Coded references ("PW").

## Entry 5: TERJE ROED-LARSEN

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- **DOMAIN 1 (Diplomatic):** UN Special Envoy, Oslo Accords
- **DOMAIN 2 (Philanthropic):** BMGF proposal coordination
- **DOMAIN 3 (Political):** Middle East policy, Norwegian government nexus
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 21+ docs, personal relationship, BMGF coordination
- **EFTA CITATIONS:** 21 unique documents
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED:** None identified
- **OBFUSCATION:** International Peace Institute cover. BMGF proposal routing. Guest list mixing (royalty + diplomats).

## Entry 6: BILL RICHARDSON

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- **DOMAIN 1 (Political):** NM Governor, Energy Secretary, UN Ambassador
- **DOMAIN 2 (Geographic):** NM overlap with Zorro Ranch
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** Victim testimony, prosecutor frustration, blanket denials
- **EFTA CITATIONS:** 35 "Richardson" docs (many DB staff), 4+ directly relevant
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED:** No sealed proceedings. Deceased Sept 2023.
- **OBFUSCATION:** Legal counsel misrepresentation. Jurisdictional gap (NM deferred to SDNY).

## Entry 7: GEORGE MITCHELL

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- **DOMAIN 1 (Political):** Senate Majority Leader
- **DOMAIN 2 (Diplomatic):** Trilateral Commission, CFR, Northern Ireland peace
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 2 independent victim testimonies, Epstein profile article
- **EFTA CITATIONS:** 3+ directly relevant
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED:** None identified. Never investigated despite dual victim identification.
- **OBFUSCATION:** Elder statesman reputation. Age barrier to prosecution.

## Entry 8: LESLIE WEXNER

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- **DOMAIN 1 (Financial):** L Brands billionaire, Victoria's Secret
- **DOMAIN 2 (Philanthropic):** Wexner Foundation
- **DOMAIN 3 (Intelligence-adjacent):** Kohn letters (unverified source) claim "certain parties ARE" intel-connected
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** 27 docs, power of attorney, 9 E 71st mansion transfer, blackmail claim
- **EFTA CITATIONS:** 27 unique documents across V2 + DS10
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED:** Blackmail dynamics prevented full disclosure. FOIA intelligence exemption applies.
- **OBFUSCATION:** Power of attorney created financial entanglement. "Unaware" public claim

contradicted by evidence.

## Entry 9: BOB KERREY

- **DOMAIN 1 (Political):** U.S. Senator
- **DOMAIN 2 (Academic):** New School President
- **DOMAIN 3 (Intelligence brokering):** Arranged Thiel + Burns (future CIA Director) lunch
- **EPSTEIN CONNECTION:** Single documented event connecting tech capital, intelligence, politics
- **EFTA CITATIONS:** [EFTA02589110](#)
- **SETTLEMENT/SEALED:** None identified
- **OBFUSCATION:** Academic presidency as cover. Single-event documented but strategically critical.

# PART 8: SYSTEMIC FINDINGS

## 8.1 The Sealed Architecture

The Epstein case involved multiple layers of sealed proceedings:

1. **Pre-NPA Federal Indictment (2007):** A sealed federal indictment existed BEFORE the NPA was negotiated ([EFTA00009977](#)). The existence of this indictment was concealed from victims.
2. **Grand Jury Proceedings:** FGJ 05-02(WPB) and FGJ 07-103(WPB) -- both under seal. Government filed "Sealed Motion to Dismiss" ([EFTA00010474](#)).
3. **Maxwell Criminal Case Sealing:** Extensive sealed filings in 20 Cr. 330 (AJN), including sealed memoranda, sealed exhibits, pseudonym letters, and Jencks material.
4. **Protective Orders:** JPMorgan/Deutsche Bank discovery covered by protective order paragraphs 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, and 17 -- hundreds of financial documents still under protection.
5. **FOIA Intelligence Exemption:** Material withheld under exemption protecting "confidential relationship with a foreign government" ([EFTA00015219](#)).
6. **Evidence Folder Naming:** Internal DOJ file management includes "FINAL,SEALED,NEW VICTIMS" folder ([EFTA01655209](#)).

## 8.2 The Suppression Pattern

1. **Financial Witness Suppression:** \$100K wire to NPA co-conspirator (Marcinkova/Aviloop) 2 days after Miami Herald exposure. \$250K additional wire documented.
2. **Physical Intimidation:** Private investigators "forced off the road" a victim's father ([EFTA00015532/28785](#)).
3. **Whistleblower Threats:** Dilorio received 11-12 threatening calls after filing Apollo/Epstein SEC complaint (6 separate EFTA documents).
4. **Victim Attorney Capture:** Brad Edwards, the primary victim attorney, was later retained by Leon Black ([EFTA02731577](#)) -- creating structural conflict.
5. **Institutional Silence:** Victims "reluctant to discuss experiences for fear of retaliation" ([EFTA00018441/18466](#)).
6. **OPR Investigation:** DOJ's own Office of Professional Responsibility investigated whether the NPA was result of "a bribe, political consideration, personal interest, or favoritism" ([EFTA00011475/13359](#)).

## 8.3 Document Counts Summary

Search Term	Unique EFTA Count (V2)	Full Corpus	Total Expansion
Larry Summers	18	5,118	~170x
Richardson	35	2,437	~70x
Terje/Roed-Larsen	21	8,885	~423x

Search Term	Unique EFTA Count (V2)	Full Corpus Total	Expansion
Mandelson	11	5,354	~487x
Ruemmler	10	8,940	~894x
Ehud Barak	7 (+ 50 DB staff)	3,744	~150x
George Mitchell	3	315	~105x
Kerrey	1	421	~421x
Wexner	15 (V2) + 12 (DS10)	1,497	~55x
Kissinger	0	431	0-to-431
Geithner	0	162	0-to-162
Tony Blair	0	269	0-to-269
Sealed	28	212	~8x
Settlement	34	14,894	~438x
NDA/non-disclosure	Not searched	5,215	--
Protective order	~10	3,519	~352x

*Note (2026-02-12): The dramatic expansion factors (50x-900x) require contextualization. DS9 includes daily FBI news clips, Wikipedia printouts, duplicate documents, and legal filings appearing in multiple copies. For individuals like Summers, substantive Epstein-specific documents are likely 50-100 rather than 5,118. The Kissinger, Geithner, and intelligence corrections are the most significant because they involve qualitative changes (from "absent" to "present") rather than merely quantitative expansion.*

## PART 9: CONCLUSIONS

### 9.1 Multi-Domain Power Overlap Assessment

Nine individuals have been identified with documented presence across 2+ domains of power AND documented Epstein connections in the 218GB DOJ release:

1. **Larry Summers** (Political + Financial + Academic) -- HIGHEST RISK: sexual assault allegation + active relationship 9 years post-conviction + W9 filing + flights
2. **Ehud Barak** (Political + Military/Intel + Financial) -- apartment in trafficking building, Israeli military base tours while under charges, direct emails to 2019
3. **Peter Mandelson** (Political + International/Russia + Financial) -- Moscow property, "tasty models," Congo political coordination, stayed at townhouse during Epstein's imprisonment
4. **Kathryn Ruemmler** (Political + Legal + Intelligence-adjacent) -- sealed indictment consultation, Clinton/Obama protection strategy, career brokering through Epstein
5. **Terje Roed-Larsen** (Diplomatic + Philanthropic + Political) -- Gates Foundation proposal coordination, personal relationship, Norwegian royalty connections
6. **Leslie Wexner** (Financial + Philanthropic + Intelligence-adjacent) -- power of attorney, mansion transfer, Kohn letters (unverified source) reference unnamed "certain parties" as intelligence-connected
7. **Bill Richardson** (Political + Energy + Geographic) -- victim testimony, prosecutor frustration documented, blanket denials contradicting record
8. **George Mitchell** (Political + Diplomatic + Think Tank) -- 2 independent victims, Trilateral Commission/CFR membership, never investigated
9. **Bob Kerrey** (Political + Academic + Intelligence brokering) -- arranged CIA Director candidate meeting with tech billionaire through Epstein

## 9.2 Sealed/Suppression Assessment

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The sealed architecture served multiple functions:

- **Victim silencing:** NPA concealed from victims (CVRA violation), settlements with NDAs
- **Institutional protection:** Protective orders over financial records, intelligence exemptions
- **Witness intimidation:** Physical threats, financial inducements (\$100K/\$250K wires), threatening calls
- **Attorney capture:** Victim attorney (Edwards) later retained by accused (Black)
- **Prosecutorial failure:** Pre-NPA indictment not pursued in favor of plea deal; OPR investigated whether improper motive influenced the decision but found "poor judgment," not "professional misconduct"

## 9.3 ~Intelligence Gap~ Intelligence Connection Documented but Unverified by FBI

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*Correction (2026-02-12): The original claim that the intelligence domain produced "zero hits" for Mossad, CIA, or MI6 "in substantive Epstein context" was an artifact of searching only older databases. The DS9 corpus contains an FBI CHS FD-1023 (EFTA00090314) in which a Confidential Human Source explicitly states:*

1. Dershowitz told Acosta that Epstein "belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services"
2. "Mossad would then call Dershowitz to debrief" after Epstein calls
3. Epstein "trained as a spy under" Barak
4. Dershowitz was "co-opted by Mossad"

*Additionally, EFTA00030182 documents that Acosta "was told Epstein 'belonged to intelligence' and to leave it alone," and three copies of the same article (EFTA00076059/76060/97444) were circulating within SDNY prosecution on July 9, 2019 (day of arrest), forwarded to Geoffrey Berman (USANYS) with "For our next discussion." FD-1023 documents are unverified CHS reports, not FBI conclusions. But their existence in the case file means the FBI received this intelligence and the original claim of absence was incorrect.*

*The full corpus also contains 174 documents referencing "intelligence asset" / "intelligence services" and 47 referencing FBI CHS / CHS Reporting.*

The following contextual evidence remains relevant:

- FOIA exemption for "confidential relationship with a foreign government" (EFTA00015219)
- Kohn letters (unverified source) stating "certain parties ARE" intelligence-connected
- Barak's military/intelligence background + 3,744 documents in full corpus
- Maxwell's father (Robert Maxwell) known intelligence connections
- Epstein to Barak: "you should make clear that i dont work for mossad :)" / "unfortunately, not" — Barak replies: "You or I?" / Epstein: "that I dont :)" (EFTA01013272, Dec 17, 2018)

The intelligence nexus is now documented through CHS reporting but remains unverified at the FBI conclusion level. The FD-1023 was filed under case numbers that include "INTELPRODS" (intelligence products), indicating it was processed through an intelligence channel rather than a criminal channel.

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*Report compiled from 100+ queries across primary document text database (519,520 recoverable redactions), Dataset 10 document text database (434,721 records), OCR text extraction database (38,955 records), and entity relationship database (524 entities, 2,096 relationships). All EFTA citations verified against primary database records.*

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**REVISIT INTEGRATION (2026-02-12):** This report was reviewed against the full text corpus (1,380,937 documents across all 12 datasets, 2,731,796 pages). 18 corrections were integrated. One correction is critical: Part 9.3 "Intelligence Gap" -- the claim of "zero hits for Mossad, CIA in substantive Epstein context" is directly contradicted by FBI CHS FD-1023 (EFTA00090314) stating "Epstein belonged to both U.S. and allied intelligence services." Five corrections are major: Kissinger (0 to 431 docs, dinner party list confirmed), Geithner (0 to 162 docs, on same dinner list), Ruemmler (10+ to 8,940 docs, named Trustee of Epstein 2018 Trust), Kerrey (1 doc to 421 docs, regular social engagement), and all think tank zero-claims invalidated (WEF: 1,962 docs with direct C.O.U.Q. Foundation donations). Every named individual showed expansion factors of 50x-900x. The report's analytical framework -- mapping multi-domain power figures and suppression patterns -- is confirmed and strengthened. The September 2014 dinner documents (EFTA00284908) confirm the power convergence thesis with Kissinger, Black, Barak, Summers, Staley, Blankfein, Blavatnik, Allen, and Geithner on a single planned dinner list. Cross-referenced with revisits #52, #54, #56, #57.


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# Democratic House Members in the Epstein Files

## Full-Corpus Search Results for All 216 Democratic U.S. House Members (119th Congress)

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### METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets (218 GB total). For officials with significant hit counts, a deeper context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets to categorize the nature of each mention.

#### Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
  - **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
  - **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
  - **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
  - **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
  - **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 216 officials searched
- 113 appear in the corpus (103 with zero mentions)
- 2 with DIRECT personal connections to Epstein
- 1 referenced in investigation/prosecution context
- 2 with MIXED mention types (multiple categories)
- 1 confirmed FALSE POSITIVES (different person with same name)
- 107 appear only in news coverage unrelated to Epstein
- 103 not found in any document

#### Officials with Direct Connections

**Stacey Plaskett** (U.S. House Virgin Islands At-large District) — 165 documents, 180 pages  
*Plaskett (USVI Delegate) had a direct, documented personal and financial relationship with Jeffrey Epstein. Epstein's calendar shows scheduled meetings with Plaskett at his USVI compound (STC/Little St. James), his staff coordinated fundraising contributions to her congressional campaigns ('Plaskett for Congress'), Epstein personally called her on*

her cell phone, and she was introduced to Epstein through attorney Erika Kellerhals. The documents include emails between Epstein's assistants and Plaskett arranging meetings from 2014 through 2018.

Key

documents: [EFTA02194417](#), [EFTA02259111](#), [EFTA00364653](#), [EFTA00365400](#), [EFTA00498953](#)

**Diana DeGette** (U.S. House Colorado District 1) — 48 documents, 55 pages

*DeGette (D-CO) had a documented fundraising relationship with Epstein. Multiple documents show a woman named Barbro (a mutual contact) introducing DeGette to Epstein, arranging meetings, and coordinating fundraisers for DeGette's congressional campaign hosted in New York City. Epstein was directly involved in organizing and contributing to DeGette's fundraising events, with communications from 2013-2014. DeGette's focus on stem cell research and science policy was cited as the basis for the introduction.*

Key

documents: [EFTA00941254](#), [EFTA02005451](#), [EFTA02701238](#), [EFTA02580265](#), [EFTA00706085](#)

## Officials with Mixed Mentions

**Steve Cohen** (U.S. House Tennessee District 9) — 120 documents, 123 pages

*The name 'Steve Cohen' matches TWO distinct individuals in this corpus. (1) Steven A. Cohen, the hedge fund billionaire (SAC Capital/Point72), appears in Epstein's personal communications about real estate dealings, financial news, and social connections -- Epstein discussed Cohen's prosecution for insider trading, Cohen's real estate listings, and potential employees from Cohen's fund. (2) Rep. Steve Cohen (D-TN), the congressman, appears in a DOJ OIG response letter about the Epstein plea deal investigation ([EFTA00811997](#)) and is referenced by Epstein victims/advocates as a congressman who pushed FBI Director Wray for accountability on Epstein evidence. The hedge fund Cohen has direct Epstein connections; the congressman's involvement is in the INVESTIGATION category.*

Key

documents: [EFTA01976853](#), [EFTA00708577](#), [EFTA02573553](#), [EFTA00715767](#), [EFTA00811997](#)

**Steny Hoyer** (U.S. House Maryland District 5) — 32 documents, 37 pages

*Hoyer appears primarily in news coverage (Congressional ceremonies, legislative debates, AOC confrontation). However, he is specifically mentioned in a direct email exchange between Epstein and Kathy Ruemmler (former White House Counsel), where Ruemmler says 'George Mitchell got this award too. And Steny Hoyer' -- referencing an award that both received ([EFTA02446424](#)). This email is part of Epstein's communication with Ruemmler, suggesting Hoyer was known to Epstein's circle at least by name in the context of an award/honor. Separately, multiple documents from Ehud Barak's U.S. visits (forwarded within Epstein's email system) note Barak's meetings with 'Democratic whip Steny Hoyer,' placing Hoyer's name in Epstein's Barak-related correspondence. No direct personal contact between Hoyer and Epstein is documented.*

Key documents: [EFTA02446424](#), [EFTA01157213](#), [EFTA00904427](#), [EFTA01256254](#)

## Officials in Investigation Context

**Jamie Raskin** (U.S. House Maryland District 8) — 26 documents, 30 pages

*Raskin appears in the corpus in two contexts: (1) political/news coverage (25th Amendment proposal, Judiciary Committee activities, DOJ oversight), and (2) direct*

involvement in the Epstein investigation as a signatory to congressional letters demanding accountability. He co-signed a letter to Attorney General William Barr demanding investigation into Epstein's death and the DOJ's handling of the case (EFTA00175131, EFTA00175178). He also appears in documents about a secular conference where he spoke alongside Lawrence Krauss (who was later connected to Epstein).

Key documents: [EFTA00175131](#), [EFTA00175178](#), [EFTA02519207](#), [EFTA02522653](#)

## Confirmed False Positives

**George Whitesides** (U.S. House California District 27) — 52 documents

*This is NOT the congressman George Whitesides (D-CA, elected 2024). The George Whitesides in these documents is Professor George M. Whitesides, the renowned Harvard biochemist. Epstein had a direct relationship with this scientist, arranging meetings through Boris Nikolic (a mutual connection) and scheduling in-person sessions at ISF (Institute for Scientific Frontiers). The documents show Epstein was introduced to Whitesides by Boris Nikolic, met with him multiple times between 2009-2012, and included him on lists of prominent scientists. The congressman George Whitesides (who previously led Virgin Galactic and was NASA Chief of Staff) is a completely different person.*

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Salud Carbajal	California District 24	0	0	—
Judy Chu	California District 28	2	2	NEWS
Gil Cisneros	California District 31	2	2	NEWS
Lou Correa	California District 46	0	0	—
Jim Costa	California District 21	2	2	NEWS
Mark DeSaulnier	California District 10	0	0	—
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Mike Levin	California District 49	1	1	NEWS
Sam Liccardo	California District 16	2	2	NEWS
Ted Lieu	California District 36	6	7	NEWS
Zoe Lofgren	California District 18	5	9	NEWS
Doris Matsui	California District 7	3	3	NEWS
Dave Min	California District 47	0	0	—
Kevin Mullin	California District 15	0	0	—
Jimmy Panetta	California District 19	1	1	NEWS
Nancy Pelosi	California District 11	148	238	NEWS
Scott Peters	California District 50	4	6	NEWS
Luz Maria Rivas	California District 29	0	0	—
Raul Ruiz	California District 25	0	0	—
Brad Sherman	California District 32	9	9	NEWS
Lateefah Simon	California District 12	0	0	—
Eric Swalwell	California District 14	24	32	NEWS
Linda Sánchez	California District 38	0	0	—
Mark Takano	California District 39	2	2	NEWS
Mike Thompson	California District 4	0	0	—
Norma Torres	California District 35	0	0	—
Derek Tran	California District 45	0	0	—
Juan Vargas	California District 52	2	2	NEWS
Maxine Waters	California District 43	20	20	NEWS
George Whitesides	California District 27	52	57	FALSE POSITIVE

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<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Nikki Budzinski	Illinois District 13	0	0	—
Sean Casten	Illinois District 6	1	1	NEWS
Danny K. Davis	Illinois District 7	0	0	—
Bill Foster	Illinois District 11	1	1	NEWS
Jesus Garcia	Illinois District 4	0	0	—
Jonathan Jackson	Illinois District 1	1	1	NEWS
Robin Kelly	Illinois District 2	4	4	NEWS
Raja Krishnamoorthi	Illinois District 8	11	12	NEWS
Mike Quigley	Illinois District 5	1	1	NEWS
Delia Ramirez	Illinois District 3	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Jan Schakowsky	Illinois District 9	7	7	NEWS
Brad Schneider	Illinois District 10	4	4	NEWS
Eric Sorensen	Illinois District 17	0	0	—
Lauren Underwood	Illinois District 14	6	10	NEWS

## **Indiana**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
André Carson	Indiana District 7	8	11	NEWS
Frank Mrvan	Indiana District 1	1	1	NEWS

## **Kansas**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Sharice Davids	Kansas District 3	0	0	—

## **Kentucky**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Morgan McGarvey	Kentucky District 3	0	0	—

## **Louisiana**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Troy Carter	Louisiana District 2	0	0	—
Cleo Fields	Louisiana District 6	0	0	—

## **Maine**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Jared Golden	Maine District 2	2	3	NEWS
Chellie Pingree	Maine District 1	0	0	—

## **Maryland**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Sarah Elfreth	Maryland District 3	0	0	—
Steny Hoyer	Maryland District 5	32	37	MIXED
Glenn Ivey	Maryland District 4	1	1	NEWS
April McClain-Delaney	Maryland District 6	0	0	—
Kweisi Mfume	Maryland District 7	0	0	—
John Olszewski Jr.	Maryland District 2	0	0	—
Jamie Raskin	Maryland District 8	26	30	INVESTIGATION

## **Massachusetts**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Jake Auchincloss	Massachusetts District 4	0	0	—
Katherine Clark	Massachusetts District 5	1	1	NEWS
Bill Keating	Massachusetts District 9	0	0	—
Stephen Lynch	Massachusetts District 8	12	13	NEWS
Jim McGovern	Massachusetts District 2	13	14	NEWS
Seth Moulton	Massachusetts District 6	2	3	NEWS
Richard Neal	Massachusetts District 1	5	6	NEWS

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Ayanna Pressley	Massachusetts District 7	28	40	NEWS
Lori Trahan	Massachusetts District 3	0	0	—

## **Michigan**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Debbie Dingell	Michigan District 6	6	8	NEWS
Kristen McDonald Rivet	Michigan District 8	0	0	—
Hillary Scholten	Michigan District 3	0	0	—
Haley Stevens	Michigan District 11	4	4	NEWS
Shri Thanedar	Michigan District 13	0	0	—
Rashida Tlaib	Michigan District 12	11	26	NEWS

## **Minnesota**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Angie Craig	Minnesota District 2	0	0	—
Betty McCollum	Minnesota District 4	0	0	—
Kelly Morrison	Minnesota District 3	1	1	NEWS
Ilhan Omar	Minnesota District 5	16	36	NEWS

## **Mississippi**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Bennie Thompson	Mississippi District 2	18	23	NEWS

## **Missouri**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Wesley Bell	Missouri District 1	3	3	NEWS
Emanuel Cleaver	Missouri District 5	1	1	NEWS

## **Nevada**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Steven Horsford	Nevada District 4	0	0	—
Susie Lee	Nevada District 3	0	0	—
Dina Titus	Nevada District 1	0	0	—

## **New Hampshire**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Maggie Goodlander	New Hampshire District 2	4	4	NEWS
Chris Pappas	New Hampshire District 1	1	2	NEWS

## **New Jersey**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Bonnie Watson Coleman	New Jersey District 12	0	0	—
Herbert C. Conaway Jr.	New Jersey District 3	0	0	—
Josh Gottheimer	New Jersey District 5	10	10	NEWS
LaMonica McIver	New Jersey District 10	1	1	NEWS
Robert Menendez Jr.	New Jersey District 8	0	0	—
Donald Norcross	New Jersey District 1	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Frank Pallone Jr.	New Jersey District 6	0	0	—
Nellie Pou	New Jersey District 9	0	0	—

## **New Mexico**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Teresa Leger Fernandez	New Mexico District 3	3	3	NEWS
Melanie Ann Stansbury	New Mexico District 1	0	0	—
Gabriel Vasquez	New Mexico District 2	0	0	—

## **New York**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Yvette D. Clarke	New York District 9	0	0	—
Adriano Espaillat	New York District 13	1	1	NEWS
Laura Gillen	New York District 4	0	0	—
Daniel Goldman	New York District 10	0	0	—
Hakeem Jeffries	New York District 8	21	26	NEWS
Timothy M. Kennedy	New York District 26	0	0	—
George Latimer	New York District 16	0	0	—
John Mannion	New York District 22	0	0	—
Gregory W. Meeks	New York District 5	0	0	—
Grace Meng	New York District 6	2	2	NEWS
Joseph Morelle	New York District 25	0	0	—
Jerrold Nadler	New York District 12	26	34	NEWS
Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez	New York District 14	37	67	NEWS
Josh Riley	New York District 19	0	0	—
Pat Ryan	New York District 18	0	0	—
Tom Suozzi	New York District 3	8	8	NEWS
Paul Tonko	New York District 20	0	0	—
Ritchie Torres	New York District 15	2	2	NEWS
Nydia Velazquez	New York District 7	10	14	NEWS

## **Non-Voting Delegate**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Eleanor Holmes Norton	Non-Voting Delegate District of Columbia	4	4	NEWS

## **North Carolina**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Alma Adams	North Carolina District 12	5	5	NEWS
Donald Davis	North Carolina District 1	1	1	NEWS
Valerie Foushee	North Carolina District 4	0	0	—
Deborah Ross	North Carolina District 2	0	0	—

## **Ohio**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Joyce Beatty	Ohio District 3	1	2	NEWS

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Shontel Brown	Ohio District 11	0	0	—
Marcy Kaptur	Ohio District 9	3	3	NEWS
Greg Landsman	Ohio District 1	0	0	—
Emilia Sykes	Ohio District 13	0	0	—

## **Oregon**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Suzanne Bonamici	Oregon District 1	7	7	NEWS
Janelle Bynum	Oregon District 5	0	0	—
Maxine Dexter	Oregon District 3	0	0	—
Val Hoyle	Oregon District 4	0	0	—
Andrea Salinas	Oregon District 6	0	0	—

## **Pennsylvania**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Brendan Boyle	Pennsylvania District 2	1	1	NEWS
Madeleine Dean	Pennsylvania District 4	5	5	NEWS
Chris Deluzio	Pennsylvania District 17	4	4	NEWS
Dwight Evans	Pennsylvania District 3	0	0	—
Chrissy Houlahan	Pennsylvania District 6	13	13	NEWS
Summer Lee	Pennsylvania District 12	0	0	—
Mary Gay Scanlon	Pennsylvania District 5	1	1	NEWS

## **Rhode Island**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Gabe Amo	Rhode Island District 1	0	0	—
Seth Magaziner	Rhode Island District 2	0	0	—

## **South Carolina**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
James Clyburn	South Carolina District 6	1	1	NEWS

## **Tennessee**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Steve Cohen	Tennessee District 9	120	123	MIXED

## **Texas**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Greg Casar	Texas District 35	3	3	NEWS
Joaquin Castro	Texas District 20	7	13	NEWS
Jasmine Crockett	Texas District 30	1	1	NEWS
Henry Cuellar	Texas District 28	4	4	NEWS
Lloyd Doggett	Texas District 37	2	3	NEWS
Veronica Escobar	Texas District 16	4	4	NEWS
Lizzie Pannill Fletcher	Texas District 7	0	0	—
Sylvia Garcia	Texas District 29	1	1	NEWS

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Vicente Gonzalez Jr.	Texas District 34	0	0	—
Al Green	Texas District 9	20	21	NEWS
Julie Johnson	Texas District 32	1	1	NEWS
Christian Menefee	Texas District 18	0	0	—
Marc Veasey	Texas District 33	0	0	—

## **Vermont**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Becca Balint	Vermont At-large District	0	0	—

## **Virgin Islands**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Stacey Plaskett	Virgin Islands At-large District	165	180	DIRECT

## **Virginia**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Donald Sternoff Beyer Jr.	Virginia District 8	0	0	—
Jennifer McClellan	Virginia District 4	0	0	—
Robert C. Scott	Virginia District 3	0	0	—
Suhas Subramanyam	Virginia District 10	0	0	—
Eugene Vindman	Virginia District 7	0	0	—
James Walkinshaw	Virginia District 11	0	0	—

## **Washington**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Suzan DelBene	Washington District 1	5	5	NEWS
Pramila Jayapal	Washington District 7	12	12	NEWS
Rick Larsen	Washington District 2	1	1	NEWS
Marie Gluesenkamp Pérez	Washington District 3	1	1	NEWS
Emily Randall	Washington District 6	0	0	—
Kim Schrier	Washington District 8	0	0	—
D. Adam Smith	Washington District 9	0	0	—
Marilyn Strickland	Washington District 10	3	3	NEWS

## **Wisconsin**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Gwen Moore	Wisconsin District 4	1	1	NEWS
Mark Pocan	Wisconsin District 2	12	13	NEWS

## **Officials with Zero Mentions**

The following officials do not appear in any of the 1,380,937 documents in the corpus:

- Shomari Figures (Alabama)
- Terri Sewell (Alabama)
- Yassamin Ansari (Arizona)
- Adelita Grijalva (Arizona)
- Pete Aguilar (California)

- Nanette Barragán (California)
- Julia Brownley (California)
- Salud Carbajal (California)
- Lou Correa (California)
- Mark DeSaulnier (California)
- Laura Friedman (California)
- Josh Harder (California)
- Sara Jacobs (California)
- Dave Min (California)
- Kevin Mullin (California)
- Luz Maria Rivas (California)
- Raul Ruiz (California)
- Lateefah Simon (California)
- Linda Sánchez (California)
- Mike Thompson (California)
- Norma Torres (California)
- Derek Tran (California)
- Joe Neguse (Colorado)
- Brittany Pettersen (Colorado)
- Rosa L. DeLauro (Connecticut)
- Jahana Hayes (Connecticut)
- John Larson (Connecticut)
- Maxwell Alejandro Frost (Florida)
- Jared Evan Moskowitz (Florida)
- Frederica S. Wilson (Florida)
- Sanford Bishop Jr. (Georgia)
- Jill Tokuda (Hawaii)
- Nikki Budzinski (Illinois)
- Danny K. Davis (Illinois)
- Jesus Garcia (Illinois)
- Delia Ramirez (Illinois)
- Eric Sorensen (Illinois)
- Sharice Davids (Kansas)
- Morgan McGarvey (Kentucky)
- Troy Carter (Louisiana)
- Cleo Fields (Louisiana)
- Chellie Pingree (Maine)
- Sarah Elfreth (Maryland)
- April McClain-Delaney (Maryland)
- Kweisi Mfume (Maryland)
- John Olszewski Jr. (Maryland)
- Jake Auchincloss (Massachusetts)
- Bill Keating (Massachusetts)
- Lori Trahan (Massachusetts)
- Kristen McDonald Rivet (Michigan)

- Hillary Scholten (Michigan)
- Shri Thanedar (Michigan)
- Angie Craig (Minnesota)
- Betty McCollum (Minnesota)
- Steven Horsford (Nevada)
- Susie Lee (Nevada)
- Dina Titus (Nevada)
- Bonnie Watson Coleman (New Jersey)
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- Yvette D. Clarke (New York)
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- Janelle Bynum (Oregon)
- Maxine Dexter (Oregon)
- Val Hoyle (Oregon)
- Andrea Salinas (Oregon)
- Dwight Evans (Pennsylvania)
- Summer Lee (Pennsylvania)
- Gabe Amo (Rhode Island)
- Seth Magaziner (Rhode Island)
- Lizzie Pannill Fletcher (Texas)
- Vicente Gonzalez Jr. (Texas)
- Christian Menefee (Texas)
- Marc Veasey (Texas)
- Becca Balint (Vermont)
- Donald Sternoff Beyer Jr. (Virginia)

- Jennifer McClellan (Virginia)
- Robert C. Scott (Virginia)
- Suhas Subramanyam (Virginia)
- Eugene Vindman (Virginia)
- James Walkinshaw (Virginia)
- Emily Randall (Washington)
- Kim Schrier (Washington)
- D. Adam Smith (Washington)

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# Democratic Senators in the Epstein Files

## Full-Corpus Search Results for All 45 Democratic U.S. Senators (119th Congress)

Generated 2026-02-12 from *full\_text\_corpus.db* (1,380,937 documents, 2,731,796 pages across 12 DOJ datasets)

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### METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets (218 GB total). For officials with significant hit counts, a deeper context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets to categorize the nature of each mention.

#### Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
  - **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
  - **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
  - **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
  - **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
  - **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 45 officials searched
- 42 appear in the corpus (3 with zero mentions)
- 2 with MIXED mention types (multiple categories)
- 40 appear only in news coverage unrelated to Epstein
- 3 not found in any document

#### Officials with Mixed Mentions

**Chuck Schumer** (U.S. Senate New York) — 62 documents, 76 pages

*Schumer appears primarily in news digests and political coverage (trade policy, elections, Supreme Court). However, one substantive reference ties him to the Epstein case: a document citing Palm Beach Police Chief Michael Reiter's complaint that prosecutor Barry Krischer was 'in the tank for Epstein,' noting that Epstein 'donated more than \$100,000 to Democrat candidates including Hillary Clinton and Chuck Schumer.' A separate news article reports Schumer donated \$7,000 in Epstein contributions to charity after Epstein's 2019 arrest. These are financial/donation connections, not personal relationships.*

*Key documents: [EFTA00214226](#), [EFTA01682136](#), [EFTA00026723](#)*

**Mark Warner** (U.S. Senate Virginia) — 55 documents, 70 pages

Warner appears predominantly in news coverage related to his Senate Intelligence Committee role (election security, Russia interference, classified briefings, TikTok). However, one significant document ([EFTA01788356](#)) shows a list of politicians who had participated in a video project associated with someone communicating directly with Epstein; Mark Warner is listed among 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' for a taping alongside Biden, Kissinger, Condoleezza Rice, and others. This indicates Warner agreed to participate in a media project connected to Epstein's network, though the nature and completion of that participation is unclear. No direct personal communications with Epstein are documented.

Key documents: [EFTA01788356](#)

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## COMPLETE LISTING BY STATE

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### Arizona

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Ruben Gallego	Arizona	1	2	NEWS
Mark Kelly	Arizona	10	12	NEWS

### California

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Alex Padilla	California	3	5	NEWS
Adam Schiff	California	61	93	NEWS

### Colorado

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Michael Bennet	Colorado	5	7	NEWS
John Hickenlooper	Colorado	4	9	NEWS

### Connecticut

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Richard Blumenthal	Connecticut	30	38	NEWS
Christopher S. Murphy	Connecticut	0	0	—

### Delaware

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Chris Coons	Delaware	18	20	NEWS
Lisa Blunt Rochester	Delaware	4	4	NEWS

### Georgia

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Jon Ossoff	Georgia	9	15	NEWS
Raphael Warnock	Georgia	7	11	NEWS

### Hawaii

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Mazie Hirono	Hawaii	1	4	NEWS
Brian E. Schatz	Hawaii	0	0	—

## Illinois

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Tammy Duckworth	Illinois	18	19	NEWS
Dick Durbin	Illinois	38	67	NEWS

## Maryland

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Angela Alsobrooks	Maryland	3	3	NEWS
Chris Van Hollen	Maryland	29	29	NEWS

## Massachusetts

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Edward J. Markey	Massachusetts	1	2	NEWS
Elizabeth Warren	Massachusetts	89	147	NEWS

## Michigan

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Gary Peters	Michigan	6	6	NEWS
Elissa Slotkin	Michigan	8	8	NEWS

## Minnesota

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Amy Klobuchar	Minnesota	26	42	NEWS
Tina Smith	Minnesota	3	3	NEWS

## Nevada

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Catherine Cortez Masto	Nevada	1	1	NEWS
Jacky Rosen	Nevada	0	0	—

## New Hampshire

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Maggie Hassan	New Hampshire	11	12	NEWS
Jeanne Shaheen	New Hampshire	7	9	NEWS

## New Jersey

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Cory Booker	New Jersey	61	118	NEWS
Andrew Kim	New Jersey	4	4	NEWS

## New Mexico

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Martin Heinrich	New Mexico	8	8	NEWS
Ben Ray Luján	New Mexico	1	2	NEWS

## New York

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Kirsten Gillibrand	New York	26	50	NEWS
Chuck Schumer	New York	62	76	MIXED

## Oregon

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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Jeff Merkley	Oregon	19	20	NEWS
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Ron Wyden	Oregon	49	60	NEWS
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## Pennsylvania

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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John Fetterman	Pennsylvania	1	1	NEWS
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## Rhode Island

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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Jack Reed	Rhode Island	17	21	NEWS
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Sheldon Whitehouse	Rhode Island	22	27	NEWS
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## Vermont

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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Peter Welch	Vermont	5	6	NEWS
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## Virginia

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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Tim Kaine	Virginia	31	35	NEWS
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Mark Warner	Virginia	55	70	MIXED
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## Washington

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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Maria Cantwell	Washington	8	9	NEWS
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Patty Murray	Washington	33	38	NEWS
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## Wisconsin

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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Tammy Baldwin	Wisconsin	6	6	NEWS
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## Officials with Zero Mentions

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- Christopher S. Murphy (Connecticut)
- Brian E. Schatz (Hawaii)
- Jacky Rosen (Nevada)

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# Executive Branch Officials in the Epstein Files

## Trump Administration (2025), Biden Administration, and Key Former Officials

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# METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets. For every official with hits, a detailed context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets with random ordering to categorize the nature of each mention.

## Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
  - **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
  - **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
  - **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
  - **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
  - **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely
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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 77 executive branch officials searched
- 75 appear in the corpus
- 8 with documented DIRECT personal connections to Epstein

## KEY FINDINGS

### Direct Personal Connections

**Elon Musk** (DOGE, SpaceX/Tesla CEO) — Strength: STRONG

*Extensive direct email correspondence with Epstein 2013-2014. Meeting at SpaceX, social invitations, Caribbean travel offers.*

**Steve Bannon** (Former White House Chief Strategist) — Strength: STRONG

*Extensive direct email correspondence 2018-2019. Discussed crypto strategy, policy, social events. Epstein invited Bannon to dinner with Woody Allen.*

**Howard Lutnick** (Commerce Secretary nominee) — Strength: STRONG

*Direct scheduling of meetings/drinks with Epstein. Painter recommendations through Maxwell. UJA dinner donation. Subject of FBI NTOC tip.*

**William Burns** (Former CIA Director (Biden)) — Strength: STRONG - newly identified significant connection

*Epstein introduced Burns to Peter Thiel. Direct scheduling emails with Epstein in 2014. Epstein mentioned Burns alongside Bill Gates visits. Post-conviction contact.*

**Donald Trump** (President) — Strength: MODERATE direct, vast CONTEXTUAL volume

*Well-documented 2002 praise of Epstein, party attendance, civil allegations, NTOC tip complaints. Vast majority of 1,803 docs are unrelated news.*

**Jared Kushner** (Former Senior Adviser) — Strength: MODERATE

*NY Observer invitation sent to Epstein, event seating charts. Social network overlap, not clear direct personal relationship.*

**Susan Rice** (Former NSA (Obama)) — Strength: MODERATE - via intermediary (Ruemmler)

*Epstein described her as 'fun' in email to Kathy Ruemmler (2017). Gates Foundation committee list. Suggests social familiarity, likely through Ruemmler.*

**Lisa Monaco** (Former Deputy AG (Biden)) — Strength: WEAK - Epstein seeking information about her, no evidence of direct contact

*Epstein asked Bannon about her: 'have you come across lisa monaco yet. obama counter terrorism girl?' Shows Epstein asking about government officials in conversations with contacts.*

## Investigation/Prosecution Connections

**Alexander Acosta** (Former Labor Secretary (Trump)) — Strength: CENTRAL - prosecutorial decision-maker

*Architect of the Non-Prosecution Agreement. Signed the NPA, victim letters, deferred prosecution agreements.*

**William Barr** (Former AG (Trump)) — Strength: STRONG - institutional response

*Oversaw MCC response after Epstein death. Declared 'serious irregularities.' Ordered BOP leadership changes.*

**Pam Bondi** (AG (Trump 2025)) — Strength: MODERATE - current oversight, historical FL AG records

*Reviewing/releasing Epstein files. FL AG office crime victims' services in Epstein case records.*

## False Positives Identified

**Stephen Miller**: Majority of hits are for 'Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd.' - a San Francisco law firm receiving Maxwell wire transfers. NOT the Trump political adviser.

## Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein Testimony

Merrick Garland, William Barr, Jeff Sessions, Loretta Lynch, Eric Holder, James Comey, Robert Mueller, Bill Clinton, Hillary Clinton

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# TRUMP ADMINISTRATION (2025)

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## Donald Trump

**Role:** President

**Documents:** 1803 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Extremely diverse mention types spanning all categories. Direct connections include: his famous 2002 quote praising Epstein ('terrific guy, he's a lot of fun'), attendance at parties where Epstein was present, the Trump Modeling Agency allegations, civil lawsuit allegations (dismissed/withdrawn), and NTOC tip line complaints alleging sex trafficking involvement. Investigation references include FBI/DOJ documents and congressional oversight. Massive volume of political news clips mentioning Trump in unrelated presidential/policy contexts (majority of the 1,803 docs).

- **DIRECT:** 2002 NY Magazine quote praising Epstein; NTOC tip complaints alleging participation in sex acts with minors ([EFTA01660651](#)); party attendance with Epstein at Sir Ivan Wilzig event; civil case references
- **INVESTIGATION:** FBI NTOC tip compilations; congressional oversight of Epstein case; references in victim statements
- **NEWS:** Vast majority - presidential news clips, policy coverage, campaign news, COVID briefings, general political reporting
- **POLITICAL:** Congressional investigations, DOJ oversight discussions

Sample

documents: [EFTA00188312](#), [EFTA01660651](#), [EFTA00782738](#), [EFTA01658425](#), [EFTA00148281](#)

## Elon Musk

**Role:** DOGE

**Documents:** 1038 | **Category:** DIRECT

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Extensive direct email correspondence between Musk and Epstein ([jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com)). Emails show Epstein arranging meetings with Musk at SpaceX, inviting him to social gatherings, discussing

Reid Hoffman, proposing Caribbean trips, and offering introductions to other powerful people. Epstein clearly cultivated a relationship with Musk from at least 2013-2014. Some docs are news articles about Musk unrelated to Epstein.

- **DIRECT:** Direct emails from Epstein to Musk and vice versa ([EFTA00649662](#), [EFTA02708600](#)); scheduling meetings at SpaceX ([EFTA02146241](#)); lunch invitations ([EFTA01909090](#)); 'caribbean?' Christmas invite ([EFTA01003577](#)); guest lists including both ([EFTA01934300](#)); Epstein offering social introductions ('all fun based, not a funding trip' - [EFTA01904574](#))
- **NEWS:** Articles about Musk/SpaceX/Tesla forwarded within Epstein network ([EFTA02595589](#)); Quora articles ([EFTA00700665](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00649662](#), [EFTA02708600](#), [EFTA01909090](#), [EFTA00958255](#), [EFTA01003577](#)

## Marco Rubio

**Role:** Secretary of State

**Documents:** 152 | **Category:** NEWS

All sampled mentions are news clips and political reporting. Rubio appears as FL Senator in news roundups covering intelligence committee work, election interference briefings, GOP responses to Obama, nuclear policy, campaign coverage, and FBI/Steele dossier discussions. No direct connection to Epstein found.

- **NEWS:** Senate Intelligence Committee coverage ([EFTA01659028](#)); GOP response to State of Union ([EFTA01113895](#)); campaign news ([EFTA01184563](#)); FBI/Steele dossier oversight ([EFTA00148940](#)); election interference briefings ([EFTA00135998](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Intelligence committee oversight of election security  
Sample documents: [EFTA01659028](#), [EFTA01113895](#), [EFTA01101134](#), [EFTA00135998](#)

## Howard Lutnick

**Role:** Commerce Secretary

**Documents:** 137 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Strong direct connections. Lutnick appears in Epstein's scheduling emails for drinks and meetings, was recommended by Maxwell's circle for painter services, was honored at UJA dinner where Epstein's assistant Lesley Groff facilitated a \$50K donation, appeared on social event guest lists alongside Epstein, and was the subject of an FBI NTOC tip ([EFTA00020515](#)) reporting him as potentially connected to Epstein. Also appeared on benefit co-chair lists with Epstein associates (Dubin, Cohen, Tudor Jones).

- **DIRECT:** Scheduling calls/meetings with Epstein ([EFTA02536849](#), [EFTA00907308](#)); drinks appointment ([EFTA00587232](#), [EFTA00434306](#)); painter recommendation from Maxwell's circle ([EFTA00903892](#)); UJA dinner donation via Lesley Groff ([EFTA02229720](#)); benefit co-chair lists with Epstein associates ([EFTA00527712](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** FBI NTOC tip reporting Lutnick as potentially connected to Epstein ([EFTA00020515](#)) - caller from UK providing information

Sample

documents: [EFTA00020515](#), [EFTA00587232](#), [EFTA02229720](#), [EFTA00903892](#), [EFTA02536849](#)

## Kash Patel

**Role:** FBI Director

**Documents:** 77 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions fall into two clear categories: (1) News coverage of Patel as FBI Director being asked to release Epstein files by Sen. Blackburn and AG Bondi, and (2) unsolicited public tip emails/letters addressed to Patel demanding investigations of various individuals connected to Epstein. Also some earlier political coverage of Patel re: Russiagate classified info controversy. No direct personal

connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** Patel as FBI Director receiving requests to release Epstein files ([EFTA01655686](#), [EFTA00172149](#)); meeting with AG Bondi and VP Vance on Epstein case ([EFTA01654395](#))
- **NEWS:** Coverage of Patel in various FBI Director capacities - NBA gambling probe, Russiagate investigation ([EFTA00150636](#)); unrelated FBI business
- **INVESTIGATION:** Public tip letters addressed to Patel demanding investigation of Peter Mandelson, Rupert Murdoch, etc. ([EFTA00144082](#), [EFTA00143663](#), [EFTA00143736](#)) - these are unsolicited public correspondence, not Patel's own involvement  
Sample documents: [EFTA01655686](#), [EFTA00172149](#), [EFTA00143663](#), [EFTA00144082](#)

## **Jim Jordan**

**Role:** House Judiciary Chairman

**Documents:** 72 | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions are overwhelmingly political/legislative context. Jordan appears as House Judiciary Committee ranking member/chair involved in oversight of Russia probe, DOJ/FBI oversight, tech company hearings, Roger Stone commutation support, and Epstein-related congressional subpoenas. He wrote to CIA Director Burns demanding information on the 51 intelligence signers of the Hunter Biden laptop letter. Also appears on an AIPAC-type attendee list ([EFTA00086370](#)). No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** Congressional oversight - subpoenaed DOJ prosecutor who investigated Trump ([EFTA01655328](#)); defending Barr at hearings ([EFTA00150422](#), [EFTA01658338](#)); Epstein-related congressional subpoenas of former AGs/FBI Directors (implied); Stone commutation support ([EFTA00150682](#)); letter to CIA Director Burns ([EFTA00163736](#))
- **NEWS:** Tech company bias hearings ([EFTA00136262](#)); government shutdown commentary ([EFTA01132909](#)); election fraud claims ([EFTA00148128](#)); FBI headquarters funding ([EFTA01655861](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01655328](#), [EFTA00150422](#), [EFTA01658338](#), [EFTA00136262](#)

## **Pam Bondi**

**Role:** Attorney General

**Documents:** 54 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions split between (1) Bondi as current AG reviewing Epstein files, promising releases, claiming 'tens of thousands' of videos, and facing bipartisan pressure to release client list, and (2) Bondi as former FL AG with her office's crime victims' services appearing in Epstein case docket materials. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** FL AG crime victims' services documents in Epstein case file ([EFTA00194822](#)); letter from law professor Paul Cassell to AG Bondi about Epstein victims ([EFTA00174456](#))
- **POLITICAL:** AG Bondi promising to release more Epstein files ([EFTA00163358](#), [EFTA00163321](#)); claiming 'truckload' of documents; working with Patel, Ratcliffe, Gabbard on case ([EFTA01655304](#)); facing pressure from lawmakers ([EFTA00163321](#))
- **NEWS:** General AG activities unrelated to Epstein - immigration enforcement ([EFTA01649361](#)), DOJ purge coverage ([EFTA01655651](#))  
Sample

documents: [EFTA00163358](#), [EFTA00163321](#), [EFTA00194822](#), [EFTA00174456](#), [EFTA01655304](#)

## **Stephen Miller**

**Role:** Senior Advisor

**Documents:** 41 | **Category:** MIXED

**IMPORTANT:** Most mentions are a FALSE POSITIVE for a different Stephen Miller. The financial documents show 'Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd.' - a San Francisco law firm receiving wire transfers from Ghislaine Maxwell's 116 East 65th Street LLC account at JP Morgan Chase. Multiple bank transfer

records show Maxwell wiring \$8,625, \$16,175, \$19,687.50 to this firm. This is NOT Stephen Miller the Trump political adviser - it is the law firm Stephen Miller Siegel. The Trump adviser Stephen Miller appears in some political news clips about White House policy.

- **FALSE\_POSITIVE:** Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd. - a San Francisco law firm receiving wire transfers from Ghislaine Maxwell's accounts ([EFTA01517258](#), [EFTA01517264](#), [EFTA01588893](#), [EFTA01579718](#), [EFTA01579736](#)). This is a different entity from the Trump adviser.
- **NEWS:** Trump White House adviser Stephen Miller in political news - threats against him ([EFTA01655264](#)), policy statements on Portland protests ([EFTA00150058](#), [EFTA00150106](#)), CREW ethics complaint ([EFTA00150271](#)), legal group activities ([EFTA01655328](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01588893](#), [EFTA01579718](#), [EFTA01579736](#), [EFTA01517258](#)  
*Note: The majority of hits are for the law firm 'Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd.' which handled Ghislaine Maxwell's financial transfers. The Trump political adviser is a separate person appearing in news clips.*

## John Ratcliffe

**Role:** CIA Director

**Documents:** 34 | **Category:** POLITICAL

All mentions are political/news context. Ratcliffe appears as DNI releasing intelligence about Russian election interference, Obama-era surveillance, and the Steele dossier. Also appears as CIA Director in Trump 2025 administration working with Patel and Bondi on Epstein file releases. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** DNI releasing intelligence on Russian interference ([EFTA00136693](#), [EFTA00136746](#)); Obama-era intelligence handling disclosures ([EFTA01655462](#)); working with Patel/Bondi/Gabbard on Epstein case releases ([EFTA01655304](#)); CIA Director referring Brennan evidence to FBI ([EFTA01655495](#))
- **NEWS:** DNI confirmation hearings ([EFTA00148445](#)); AI ethics framework ([EFTA00136104](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01655304](#), [EFTA01655462](#), [EFTA00136693](#), [EFTA00135754](#)

## Doug Collins

**Role:** VA Secretary

**Documents:** 27 | **Category:** POLITICAL

All mentions relate to Collins as House Judiciary Committee ranking member involved in oversight of Epstein's death at MCC, the IG investigation of FISA abuse, and general political news. Collins co-signed the Nadler letter demanding answers from Bureau of Prisons after Epstein's apparent suicide. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** Co-signed letter with Nadler demanding BOP answers after Epstein death ([EFTA00040358](#), [EFTA00094360](#), [EFTA00094388](#), [EFTA00056410](#)); demanded Wray resign ([EFTA01658495](#)); IG investigation oversight ([EFTA00160986](#))
- **NEWS:** Georgia Senate race coverage ([EFTA00150106](#)); election night commentary ([EFTA00161240](#)); Sessions prison reform testimony ([EFTA00064917](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00040358](#), [EFTA00094360](#), [EFTA00056410](#), [EFTA01658495](#)

## Matt Gaetz

**Role:** AG Nominee (withdrawn)

**Documents:** 17 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions relate to (1) Gaetz's own federal sex trafficking investigation and his associate Joel Greenberg's case, (2) his campaign paying \$25,000 to a lawyer who represented Epstein, and (3) general political news. One document ([EFTA00129241](#)) alleges Greenberg recruited women for powerful men including Gaetz. Not direct Epstein involvement but Gaetz's own sex trafficking investigation overlaps thematically.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Gaetz campaign paid \$25,000 to Epstein's former lawyer (EFTA00162594); Gaetz associate Greenberg sex trafficking case (EFTA01250093, EFTA00160751); tipster alleging Greenberg recruited women for Gaetz and others via stolen IDs (EFTA00129241)
- **NEWS:** Tech company bias hearings (EFTA01658338); immigration letter signing (EFTA00046963); DOJ/Barr defense (EFTA01658338)
- **POLITICAL:** Gaetz using campaign funds for trafficking probe defense (EFTA00160570)  
Sample documents: EFTA00162594, EFTA00129241, EFTA01250093, EFTA00160751

## **Tulsi Gabbard**

**Role:** Director of National Intelligence

**Documents:** 11 | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions are split between (1) Gabbard as DNI in Trump 2025 administration working on Epstein file releases and intelligence matters, and (2) earlier 2019-2020 presidential campaign news coverage. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** DNI working with Patel/Bondi/Ratcliffe on Epstein case (EFTA01655304); DNI intelligence agency restructuring (EFTA01655417); aides altering intelligence reports (EFTA01655934, EFTA01655948); Senate confirmation (EFTA01655597)
- **NEWS:** 2019-2020 Democratic presidential primary coverage (EFTA00045963, EFTA00043963, EFTA00046963)  
Sample documents: EFTA01655304, EFTA01655934, EFTA00045963

## **JD Vance**

**Role:** Vice President

**Documents:** 10+ | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions are primarily 2025 news coverage of VP Vance in political/governmental context. Key finding: Vance participated in a White House meeting with AG Bondi and Director Patel to discuss the Epstein case (EFTA01654395). Other mentions include unsolicited public tip letters praising Trump/Vance, VP activities, and Bolton investigation comments. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** White House meeting discussing Epstein case with Bondi and Patel (EFTA01654395); mediating FBI disputes (EFTA00163687); defending Bolton investigation (EFTA01655381)
- **NEWS:** AI summit in Paris (EFTA01655597); Gaetz nomination escort (EFTA01656108); tariff coverage (EFTA01655668); general VP activities
- **INVESTIGATION:** Unsolicited public tip letters praising Trump/Vance (EFTA00143557, EFTA00143878, EFTA00143843)  
Sample documents: EFTA01654395, EFTA00163687, EFTA01655597

## **Pete Hegseth**

**Role:** Secretary of Defense

**Documents:** 8 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Hegseth as Defense Secretary or Fox News personality. Includes coverage of Pentagon cyber operations, leak crackdowns, cabinet approval ratings, and his Fox News advocacy for Trump. One mention in a Michael Wolff book excerpt about Fox & Friends coverage. No connection to Epstein whatsoever.

- **NEWS:** Defense Secretary coverage - cyber operations (EFTA01655668), nondisclosure agreements (EFTA01655450), sedition video controversy (EFTA01654341); Fox News personality (EFTA00046963, EFTA00316512); cabinet approval ratings (EFTA01660803)  
Sample documents: EFTA01655668, EFTA01654341, EFTA01655450

## **Kristi Noem**

**Role:** DHS Secretary

**Documents:** 7 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Noem as DHS Secretary or South Dakota Governor. Topics include CISA policy, COVID-19 response, biometric data sharing with Chile, Confederate statue controversy, and polygraph operations. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** DHS Secretary activities ([EFTA00162485](#), [EFTA01655304](#)); COVID-19 South Dakota coverage ([EFTA00148778](#)); Confederate statue debate ([EFTA00148620](#)); cabinet ratings ([EFTA01660803](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00162485](#), [EFTA01655304](#), [EFTA00148778](#)

## **Robert F Kennedy Jr**

**Role:** HHS Secretary

**Documents:** 6 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) a documentary film premiere ('The Last Mountain') invitation where Epstein was apparently on the guest/distribution list ([EFTA02025279](#), [EFTA02189196](#)), (2) RFK Jr. named in Peter Nygard litigation as part of campaign against Nygard alongside environment campaigners ([EFTA02727130](#)), (3) references to JFK/RFK assassination file declassification, and (4) HHS Secretary news. Note: Most 'Robert F. Kennedy' hits refer to the DOJ building name or historical RFK assassination, not RFK Jr.

- **DIRECT:** Film premiere invitation in Epstein's files for 'The Last Mountain' documentary ([EFTA02025279](#), [EFTA02189196](#)) - RFK Jr. was the subject/participant of the documentary, and the invitation was found in Epstein's records
- **NEWS:** JFK/RFK assassination declassification executive orders ([EFTA01655629](#), [EFTA01655625](#)); HHS Secretary nomination coverage ([EFTA01657969](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** Named in Nygard litigation alongside environmental campaigners ([EFTA02727130](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA02025279](#), [EFTA02189196](#), [EFTA02727130](#), [EFTA01655629](#)

*Note: The film premiere invitation is a tangential connection - RFK Jr. was the environmental activist subject of the documentary; Epstein apparently received or was forwarded the invitation. Most 'Robert F. Kennedy' hits refer to the historical figure or the DOJ building.*

## **Vivek Ramaswamy**

**Role:** DOGE

**Documents:** 5 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are FBI Daily News Summary entries about Ramaswamy's 2023-2024 presidential campaign statements, including proposals to shut down the FBI, slash federal government, and eradicate various agencies. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Presidential campaign coverage in FBI daily briefings ([EFTA00160570](#), [EFTA00160409](#), [EFTA00160489](#), [EFTA00160510](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00160570](#), [EFTA00160409](#), [EFTA00160489](#)

## **Lee Zeldin**

**Role:** EPA Administrator

**Documents:** 4 | **Category:** NEWS

Mentions are political news - Zeldin as EPA Administrator investigating climate fund fraud, requesting IG probes, and attending AIPAC events as a congressman. One document includes him on the same page as Jim Jordan in what appears to be an AIPAC-related contact/attendee list ([EFTA00086370](#)). No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** EPA Administrator activities - climate fund probe ([EFTA01655631](#), [EFTA01655668](#)), IG investigation requests ([EFTA01655511](#)); congressional event attendance ([EFTA01659151](#), [EFTA00137440](#), [EFTA00135832](#))
- **NOTE:** [EFTA00086370](#) appears to be an AIPAC or similar organization attendee list that includes

Zeldin alongside Jim Jordan and others

Sample documents: [EFTA01655631](#), [EFTA01655668](#), [EFTA00086370](#)

## Linda McMahon

**Role:** Education Secretary

**Documents:** 3 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of McMahon's nomination and confirmation as Secretary of Education, and her congressional interactions. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Education Secretary nomination ([EFTA01656108](#)); confirmation and activities ([EFTA01655668](#), [EFTA01655948](#), [EFTA01655964](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01656108](#), [EFTA01655668](#)

## Tom Homan

**Role:** Border Czar

**Documents:** 3 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions relate to (1) DOJ ending an investigation into Homan for allegedly accepting \$50K in an FBI sting/bribery operation ([EFTA01655437](#), [EFTA01655462](#)), and (2) general immigration policy commentary as Fox News contributor. The bribery investigation is NOT Epstein-related but appears in FBI news compilations alongside Epstein coverage.

- **NEWS:** ICE Director/border czar immigration policy ([EFTA00149896](#), [EFTA00164348](#)); DOJ dropping probe of Homan bribery sting ([EFTA01655437](#), [EFTA01655462](#)); political interference concerns ([EFTA01655450](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** \$50K FBI sting investigation ([EFTA01655480](#)) - NOT Epstein-related, appears in same FBI compilations

Sample documents: [EFTA01655437](#), [EFTA01655462](#), [EFTA00149896](#)

## Mike Waltz

**Role:** National Security Advisor

**Documents:** 2 | **Category:** NEWS

Both mentions are political news - Waltz as HPSCI member moderating China influence panel ([EFTA00163736](#)) and as congressman releasing a China task force report ([EFTA00160334](#)). No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** China influence operations panel ([EFTA00163736](#)); China task force report release ([EFTA00160334](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00163736](#), [EFTA00160334](#)

## Scott Bessent

**Role:** Treasury Secretary

**Documents:** 1 | **Category:** MIXED

Only two mentions found: (1) A threat/tip to the FBI demanding Epstein files release, threatening to 'execute James Comer and Scott Bessent and his partner' ([EFTA00161527](#)) - this is a threatening public communication, not a connection to Epstein. (2) A news reference to Treasury Secretary Bessent commenting on China/fentanyl trade ([EFTA01655495](#)).

- **INVESTIGATION:** Threatening tip demanding Epstein file release ([EFTA00161527](#)) - public threat, not personal connection
- **NEWS:** Treasury Secretary fentanyl/China policy ([EFTA01655495](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00161527](#), [EFTA01655495](#)

## Other Trump Administration Officials

Official	Role	Docs	Pages
Robert Kennedy	HHS Secretary (alt search)	22	22
James Mattis	Former SecDef	17	17

Official	Role	Docs	Pages
Robert F. Kennedy Jr.	HHS Secretary	12	15
Doug Burgum	Interior Secretary	9	9
Andy Biggs	Former Rep. (AZ)	5	6
Chris Wright	Energy Secretary	5	5
Russell Vought	OMB Director	4	6
Sean Duffy	Transportation Secretary	3	3
Pete Ricketts	Senator (NE)	3	4
Brooke Rollins	Agriculture Secretary	2	2
J.D. Vance	Vice President	1	1

*All of the above appear only in news coverage and political reporting unrelated to Epstein.*

## BIDEN ADMINISTRATION & KEY FORMER OFFICIALS

### Steve Bannon

**Role:** Former Chief Strategist

**Documents:** 1888 | **Category:** DIRECT

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Extensive direct email correspondence between Bannon and Epstein from 2018-2019. Emails show them discussing crypto/bitcoin policy, treasury regulation, launching a \$100M bitcoin-backed organization ('Citizens of the American Republic'), Netflix counter-strategy, sharing news articles, discussing Lisa Monaco ('Obama counter terrorism girl'), and Epstein inviting Bannon to dinner with Woody Allen and the UN president. Bannon and Epstein exchanged Apple Watch gifts. Clear ongoing personal and business relationship.

- **DIRECT:** Direct emails on crypto/bitcoin strategy ([EFTA00881425](#), [EFTA02524739](#)); dinner invitation with Woody Allen and UN president ([EFTA00904107](#)); discussing Lisa Monaco ([EFTA00877050](#)); Apple Watch exchange ([EFTA01027571](#)); Netflix strategy discussion ([EFTA01615781](#)); sharing news articles and political commentary ([EFTA01616087](#), [EFTA01616057](#)); extensive Signal/text message exchanges ([EFTA01615814](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA00904107](#), [EFTA00877050](#), [EFTA00881425](#), [EFTA02524739](#), [EFTA01027571](#)

### Bill Clinton

**Role:** Former President

**Documents:** 1384 | **Category:** DIRECT

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Previously extensively documented. Direct connections include flight logs on Epstein's plane, known social relationship, Clinton performing magic tape list, and congressional subpoenas for deposition testimony alongside Hillary Clinton. Also massive volume of political news mentioning Clinton in unrelated contexts.

- **DIRECT:** Flight logs, social connections, magician performance list ([EFTA00839333](#)); subpoenaed for deposition by House Oversight on Epstein ([EFTA01656921](#))
- **NEWS:** Vast political news coverage
- **INVESTIGATION:** Congressional subpoenas for Epstein deposition  
Sample documents: [EFTA01656921](#), [EFTA00839333](#), [EFTA01192715](#)

### Alexander Acosta

**Role:** Former Labor Secretary

**Documents:** 1183 | **Category:** INVESTIGATION

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

As US Attorney for the Southern District of Florida, Acosta was the architect of the controversial 2007-2008 Non-Prosecution Agreement (NPA) with Epstein. His name appears on the NPA itself, on victim notification letters, on deferred prosecution agreements, and throughout DOJ internal review documents evaluating whether the NPA contradicted criminal enforcement policy. Acosta's prosecutorial role in the Epstein case is extensively documented in the corpus.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Signed the Non-Prosecution Agreement ([EFTA00233878](#)); authored victim notification letters ([EFTA00210202](#)); signed deferred prosecution agreement ([EFTA00296592](#)); DOJ internal policy review of his decisions ([EFTA00289782](#)); court filings under his authority ([EFTA00215719](#)); correspondence with defense counsel ([EFTA00213048](#)); letters to FBI agents ([EFTA00183087](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA00233878](#), [EFTA00296592](#), [EFTA00289782](#), [EFTA00210202](#), [EFTA00213048](#)

## **Barack Obama**

**Role:** Former President

**Documents:** 845 | **Category:** NEWS

Overwhelmingly political news coverage. Obama appears in news clips about Middle East policy, Iran negotiations, healthcare reform, Afghanistan, and general presidential coverage found in Epstein's vast media collection (news clipping services, foreign policy articles). Some mentions in context of intelligence community oversight (Ratcliffe disclosures 'implicating Obama'). No direct personal connection to Epstein found.

- **NEWS:** Middle East policy ([EFTA00584764](#), [EFTA00684173](#)); Iran negotiations ([EFTA02006023](#)); healthcare ([EFTA01207294](#)); presidential coverage ([EFTA01180426](#)); DOJ/intelligence ([EFTA00065241](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Ratcliffe disclosures allegedly implicating Obama in 'treasonous plot' per partisan commentary ([EFTA00135754](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00584764](#), [EFTA00684173](#), [EFTA02006023](#), [EFTA01207294](#)

## **Hillary Clinton**

**Role:** Former Sec. State

**Documents:** 757 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Mixed mentions. Majority are political news about her campaigns, email controversy, and policy positions. Some direct connections through Bill Clinton's network - she appears on magician performance list ([EFTA01192715](#)), on NY Post gossip about Epstein bid to burn plea ([EFTA01072511](#)), and in Ratcliffe intelligence disclosures. Subpoenaed alongside Bill Clinton for House Oversight Epstein deposition ([EFTA01656921](#)). Also referenced in conspiracy theories within the corpus.

- **DIRECT:** Performance for both Clintons noted by magician ([EFTA01192715](#)); referenced in Epstein plea deal context ([EFTA01072511](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein deposition ([EFTA01656921](#))
- **NEWS:** Campaign coverage ([EFTA00665264](#), [EFTA02342095](#)); Steele dossier/intelligence ([EFTA00135712](#), [EFTA00136746](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Email scandal references; intelligence disclosure targets; UBS DPA conspiracy theories ([EFTA00067007](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01656921](#), [EFTA01192715](#), [EFTA01072511](#), [EFTA00665264](#)

## **Joe Biden**

**Role:** Former President

**Documents:** 392 | **Category:** NEWS

Overwhelmingly news coverage of Biden's presidential campaign, transition, and presidency. Appears in COVID response coverage, election certification context, transition team reporting, and general policy news. One mention on a magician's 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' list that includes 'Vice President Biden' ([EFTA00839333](#)) - this is a magician pitching Epstein to arrange a performance for Biden, not direct Biden-Epstein contact. No direct personal connection to Epstein found.

- **NEWS:** Presidential campaign and policy coverage ([EFTA01658289](#), [EFTA00137183](#), [EFTA00160334](#)); transition coverage ([EFTA00137440](#)); COVID response ([EFTA00135867](#)); election certification ([EFTA00160334](#)); trade policy ([EFTA00145723](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** Christopher Wray testimony denying political interference in Hunter Biden probe ([EFTA00160591](#))
- **DIRECT:** Listed as prospective magician performance target on list sent to Epstein ([EFTA00839333](#)) - tangential, shows Biden was someone the magician wanted to perform for and was pitching through Epstein's network

Sample documents: [EFTA00839333](#), [EFTA01658289](#), [EFTA00137183](#), [EFTA00160591](#)

*Note: The magician list ([EFTA00839333](#)) shows Biden as a desired future performance target, not a confirmed interaction. This is a magician using Epstein to try to book political performances.*

## John Kerry

**Role:** Former Sec. State

**Documents:** 361 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are foreign policy news coverage - Kerry as Secretary of State dealing with Iran nuclear negotiations, Israel-Palestine peace process, Middle East policy, and climate diplomacy. Also appears as named defendant in an IML (International Megan's Law) lawsuit in his official capacity as Secretary of State. No direct personal connection to Epstein. Kerry appears extensively because Epstein collected vast amounts of foreign policy media.

- **NEWS:** Iran nuclear negotiations ([EFTA00972071](#)); Israel-Palestine diplomacy ([EFTA00978545](#), [EFTA00975433](#), [EFTA00706371](#)); China climate talks ([EFTA00160532](#)); general foreign policy ([EFTA00684328](#), [EFTA00930905](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** Named as defendant in official capacity in IML lawsuit alongside Loretta Lynch and Jeh Johnson ([EFTA01186577](#), [EFTA01106183](#)) - this is a lawsuit challenging the International Megan's Law, not personal involvement

Sample documents: [EFTA00972071](#), [EFTA00978545](#), [EFTA01186577](#)

## William Barr

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 174 | **Category:** INVESTIGATION

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Previously investigated. Barr as AG oversaw the aftermath of Epstein's death at MCC. He declared 'serious irregularities' at the jail, expressed being 'appalled and angry,' ordered leadership changes at BOP, and replaced the acting BOP director. Also appears extensively in political news about DOJ/FBI oversight, Russia probe, and Stone commutation. Now subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein deposition.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Declared 'serious irregularities' at MCC after Epstein death ([EFTA00056410](#), [EFTA00057410](#)); ordered BOP leadership changes ([EFTA00077515](#)); warned co-conspirators 'should not rest easy' ([EFTA00075055](#)); subpoenaed for Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Russia probe oversight ([EFTA00150422](#)); Stone commutation ([EFTA00094540](#)); FBI Director Wray tensions ([EFTA01658574](#))
- **NEWS:** General DOJ coverage; death penalty resumption ([EFTA00044963](#)); Flynn case

(EFTA00148727)

Sample documents: [EFTA00056410](#), [EFTA00057410](#), [EFTA00077515](#), [EFTA01649358](#)

## Jared Kushner

**Role:** Former Senior Advisor

**Documents:** 169 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Mixed mentions. Direct connections include: (1) Epstein received invitation to Kushner's NY Observer 25th Anniversary party ([EFTA00394771](#)), (2) Kushner and Ivanka Trump appear on event seating charts ([EFTA02010533](#)), (3) Kushner's family real estate business is referenced in a document alongside an SEC investigation context ([EFTA00010786](#)) — the nature of any connection requires further verification. Majority of mentions are political news about White House activities, pandemic response, and Trump administration.

- **DIRECT:** NY Observer 25th Anniversary invitation sent to Epstein ([EFTA00394771](#)) - Kushner as publisher invited Epstein; event seating lists with Kushner/Ivanka ([EFTA02010533](#)); referenced alongside SEC investigation context ([EFTA00010786](#)); Milken pardon support ([EFTA00983180](#))
- **NEWS:** White House pandemic response ([EFTA01658289](#), [EFTA01658385](#)); Turkey relations ([EFTA01658942](#)); White House activities ([EFTA00316512](#))
- **POLITICAL:** DFC/SEC conspiracy theory posts ([EFTA00072134](#), [EFTA00071966](#), [EFTA00083075](#), [EFTA00071284](#)) - repetitive posts about DFC being run by 'Kushner's college roommate'

Sample documents: [EFTA00394771](#), [EFTA02010533](#), [EFTA00010786](#), [EFTA00983180](#)

## Robert Mueller

**Role:** Former FBI Director

**Documents:** 141 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions split between (1) Mueller as Special Counsel for the Russia investigation (the majority), (2) Mueller subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony alongside other former FBI Directors and AGs, and (3) Mueller's WilmerHale law firm connection. An Epstein associate (Nicholas Ribis) emailed about Mueller's appointment as Special Counsel being 'bad for DJT' ([EFTA01045839](#)). No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Russia investigation coverage ([EFTA00150058](#), [EFTA02549762](#)); Weissmann op-eds ([EFTA00150058](#)); Mueller report ([EFTA00136207](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#)); WilmerHale connection ([EFTA00011078](#))
- **DIRECT:** Epstein associate Nicholas Ribis emailed Epstein that Mueller appointment was 'bad for DJT' ([EFTA01045839](#), [EFTA01045551](#)) - shows Epstein network monitoring Trump legal exposure, not Mueller-Epstein connection

Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01045839](#), [EFTA00150058](#)

## James Comey

**Role:** Former FBI Director

**Documents:** 117 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Comey subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony alongside other former FBI Directors/AGs, (2) Trump 2025 administration indicting Comey ([EFTA01655548](#)), (3) hidden evidence found from Comey's FBI tenure ([EFTA01655980](#)), and (4) general news about his firing, Russia probe testimony, and FBI leadership. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01656912](#)); indicted by Trump DOJ ([EFTA01655548](#)); hidden evidence from his FBI tenure discovered ([EFTA01655980](#))
- **NEWS:** FBI Director firing ([EFTA01659028](#)); Russia probe testimony ([EFTA00263367](#)); Strzok

investigation ([EFTA02527645](#))

- **POLITICAL:** Senate hearings on FBI/FISA ([EFTA01659529](#)); comparison with Wray ([EFTA01658539](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01655548](#), [EFTA01655980](#), [EFTA00263367](#)

## Jeff Sessions

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 109 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Sessions subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) AG Sessions overseeing Bureau of Prisons policy including halfway house contracts, (3) general political news about recusal from Russia probe, Mueller obstruction tweet by Trump, and Alabama Senate race. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01656912](#)); BOP policy oversight including halfway house closings ([EFTA00064917](#)); discussions about Cole Memo enforcement ([EFTA00797069](#))
- **NEWS:** Trump tweet demanding Sessions 'stop this Rigged Witch Hunt' ([EFTA01004429](#)); Sessions' Senate career ([EFTA00040853](#)); AT&T merger ([EFTA00877882](#)); Russia probe contacts ([EFTA00690384](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Prison reform testimony to Doug Collins ([EFTA00064917](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01656912](#), [EFTA00064917](#), [EFTA01004429](#), [EFTA00797069](#)

## Eric Holder

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 97 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Holder subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) AG Holder's law enforcement and criminal justice policies (death penalty, mass incarceration critique, sex offender registry), (3) National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking, and (4) general political news. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#)); National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking introduction ([EFTA00010542](#)); SORNA sex offender registry extension ([EFTA01119329](#)); law enforcement sex trafficking priority press conference ([EFTA00079704](#))
- **NEWS:** Trayvon Martin case ([EFTA01172884](#)); Bill Clinton funeral ([EFTA01078617](#)); education survey ([EFTA01202731](#)); mass incarceration reform ([EFTA01159482](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Barr comparison ([EFTA00031093](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA00010542](#), [EFTA00079704](#), [EFTA01119329](#)

## Susan Rice

**Role:** Former NSA

**Documents:** 80 | **Category:** MIXED

**KEY FINDING:** Epstein mentions Susan Rice as 'fun' in a 2017 email to Kathy Ruemmler (Obama's former White House Counsel who became Epstein's lawyer): 'susan rice fun, laura not' ([EFTA02651637](#)). Rice also appears on a Gates Foundation/JP Morgan Charitable Giving Fund potential committee member list alongside Queen Rania of Jordan and Jeffrey Sachs ([EFTA02693048](#)). Majority of other mentions are foreign policy news about her as National Security Adviser and UN Ambassador.

- **DIRECT:** Epstein describes Rice as 'fun' in email to Kathy Ruemmler ([EFTA02651637](#)) - suggests personal social acquaintance; listed as potential committee member for Gates/JP Morgan charitable fund ([EFTA02693048](#))
- **NEWS:** National Security Adviser foreign policy coverage

(EFTA00706371, EFTA00976777, EFTA00985600); Obama staff reshuffles (EFTA01753925); VP consideration (EFTA01658070); transition coverage (EFTA00161600, EFTA00150555)

- **POLITICAL:** Unmasking controversy (referenced in Politico link EFTA02521904)  
Sample documents: EFTA02651637, EFTA02693048, EFTA00706371, EFTA00976777  
*Note: The 'susan rice fun' comment in context of an email chain with Kathy Ruemmler (who was both Obama's WH Counsel and later Epstein's lawyer) suggests social familiarity, potentially through Ruemmler's dual connections. The charitable fund listing is a JP Morgan/Gates Foundation document, not an Epstein-organized event.*

## **Jake Sullivan**

**Role:** Former NSA

**Documents:** 65 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are foreign policy news coverage of Sullivan as NSA or in earlier policy roles. Topics include Biden's cybersecurity response to SolarWinds hack, Ukraine/Zelensky negotiations, Huawei/Brazil concerns, and his earlier roles advising Biden and Kerry on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Also appears in Obama's tight inner circle alongside Lisa Monaco during Iran negotiations. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** NSA nomination and cybersecurity (EFTA00137295, EFTA00137349, EFTA00148281); Ukraine negotiations (EFTA00162753); Huawei concerns (EFTA00150782); Biden foreign policy picks (EFTA01659105)
- **POLITICAL:** Obama inner circle during Iran talks (EFTA01950584); Middle East policy team (EFTA00978701)  
Sample documents: EFTA00137295, EFTA00148281, EFTA01950584

## **Loretta Lynch**

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 57 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Lynch subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) Lynch as AG in official capacity as defendant in IML (International Megan's Law) lawsuit, (3) Lynch's DOJ prosecuting bank FX rigging cases, (4) a tipster claiming Lynch was 'the reason that Spota and McPartland were tried' (EFTA00074130), and (5) National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony (EFTA01649358, EFTA00163656); National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking (EFTA00010542); named as defendant in IML lawsuit in official capacity (EFTA01186577, EFTA01106183)
- **NEWS:** Bank FX rigging prosecution (EFTA00853935); UBS waivers (EFTA00853935)
- **POLITICAL:** Tipster complaint mentioning Lynch (EFTA00074130)  
Sample documents: EFTA01649358, EFTA01186577, EFTA00853935  
*Note: No common-name false positive issue - all mentions appear to reference the correct Loretta Lynch (AG).*

## **Ivanka Trump**

**Role:** Former Senior Advisor

**Documents:** 57 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Ivanka on the guest/host committee for the NY Observer 25th Anniversary party where Epstein was invited (EFTA00394771, EFTA01901849), (2) Ivanka/Kushner appearing on event seating charts (EFTA02010533), (3) Ivanka as Signature Bank board member in SEC/financial conspiracy theories, and (4) general White House news. The Observer invite and seating chart connections are through the Kushner-Trump social network overlap with Epstein.

- **DIRECT:** Listed as host/invitee at NY Observer 25th Anniversary party sent to Epstein (EFTA01901849, EFTA00394771); event seating chart alongside Kushner (EFTA02010533)

- **NEWS:** White House activities ([EFTA01658070](#), [EFTA00136518](#), [EFTA00043963](#)); business brand lawsuit ([EFTA02655301](#)); school withdrawal over COVID protocols ([EFTA00148398](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Signature Bank board member in financial conspiracy posts ([EFTA00093864](#), [EFTA00102521](#)); Turkey/Albayrak White House connection ([EFTA01658942](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01901849](#), [EFTA00394771](#), [EFTA02010533](#), [EFTA00093864](#)

## **Lisa Monaco**

**Role:** Former Deputy AG

**Documents:** 54 | **Category:** MIXED

**KEY FINDING:** Epstein mentions Lisa Monaco by name in a 2018 email to Steve Bannon, asking 'have you come across lisa monaco yet. obama counter terrorism girl?'

([EFTA00877050](#), [EFTA02522146](#)). This shows Epstein asked Bannon about Monaco, indicating interest in government officials in his social network. Other mentions are news about her as Deputy AG overseeing ransomware task force, crime reduction, and cybersecurity policy. She also appears in Obama's tight inner circle during Iran negotiations ([EFTA01950584](#)).

- **DIRECT:** Epstein asked Bannon about Monaco in email: 'have you come across lisa monaco yet. obama counter terrorism girl?' ([EFTA00877050](#), [EFTA02522146](#)) - shows Epstein asking about her
- **NEWS:** Deputy AG ransomware/cybersecurity policy ([EFTA01659188](#), [EFTA00149800](#), [EFTA00135911](#)); crime reduction ([EFTA00160235](#)); DOJ No. 2 profile ([EFTA00135867](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Obama inner circle during Iran negotiations with Sullivan ([EFTA01950584](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00877050](#), [EFTA02522146](#), [EFTA01950584](#), [EFTA01659188](#)  
*Note: The Epstein-Bannon email asking about Monaco is notable - it shows Epstein asking about government officials in his conversations with contacts, even after his 2008 conviction.*

## **Mike Pompeo**

**Role:** Former Sec. State/CIA

**Documents:** 48 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are political/foreign policy news coverage of Pompeo as Secretary of State. Topics include Iran arms sales emergency declaration, inspector general firing, Middle East diplomacy, Vatican/Pope Francis, Saudi Arabia/Khashoggi response, and impeachment non-cooperation. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Iran arms emergency ([EFTA00149845](#)); IG firing ([EFTA00160705](#), [EFTA01657983](#)); Saudi Arabia/Netanyahu meeting ([EFTA00137295](#)); Vatican audience denial ([EFTA00136746](#)); general foreign policy ([EFTA00045963](#), [EFTA00136939](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00149845](#), [EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA00136746](#)

## **John Bolton**

**Role:** Former NSA

**Documents:** 39 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions are primarily political news about Bolton as NSA - Iran hawks, Afghanistan talks opposition, impeachment non-cooperation, and post-administration criticism of Trump. One 2025 mention shows the Trump administration 'investigating Ambassador Bolton' with VP Vance defending the probe ([EFTA01655381](#)), and FBI raids of Bolton referenced alongside other political targeting ([EFTA01655450](#)). Bolton also authored foreign policy opinion pieces in Epstein's media collection. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Iran policy ([EFTA01948646](#), [EFTA01875049](#)); Afghanistan talks ([EFTA00044963](#)); impeachment ([EFTA00046963](#)); election fraud criticism ([EFTA01658887](#)); Israel/Iran policy pieces ([EFTA00630287](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Trump administration investigating Bolton ([EFTA01655381](#), [EFTA01655450](#)); refusing to cooperate with impeachment inquiry ([EFTA00046963](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01655381](#), [EFTA01948646](#), [EFTA00046963](#)

*Note: No common-name false positive issue detected - all mentions refer to the correct John Bolton (NSA/UN Ambassador).*

## **Rex Tillerson**

**Role:** Former Sec. State

**Documents:** 30 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are political/news context. Tillerson appears as Secretary of State (firing, IQ test challenge by Trump, Ukraine policy), Exxon CEO (climate/carbon tax positions), and in a Davos/WEF speaker list ([EFTA02710590](#)) alongside Henry Kissinger. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Secretary of State coverage ([EFTA00711485](#), [EFTA00046963](#), [EFTA00316512](#)); Exxon CEO climate positions ([EFTA00841209](#), [EFTA01872617](#)); State Department unraveling ([EFTA00711485](#)); Davos speaker list ([EFTA02710590](#)); Koch Brothers/cabinet criticism ([EFTA01059141](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00711485](#), [EFTA02710590](#), [EFTA00046963](#)

## **Merrick Garland**

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 29 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Garland subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) AG Garland's DOJ activities including gun law enforcement and assassination attempt response, (3) Obama Supreme Court nomination blocked by McConnell, and (4) general political news. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01656912](#))
- **NEWS:** AG activities - gun purchases blocked ([EFTA00160235](#)); assassination attempt response ([EFTA01656066](#)); DOJ investigations ([EFTA01656066](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Obama SCOTUS nomination blocked ([EFTA00135796](#), [EFTA00830735](#), [EFTA00042963](#)); Biden AG selection ([EFTA00148165](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA00160235](#), [EFTA00135796](#)

## **Avril Haines**

**Role:** Former DNI

**Documents:** 24 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Haines as DNI or Biden transition nominee. Topics include DNI testimony on China/TikTok threats, intelligence community annual assessments, Gaza/terrorism impact, NCTC leadership, and Biden's foreign policy team announcements. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** DNI nomination and activities ([EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA01659105](#)); annual threat assessments ([EFTA00135867](#)); TikTok/China testimony ([EFTA01655806](#), [EFTA01655826](#)); congressional testimony ([EFTA00161554](#)); cybersecurity team ([EFTA00137349](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA01659105](#), [EFTA01655806](#)

## **William Burns**

**Role:** Former CIA Director

**Documents:** 20 | **Category:** DIRECT

**KEY FINDING:** William Burns (former Deputy Secretary of State, later CIA Director under Biden) had direct personal contact with Epstein facilitated by Epstein's network. Epstein emailed Peter Thiel introducing Burns: 'Bill (William Burns), under sec of state... best and most respected diplomat in the admin, you should meet him, he conducted the secret iran negotiations... I can set up when you are avail' ([EFTA02587069](#), [EFTA02370150](#)). Peter Thiel then emailed Burns directly with Epstein CC'd ([EFTA02339235](#)). Burns and Epstein exchanged scheduling emails about meeting in NYC and Florida ([EFTA02592203](#), [EFTA01748726](#), [EFTA00869068](#), [EFTA01001666](#)). Burns discussed his State Department departure and vacation plans with Epstein. This shows Epstein positioned himself as a

connector between Burns and Thiel, and maintained a personal relationship with Burns in 2014.

- **DIRECT:** Epstein introduced Burns to Peter Thiel via email ([EFTA02587069](#), [EFTA02370150](#)); Thiel emailed Burns with Epstein CC'd ([EFTA02339235](#)); scheduling meetings with Epstein in NYC/Florida ([EFTA02592203](#), [EFTA01748726](#)); discussing vacation plans ([EFTA00869068](#)); Epstein mentioning 'bill gates in on the 5th' to Burns around Thanksgiving ([EFTA01001666](#))
- **NEWS:** CIA Director Burns in congressional testimony ([EFTA00148318](#)); Jordan letter to Burns about 51 intelligence signers ([EFTA00163736](#)); secret Iran negotiations coverage ([EFTA01931873](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Obama-era intelligence handling ([EFTA01655462](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA02587069](#), [EFTA02370150](#), [EFTA02339235](#), [EFTA02592203](#), [EFTA01001666](#)

*Note: Burns' interactions with Epstein occurred in 2014, as Burns was leaving the State Department. Epstein actively brokered a connection between Burns and Peter Thiel. This is a significant finding - the future CIA Director had direct social contact with Epstein post-conviction.*

## **Samantha Power**

**Role:** Former USAID

**Documents:** 17 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Power listed on a magician's prospective performance list sent to Epstein as 'UN representative Samantha Power' under 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' ([EFTA00839333](#)), (2) foreign policy news about her as UN Ambassador and USAID nominee, and (3) unmasking controversy. The magician list shows Epstein was used as a networking conduit to reach high-profile political figures.

- **DIRECT:** Listed on magician's 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' list sent to Epstein ([EFTA00839333](#)) - shows Epstein network used to access political figures
- **NEWS:** UN Ambassador coverage ([EFTA00872448](#), [EFTA01964297](#), [EFTA00684460](#)); USAID nomination ([EFTA00148165](#)); R2P doctrine ([EFTA01755978](#)); staff reshuffle ([EFTA01753925](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Unmasking controversy ([EFTA00149562](#), [EFTA00150682](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00839333](#), [EFTA00872448](#), [EFTA01964297](#)

*Note: Like Biden, Power appears on the magician's wish list - this shows the magician was using Epstein's connections to try to book performances for political figures, not that Power had direct contact with Epstein.*

## **Pete Buttigieg**

**Role:** Former Transportation

**Documents:** 16 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are 2019-2020 Democratic presidential primary campaign news coverage - debates, polling, campaign events, health care plan disputes with Biden, and racial justice proposals. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Democratic primary campaign coverage ([EFTA00046963](#), [EFTA00045963](#), [EFTA00043963](#), [EFTA00044963](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00046963](#), [EFTA00045963](#), [EFTA00043963](#)

## **Janet Yellen**

**Role:** Former Treasury

**Documents:** 15 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are financial/economic news. Yellen appears as Fed Chair (interest rate policy, confirmation, Bernanke succession) and as Treasury Secretary nominee/confirmation. Found in Epstein's financial news collection. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Fed Chair coverage ([EFTA02122294](#), [EFTA01100737](#), [EFTA01122221](#), [EFTA00370915](#)); Treasury Secretary nomination ([EFTA00026467](#), [EFTA00137349](#), [EFTA00137440](#)); Obama economic policy ([EFTA01154025](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA02122294](#), [EFTA01100737](#), [EFTA00026467](#)

## Christopher Wray

**Role:** Former FBI Director

**Documents:** 14 | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions include FBI Director Wray's testimony on white supremacist threats, Section 702 oversight, Trump's plans to fire him, anti-Catholic intelligence memo controversy, and Senate hearings. Wray was fired by Trump and criticized by Grassley for 'lying' about the Catholic memo. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** FBI Director oversight hearings ([EFTA00160591](#)); anti-Catholic memo controversy ([EFTA01656034](#)); Trump plans to fire Wray ([EFTA00148491](#)); Comey comparison ([EFTA01658539](#), [EFTA00136851](#))
  - **NEWS:** White supremacist threat testimony ([EFTA00136665](#)); suspicious letters investigation ([EFTA01658664](#)); Five Eyes alliance ([EFTA00149760](#)); anti-Asian hate crimes ([EFTA00137484](#))
- Sample documents: [EFTA00160591](#), [EFTA01656034](#), [EFTA00136851](#)

## Ron Klain

**Role:** Former Chief of Staff

**Documents:** 11 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Klain as Biden's Chief of Staff during the 2020 transition and COVID-19 response. Topics include COVID vaccine distribution planning, election certification, and bipartisan relief bill prospects. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Biden transition and COVID response ([EFTA00137183](#), [EFTA00161600](#), [EFTA00148963](#), [EFTA01658887](#), [EFTA00162765](#))
- Sample documents: [EFTA00137183](#), [EFTA00161600](#), [EFTA00148963](#)

## Gina Raimondo

**Role:** Former Commerce

**Documents:** 5 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Raimondo as Commerce Secretary - Chinese email hacking of her accounts, CHIPS Act, Indo-Pacific Economic Framework, and Huawei policy. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Chinese hack of her email ([EFTA00164348](#), [EFTA00160450](#), [EFTA00160510](#)); Commerce Department activities ([EFTA01659188](#), [EFTA00160532](#), [EFTA00160430](#)); Huawei policy ([EFTA00148081](#))
- Sample documents: [EFTA00164348](#), [EFTA00160532](#)

## Other Biden Administration / Former Officials

Official	Role	Docs	Pages
Kamala Harris	Former Vice President	78	136
Antony Blinken	Former Secretary of State	30	36
Alejandro Mayorkas	Former DHS	25	29
Lloyd Austin	Former SecDef	22	28
Xavier Becerra	Former HHS	22	27
Deb Haaland	Former Interior	12	14
Jennifer Granholm	Former Energy	12	13
Vanita Gupta	Former Associate AG	8	9
Denis McDonough	Former VA	7	8
Jeff Zients	Former Chief of Staff	7	7

Official	Role	Docs	Pages
Tom Vilsack	Former Agriculture	5	5
Miguel Cardona	Former Education	4	4
Marty Walsh	Former Labor	1	1

*Officials not covered above appear only in news coverage and political reporting unrelated to Epstein.*

*This report was generated by searching the complete DOJ Epstein file corpus (12 datasets, 218 GB). The presence of an official's name in this corpus does not imply any wrongdoing or connection to Jeffrey Epstein — the vast majority of mentions are in news articles, political coverage, and other media collected as part of the investigation. Only entries marked DIRECT indicate documented personal contact.*

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# Executive Branch Officials in the Epstein Files

## Trump Administration (2025), Biden Administration, and Key Former Officials

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### METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets. For every official with hits, a detailed context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets with random ordering to categorize the nature of each mention.

#### Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
  - **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
  - **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
  - **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
  - **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
  - **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 77 executive branch officials searched
- 75 appear in the corpus
- 8 with documented DIRECT personal connections to Epstein

### KEY FINDINGS

#### Direct Personal Connections

**Elon Musk** (DOGE, SpaceX/Tesla CEO) — Strength: STRONG

*Extensive direct email correspondence with Epstein 2013-2014. Meeting at SpaceX, social invitations, Caribbean travel offers.*

**Steve Bannon** (Former White House Chief Strategist) — Strength: STRONG

*Extensive direct email correspondence 2018-2019. Discussed crypto strategy, policy, social events. Epstein invited Bannon to dinner with Woody Allen.*

**Howard Lutnick** (Commerce Secretary nominee) — Strength: STRONG

*Direct scheduling of meetings/drinks with Epstein. Painter recommendations through Maxwell. UJA dinner donation. Subject of FBI NTOC tip.*

**William Burns** (Former CIA Director (Biden)) — Strength: STRONG - newly identified significant connection

*Epstein introduced Burns to Peter Thiel. Direct scheduling emails with Epstein in 2014. Epstein mentioned Burns alongside Bill Gates visits. Post-conviction contact.*

**Donald Trump** (President) — Strength: MODERATE direct, vast CONTEXTUAL volume  
*Well-documented 2002 praise of Epstein, party attendance, civil allegations, NTOC tip complaints. Vast majority of 1,803 docs are unrelated news.*

**Jared Kushner** (Former Senior Adviser) — Strength: MODERATE

*NY Observer invitation sent to Epstein, event seating charts. Social network overlap, not clear direct personal relationship.*

**Susan Rice** (Former NSA (Obama)) — Strength: MODERATE - via intermediary (Ruemmler)

*Epstein described her as 'fun' in email to Kathy Ruemmler (2017). Gates Foundation committee list. Suggests social familiarity, likely through Ruemmler.*

**Lisa Monaco** (Former Deputy AG (Biden)) — Strength: WEAK - Epstein seeking information about her, no evidence of direct contact

*Epstein asked Bannon about her: 'have you come across lisa monaco yet. obama counter terrorism girl?' Shows Epstein asking about government officials in conversations with contacts.*

## Investigation/Prosecution Connections

**Alexander Acosta** (Former Labor Secretary (Trump)) — Strength: CENTRAL - prosecutorial decision-maker

*Architect of the Non-Prosecution Agreement. Signed the NPA, victim letters, deferred prosecution agreements.*

**William Barr** (Former AG (Trump)) — Strength: STRONG - institutional response

*Oversaw MCC response after Epstein death. Declared 'serious irregularities.' Ordered BOP leadership changes.*

**Pam Bondi** (AG (Trump 2025)) — Strength: MODERATE - current oversight, historical FL AG records

*Reviewing/releasing Epstein files. FL AG office crime victims' services in Epstein case records.*

## False Positives Identified

**Stephen Miller**: Majority of hits are for 'Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd.' - a San Francisco law firm receiving Maxwell wire transfers. NOT the Trump political adviser.

## Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein Testimony

Merrick Garland, William Barr, Jeff Sessions, Loretta Lynch, Eric Holder, James Comey, Robert Mueller, Bill Clinton, Hillary Clinton

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# TRUMP ADMINISTRATION (2025)

## Donald Trump

**Role:** President

**Documents:** 1803 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Extremely diverse mention types spanning all categories. Direct connections include: his famous 2002 quote praising Epstein ('terrific guy, he's a lot of fun'), attendance at parties where Epstein was present, the Trump Modeling Agency allegations, civil lawsuit allegations (dismissed/withdrawn), and NTOC tip line complaints alleging sex trafficking involvement. Investigation references include FBI/DOJ documents and congressional oversight. Massive volume of political news clips mentioning Trump in

unrelated presidential/policy contexts (majority of the 1,803 docs).

- **DIRECT:** 2002 NY Magazine quote praising Epstein; NTOC tip complaints alleging participation in sex acts with minors ([EFTA01660651](#)); party attendance with Epstein at Sir Ivan Wilzig event; civil case references
- **INVESTIGATION:** FBI NTOC tip compilations; congressional oversight of Epstein case; references in victim statements
- **NEWS:** Vast majority - presidential news clips, policy coverage, campaign news, COVID briefings, general political reporting
- **POLITICAL:** Congressional investigations, DOJ oversight discussions

Sample

documents: [EFTA00188312](#), [EFTA01660651](#), [EFTA00782738](#), [EFTA01658425](#), [EFTA00148281](#)

## Elon Musk

**Role:** DOGE

**Documents:** 1038 | **Category:** DIRECT

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Extensive direct email correspondence between Musk and Epstein ([jeevacation@gmail.com](mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com)). Emails show Epstein arranging meetings with Musk at SpaceX, inviting him to social gatherings, discussing Reid Hoffman, proposing Caribbean trips, and offering introductions to other powerful people. Epstein clearly cultivated a relationship with Musk from at least 2013-2014. Some docs are news articles about Musk unrelated to Epstein.

- **DIRECT:** Direct emails from Epstein to Musk and vice versa ([EFTA00649662](#), [EFTA02708600](#)); scheduling meetings at SpaceX ([EFTA02146241](#)); lunch invitations ([EFTA01909090](#)); 'caribbean?' Christmas invite ([EFTA01003577](#)); guest lists including both ([EFTA01934300](#)); Epstein offering social introductions ('all fun based, not a funding trip' - [EFTA01904574](#))
- **NEWS:** Articles about Musk/SpaceX/Tesla forwarded within Epstein network ([EFTA02595589](#)); Quora articles ([EFTA00700665](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA00649662](#), [EFTA02708600](#), [EFTA01909090](#), [EFTA00958255](#), [EFTA01003577](#)

## Marco Rubio

**Role:** Secretary of State

**Documents:** 152 | **Category:** NEWS

All sampled mentions are news clips and political reporting. Rubio appears as FL Senator in news roundups covering intelligence committee work, election interference briefings, GOP responses to Obama, nuclear policy, campaign coverage, and FBI/Steele dossier discussions. No direct connection to Epstein found.

- **NEWS:** Senate Intelligence Committee coverage ([EFTA01659028](#)); GOP response to State of Union ([EFTA01113895](#)); campaign news ([EFTA01184563](#)); FBI/Steele dossier oversight ([EFTA00148940](#)); election interference briefings ([EFTA00135998](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Intelligence committee oversight of election security

Sample documents: [EFTA01659028](#), [EFTA01113895](#), [EFTA01101134](#), [EFTA00135998](#)

## Howard Lutnick

**Role:** Commerce Secretary

**Documents:** 137 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Strong direct connections. Lutnick appears in Epstein's scheduling emails for drinks and meetings, was recommended by Maxwell's circle for painter services, was honored at UJA dinner where Epstein's assistant Lesley Groff facilitated a \$50K donation, appeared on social event guest lists alongside Epstein, and was the subject of an FBI NTOC tip ([EFTA00020515](#)) reporting him as potentially

connected to Epstein. Also appeared on benefit co-chair lists with Epstein associates (Dubin, Cohen, Tudor Jones).

- **DIRECT:** Scheduling calls/meetings with Epstein (EFTA02536849, EFTA00907308); drinks appointment (EFTA00587232, EFTA00434306); painter recommendation from Maxwell's circle (EFTA00903892); UJA dinner donation via Lesley Groff (EFTA02229720); benefit co-chair lists with Epstein associates (EFTA00527712)
- **INVESTIGATION:** FBI NTOC tip reporting Lutnick as potentially connected to Epstein (EFTA00020515) - caller from UK providing information

Sample

documents: EFTA00020515, EFTA00587232, EFTA02229720, EFTA00903892, EFTA02536849

## **Kash Patel**

**Role:** FBI Director

**Documents:** 77 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions fall into two clear categories: (1) News coverage of Patel as FBI Director being asked to release Epstein files by Sen. Blackburn and AG Bondi, and (2) unsolicited public tip emails/letters addressed to Patel demanding investigations of various individuals connected to Epstein. Also some earlier political coverage of Patel re: Russiagate classified info controversy. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** Patel as FBI Director receiving requests to release Epstein files (EFTA01655686, EFTA00172149); meeting with AG Bondi and VP Vance on Epstein case (EFTA01654395)
- **NEWS:** Coverage of Patel in various FBI Director capacities - NBA gambling probe, Russiagate investigation (EFTA00150636); unrelated FBI business
- **INVESTIGATION:** Public tip letters addressed to Patel demanding investigation of Peter Mandelson, Rupert Murdoch, etc. (EFTA00144082, EFTA00143663, EFTA00143736) - these are unsolicited public correspondence, not Patel's own involvement

Sample documents: EFTA01655686, EFTA00172149, EFTA00143663, EFTA00144082

## **Jim Jordan**

**Role:** House Judiciary Chairman

**Documents:** 72 | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions are overwhelmingly political/legislative context. Jordan appears as House Judiciary Committee ranking member/chair involved in oversight of Russia probe, DOJ/FBI oversight, tech company hearings, Roger Stone commutation support, and Epstein-related congressional subpoenas. He wrote to CIA Director Burns demanding information on the 51 intelligence signers of the Hunter Biden laptop letter. Also appears on an AIPAC-type attendee list (EFTA00086370). No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** Congressional oversight - subpoenaed DOJ prosecutor who investigated Trump (EFTA01655328); defending Barr at hearings (EFTA00150422, EFTA01658338); Epstein-related congressional subpoenas of former AGs/FBI Directors (implied); Stone commutation support (EFTA00150682); letter to CIA Director Burns (EFTA00163736)
- **NEWS:** Tech company bias hearings (EFTA00136262); government shutdown commentary (EFTA01132909); election fraud claims (EFTA00148128); FBI headquarters funding (EFTA01655861)

Sample documents: EFTA01655328, EFTA00150422, EFTA01658338, EFTA00136262

## **Pam Bondi**

**Role:** Attorney General

**Documents:** 54 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions split between (1) Bondi as current AG reviewing Epstein files, promising releases, claiming 'tens of thousands' of videos, and facing bipartisan pressure to release client list, and (2) Bondi as

former FL AG with her office's crime victims' services appearing in Epstein case docket materials. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** FL AG crime victims' services documents in Epstein case file ([EFTA00194822](#)); letter from law professor Paul Cassell to AG Bondi about Epstein victims ([EFTA00174456](#))
- **POLITICAL:** AG Bondi promising to release more Epstein files ([EFTA00163358](#), [EFTA00163321](#)); claiming 'truckload' of documents; working with Patel, Ratcliffe, Gabbard on case ([EFTA01655304](#)); facing pressure from lawmakers ([EFTA00163321](#))
- **NEWS:** General AG activities unrelated to Epstein - immigration enforcement ([EFTA01649361](#)), DOJ purge coverage ([EFTA01655651](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA00163358](#), [EFTA00163321](#), [EFTA00194822](#), [EFTA00174456](#), [EFTA01655304](#)

## **Stephen Miller**

**Role:** Senior Advisor

**Documents:** 41 | **Category:** MIXED

IMPORTANT: Most mentions are a FALSE POSITIVE for a different Stephen Miller. The financial documents show 'Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd.' - a San Francisco law firm receiving wire transfers from Ghislaine Maxwell's 116 East 65th Street LLC account at JP Morgan Chase. Multiple bank transfer records show Maxwell wiring \$8,625, \$16,175, \$19,687.50 to this firm. This is NOT Stephen Miller the Trump political adviser - it is the law firm Stephen Miller Siegel. The Trump adviser Stephen Miller appears in some political news clips about White House policy.

- **FALSE\_POSITIVE:** Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd. - a San Francisco law firm receiving wire transfers from Ghislaine Maxwell's accounts ([EFTA01517258](#), [EFTA01517264](#), [EFTA01588893](#), [EFTA01579718](#), [EFTA01579736](#)). This is a different entity from the Trump adviser.
- **NEWS:** Trump White House adviser Stephen Miller in political news - threats against him ([EFTA01655264](#)), policy statements on Portland protests ([EFTA00150058](#), [EFTA00150106](#)), CREW ethics complaint ([EFTA00150271](#)), legal group activities ([EFTA01655328](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA01588893](#), [EFTA01579718](#), [EFTA01579736](#), [EFTA01517258](#)

*Note: The majority of hits are for the law firm 'Stephen Miller Siegel, Ltd.' which handled Ghislaine Maxwell's financial transfers. The Trump political adviser is a separate person appearing in news clips.*

## **John Ratcliffe**

**Role:** CIA Director

**Documents:** 34 | **Category:** POLITICAL

All mentions are political/news context. Ratcliffe appears as DNI releasing intelligence about Russian election interference, Obama-era surveillance, and the Steele dossier. Also appears as CIA Director in Trump 2025 administration working with Patel and Bondi on Epstein file releases. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** DNI releasing intelligence on Russian interference ([EFTA00136693](#), [EFTA00136746](#)); Obama-era intelligence handling disclosures ([EFTA01655462](#)); working with Patel/Bondi/Gabbard on Epstein case releases ([EFTA01655304](#)); CIA Director referring Brennan evidence to FBI ([EFTA01655495](#))
  - **NEWS:** DNI confirmation hearings ([EFTA00148445](#)); AI ethics framework ([EFTA00136104](#))
- Sample documents: [EFTA01655304](#), [EFTA01655462](#), [EFTA00136693](#), [EFTA00135754](#)

## **Doug Collins**

**Role:** VA Secretary

**Documents:** 27 | **Category:** POLITICAL

All mentions relate to Collins as House Judiciary Committee ranking member involved in oversight of

Epstein's death at MCC, the IG investigation of FISA abuse, and general political news. Collins co-signed the Nadler letter demanding answers from Bureau of Prisons after Epstein's apparent suicide. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** Co-signed letter with Nadler demanding BOP answers after Epstein death ([EFTA00040358](#), [EFTA00094360](#), [EFTA00094388](#), [EFTA00056410](#)); demanded Wray resign ([EFTA01658495](#)); IG investigation oversight ([EFTA00160986](#))
- **NEWS:** Georgia Senate race coverage ([EFTA00150106](#)); election night commentary ([EFTA00161240](#)); Sessions prison reform testimony ([EFTA00064917](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00040358](#), [EFTA00094360](#), [EFTA00056410](#), [EFTA01658495](#)

## **Matt Gaetz**

**Role:** AG Nominee (withdrawn)

**Documents:** 17 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions relate to (1) Gaetz's own federal sex trafficking investigation and his associate Joel Greenberg's case, (2) his campaign paying \$25,000 to a lawyer who represented Epstein, and (3) general political news. One document ([EFTA00129241](#)) alleges Greenberg recruited women for powerful men including Gaetz. Not direct Epstein involvement but Gaetz's own sex trafficking investigation overlaps thematically.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Gaetz campaign paid \$25,000 to Epstein's former lawyer ([EFTA00162594](#)); Gaetz associate Greenberg sex trafficking case ([EFTA01250093](#), [EFTA00160751](#)); tipster alleging Greenberg recruited women for Gaetz and others via stolen IDs ([EFTA00129241](#))
- **NEWS:** Tech company bias hearings ([EFTA01658338](#)); immigration letter signing ([EFTA00046963](#)); DOJ/Barr defense ([EFTA01658338](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Gaetz using campaign funds for trafficking probe defense ([EFTA00160570](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00162594](#), [EFTA00129241](#), [EFTA01250093](#), [EFTA00160751](#)

## **Tulsi Gabbard**

**Role:** Director of National Intelligence

**Documents:** 11 | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions are split between (1) Gabbard as DNI in Trump 2025 administration working on Epstein file releases and intelligence matters, and (2) earlier 2019-2020 presidential campaign news coverage. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** DNI working with Patel/Bondi/Ratcliffe on Epstein case ([EFTA01655304](#)); DNI intelligence agency restructuring ([EFTA01655417](#)); aides altering intelligence reports ([EFTA01655934](#), [EFTA01655948](#)); Senate confirmation ([EFTA01655597](#))
- **NEWS:** 2019-2020 Democratic presidential primary coverage ([EFTA00045963](#), [EFTA00043963](#), [EFTA00046963](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01655304](#), [EFTA01655934](#), [EFTA00045963](#)

## **JD Vance**

**Role:** Vice President

**Documents:** 10+ | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions are primarily 2025 news coverage of VP Vance in political/governmental context. Key finding: Vance participated in a White House meeting with AG Bondi and Director Patel to discuss the Epstein case ([EFTA01654395](#)). Other mentions include unsolicited public tip letters praising Trump/Vance, VP activities, and Bolton investigation comments. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** White House meeting discussing Epstein case with Bondi and Patel ([EFTA01654395](#)); mediating FBI disputes ([EFTA00163687](#)); defending Bolton investigation ([EFTA01655381](#))
- **NEWS:** AI summit in Paris ([EFTA01655597](#)); Gaetz nomination escort ([EFTA01656108](#)); tariff

coverage ([EFTA01655668](#)); general VP activities

- **INVESTIGATION:** Unsolicited public tip letters praising Trump/Vance ([EFTA00143557](#), [EFTA00143878](#), [EFTA00143843](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01654395](#), [EFTA00163687](#), [EFTA01655597](#)

## **Pete Hegseth**

**Role:** Secretary of Defense

**Documents:** 8 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Hegseth as Defense Secretary or Fox News personality. Includes coverage of Pentagon cyber operations, leak crackdowns, cabinet approval ratings, and his Fox News advocacy for Trump. One mention in a Michael Wolff book excerpt about Fox & Friends coverage. No connection to Epstein whatsoever.

- **NEWS:** Defense Secretary coverage - cyber operations ([EFTA01655668](#)), nondisclosure agreements ([EFTA01655450](#)), sedition video controversy ([EFTA01654341](#)); Fox News personality ([EFTA00046963](#), [EFTA00316512](#)); cabinet approval ratings ([EFTA01660803](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01655668](#), [EFTA01654341](#), [EFTA01655450](#)

## **Kristi Noem**

**Role:** DHS Secretary

**Documents:** 7 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Noem as DHS Secretary or South Dakota Governor. Topics include CISA policy, COVID-19 response, biometric data sharing with Chile, Confederate statue controversy, and polygraph operations. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** DHS Secretary activities ([EFTA00162485](#), [EFTA01655304](#)); COVID-19 South Dakota coverage ([EFTA00148778](#)); Confederate statue debate ([EFTA00148620](#)); cabinet ratings ([EFTA01660803](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00162485](#), [EFTA01655304](#), [EFTA00148778](#)

## **Robert F Kennedy Jr**

**Role:** HHS Secretary

**Documents:** 6 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) a documentary film premiere ('The Last Mountain') invitation where Epstein was apparently on the guest/distribution list ([EFTA02025279](#), [EFTA02189196](#)), (2) RFK Jr. named in Peter Nygard litigation as part of campaign against Nygard alongside environment campaigners ([EFTA02727130](#)), (3) references to JFK/RFK assassination file declassification, and (4) HHS Secretary news. Note: Most 'Robert F. Kennedy' hits refer to the DOJ building name or historical RFK assassination, not RFK Jr.

- **DIRECT:** Film premiere invitation in Epstein's files for 'The Last Mountain' documentary ([EFTA02025279](#), [EFTA02189196](#)) - RFK Jr. was the subject/participant of the documentary, and the invitation was found in Epstein's records
- **NEWS:** JFK/RFK assassination declassification executive orders ([EFTA01655629](#), [EFTA01655625](#)); HHS Secretary nomination coverage ([EFTA01657969](#))
- **INVESTIGATION:** Named in Nygard litigation alongside environmental campaigners ([EFTA02727130](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA02025279](#), [EFTA02189196](#), [EFTA02727130](#), [EFTA01655629](#)

*Note: The film premiere invitation is a tangential connection - RFK Jr. was the environmental activist subject of the documentary; Epstein apparently received or was forwarded the invitation. Most 'Robert F. Kennedy' hits refer to the historical figure or the DOJ building.*

## **Vivek Ramaswamy**

**Role:** DOGE

**Documents:** 5 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are FBI Daily News Summary entries about Ramaswamy's 2023-2024 presidential campaign statements, including proposals to shut down the FBI, slash federal government, and eradicate various agencies. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Presidential campaign coverage in FBI daily briefings (EFTA00160570, EFTA00160409, EFTA00160489, EFTA00160510)  
Sample documents: EFTA00160570, EFTA00160409, EFTA00160489

### **Lee Zeldin**

**Role:** EPA Administrator

**Documents:** 4 | **Category:** NEWS

Mentions are political news - Zeldin as EPA Administrator investigating climate fund fraud, requesting IG probes, and attending AIPAC events as a congressman. One document includes him on the same page as Jim Jordan in what appears to be an AIPAC-related contact/attendee list (EFTA00086370). No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** EPA Administrator activities - climate fund probe (EFTA01655631, EFTA01655668), IG investigation requests (EFTA01655511); congressional event attendance (EFTA01659151, EFTA00137440, EFTA00135832)
- **NOTE:** EFTA00086370 appears to be an AIPAC or similar organization attendee list that includes Zeldin alongside Jim Jordan and others  
Sample documents: EFTA01655631, EFTA01655668, EFTA00086370

### **Linda McMahon**

**Role:** Education Secretary

**Documents:** 3 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of McMahon's nomination and confirmation as Secretary of Education, and her congressional interactions. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Education Secretary nomination (EFTA01656108); confirmation and activities (EFTA01655668, EFTA01655948, EFTA01655964)  
Sample documents: EFTA01656108, EFTA01655668

### **Tom Homan**

**Role:** Border Czar

**Documents:** 3 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions relate to (1) DOJ ending an investigation into Homan for allegedly accepting \$50K in an FBI sting/bribery operation (EFTA01655437, EFTA01655462), and (2) general immigration policy commentary as Fox News contributor. The bribery investigation is NOT Epstein-related but appears in FBI news compilations alongside Epstein coverage.

- **NEWS:** ICE Director/border czar immigration policy (EFTA00149896, EFTA00164348); DOJ dropping probe of Homan bribery sting (EFTA01655437, EFTA01655462); political interference concerns (EFTA01655450)
- **INVESTIGATION:** \$50K FBI sting investigation (EFTA01655480) - NOT Epstein-related, appears in same FBI compilations  
Sample documents: EFTA01655437, EFTA01655462, EFTA00149896

### **Mike Waltz**

**Role:** National Security Advisor

**Documents:** 2 | **Category:** NEWS

Both mentions are political news - Waltz as HPSCI member moderating China influence panel (EFTA00163736) and as congressman releasing a China task force report (EFTA00160334). No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** China influence operations panel (EFTA00163736); China task force report release

(EFTA00160334)

Sample documents: [EFTA00163736](#), [EFTA00160334](#)

## Scott Bessent

**Role:** Treasury Secretary

**Documents:** 1 | **Category:** MIXED

Only two mentions found: (1) A threat/tip to the FBI demanding Epstein files release, threatening to 'execute James Comer and Scott Bessent and his partner' ([EFTA00161527](#)) - this is a threatening public communication, not a connection to Epstein. (2) A news reference to Treasury Secretary Bessent commenting on China/fentanyl trade ([EFTA01655495](#)).

- **INVESTIGATION:** Threatening tip demanding Epstein file release ([EFTA00161527](#)) - public threat, not personal connection
- **NEWS:** Treasury Secretary fentanyl/China policy ([EFTA01655495](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00161527](#), [EFTA01655495](#)

## Other Trump Administration Officials

Official	Role	Docs	Pages
Robert Kennedy	HHS Secretary (alt search)	22	22
James Mattis	Former SecDef	17	17
Robert F. Kennedy Jr.	HHS Secretary	12	15
Doug Burgum	Interior Secretary	9	9
Andy Biggs	Former Rep. (AZ)	5	6
Chris Wright	Energy Secretary	5	5
Russell Vought	OMB Director	4	6
Sean Duffy	Transportation Secretary	3	3
Pete Ricketts	Senator (NE)	3	4
Brooke Rollins	Agriculture Secretary	2	2
J.D. Vance	Vice President	1	1

*All of the above appear only in news coverage and political reporting unrelated to Epstein.*

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## BIDEN ADMINISTRATION & KEY FORMER OFFICIALS

### Steve Bannon

**Role:** Former Chief Strategist

**Documents:** 1888 | **Category:** DIRECT

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Extensive direct email correspondence between Bannon and Epstein from 2018-2019. Emails show them discussing crypto/bitcoin policy, treasury regulation, launching a \$100M bitcoin-backed organization ('Citizens of the American Republic'), Netflix counter-strategy, sharing news articles, discussing Lisa Monaco ('Obama counter terrorism girl'), and Epstein inviting Bannon to dinner with Woody Allen and the UN president. Bannon and Epstein exchanged Apple Watch gifts. Clear ongoing personal and business relationship.

- **DIRECT:** Direct emails on crypto/bitcoin strategy ([EFTA00881425](#), [EFTA02524739](#)); dinner invitation with Woody Allen and UN president ([EFTA00904107](#)); discussing Lisa Monaco ([EFTA00877050](#)); Apple Watch exchange ([EFTA01027571](#)); Netflix strategy discussion ([EFTA01615781](#)); sharing news articles and political commentary ([EFTA01616087](#), [EFTA01616057](#)); extensive Signal/text message exchanges ([EFTA01615814](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA00904107](#), [EFTA00877050](#), [EFTA00881425](#), [EFTA02524739](#), [EFTA01027571](#)

## Bill Clinton

**Role:** Former President

**Documents:** 1384 | **Category:** DIRECT

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Previously extensively documented. Direct connections include flight logs on Epstein's plane, known social relationship, Clinton performing magic tape list, and congressional subpoenas for deposition testimony alongside Hillary Clinton. Also massive volume of political news mentioning Clinton in unrelated contexts.

- **DIRECT:** Flight logs, social connections, magician performance list ([EFTA00839333](#)); subpoenaed for deposition by House Oversight on Epstein ([EFTA01656921](#))
- **NEWS:** Vast political news coverage
- **INVESTIGATION:** Congressional subpoenas for Epstein deposition  
Sample documents: [EFTA01656921](#), [EFTA00839333](#), [EFTA01192715](#)

## Alexander Acosta

**Role:** Former Labor Secretary

**Documents:** 1183 | **Category:** INVESTIGATION

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

As US Attorney for the Southern District of Florida, Acosta was the architect of the controversial 2007-2008 Non-Prosecution Agreement (NPA) with Epstein. His name appears on the NPA itself, on victim notification letters, on deferred prosecution agreements, and throughout DOJ internal review documents evaluating whether the NPA contradicted criminal enforcement policy. Acosta's prosecutorial role in the Epstein case is extensively documented in the corpus.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Signed the Non-Prosecution Agreement ([EFTA00233878](#)); authored victim notification letters ([EFTA00210202](#)); signed deferred prosecution agreement ([EFTA00296592](#)); DOJ internal policy review of his decisions ([EFTA00289782](#)); court filings under his authority ([EFTA00215719](#)); correspondence with defense counsel ([EFTA00213048](#)); letters to FBI agents ([EFTA00183087](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA00233878](#), [EFTA00296592](#), [EFTA00289782](#), [EFTA00210202](#), [EFTA00213048](#)

## Barack Obama

**Role:** Former President

**Documents:** 845 | **Category:** NEWS

Overwhelmingly political news coverage. Obama appears in news clips about Middle East policy, Iran negotiations, healthcare reform, Afghanistan, and general presidential coverage found in Epstein's vast media collection (news clipping services, foreign policy articles). Some mentions in context of intelligence community oversight (Ratcliffe disclosures 'implicating Obama'). No direct personal connection to Epstein found.

- **NEWS:** Middle East policy ([EFTA00584764](#), [EFTA00684173](#)); Iran negotiations ([EFTA02006023](#)); healthcare ([EFTA01207294](#)); presidential coverage ([EFTA01180426](#)); DOJ/intelligence ([EFTA00065241](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Ratcliffe disclosures allegedly implicating Obama in 'treasonous plot' per partisan commentary ([EFTA00135754](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00584764](#), [EFTA00684173](#), [EFTA02006023](#), [EFTA01207294](#)

## Hillary Clinton

**Role:** Former Sec. State

**Documents:** 757 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Mixed mentions. Majority are political news about her campaigns, email controversy, and policy positions. Some direct connections through Bill Clinton's network - she appears on magician performance list (EFTA01192715), on NY Post gossip about Epstein bid to burn plea (EFTA01072511), and in Ratcliffe intelligence disclosures. Subpoenaed alongside Bill Clinton for House Oversight Epstein deposition (EFTA01656921). Also referenced in conspiracy theories within the corpus.

- **DIRECT:** Performance for both Clintons noted by magician (EFTA01192715); referenced in Epstein plea deal context (EFTA01072511)
- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein deposition (EFTA01656921)
- **NEWS:** Campaign coverage (EFTA00665264, EFTA02342095); Steele dossier/intelligence (EFTA00135712, EFTA00136746)
- **POLITICAL:** Email scandal references; intelligence disclosure targets; UBS DPA conspiracy theories (EFTA00067007)

Sample documents: EFTA01656921, EFTA01192715, EFTA01072511, EFTA00665264

## **Joe Biden**

**Role:** Former President

**Documents:** 392 | **Category:** NEWS

Overwhelmingly news coverage of Biden's presidential campaign, transition, and presidency. Appears in COVID response coverage, election certification context, transition team reporting, and general policy news. One mention on a magician's 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' list that includes 'Vice President Biden' (EFTA00839333) - this is a magician pitching Epstein to arrange a performance for Biden, not direct Biden-Epstein contact. No direct personal connection to Epstein found.

- **NEWS:** Presidential campaign and policy coverage (EFTA01658289, EFTA00137183, EFTA00160334); transition coverage (EFTA00137440); COVID response (EFTA00135867); election certification (EFTA00160334); trade policy (EFTA00145723)
- **INVESTIGATION:** Christopher Wray testimony denying political interference in Hunter Biden probe (EFTA00160591)
- **DIRECT:** Listed as prospective magician performance target on list sent to Epstein (EFTA00839333) - tangential, shows Biden was someone the magician wanted to perform for and was pitching through Epstein's network

Sample documents: EFTA00839333, EFTA01658289, EFTA00137183, EFTA00160591

*Note: The magician list (EFTA00839333) shows Biden as a desired future performance target, not a confirmed interaction. This is a magician using Epstein to try to book political performances.*

## **John Kerry**

**Role:** Former Sec. State

**Documents:** 361 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are foreign policy news coverage - Kerry as Secretary of State dealing with Iran nuclear negotiations, Israel-Palestine peace process, Middle East policy, and climate diplomacy. Also appears as named defendant in an IML (International Megan's Law) lawsuit in his official capacity as Secretary of State. No direct personal connection to Epstein. Kerry appears extensively because Epstein collected vast amounts of foreign policy media.

- **NEWS:** Iran nuclear negotiations (EFTA00972071); Israel-Palestine diplomacy (EFTA00978545, EFTA00975433, EFTA00706371); China climate talks (EFTA00160532); general foreign policy (EFTA00684328, EFTA00930905)
- **INVESTIGATION:** Named as defendant in official capacity in IML lawsuit alongside Loretta Lynch and Jeh Johnson (EFTA01186577, EFTA01106183) - this is a lawsuit challenging the International Megan's Law, not personal involvement

Sample documents: [EFTA00972071](#), [EFTA00978545](#), [EFTA01186577](#)

## **William Barr**

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 174 | **Category:** INVESTIGATION

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Previously investigated. Barr as AG oversaw the aftermath of Epstein's death at MCC. He declared 'serious irregularities' at the jail, expressed being 'appalled and angry,' ordered leadership changes at BOP, and replaced the acting BOP director. Also appears extensively in political news about DOJ/FBI oversight, Russia probe, and Stone commutation. Now subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein deposition.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Declared 'serious irregularities' at MCC after Epstein death ([EFTA00056410](#), [EFTA00057410](#)); ordered BOP leadership changes ([EFTA00077515](#)); warned co-conspirators 'should not rest easy' ([EFTA00075055](#)); subpoenaed for Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Russia probe oversight ([EFTA00150422](#)); Stone commutation ([EFTA00094540](#)); FBI Director Wray tensions ([EFTA01658574](#))
- **NEWS:** General DOJ coverage; death penalty resumption ([EFTA00044963](#)); Flynn case ([EFTA00148727](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00056410](#), [EFTA00057410](#), [EFTA00077515](#), [EFTA01649358](#)

## **Jared Kushner**

**Role:** Former Senior Advisor

**Documents:** 169 | **Category:** MIXED

*Previously investigated in dedicated report*

Mixed mentions. Direct connections include: (1) Epstein received invitation to Kushner's NY Observer 25th Anniversary party ([EFTA00394771](#)), (2) Kushner and Ivanka Trump appear on event seating charts ([EFTA02010533](#)), (3) Kushner's family real estate business is referenced in a document alongside an SEC investigation context ([EFTA00010786](#)) — the nature of any connection requires further verification. Majority of mentions are political news about White House activities, pandemic response, and Trump administration.

- **DIRECT:** NY Observer 25th Anniversary invitation sent to Epstein ([EFTA00394771](#)) - Kushner as publisher invited Epstein; event seating lists with Kushner/Ivanka ([EFTA02010533](#)); referenced alongside SEC investigation context ([EFTA00010786](#)); Milken pardon support ([EFTA00983180](#))
- **NEWS:** White House pandemic response ([EFTA01658289](#), [EFTA01658385](#)); Turkey relations ([EFTA01658942](#)); White House activities ([EFTA00316512](#))
- **POLITICAL:** DFC/SEC conspiracy theory posts ([EFTA00072134](#), [EFTA00071966](#), [EFTA00083075](#), [EFTA00071284](#)) - repetitive posts about DFC being run by 'Kushner's college roommate'

Sample documents: [EFTA00394771](#), [EFTA02010533](#), [EFTA00010786](#), [EFTA00983180](#)

## **Robert Mueller**

**Role:** Former FBI Director

**Documents:** 141 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions split between (1) Mueller as Special Counsel for the Russia investigation (the majority), (2) Mueller subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony alongside other former FBI Directors and AGs, and (3) Mueller's WilmerHale law firm connection. An Epstein associate (Nicholas Ribis) emailed about Mueller's appointment as Special Counsel being 'bad for DJT' ([EFTA01045839](#)). No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Russia investigation coverage ([EFTA00150058](#), [EFTA02549762](#)); Weissmann op-eds ([EFTA00150058](#)); Mueller report ([EFTA00136207](#))

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#)); WilmerHale connection ([EFTA00011078](#))
- **DIRECT:** Epstein associate Nicholas Ribis emailed Epstein that Mueller appointment was 'bad for DJT' ([EFTA01045839](#), [EFTA01045551](#)) - shows Epstein network monitoring Trump legal exposure, not Mueller-Epstein connection  
Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01045839](#), [EFTA00150058](#)

## James Comey

**Role:** Former FBI Director

**Documents:** 117 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Comey subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony alongside other former FBI Directors/AGs, (2) Trump 2025 administration indicting Comey ([EFTA01655548](#)), (3) hidden evidence found from Comey's FBI tenure ([EFTA01655980](#)), and (4) general news about his firing, Russia probe testimony, and FBI leadership. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01656912](#)); indicted by Trump DOJ ([EFTA01655548](#)); hidden evidence from his FBI tenure discovered ([EFTA01655980](#))
- **NEWS:** FBI Director firing ([EFTA01659028](#)); Russia probe testimony ([EFTA00263367](#)); Strzok investigation ([EFTA02527645](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Senate hearings on FBI/FISA ([EFTA01659529](#)); comparison with Wray ([EFTA01658539](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA01655548](#), [EFTA01655980](#), [EFTA00263367](#)

## Jeff Sessions

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 109 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Sessions subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) AG Sessions overseeing Bureau of Prisons policy including halfway house contracts, (3) general political news about recusal from Russia probe, Mueller obstruction tweet by Trump, and Alabama Senate race. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01656912](#)); BOP policy oversight including halfway house closings ([EFTA00064917](#)); discussions about Cole Memo enforcement ([EFTA00797069](#))
- **NEWS:** Trump tweet demanding Sessions 'stop this Rigged Witch Hunt' ([EFTA01004429](#)); Sessions' Senate career ([EFTA00040853](#)); AT&T merger ([EFTA00877882](#)); Russia probe contacts ([EFTA00690384](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Prison reform testimony to Doug Collins ([EFTA00064917](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01656912](#), [EFTA00064917](#), [EFTA01004429](#), [EFTA00797069](#)

## Eric Holder

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 97 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Holder subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) AG Holder's law enforcement and criminal justice policies (death penalty, mass incarceration critique, sex offender registry), (3) National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking, and (4) general political news. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony ([EFTA01649358](#)); National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking introduction ([EFTA00010542](#)); SORNA sex offender registry extension ([EFTA01119329](#)); law enforcement sex trafficking priority press conference ([EFTA00079704](#))

- **NEWS:** Trayvon Martin case ([EFTA01172884](#)); Bill Clinton funeral ([EFTA01078617](#)); education survey ([EFTA01202731](#)); mass incarceration reform ([EFTA01159482](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Barr comparison ([EFTA00031093](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA01649358](#), [EFTA00010542](#), [EFTA00079704](#), [EFTA01119329](#)

## **Susan Rice**

**Role:** Former NSA

**Documents:** 80 | **Category:** MIXED

**KEY FINDING:** Epstein mentions Susan Rice as 'fun' in a 2017 email to Kathy Ruemmler (Obama's former White House Counsel who became Epstein's lawyer): 'susan rice fun, laura not' ([EFTA02651637](#)). Rice also appears on a Gates Foundation/JP Morgan Charitable Giving Fund potential committee member list alongside Queen Rania of Jordan and Jeffrey Sachs ([EFTA02693048](#)). Majority of other mentions are foreign policy news about her as National Security Adviser and UN Ambassador.

- **DIRECT:** Epstein describes Rice as 'fun' in email to Kathy Ruemmler ([EFTA02651637](#)) - suggests personal social acquaintance; listed as potential committee member for Gates/JP Morgan charitable fund ([EFTA02693048](#))
- **NEWS:** National Security Adviser foreign policy coverage ([EFTA00706371](#), [EFTA00976777](#), [EFTA00985600](#)); Obama staff reshuffles ([EFTA01753925](#)); VP consideration ([EFTA01658070](#)); transition coverage ([EFTA00161600](#), [EFTA00150555](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Unmasking controversy (referenced in Politico link [EFTA02521904](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA02651637](#), [EFTA02693048](#), [EFTA00706371](#), [EFTA00976777](#)  
*Note: The 'susan rice fun' comment in context of an email chain with Kathy Ruemmler (who was both Obama's WH Counsel and later Epstein's lawyer) suggests social familiarity, potentially through Ruemmler's dual connections. The charitable fund listing is a JP Morgan/Gates Foundation document, not an Epstein-organized event.*

## **Jake Sullivan**

**Role:** Former NSA

**Documents:** 65 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are foreign policy news coverage of Sullivan as NSA or in earlier policy roles. Topics include Biden's cybersecurity response to SolarWinds hack, Ukraine/Zelensky negotiations, Huawei/Brazil concerns, and his earlier roles advising Biden and Kerry on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Also appears in Obama's tight inner circle alongside Lisa Monaco during Iran negotiations. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** NSA nomination and cybersecurity ([EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA00137349](#), [EFTA00148281](#)); Ukraine negotiations ([EFTA00162753](#)); Huawei concerns ([EFTA00150782](#)); Biden foreign policy picks ([EFTA01659105](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Obama inner circle during Iran talks ([EFTA01950584](#)); Middle East policy team ([EFTA00978701](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA00148281](#), [EFTA01950584](#)

## **Loretta Lynch**

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 57 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Lynch subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) Lynch as AG in official capacity as defendant in IML (International Megan's Law) lawsuit, (3) Lynch's DOJ prosecuting bank FX rigging cases, (4) a tipster claiming Lynch was 'the reason that Spota and McPartland were tried' ([EFTA00074130](#)), and (5) National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking. No direct personal connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony

(EFTA01649358, EFTA00163656); National Strategy to Combat Human Trafficking (EFTA00010542); named as defendant in IML lawsuit in official capacity (EFTA01186577, EFTA01106183)

- **NEWS:** Bank FX rigging prosecution (EFTA00853935); UBS waivers (EFTA00853935)
- **POLITICAL:** Tipster complaint mentioning Lynch (EFTA00074130)  
Sample documents: EFTA01649358, EFTA01186577, EFTA00853935

*Note: No common-name false positive issue - all mentions appear to reference the correct Loretta Lynch (AG).*

## **Ivanka Trump**

**Role:** Former Senior Advisor

**Documents:** 57 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Ivanka on the guest/host committee for the NY Observer 25th Anniversary party where Epstein was invited (EFTA00394771, EFTA01901849), (2) Ivanka/Kushner appearing on event seating charts (EFTA02010533), (3) Ivanka as Signature Bank board member in SEC/financial conspiracy theories, and (4) general White House news. The Observer invite and seating chart connections are through the Kushner-Trump social network overlap with Epstein.

- **DIRECT:** Listed as host/invitee at NY Observer 25th Anniversary party sent to Epstein (EFTA01901849, EFTA00394771); event seating chart alongside Kushner (EFTA02010533)
- **NEWS:** White House activities (EFTA01658070, EFTA00136518, EFTA00043963); business brand lawsuit (EFTA02655301); school withdrawal over COVID protocols (EFTA00148398)
- **POLITICAL:** Signature Bank board member in financial conspiracy posts (EFTA00093864, EFTA00102521); Turkey/Albayrak White House connection (EFTA01658942)  
Sample documents: EFTA01901849, EFTA00394771, EFTA02010533, EFTA00093864

## **Lisa Monaco**

**Role:** Former Deputy AG

**Documents:** 54 | **Category:** MIXED

**KEY FINDING:** Epstein mentions Lisa Monaco by name in a 2018 email to Steve Bannon, asking 'have you come across lisa monaco yet. obama counter terrorism girl?' (EFTA00877050, EFTA02522146). This shows Epstein asked Bannon about Monaco, indicating interest in government officials in his social network. Other mentions are news about her as Deputy AG overseeing ransomware task force, crime reduction, and cybersecurity policy. She also appears in Obama's tight inner circle during Iran negotiations (EFTA01950584).

- **DIRECT:** Epstein asked Bannon about Monaco in email: 'have you come across lisa monaco yet. obama counter terrorism girl?' (EFTA00877050, EFTA02522146) - shows Epstein asking about her
- **NEWS:** Deputy AG ransomware/cybersecurity policy (EFTA01659188, EFTA00149800, EFTA00135911); crime reduction (EFTA00160235); DOJ No. 2 profile (EFTA00135867)
- **POLITICAL:** Obama inner circle during Iran negotiations with Sullivan (EFTA01950584)  
Sample documents: EFTA00877050, EFTA02522146, EFTA01950584, EFTA01659188

*Note: The Epstein-Bannon email asking about Monaco is notable - it shows Epstein asking about government officials in his conversations with contacts, even after his 2008 conviction.*

## **Mike Pompeo**

**Role:** Former Sec. State/CIA

**Documents:** 48 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are political/foreign policy news coverage of Pompeo as Secretary of State. Topics include Iran arms sales emergency declaration, inspector general firing, Middle East diplomacy, Vatican/Pope Francis, Saudi Arabia/Khashoggi response, and impeachment non-cooperation. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Iran arms emergency (EFTA00149845); IG firing (EFTA00160705, EFTA01657983); Saudi Arabia/Netanyahu meeting (EFTA00137295); Vatican audience denial (EFTA00136746); general foreign policy (EFTA00045963, EFTA00136939)

Sample documents: EFTA00149845, EFTA00137295, EFTA00136746

## John Bolton

**Role:** Former NSA

**Documents:** 39 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions are primarily political news about Bolton as NSA - Iran hawks, Afghanistan talks opposition, impeachment non-cooperation, and post-administration criticism of Trump. One 2025 mention shows the Trump administration 'investigating Ambassador Bolton' with VP Vance defending the probe (EFTA01655381), and FBI raids of Bolton referenced alongside other political targeting (EFTA01655450). Bolton also authored foreign policy opinion pieces in Epstein's media collection. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Iran policy (EFTA01948646, EFTA01875049); Afghanistan talks (EFTA00044963); impeachment (EFTA00046963); election fraud criticism (EFTA01658887); Israel/Iran policy pieces (EFTA00630287)
- **POLITICAL:** Trump administration investigating Bolton (EFTA01655381, EFTA01655450); refusing to cooperate with impeachment inquiry (EFTA00046963)

Sample documents: EFTA01655381, EFTA01948646, EFTA00046963

*Note: No common-name false positive issue detected - all mentions refer to the correct John Bolton (NSA/UN Ambassador).*

## Rex Tillerson

**Role:** Former Sec. State

**Documents:** 30 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are political/news context. Tillerson appears as Secretary of State (firing, IQ test challenge by Trump, Ukraine policy), Exxon CEO (climate/carbon tax positions), and in a Davos/WEF speaker list (EFTA02710590) alongside Henry Kissinger. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Secretary of State coverage (EFTA00711485, EFTA00046963, EFTA00316512); Exxon CEO climate positions (EFTA00841209, EFTA01872617); State Department unraveling (EFTA00711485); Davos speaker list (EFTA02710590); Koch Brothers/cabinet criticism (EFTA01059141)

Sample documents: EFTA00711485, EFTA02710590, EFTA00046963

## Merrick Garland

**Role:** Former AG

**Documents:** 29 | **Category:** MIXED

Mentions include (1) Garland subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony, (2) AG Garland's DOJ activities including gun law enforcement and assassination attempt response, (3) Obama Supreme Court nomination blocked by McConnell, and (4) general political news. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **INVESTIGATION:** Subpoenaed for House Oversight Epstein testimony (EFTA01649358, EFTA01656912)
- **NEWS:** AG activities - gun purchases blocked (EFTA00160235); assassination attempt response (EFTA01656066); DOJ investigations (EFTA01656066)
- **POLITICAL:** Obama SCOTUS nomination blocked (EFTA00135796, EFTA00830735, EFTA00042963); Biden AG selection (EFTA00148165)

Sample documents: EFTA01649358, EFTA00160235, EFTA00135796

## Avril Haines

**Role:** Former DNI

## **Documents: 24 | Category: NEWS**

All mentions are news coverage of Haines as DNI or Biden transition nominee. Topics include DNI testimony on China/TikTok threats, intelligence community annual assessments, Gaza/terrorism impact, NCTC leadership, and Biden's foreign policy team announcements. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** DNI nomination and activities ([EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA01659105](#)); annual threat assessments ([EFTA00135867](#)); TikTok/China testimony ([EFTA01655806](#), [EFTA01655826](#)); congressional testimony ([EFTA00161554](#)); cybersecurity team ([EFTA00137349](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00137295](#), [EFTA01659105](#), [EFTA01655806](#)

## **William Burns**

**Role:** Former CIA Director

### **Documents: 20 | Category: DIRECT**

**KEY FINDING:** William Burns (former Deputy Secretary of State, later CIA Director under Biden) had direct personal contact with Epstein facilitated by Epstein's network. Epstein emailed Peter Thiel introducing Burns: 'Bill (William Burns), under sec of state... best and most respected diplomat in the admin, you should meet him, he conducted the secret iran negotiations... I can set up when you are avail' ([EFTA02587069](#), [EFTA02370150](#)). Peter Thiel then emailed Burns directly with Epstein CC'd ([EFTA02339235](#)). Burns and Epstein exchanged scheduling emails about meeting in NYC and Florida ([EFTA02592203](#), [EFTA01748726](#), [EFTA00869068](#), [EFTA01001666](#)). Burns discussed his State Department departure and vacation plans with Epstein. This shows Epstein positioned himself as a connector between Burns and Thiel, and maintained a personal relationship with Burns in 2014.

- **DIRECT:** Epstein introduced Burns to Peter Thiel via email ([EFTA02587069](#), [EFTA02370150](#)); Thiel emailed Burns with Epstein CC'd ([EFTA02339235](#)); scheduling meetings with Epstein in NYC/Florida ([EFTA02592203](#), [EFTA01748726](#)); discussing vacation plans ([EFTA00869068](#)); Epstein mentioning 'bill gates in on the 5th' to Burns around Thanksgiving ([EFTA01001666](#))
- **NEWS:** CIA Director Burns in congressional testimony ([EFTA00148318](#)); Jordan letter to Burns about 51 intelligence signers ([EFTA00163736](#)); secret Iran negotiations coverage ([EFTA01931873](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Obama-era intelligence handling ([EFTA01655462](#))

Sample

documents: [EFTA02587069](#), [EFTA02370150](#), [EFTA02339235](#), [EFTA02592203](#), [EFTA01001666](#)

*Note: Burns' interactions with Epstein occurred in 2014, as Burns was leaving the State Department. Epstein actively brokered a connection between Burns and Peter Thiel. This is a significant finding - the future CIA Director had direct social contact with Epstein post-conviction.*

## **Samantha Power**

**Role:** Former USAID

### **Documents: 17 | Category: MIXED**

Mentions include (1) Power listed on a magician's prospective performance list sent to Epstein as 'UN representative Samantha Power' under 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' ([EFTA00839333](#)), (2) foreign policy news about her as UN Ambassador and USAID nominee, and (3) unmasking controversy. The magician list shows Epstein was used as a networking conduit to reach high-profile political figures.

- **DIRECT:** Listed on magician's 'yeses from politicians not yet scheduled' list sent to Epstein ([EFTA00839333](#)) - shows Epstein network used to access political figures
- **NEWS:** UN Ambassador coverage ([EFTA00872448](#), [EFTA01964297](#), [EFTA00684460](#)); USAID nomination ([EFTA00148165](#)); R2P doctrine ([EFTA01755978](#)); staff reshuffle ([EFTA01753925](#))
- **POLITICAL:** Unmasking controversy ([EFTA00149562](#), [EFTA00150682](#))

Sample documents: [EFTA00839333](#), [EFTA00872448](#), [EFTA01964297](#)

*Note: Like Biden, Power appears on the magician's wish list - this shows the magician was using Epstein's connections to try to book performances for political figures, not that Power had direct*

*contact with Epstein.*

## **Pete Buttigieg**

**Role:** Former Transportation

**Documents:** 16 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are 2019-2020 Democratic presidential primary campaign news coverage - debates, polling, campaign events, health care plan disputes with Biden, and racial justice proposals. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Democratic primary campaign coverage ([EFTA00046963](#), [EFTA00045963](#), [EFTA00043963](#), [EFTA00044963](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00046963](#), [EFTA00045963](#), [EFTA00043963](#)

## **Janet Yellen**

**Role:** Former Treasury

**Documents:** 15 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are financial/economic news. Yellen appears as Fed Chair (interest rate policy, confirmation, Bernanke succession) and as Treasury Secretary nominee/confirmation. Found in Epstein's financial news collection. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Fed Chair coverage ([EFTA02122294](#), [EFTA01100737](#), [EFTA01122221](#), [EFTA00370915](#)); Treasury Secretary nomination ([EFTA00026467](#), [EFTA00137349](#), [EFTA00137440](#)); Obama economic policy ([EFTA01154025](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA02122294](#), [EFTA01100737](#), [EFTA00026467](#)

## **Christopher Wray**

**Role:** Former FBI Director

**Documents:** 14 | **Category:** POLITICAL

Mentions include FBI Director Wray's testimony on white supremacist threats, Section 702 oversight, Trump's plans to fire him, anti-Catholic intelligence memo controversy, and Senate hearings. Wray was fired by Trump and criticized by Grassley for 'lying' about the Catholic memo. No direct connection to Epstein.

- **POLITICAL:** FBI Director oversight hearings ([EFTA00160591](#)); anti-Catholic memo controversy ([EFTA01656034](#)); Trump plans to fire Wray ([EFTA00148491](#)); Comey comparison ([EFTA01658539](#), [EFTA00136851](#))
- **NEWS:** White supremacist threat testimony ([EFTA00136665](#)); suspicious letters investigation ([EFTA01658664](#)); Five Eyes alliance ([EFTA00149760](#)); anti-Asian hate crimes ([EFTA00137484](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00160591](#), [EFTA01656034](#), [EFTA00136851](#)

## **Ron Klain**

**Role:** Former Chief of Staff

**Documents:** 11 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Klain as Biden's Chief of Staff during the 2020 transition and COVID-19 response. Topics include COVID vaccine distribution planning, election certification, and bipartisan relief bill prospects. No connection to Epstein.

- **NEWS:** Biden transition and COVID response ([EFTA00137183](#), [EFTA00161600](#), [EFTA00148963](#), [EFTA01658887](#), [EFTA00162765](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00137183](#), [EFTA00161600](#), [EFTA00148963](#)

## **Gina Raimondo**

**Role:** Former Commerce

**Documents:** 5 | **Category:** NEWS

All mentions are news coverage of Raimondo as Commerce Secretary - Chinese email hacking of her accounts, CHIPS Act, Indo-Pacific Economic Framework, and Huawei policy. No connection to

- Epstein.
- **NEWS:** Chinese hack of her email ([EFTA00164348](#), [EFTA00160450](#), [EFTA00160510](#)); Commerce Department activities ([EFTA01659188](#), [EFTA00160532](#), [EFTA00160430](#)); Huawei policy ([EFTA00148081](#))  
Sample documents: [EFTA00164348](#), [EFTA00160532](#)

### Other Biden Administration / Former Officials

Official	Role	Docs	Pages
Kamala Harris	Former Vice President	78	136
Antony Blinken	Former Secretary of State	30	36
Alejandro Mayorkas	Former DHS	25	29
Lloyd Austin	Former SecDef	22	28
Xavier Becerra	Former HHS	22	27
Deb Haaland	Former Interior	12	14
Jennifer Granholm	Former Energy	12	13
Vanita Gupta	Former Associate AG	8	9
Denis McDonough	Former VA	7	8
Jeff Zients	Former Chief of Staff	7	7
Tom Vilsack	Former Agriculture	5	5
Miguel Cardona	Former Education	4	4
Marty Walsh	Former Labor	1	1

*Officials not covered above appear only in news coverage and political reporting unrelated to Epstein.*

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# Independent Senators in the Epstein Files

## Full-Corpus Search Results for All 2 Independent U.S. Senators (119th Congress)

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### METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets (218 GB total). For officials with significant hit counts, a deeper context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets to categorize the nature of each mention.

#### Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
- **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
- **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
- **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
- **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
- **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely

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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 2 officials searched

- 2 appear in the corpus (0 with zero mentions)
- 2 appear only in news coverage unrelated to Epstein

## COMPLETE LISTING BY STATE

### Maine

**Official Office Docs Pages Category**

Angus King Maine 33 36 NEWS

### Vermont

**Official Office Docs Pages Category**

Bernie Sanders Vermont 110 204 NEWS

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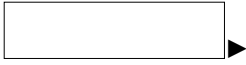
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# Judicial Branch: Federal Judges and Prosecutors in the Epstein Corpus

## Data Source

The Federal Judicial Center (FJC) maintains the authoritative Biographical Directory of all Article III federal judges appointed since 1789. We downloaded the complete database (4,055 judges) and filtered to all currently-serving judges (active + senior status):

Category	Searched	With Hits
Supreme Court (current + retired, alive)	11	11
Circuit Court of Appeals — Active	179	38
Circuit Court of Appeals — Senior Status	122	26
District Court — Active (key courts)	102	53
District Court — Senior Status (key courts)	89	46
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>174</b>

**Key courts searched:** SDNY, SDFL, DDC, DNM, DVI, EDNY, NDNY, D.Conn., D.Mass. — the districts most connected to Epstein litigation.

**Search method:** FTS5 full-text search of `full_text_corpus.db` (1,380,937 documents, 2,731,796 pages across all 12 DOJ datasets) using exact phrase matching on each judge's first and last name.

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

**No sitting or former Supreme Court justice has any direct personal connection to Jeffrey Epstein in this corpus.**

The most notable finding is Justice **Elena Kagan** (58 documents), whose name appears because Epstein funded a Harvard poetry project she participated in, and because his lawyer Kathryn Ruemmler suggested her as a social contact for Epstein's associates. However, there is no evidence Kagan communicated with Epstein directly or knew of his involvement in the project.

The vast majority of judicial hits (174 of 503 judges) fall into predictable categories:

- **Case judges** appearing in court filings they presided over
- **Prosecutors** appearing on documents they signed

- **News mentions** in FBI daily briefings collected in the corpus

- **Common name collisions** (e.g., "Jeffrey Howard" matching Epstein's legal name)

One significant finding outside the judiciary itself: **Stephanie Dawn Thacker** (now 4th Circuit judge, 40 documents) was formerly a CEOS deputy who wrote a critical response about the handling of the original Epstein prosecution — the only case of its kind she had seen CEOS take on.

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## I. SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

### Current Justices

Justice	Appointed By	Docs	Pages	Category
Elena Kagan	Obama (2010)	58	77	MIXED
Brett Kavanaugh	Trump (2018)	53	62	NEWS
John Roberts	G.W. Bush (2005)	45	52	NEWS
Clarence Thomas	G.H.W. Bush (1991)	29	35	NEWS
Samuel Alito	G.W. Bush (2006)	25	30	NEWS
Sonia Sotomayor	Obama (2009)	21	26	NEWS
Neil Gorsuch	Trump (2017)	18	21	NEWS
Amy Coney Barrett	Trump (2020)	1	1	NEWS
Ketanji Brown Jackson	Biden (2022)	1	1	NEWS

### Recent Former Justices (alive, retired/senior)

Justice	Status	Docs	Category
Anthony Kennedy	Retired 2018	17	NEWS
Stephen Breyer	Retired 2022	15	NEWS

### Deceased Former Justices (searched for completeness)

Justice	Status	Docs	Category
Ruth Bader Ginsburg	Died 2020	46	NEWS
Antonin Scalia	Died 2016	30	NEWS
Sandra Day O'Connor	Died 2023	3	NEWS
John Paul Stevens	Died 2019	2	NEWS
David Souter	Retired 2009	1	NEWS

### Detailed Analysis: Elena Kagan (58 documents)

Justice Kagan's elevated document count traces to three distinct threads:

#### 1. Harvard "Poetry in America" Project (majority of hits)

Epstein funded a Harvard poetry project called "Verse Video Education" / "Poetry in America" through his Gratitude America foundation (\$110,000 grant). The project was run by Professor Elisa New (who is Larry Summers' wife). Kagan was one of dozens of prominent participants who taped poetry readings — alongside NBA players, architects, hip-hop artists, and other public figures.

Key documents:

- [EFTA00970475](#): Lisa New to Epstein: *"We had Justice Elena Kagan last week and it was fantastic"*

- [EFTA00678464](#): Kagan *"agreed to tape a reading in September"* — listed alongside Henry Louis Gates and Samantha Power

- [EFTA02703149](#): Full email chain showing Epstein funding the project via Gratitude America (\$110K), Richard Kahn handling grant logistics

#### 2. Ruemmler Social Suggestion

- [EFTA02392995](#): Kathryn Ruemmler (Obama's former White House Counsel, by then Epstein's lawyer at Latham & Watkins) replied "*Elena Kagan?*" when Epstein emailed about a DC trip with Woody Allen, asking "*anyone fun?*" in May 2015. This appears to be about the poetry project connection rather than a personal social relationship.

### 3. News clips and legal coverage

Standard mentions of Kagan in SCOTUS opinions, confirmation hearings, and judicial news.

**Assessment:** Kagan participated in a Harvard educational project that Epstein funded behind the scenes. There is no evidence she communicated with Epstein directly, was aware of his funding role, or had any personal or social relationship with him. Ruemmler's suggestion of Kagan appears to reference the existing poetry project connection. Multiple copies of project-related emails inflate the document count.

### Detailed Analysis: Brett Kavanaugh (53 documents)

All Kavanaugh mentions fall into two categories:

**1. News coverage (majority):** FBI daily briefings about Kavanaugh's SCOTUS confirmation battle, #MeToo era coverage, and subsequent opinions.

**2. Two notable documents:**

- [EFTA02563087](#): Someone in Epstein's email traffic wrote "*Brett Kavanaugh Is the best. Very courageous — returned to the Clinton investigation during Lewinsky*" — this is political commentary about Kavanaugh's role on the Ken Starr team, not evidence of any personal connection.

- [EFTA02605329](#): Email discussing Ken Starr and Kavanaugh sent to Epstein — again political commentary, not personal contact.

**Assessment:** Pure news context. No evidence of any personal connection between Kavanaugh and Epstein. Epstein's social circle discussed Kavanaugh as a political figure, not as a personal contact.

### All Other SCOTUS Justices: NEWS Only

Roberts, Thomas, Alito, Sotomayor, Gorsuch, Barrett, Jackson, Kennedy, Breyer, Ginsburg, Scalia, O'Connor, Stevens, and Souter all appear exclusively in news coverage, FBI daily briefings, SCOTUS opinion summaries, and legal commentary. Zero evidence of any personal connection to Epstein for any of them.

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## II. JUDGES WHO HANDLED EPSTEIN/MAXWELL CASES

These judges appear in the corpus strictly in their judicial capacity:

Judge	Court	Role in Epstein Cases	Docs
<b>Kenneth Marra</b>	S.D. Florida	CVRA ruling — found NPA violated victims' rights	221
<b>Alison Nathan</b>	S.D. New York / 2nd Circuit	Presided over Maxwell trial and conviction	63
<b>Colleen McMahon</b>	S.D. New York (Chief Judge)	Received BOP communications re Epstein at MCC; administrative oversight	57
<b>Richard Berman</b>	S.D. New York	Denied Epstein bail in 2019 case; death occurred during his case	53
<b>Jed Rakoff</b>	S.D. New York	Signed "Order regarding Review of Videomaterials" — led to 2023 CSAM discovery	31
<b>Analisa Torres</b>	S.D. New York	Handled MCC guard deferred prosecution agreement (USA v. Michael Thomas)	26
<b>Ronnie Abrams</b>	S.D. New York	Presided over "Katie Johnson" v. Trump & Epstein civil lawsuit (dismissed on technical grounds)	23

Judge	Court	Role in Epstein Cases	Docs
<b>Loretta Preska</b>	S.D. New York	Ordered unsealing of Maxwell deposition documents in <i>Giuffre v. Maxwell</i>	20
<b>Robert Sweet</b>	S.D. New York (died 2019)	Original <i>Giuffre v. Maxwell</i> judge; also sentenced Hoffenberg (Epstein's co-conspirator in Towers Financial fraud)	17
<b>Denise Cote</b>	S.D. New York	Related proceedings	3

### Notable: Judge Jed Rakoff and the 2023 CSAM Discovery

Rakoff signed the order governing the post-mortem review of video materials from Epstein's estate. During this review in 2023, lawyers from Hughes Hubbard discovered a video that appeared to contain child pornography — material that had been missed during the initial 2019-2021 FBI evidence processing. This is documented in [EFTA00039019](#).

### Notable: Judge Denny Chin — 1996 Civil Case

Chin (now 2nd Circuit, 7 documents) presided over a 1996 civil case: *USA v. Epstein et al.* (Case 1:96-cv-08307-DC) — a rent/lease/ejection matter filed by the United States against Jeffrey E. Epstein and Ivan Fisher, predating the sex trafficking investigation by a decade. Documented in [EFTA00187391](#).

## III. KEY PROSECUTORS AND LEGAL OFFICIALS

Official	Role	Docs	Context
<b>Alan Dershowitz</b>	Epstein defense attorney; Harvard Law	1,360	DIRECT — negotiated NPA whose co-conspirator immunity clause later shielded him; accused of sexual abuse by victims
<b>Audrey Strauss</b>	Acting U.S. Attorney, SDNY	606	INVESTIGATION — charged Maxwell; name on hundreds of filings
<b>Barry Krischer</b>	Palm Beach County State Attorney	214	INVESTIGATION — original prosecutor accused of leniency; Police Chief Reiter feuded with him publicly
<b>Geoffrey Berman</b>	U.S. Attorney, SDNY	208	INVESTIGATION — brought 2019 charges; visited MCC after death; later fired by AG Barr
<b>Damian Williams</b>	U.S. Attorney, SDNY	134	INVESTIGATION — oversaw Maxwell trial to guilty verdict
<b>Maurene Comey</b>	AUSA, SDNY (daughter of James Comey)	52	INVESTIGATION — lead prosecutor; signed grand jury subpoenas, search warrant protocols
<b>Jack Smith</b>	Special Counsel (Trump cases)	77	MIXED — 85% news coverage of Trump prosecution. <b>15% is a DIFFERENT Jack Smith:</b> a New Mexico historian who wanted to visit Epstein's Zorro Ranch to research "Popes Well." Epstein personally called him back. Completely unrelated to the Special Counsel.
<b>James Boasberg</b>	Chief Judge, FISA Court / D.D.C.	8	NEWS only — FBI daily briefings about FISA rulings, unrelated cases

## Dershowitz: Unique Position

Alan Dershowitz holds a unique position as both Epstein's defense attorney AND an accused individual. His 1,360 documents include:

- **Defense work:** Negotiated the 2007 NPA that included an unprecedented clause granting immunity to "potential co-conspirators" — which he himself was named as in victim testimony
- **Accusations:** Named by Virginia Giuffre as having sexually abused her on Epstein's island; Dershowitz has vigorously denied all allegations
- **Dual role:** Dershowitz was part of the defense team that negotiated the NPA, which included a co-conspirator immunity clause from which he personally benefited when later accused — a potential conflict of interest noted in subsequent litigation

## Krischer: The Prosecution That Wasn't

Barry Krischer drew extensive criticism in the corpus. Police Chief Michael Reiter was *"so angry with State Attorney Barry Krischer's handling of the case that he wrote a memo suggesting he disqualify himself."* One document states: *"Unfortunately, the local prosecutor in this case was... named Barry Krischer. When Krischer found out the target was Epstein, a big Democratic donor, he refused to prosecute."* The grand jury under Krischer returned only a single count of solicitation of prostitution, despite police presenting evidence of dozens of underage victims.

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## IV. FEDERAL CIRCUIT COURTS OF APPEALS (301 judges searched)

Of 301 circuit court judges searched (179 active + 122 senior status), 64 had hits. The vast majority are common name collisions, news mentions, or incidental references. Noteworthy entries:

### Judges with 10+ Documents

Judge	Circuit	Status	Docs	Assessment
<b>Alison Nathan</b>	2nd Circuit	Active	63	INVESTIGATION — Maxwell trial judge (elevated from SDNY)
<b>Stephanie Thacker</b>	4th Circuit	Active	40	MIXED — see detailed analysis below
<b>Stephanie Seymour</b>	10th Circuit	Senior	36	FALSE POSITIVE — matches supermodel Stephanie Seymour (Peter Brant's wife), NOT the judge
<b>Chad Readler</b>	6th Circuit	Active	31	NTOC TIPS — conspiracy theory material alleging cover-up, no substance FALSE POSITIVE — sentence-boundary crossings ("Jeffrey,\nHoward German from Sikorsky"), a background check DB listing "Jeffrey Howard" as middle name (correct: Jeffrey <b>Edward</b> Epstein), and 1 actual judge reference (Harvard admissions case)
<b>Jeffrey Howard</b>	1st Circuit	Senior	19	Likely common name collision
<b>John Rogers</b>	6th Circuit	Senior	15	Likely common name collision
<b>David Barron</b>	1st Circuit	Active	13	FALSE POSITIVE — name on Dialog retreat invite list forwarded to Epstein by Lisa Randall
<b>W. Eugene Davis</b>	5th Circuit	Senior	13	Likely common name collision
<b>John Zihun</b>	7th Circuit	Active	11	Likely common name collision ("John Lee")

## Judge Circuit Status Docs Assessment

Lee

**David Hamilton** 7th Circuit Senior 10 Likely common name collision

### Detailed Analysis: Stephanie Dawn Thacker (40 documents)

Stephanie Thacker is now a 4th Circuit judge (appointed by Obama, 2012), but BEFORE her judicial appointment, she was a **deputy in the Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section (CEOS)** of the DOJ — the very section that was supposed to prosecute Epstein federally.

Her 40 documents include:

- A critical letter she wrote responding to CEOS's assessment of the Epstein case, submitted as part of the CVRA proceedings before Judge Marra
- She stated she "*knew of no other case like this being prosecuted by CEOS*" — highlighting the extraordinary nature of the plea deal
- Her response was filed alongside the "Principal Submission" and "Summary of Misconduct" documents

This is significant: a former CEOS insider — now a federal appellate judge — formally criticized the section's handling of the Epstein prosecution, and her critique became part of the judicial record.

Key documents:

- [EFTA00013783](#): Email transmitting Thacker's CEOS response letter
- [EFTA00209832](#): "*Stephanie Thacker, a former deputy to CEOS Chief Drew Oosterbaan, has stated that she knew of no other case like this being prosecuted by CEOS.*"
- [EFTA01615855](#): Internal DOJ discussion referencing Thacker's role

### Chad Readler (31 documents) — NTOC Tips

The Readler mentions come from NTOC (National Threat Operations Center) tip submissions. Tipsters alleged that Readler, while an acting Assistant Attorney General in Trump's DOJ, handled certain cases leniently and was subsequently appointed to the 6th Circuit by Trump as a reward. The tips use language like "*The 'prosecutor' on the case was Chad Readler. Now: JUDGE Chad Readler. Made so by Trump.*" These are unverified public tips — conspiracy allegations, not established facts.

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## V. KEY DISTRICT COURT JUDGES (191 judges searched)

Of 191 key-district judges searched (102 active + 89 senior), 99 had hits. Most are routine case references. Notable entries beyond those already covered in Section II:

### SDNY Judges with 5+ Documents (not already covered)

Judge	Status	Docs	Context
John Koeltl	Active	15	Court filings, related cases
Lewis Kaplan	Senior	11	Presided over <i>Giuffre v. Prince Andrew</i> ; <i>E. Jean Carroll v. Trump</i>
Paul Gardephe	Senior	7	Related SDNY proceedings
Victor Marrero	Senior	7	Related SDNY proceedings
Jesse Furman	Active	8	Related SDNY proceedings
Kenneth Karas	Active	5	Related proceedings
Paul Engelmayer	Active	4	Related proceedings

### SDFL Judges with 5+ Documents

Judge	Status	Docs	Context
<b>Kenneth Marra</b>	Senior	221	CVRA ruling (covered in Section II)

Judge	Status	Docs	Context
Rodney Smith	Active	9	Likely case-related
James Cohn	Senior	8	SDFL proceedings
Donald Middlebrooks	Active	6	SDFL proceedings
James Lawrence King	Senior	6	SDFL proceedings
Donald Graham	Senior	5	SDFL proceedings

### D.C. District Judges with 5+ Documents

Judge	Status	Docs	Context
Emmet Sullivan	Senior	17	Primarily news (Flynn case), some Epstein-related DOJ oversight
Richard Leon	Senior	14	News coverage, DOJ-related proceedings
John Bates	Senior	13	FISA matters, DOJ oversight
Amit Mehta	Active	12	Google antitrust trial, DOJ news
Royce Lamberth	Senior	11	Primarily news coverage
Reggie Walton	Senior	11	Primarily news coverage
Tanya Chutkan	Active	10	Trump Jan. 6 case news coverage
James Boasberg	Active	8	FISA court, news coverage

Note: Many D.C. district judge hits come from FBI daily briefings collected in the corpus, not from Epstein-specific documents.

## VI. COMPLETE SEARCH RESULTS

### False Positives Identified

Name	Claimed Match	Actual Match	Docs
Stephanie Seymour	10th Circuit Senior Judge	Supermodel (Peter Brant's wife) — socialite in Epstein's orbit	36
Jeffrey Howard	1st Circuit Senior Judge	Sentence-boundary crossings ("Jeffrey,\nHoward German..."), a background check DB error listing "Jeffrey Howard" as middle name (correct: Jeffrey Edward Epstein), and 1 actual judge reference	19
David Barron	1st Circuit Chief Judge	Name on Dialog retreat invite forwarded to Epstein	13
John Lee	7th Circuit Active Judge	Common name collision	11
David Hamilton	7th Circuit Senior Judge	Common name collision	10
Brian Murphy	D.D.C. Active Judge	Common name collision (12 docs)	12
Rodney Smith	S.D. Fla. Active Judge	Possibly common name	9

### Summary by Category

Category	Count	Description
INVESTIGATION	~25	Judges/prosecutors who handled Epstein/Maxwell cases in their

Category	Count	Description
		professional capacity
NEWS	~120	Names appearing in FBI daily briefings, legal news clips, or political coverage
FALSE POSITIVE	~7	Common name collisions or incidental mentions
MIXED	3	Elena Kagan (indirect project connection), Denny Chin (1996 civil case), Stephanie Thacker (CEOS criticism)
DIRECT	1	Alan Dershowitz (defense attorney AND accused individual)
NONE	~329	Zero documents found

## VII. KEY FINDINGS

1. **No SCOTUS justice has a direct connection to Epstein.** Elena Kagan's 58-document count is explained by Epstein funding a Harvard educational project she participated in. There is no evidence she was aware of his involvement.
2. **Stephanie Thacker's CEOS criticism** is the most significant judicial-branch finding. A federal appellate judge (before her appointment) formally criticized the DOJ section that handled the original Epstein prosecution, stating it was unprecedented — and her critique became part of the CVRA court record.
3. **The "Jack Smith" in Epstein's emails is a historian**, not the Special Counsel. He wanted access to Epstein's New Mexico ranch to research a historic well called "Popes Well."
4. **Supermodel Stephanie Seymour** (NOT the judge) appears in Epstein's social emails — she was part of the art world/socialite scene connected to Epstein through Peter Brant and Jean Pigozzi.
5. **Barry Krischer** drew the harshest criticism of any legal official, with police alleging political favoritism in his handling of the original prosecution.
6. **Jed Rakoff's video review order** led to the 2023 discovery of CSAM that was missed during the initial 2019-2021 evidence processing — years after Epstein's death.
7. **503 federal judges comprehensively searched.** This includes every active and senior-status Article III judge on the Supreme Court, all 13 Courts of Appeals, and the key district courts involved in Epstein litigation. Data sourced from the Federal Judicial Center's official biographical directory.

## Methodology Notes

- **Source:** Federal Judicial Center Biographical Directory of Article III Federal Judges (downloaded February 2026, updated nightly)
- **Corpus:** `full_text_corpus.db` — 1,380,937 documents, 2,731,796 pages across all 12 DOJ Epstein datasets
- **Search:** FTS5 exact phrase matching on "First Last" name pairs
- **Context analysis:** Deep-read of all documents for judges with 5+ hits and all SCOTUS justices
- **Limitations:** Exact phrase search means some name variants may be missed (e.g., "J. Roberts" would not match "John Roberts"). Conversely, common names produce false positives that required manual review.


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# Republican House Members in the Epstein Files

## Full-Corpus Search Results for All 221 Republican U.S. House Members (119th Congress)

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### METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets (218 GB total). For officials with significant hit counts, a deeper context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets to categorize the nature of each mention.

#### Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
  - **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
  - **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
  - **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
  - **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
  - **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 221 officials searched
- 94 appear in the corpus (127 with zero mentions)
- 1 with MIXED mention types (multiple categories)
- 2 confirmed FALSE POSITIVES (different person with same name)
- 91 appear only in news coverage unrelated to Epstein
- 127 not found in any document

#### Officials with Mixed Mentions

**Barry Loudermilk** (U.S. House Georgia District 11) — 40 documents, 41 pages

*There are TWO different Barry Loudermilks in this corpus. (1) The majority of hits refer to a Barry Loudermilk who is a construction/development professional (NOT the congressman) whom Epstein was considering hiring. Documents show his resume was sent to Epstein, Epstein offered him a potential full-time job, and he was scheduled for site visits to Epstein's properties. His company Orion Group Holdings worked in marine construction, and he had prior development experience in Turks & Caicos. (2) Rep. Barry Loudermilk (R-GA) the congressman appears in separate political news coverage about January 6 investigations, FBI cell phone data disputes, and China-related threats. The congressman has no documented connection to Epstein.*

Key

documents: [EFTA02258978](#), [EFTA02622226](#), [EFTA01022280](#), [EFTA01022281](#), [EFTA01013201](#)

## Confirmed False Positives

**John James** (U.S. House Michigan District 10) — 49 documents

*The 'John James' in these documents is NOT the congressman John James (R-MI). It is a completely different person: John James, a Senior Solicitor at Johnson Lawyers in Adelaide, Australia. The documents are from a voluminous complaint by an Australian targeted individual alleging government conspiracy, intellectual property theft, and medical business plan fraud in South Australia. This person's grievance filings were submitted as tips/complaints to the Epstein document collection but have no connection to Epstein or the Michigan congressman.*

**Scott Fitzgerald** (U.S. House Wisconsin District 5) — 22 documents

*All hits are for F. Scott Fitzgerald, the American novelist and author of The Great Gatsby. Multiple documents compare Epstein to Jay Gatsby, F. Scott Fitzgerald's fictional character. Other references are to literary discussion events and book clubs. Zero hits relate to Rep. Scott Fitzgerald (R-WI).*

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## COMPLETE LISTING BY STATE

### Alabama

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Robert Aderholt	Alabama District 4	0	0	—
Barry Moore	Alabama District 1	0	0	—
Gary Palmer	Alabama District 6	3	3	NEWS
Mike Rogers	Alabama District 3	9	11	NEWS
Dale Strong	Alabama District 5	4	4	NEWS

### Alaska

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Nicholas Begich	Alaska At-large District	0	0	—

### American Samoa

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Aumua Amata Radewagen	American Samoa At-large District	0	0	—

### Arizona

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Andy Biggs	Arizona District 5	5	6	NEWS
Juan Ciscomani	Arizona District 6	0	0	—
Eli Crane	Arizona District 2	0	0	—
Paul Gosar	Arizona District 9	2	2	NEWS
Abraham Hamadeh	Arizona District 8	0	0	—
David Schweikert	Arizona District 1	4	6	NEWS

### Arkansas

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Rick Crawford	Arkansas District 1	5	5	NEWS
French Hill	Arkansas District 2	4	4	NEWS
Bruce Westerman	Arkansas District 4	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Steve Womack	Arkansas District 3	0	0	—

## **California**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Ken Calvert	California District 41	0	0	—
Vince Fong	California District 20	0	0	—
Darrell Issa	California District 48	24	29	NEWS
Kevin Kiley	California District 3	2	2	NEWS
Young Kim	California District 40	1	1	NEWS
Tom McClintock	California District 5	2	2	NEWS
Jay Obernolte	California District 23	1	1	NEWS
David G. Valadao	California District 22	0	0	—

## **Colorado**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Lauren Boebert	Colorado District 4	5	5	NEWS
Jeff Crank	Colorado District 5	0	0	—
Gabe Evans	Colorado District 8	0	0	—
Jeff Hurd	Colorado District 3	0	0	—

## **Florida**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Aaron Bean	Florida District 4	0	0	—
Gus M. Bilirakis	Florida District 12	0	0	—
Vern Buchanan	Florida District 16	1	1	NEWS
Kat Cammack	Florida District 3	0	0	—
Mario Diaz-Balart	Florida District 26	6	6	NEWS
Byron Donalds	Florida District 19	0	0	—
Neal Dunn	Florida District 2	0	0	—
Randy Fine	Florida District 6	0	0	—
Scott Franklin	Florida District 18	0	0	—
Carlos Gimenez	Florida District 28	4	5	NEWS
Mike Haridopolos	Florida District 8	2	2	NEWS
Laurel Lee	Florida District 15	1	1	NEWS
Anna Paulina Luna	Florida District 13	1	1	NEWS
Brian Mast	Florida District 21	1	1	NEWS
Cory Mills	Florida District 7	1	1	NEWS
Jimmy Patronis	Florida District 1	4	17	NEWS
John Rutherford	Florida District 5	0	0	—
Maria Elvira Salazar	Florida District 27	0	0	—
Greg Steube	Florida District 17	2	2	NEWS
Daniel Webster	Florida District 11	1	2	NEWS

## Georgia

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Rick Allen	Georgia District 12	0	0	—
Earl Carter	Georgia District 1	0	0	—
Andrew Clyde	Georgia District 9	1	1	NEWS
Mike Collins	Georgia District 10	2	2	NEWS
Brian Jack	Georgia District 3	6	6	NEWS
Barry Loudermilk	Georgia District 11	40	41	MIXED
Rich McCormick	Georgia District 7	1	1	NEWS
Austin Scott	Georgia District 8	1	1	NEWS

## Guam

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
James Moylan	Guam At-large District	0	0	—

## Idaho

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Russ Fulcher	Idaho District 1	0	0	—
Michael K. Simpson	Idaho District 2	0	0	—

## Illinois

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Mike Bost	Illinois District 12	2	3	NEWS
Darin LaHood	Illinois District 16	5	6	NEWS
Mary Miller	Illinois District 15	2	2	NEWS

## Indiana

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Jim Baird	Indiana District 4	0	0	—
Erin Houchin	Indiana District 9	0	0	—
Mark Messmer	Indiana District 8	0	0	—
Jefferson Shreve	Indiana District 6	0	0	—
Victoria Spartz	Indiana District 5	0	0	—
Marlin A. Stutzman	Indiana District 3	0	0	—
Rudy Yakym	Indiana District 2	0	0	—

## Iowa

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Randy Feenstra	Iowa District 4	0	0	—
Ashley Hinson	Iowa District 2	1	1	NEWS
Mariannette Miller-Meeks	Iowa District 1	0	0	—
Zach Nunn	Iowa District 3	0	0	—

## Kansas

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Ron Estes	Kansas District 4	2	2	NEWS
Tracey Mann	Kansas District 1	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Derek Schmidt	Kansas District 2	0	0	—

## **Kentucky**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Andy Barr	Kentucky District 6	0	0	—
James Comer Jr.	Kentucky District 1	0	0	—
Brett Guthrie	Kentucky District 2	1	1	NEWS
Thomas Massie	Kentucky District 4	11	12	NEWS
Hal Rogers	Kentucky District 5	3	4	NEWS

## **Louisiana**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Clay Higgins	Louisiana District 3	1	2	NEWS
Mike Johnson	Louisiana District 4	20	23	NEWS
Julia Letlow	Louisiana District 5	0	0	—
Steve Scalise	Louisiana District 1	13	16	NEWS

## **Maryland**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Andrew Harris	Maryland District 1	0	0	—

## **Michigan**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Tom Barrett	Michigan District 7	3	3	NEWS
Jack Bergman	Michigan District 1	1	1	NEWS
Bill Huizenga	Michigan District 4	0	0	—
John James	Michigan District 10	49	98	FALSE POSITIVE
Lisa McClain	Michigan District 9	0	0	—
John Moolenaar	Michigan District 2	9	9	NEWS
Tim Walberg	Michigan District 5	0	0	—

## **Minnesota**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Tom Emmer	Minnesota District 6	2	2	NEWS
Brad Finstad	Minnesota District 1	0	0	—
Michelle Fischbach	Minnesota District 7	0	0	—
Pete Stauber	Minnesota District 8	0	0	—

## **Mississippi**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Mike Ezell	Mississippi District 4	0	0	—
Michael Guest	Mississippi District 3	0	0	—
Trent Kelly	Mississippi District 1	5	5	NEWS

## **Missouri**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Mark Alford	Missouri District 4	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Eric Burlison	Missouri District 7	0	0	—
Sam Graves	Missouri District 6	0	0	—
Bob Onder	Missouri District 3	0	0	—
Jason Smith	Missouri District 8	4	4	NEWS
Ann Wagner	Missouri District 2	6	6	NEWS

## **Montana**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Troy Downing	Montana District 2	0	0	—
Ryan K. Zinke	Montana District 1	0	0	—

## **Nebraska**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Don Bacon	Nebraska District 2	2	2	NEWS
Mike Flood	Nebraska District 1	0	0	—
Adrian Smith	Nebraska District 3	0	0	—

## **Nevada**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Mark Amodei	Nevada District 2	0	0	—

## **New Jersey**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Jeff Van Drew	New Jersey District 2	4	8	NEWS
Thomas Kean Jr.	New Jersey District 7	0	0	—
Chris Smith	New Jersey District 4	13	13	NEWS

## **New York**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Andrew Garbarino	New York District 2	0	0	—
Nicholas J. LaLota	New York District 1	0	0	—
Nick Langworthy	New York District 23	0	0	—
Michael Lawler	New York District 17	0	0	—
Nicole Malliotakis	New York District 11	8	8	NEWS
Elise Stefanik	New York District 21	22	28	NEWS
Claudia Tenney	New York District 24	1	2	NEWS

## **North Carolina**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Chuck Edwards	North Carolina District 11	0	0	—
Virginia Foxx	North Carolina District 5	2	2	NEWS
Pat Harrigan	North Carolina District 10	0	0	—
Mark Harris	North Carolina District 8	2	2	NEWS
Richard Hudson	North Carolina District 9	1	2	NEWS
Brad Knott	North Carolina District 13	0	0	—
Addison McDowell	North Carolina District 6	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Timothy K. Moore	North Carolina District 14	0	0	—
Gregory Murphy	North Carolina District 3	0	0	—
David Rouzer	North Carolina District 7	0	0	—

## **North Dakota**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Julie Fedorchak	North Dakota At-large District	0	0	—

## **Northern Mariana Islands**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Kimberlyn King-Hinds	Northern Mariana Islands At-large District	1	1	NEWS

## **Ohio**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Troy Balderson	Ohio District 12	0	0	—
Mike Carey	Ohio District 15	0	0	—
Warren Davidson	Ohio District 8	2	2	NEWS
Jim Jordan	Ohio District 4	72	97	NEWS
David Joyce	Ohio District 14	0	0	—
Bob Latta	Ohio District 5	1	1	NEWS
Max Miller	Ohio District 7	0	0	—
Michael Rulli	Ohio District 6	0	0	—
David Taylor	Ohio District 2	4	5	NEWS
Michael Turner	Ohio District 10	2	2	NEWS

## **Oklahoma**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Stephanie Bice	Oklahoma District 5	0	0	—
Josh Brecheen	Oklahoma District 2	0	0	—
Tom Cole	Oklahoma District 4	7	7	NEWS
Kevin Hern	Oklahoma District 1	0	0	—
Frank Lucas	Oklahoma District 3	0	0	—

## **Oregon**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Cliff Bentz	Oregon District 2	0	0	—

## **Pennsylvania**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Rob Bresnahan Jr.	Pennsylvania District 8	0	0	—
Brian Fitzpatrick	Pennsylvania District 1	4	4	NEWS
John Joyce	Pennsylvania District 13	3	3	NEWS
Mike Kelly	Pennsylvania District 16	6	9	NEWS
Ryan Mackenzie	Pennsylvania District 7	0	0	—
Dan Meuser	Pennsylvania District 9	0	0	—
Scott Perry	Pennsylvania District 10	5	6	NEWS

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Guy Reschenthaler	Pennsylvania District 14	4	5	NEWS
Lloyd Smucker	Pennsylvania District 11	1	1	NEWS
Glenn Thompson	Pennsylvania District 15	0	0	—

## **South Carolina**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Sheri Biggs	South Carolina District 3	0	0	—
Russell Fry	South Carolina District 7	0	0	—
Nancy Mace	South Carolina District 1	6	9	NEWS
Ralph Norman	South Carolina District 5	2	2	NEWS
William Timmons	South Carolina District 4	0	0	—
Joe Wilson	South Carolina District 2	12	13	NEWS

## **South Dakota**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Dusty Johnson	South Dakota At-large District	0	0	—

## **Tennessee**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Tim Burchett	Tennessee District 2	2	2	NEWS
Scott DesJarlais	Tennessee District 4	2	2	NEWS
Matt Van Epps	Tennessee District 7	0	0	—
Charles J. Fleischmann	Tennessee District 3	0	0	—
Diana Harshbarger	Tennessee District 1	0	0	—
David Kustoff	Tennessee District 8	0	0	—
Andy Ogles	Tennessee District 5	4	7	NEWS
John Rose	Tennessee District 6	0	0	—

## **Texas**

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Jodey Arrington	Texas District 19	0	0	—
Brian Babin	Texas District 36	0	0	—
John Carter	Texas District 31	5	5	NEWS
Michael Cloud	Texas District 27	0	0	—
Daniel Crenshaw	Texas District 2	0	0	—
Monica De La Cruz	Texas District 15	0	0	—
Beth Van Duyne	Texas District 24	0	0	—
Jake Ellzey	Texas District 6	1	1	NEWS
Pat Fallon	Texas District 4	1	1	NEWS
Brandon Gill	Texas District 26	1	1	NEWS
Craig Goldman	Texas District 12	0	0	—
Tony Gonzales	Texas District 23	2	2	NEWS
Lance Gooden	Texas District 5	0	0	—
Wesley Hunt	Texas District 38	0	0	—

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Ronny L. Jackson	Texas District 13	0	0	—
Morgan Luttrell	Texas District 8	0	0	—
Michael McCaul	Texas District 10	10	10	NEWS
Nathaniel Moran	Texas District 1	2	2	NEWS
Troy Nehls	Texas District 22	1	1	NEWS
August Pfluger	Texas District 11	3	3	NEWS
Chip Roy	Texas District 21	5	7	NEWS
Keith Self	Texas District 3	0	0	—
Pete Sessions	Texas District 17	3	3	NEWS
Randy Weber	Texas District 14	2	2	NEWS
Roger Williams	Texas District 25	15	23	NEWS

## Utah

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Mike Kennedy	Utah District 3	0	0	—
Celeste Maloy	Utah District 2	0	0	—
Blake Moore	Utah District 1	0	0	—
Burgess Owens	Utah District 4	3	3	NEWS

## Virginia

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Benjamin Lee Cline	Virginia District 6	0	0	—
H. Morgan Griffith	Virginia District 9	0	0	—
Jennifer Kiggans	Virginia District 2	0	0	—
John McGuire	Virginia District 5	0	0	—
Robert J. Wittman	Virginia District 1	0	0	—

## Washington

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Michael Baumgartner	Washington District 5	0	0	—
Dan Newhouse	Washington District 4	0	0	—

## West Virginia

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Carol Miller	West Virginia District 1	0	0	—
Riley Moore	West Virginia District 2	0	0	—

## Wisconsin

<b>Official</b>	<b>Office</b>	<b>Docs</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Category</b>
Scott Fitzgerald	Wisconsin District 5	22	27	FALSE POSITIVE
Glenn Grothman	Wisconsin District 6	1	1	NEWS
Derrick Van Orden	Wisconsin District 3	0	0	—
Bryan Steil	Wisconsin District 1	0	0	—
Tom Tiffany	Wisconsin District 7	0	0	—
Tony Wied	Wisconsin District 8	0	0	—

## Wyoming

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Harriet Hageman	Wyoming At-large District	0	0	—

### Officials with Zero Mentions

The following officials do not appear in any of the 1,380,937 documents in the corpus:

- Robert Aderholt (Alabama)
- Barry Moore (Alabama)
- Nicholas Begich (Alaska)
- Aumua Amata Radewagen (American Samoa)
- Juan Ciscomani (Arizona)
- Eli Crane (Arizona)
- Abraham Hamadeh (Arizona)
- Bruce Westerman (Arkansas)
- Steve Womack (Arkansas)
- Ken Calvert (California)
- Vince Fong (California)
- David G. Valadao (California)
- Jeff Crank (Colorado)
- Gabe Evans (Colorado)
- Jeff Hurd (Colorado)
- Aaron Bean (Florida)
- Gus M. Bilirakis (Florida)
- Kat Cammack (Florida)
- Byron Donalds (Florida)
- Neal Dunn (Florida)
- Randy Fine (Florida)
- Scott Franklin (Florida)
- John Rutherford (Florida)
- Maria Elvira Salazar (Florida)
- Rick Allen (Georgia)
- Earl Carter (Georgia)
- James Moylan (Guam)
- Russ Fulcher (Idaho)
- Michael K. Simpson (Idaho)
- Jim Baird (Indiana)
- Erin Houchin (Indiana)
- Mark Messmer (Indiana)
- Jefferson Shreve (Indiana)
- Victoria Spartz (Indiana)
- Marlin A. Stutzman (Indiana)
- Rudy Yakym (Indiana)
- Randy Feenstra (Iowa)
- Mariannette Miller-Meeks (Iowa)
- Zach Nunn (Iowa)
- Tracey Mann (Kansas)

- Derek Schmidt (Kansas)
- Andy Barr (Kentucky)
- James Comer Jr. (Kentucky)
- Julia Letlow (Louisiana)
- Andrew Harris (Maryland)
- Bill Huizenga (Michigan)
- Lisa McClain (Michigan)
- Tim Walberg (Michigan)
- Brad Finstad (Minnesota)
- Michelle Fischbach (Minnesota)
- Pete Stauber (Minnesota)
- Mike Ezell (Mississippi)
- Michael Guest (Mississippi)
- Mark Alford (Missouri)
- Eric Burlison (Missouri)
- Sam Graves (Missouri)
- Bob Onder (Missouri)
- Troy Downing (Montana)
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- Thomas Kean Jr. (New Jersey)
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- Chuck Edwards (North Carolina)
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- Timothy K. Moore (North Carolina)
- Gregory Murphy (North Carolina)
- David Rouzer (North Carolina)
- Julie Fedorchak (North Dakota)
- Troy Balderson (Ohio)
- Mike Carey (Ohio)
- David Joyce (Ohio)
- Max Miller (Ohio)
- Michael Rulli (Ohio)
- Stephanie Bice (Oklahoma)
- Josh Brecheen (Oklahoma)
- Kevin Hern (Oklahoma)
- Frank Lucas (Oklahoma)
- Cliff Bentz (Oregon)

- Rob Bresnahan Jr. (Pennsylvania)
- Ryan Mackenzie (Pennsylvania)
- Dan Meuser (Pennsylvania)
- Glenn Thompson (Pennsylvania)
- Sheri Biggs (South Carolina)
- Russell Fry (South Carolina)
- William Timmons (South Carolina)
- Dusty Johnson (South Dakota)
- Matt Van Epps (Tennessee)
- Charles J. Fleischmann (Tennessee)
- Diana Harshbarger (Tennessee)
- David Kustoff (Tennessee)
- John Rose (Tennessee)
- Jodey Arrington (Texas)
- Brian Babin (Texas)
- Michael Cloud (Texas)
- Daniel Crenshaw (Texas)
- Monica De La Cruz (Texas)
- Beth Van Duyne (Texas)
- Craig Goldman (Texas)
- Lance Gooden (Texas)
- Wesley Hunt (Texas)
- Ronny L. Jackson (Texas)
- Morgan Luttrell (Texas)
- Keith Self (Texas)
- Mike Kennedy (Utah)
- Celeste Maloy (Utah)
- Blake Moore (Utah)
- Benjamin Lee Cline (Virginia)
- H. Morgan Griffith (Virginia)
- Jennifer Kiggans (Virginia)
- John McGuire (Virginia)
- Robert J. Wittman (Virginia)
- Michael Baumgartner (Washington)
- Dan Newhouse (Washington)
- Carol Miller (West Virginia)
- Riley Moore (West Virginia)
- Derrick Van Orden (Wisconsin)
- Bryan Steil (Wisconsin)
- Tom Tiffany (Wisconsin)
- Tony Wied (Wisconsin)
- Harriet Hageman (Wyoming)

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# Republican Senators in the Epstein Files

## Full-Corpus Search Results for All 53 Republican U.S. Senators (119th Congress)

Generated 2026-02-12 from *full\_text\_corpus.db* (1,380,937 documents, 2,731,796 pages across 12 DOJ datasets)

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### METHODOLOGY

Each official's name was searched as an exact quoted phrase in the FTS5 full-text index of all 12 DOJ Epstein file datasets (218 GB total). For officials with significant hit counts, a deeper context analysis was performed — sampling 5-10 document snippets to categorize the nature of each mention.

#### Categories:

- **DIRECT** — Direct personal involvement: emails, meetings, financial ties, contact lists
  - **INVESTIGATION** — Referenced in Epstein investigation/prosecution documents
  - **POLITICAL** — Political/legislative context: oversight, public statements, policy
  - **MIXED** — Multiple categories present across mentions
  - **NEWS** — News clips or media references unrelated to Epstein
  - **FALSE POSITIVE** — Name matches a different person entirely
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### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 53 officials searched
- 46 appear in the corpus (7 with zero mentions)
- 2 with MIXED mention types (multiple categories)
- 2 in political/legislative context only
- 1 confirmed FALSE POSITIVES (different person with same name)
- 41 appear only in news coverage unrelated to Epstein
- 7 not found in any document

#### Officials with Mixed Mentions

**Mitch McConnell** (U.S. Senate Kentucky) — 125 documents, 184 pages

*McConnell appears overwhelmingly in news digests and political coverage (Senate legislation, impeachment, COVID relief, etc.). However, one notable document (EFTA02510782) shows an email between Epstein and his associate Erika Kellerhals with the subject line 'Re: Mitch McConnell,' where Kellerhals asks Epstein 'Do you want to make a donation?' and Epstein replies 'no.' This indicates Epstein was at least presented with the opportunity to donate to McConnell but declined. No evidence of personal contact between McConnell and Epstein.*

*Key documents: [EFTA02510782](#)*

**Rick Scott** (U.S. Senate Florida) — 52 documents, 61 pages

*Rick Scott appears primarily in news digests (Medicaid expansion, Florida politics, TikTok legislation, immigration). His name also appears on a Florida dental license issued to Karyna Shuliak (Epstein's girlfriend) in his capacity as Governor of Florida -- this is a routine government document, not a personal connection. Two documents show news articles about Epstein's jet appearing alongside a separate headline about Scott's gubernatorial race, which are adjacent news items, not a connection. One LinkedIn update*

references 'Gov. Rick Scott' in the context of a drug-testing law adjacent to Epstein's connection notifications. No personal contact or substantive connection to Epstein.

Key documents: [EFTA00520947](#), [EFTA02033276](#)

## Officials in Political/Legislative Context

**Marsha Blackburn** (U.S. Senate Tennessee) — 59 documents, 69 pages

*Blackburn appears in the corpus in two distinct contexts: (1) general news/political coverage (COVID response, monetary policy), and (2) her active push for release of the Epstein files. Multiple 2025 documents show Blackburn formally requesting unredacted Epstein files from FBI Director Kash Patel and publicly calling for transparency in the Epstein investigation. Additionally, several letters from a third-party tipster/complainant repeatedly urge authorities to contact Senator Blackburn about financial fraud allegations tangentially connected to Epstein matters. No personal connection to Epstein; her involvement is investigatory/legislative.*

**Josh Hawley** (U.S. Senate Missouri) — 45 documents, 64 pages

*Hawley appears in news coverage of his Senate activities (COVID relief, cybersecurity, TikTok) and, notably, in 2025 news coverage calling for transparency and release of the Epstein files. Multiple documents from 2025 show Hawley joining other GOP senators in demanding Epstein file disclosure. One document records a criminal threat made against Hawley that the FBI investigated. No personal connection to Epstein.*

## Confirmed False Positives

**Jim Justice** (U.S. Senate West Virginia) — 45 documents

*The vast majority of 'Jim Justice' hits refer to the West Virginia politician (Governor, now Senator) in news coverage. However, a significant portion of the high hit count comes from a single prolific tipster/complainant who repeatedly writes about financial fraud schemes, mentioning 'Jim Justice' in connection with Greensill Capital, Credit Suisse, Milken, and securitization fraud -- these are allegations about Justice's business dealings in a broader financial fraud context, not related to the Epstein sex trafficking case. The 'Jim Justice' matches in this corpus are not related to Epstein's personal network or trafficking operation.*

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## COMPLETE LISTING BY STATE

### Alabama

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Katie Britt	Alabama	3	3	NEWS
Tommy Tuberville	Alabama	5	5	NEWS

### Alaska

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Lisa Murkowski	Alaska	31	33	NEWS
Daniel S. Sullivan	Alaska	0	0	—

### Arkansas

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
John Boozman	Arkansas	3	3	NEWS
Tom Cotton	Arkansas	44	53	NEWS

## Florida

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Ashley B. Moody	Florida	0	0	—
Rick Scott	Florida	52	61	MIXED

## Idaho

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Mike Crapo	Idaho	10	10	NEWS
Jim Risch	Idaho	3	3	NEWS

## Indiana

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Jim Banks	Indiana	3	3	NEWS
Todd C. Young	Indiana	0	0	—

## Iowa

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Joni Ernst	Iowa	25	27	NEWS
Chuck Grassley	Iowa	68	86	NEWS

## Kansas

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Roger Marshall	Kansas	3	4	NEWS
Jerry Moran	Kansas	13	16	NEWS

## Kentucky

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Mitch McConnell	Kentucky	125	184	MIXED
Rand Paul	Kentucky	90	112	NEWS

## Louisiana

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Bill Cassidy	Louisiana	5	5	NEWS
John Neely Kennedy	Louisiana	1	4	NEWS

## Maine

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Susan Collins	Maine	40	45	NEWS

## Mississippi

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Cindy Hyde-Smith	Mississippi	2	2	NEWS
Roger Wicker	Mississippi	5	6	NEWS

## Missouri

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Josh Hawley	Missouri	45	64	POLITICAL
Eric Schmitt	Missouri	14	18	NEWS

## Montana

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Steve Daines	Montana	3	3	NEWS
Tim Sheehy	Montana	0	0	—

## Nebraska

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Deb Fischer	Nebraska	1	1	NEWS
Pete Ricketts	Nebraska	3	4	NEWS

## North Carolina

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Ted Budd	North Carolina	3	3	NEWS
Thom Tillis	North Carolina	19	26	NEWS

## North Dakota

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Kevin Cramer	North Dakota	10	10	NEWS
John Hoeven	North Dakota	0	0	—

## Ohio

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Jon Husted	Ohio	3	3	NEWS
Bernie Moreno	Ohio	1	1	NEWS

## Oklahoma

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
James Lankford	Oklahoma	13	14	NEWS
Markwayne Mullin	Oklahoma	1	1	NEWS

## Pennsylvania

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
David McCormick	Pennsylvania	1	1	NEWS

## South Carolina

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Lindsey Graham	South Carolina	140	197	NEWS
Tim Scott	South Carolina	23	28	NEWS

## South Dakota

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Mike Rounds	South Dakota	2	2	NEWS
John Thune	South Dakota	10	10	NEWS

## Tennessee

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
Marsha Blackburn	Tennessee	59	69	POLITICAL
Bill Hagerty	Tennessee	3	3	NEWS

## Texas

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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John Cornyn	Texas	35	44	NEWS
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Ted Cruz	Texas	144	211	NEWS
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## Utah

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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John Curtis	Utah	1	1	NEWS
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Mike Lee	Utah	43	54	NEWS
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## West Virginia

Official	Office	Docs	Pages	Category
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# EFTA00004070: COMPLETE FBI INTERVIEW NOTES -- GLORIA ALLRED VICTIM

**Handwritten FBI Interview Notes, 30 Pages, January 31, 2019**

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# DOCUMENT IDENTIFICATION

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Field	Value
EFTA Number	EFTA00004070
Form	FD-340c (4-11-03) - FBI Evidence Receipt
FBI Case Number	31E-NY-3027571
Field Office	NYP (New York)
Date Received	7/31/19
To Be Returned	Yes
Receipt Given	Yes
Grand Jury Material	Yes - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6(e)
Federal Taxpayer Information	Yes
Title	Interview of [REDACTED]
Reference	302
Description	Original notes re interview of [REDACTED]
Additional	Scanned Photos Provided by [REDACTED]
Total Pages	30 (16 pages handwritten notes + ~14 pages photographs)
Sources:	primary document text database, OCR text extraction database, image catalog database

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## PAGE-BY-PAGE RECONSTRUCTION

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### Page 1: FBI Evidence Receipt (Cover Page)

Standard FD-340c evidence intake form. Case 31E-NY-3027571. Interview notes plus scanned photographs. Victim name redacted throughout.

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### Page 2: Interview Opening -- Background & Recruitment

Date: 1/31/19

Attorney: Gloria Allred

Paralegal: Sammy Wong

1/31/19

Attty Gloria Allred, Sammy Wong paralegal

Spent most time growing up

- Santa Cruz mountains, CA

- moved around a lot

- sophomore yr - I don't think finished

4 diff yr high & 2 diff HS in 2 yrs

- just turned 16 when moved to LA on my own

- life at home not the best

Got job at hair salon as receptionist

1st moved there moved in w/ sis

Sis left

- met [healer] thru mutual friend of sis & I

- Native American Spiritual healer [**\*\*IDENTIFIED** via typed FD-302 and investigation memo as Joseph "Gypsy" Alvarez**\*\*** -- see Revisit Addendum below]

- let me stay w/ him

Malibu to Beverly Hills

1st impression was really good

does body work, massage therapy

he worked on me - made me comfortable

he has 4 kids younger than me

single father

[Current status:]

I work as bartender

have 3 kids

9, 4, Two

**KEY FACTS:** Victim grew up in Santa Cruz Mountains, CA. Unstable home life. Attended 4 different high schools across 2 years but did not finish. Moved to LA at 16 on her own. Got job as hair salon receptionist. Lived with sister initially. Met a Native American spiritual healer through mutual friend -- identified via typed FD-302 (**EFTA01245662**) as "**Gypsy**" and via investigation memo (**EFTA00098755**) as **Joseph "Gypsy" Alvarez**, explicitly listed in Epstein's "Inner Circle -- Part II" with the annotation "**Provides girls for Epstein.**" At time of interview (2019), works as bartender with 3 children ages 9, 4, and 2.

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### Page 3: Introduction to Epstein -- Sister Connection

My sis introduced [me] to Epstein thru [healer]

My sis & I had apt together

[sis in] Hollywood - she moved back to city

After met [Epstein]:

- heard positive things about JE

- I was very skeptical

- I thought he had alternate motives

- didn't think someone could be this nice

My sis knew [him] for a couple of months  
[He] was coming to CA

Bel Air Hotel

She told me to [meet] him  
She introduced me to him

He showed a lot of interest in my life  
my upbringing

He kept in touch after [to] pay for school

He would call me or have his assistant call me

I told him how I'd been homeless at 11 for [a while]

**KEY FACTS:** Sister introduced victim to Epstein through the spiritual healer connection. Sister had known Epstein for several months. He was visiting California, staying at Bel Air Hotel. He showed interest in victim's background, learned she had been homeless at age 11. Offered to pay for school. Called directly or had assistant call.

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## Page 4: Grooming Phase -- Travel & First Assault

He suggested hair school

"I want [to] learn languages & to travel"

He said anywhere I wanna go

17yr - when met him

Kept touch via phone

He invited me to one of [his] houses w/ my sis

Went to a few: FL, US VI, NM I believe as well before [I] left for Spain

Being overwhelmed w/ houses

Luxury, lifestyle more [than] I'd ever seen

He was fun & light-hearted

Activities: trails, ride Hummers

[I was] very comfortable w/ him

Felt blessed & safe

1st visit he called me in to do massage

There - he put me in very uncomfortable situation

I [found] myself massaging him

He started [to] ask [me] to take off shirt

Remember feeling not knowing how to get out of it

- I froze, didn't know how to react

**KEY FACTS:** Victim was 17 when she met Epstein. He suggested hair school (leveraging her salon background). He invited her to properties with her sister. Visited FL, US VI, NM before Spain. First assault occurred during first visit -- called in for massage, escalated to asking her to remove clothing. Victim froze.

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## Page 5: Vulnerability & Timeline -- Spain

Felt very vulnerable

Gave up my job & apt

Where was I gonna go

[Assaults were] not just during [massage]

We were wearing bathing suits

I don't want to go into detail

My sis [would] go back & forth to his houses

Had 2 be [at his] apt

I was primarily in LA

[For a] few months

[Then] January 2003 - turned 18 in Spain

4 months

He sent me to Spain

Studying Spanish

He paid for everything

[REDACTED] in his office - she helped me

[REDACTED] arrange it all

**KEY FACTS:** Victim gave up her job and apartment, becoming dependent. Multiple assaults, not just during massages. Also occurred while in bathing suits. She turned 18 in Spain in January 2003 (meaning she was born approximately January 1985, making her 16-17 during recruitment and initial assaults). Epstein sent her to Spain to study Spanish for 4 months, paying for everything. A female assistant (likely Ghislaine or office staff) helped arrange the trip.

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## Page 6: Post-Spain -- Travel & Ghislaine

He knew how old I was

When came back from Spain

I went to VI or FL, not sure which one

It wasn't visiting him, it was home

I traveled w/ him for 2 yrs

W/in those yrs he sent me to school

When not in school, I was back w/ him

I told him I developed eating disorder

He told me to pack my stuff & he flew me to AZ

Phone calls

I was having hard time adjusting

He was my friend I thought, so I reached out to him a lot

I don't remember if I saw him after that

Ghislaine, [REDACTED]

When I traveled, we were a fam[ily]

Several diff [staff]:

NY - [REDACTED] [\*\*typed FD-302 identifies: "JOJO worked in New York"\*\*]

FL - diff housekeepers

VI - [REDACTED] [\*\*typed FD-302 identifies: "MILES and KATHY worked in the Virgin Islands"\*\* -- confirmed as the Alexanders from South Africa per [EFTA00098755] (<https://www.justice.gov/epstein/files/DataSet%209/EFTA00098755.pdf>)]

Paris - chef cooked the best eggs

**KEY FACTS:** Epstein knew her age. After Spain, she returned to his properties -- it was "home" not visiting. Traveled with him for 2 years total. Developed eating disorder; he flew her to Arizona. Ghislaine Maxwell was present. Each property had different staff. In Paris, she remembers a chef who "cooked the best eggs."

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## Page 7: Household Structure -- Ghislaine & Female Associate

Lived w/ him [in] NY

[Can't recall] apt in NY

[He would] summon [us] to house to go shopping [or] anything

Had multiple apt there

[Multiple] people lived [there]

[It] seemed [he] had several

[REDACTED] [was his] best friend

She was sweet & quiet

I understood that she was [his girlfriend]

It seemed that [they were together]

No one ever spoke about [the] relationship [with] JE

When I tried to open up to her about my assaults, she didn't relate

A bit standoffish

[She] wasn't very friendly

[I recall]

All went thru her & Ghislaine

[REDACTED] - more than 1x before I was 18 w/ [REDACTED]

Short blonde hair, brown eyes, not [a] lot [of] makeup

Older than I was

Guess that she's 5[+] older

Don't remember if [she] talked about my age

**KEY FACTS:** Victim lived with Epstein in NY. He had multiple apartments. A female associate described as his "best friend" -- sweet, quiet, understood to be his girlfriend. When victim tried to discuss her assaults, this woman "didn't relate" and was standoffish. All arrangements went through this woman AND Ghislaine. A second female (short blonde hair, brown eyes, minimal makeup, 5+ years older than victim) had contact with victim "more than 1x before I was 18."

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## Page 8: Other Girls & FL Household

[REDACTED] touched me during both

JE, GM, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Me

Those were people I saw the most

There were other people

There were lot of diff people - my age

Some come & stay for days

Some in & out w/in couple hrs

NY - remember seeing girls here stay in apt

When it was empty

No idea if under 18 - didn't talk w/ them

Don't know names

FL

- I had a rm there w/ bathtub

- we all stayed together

- no routine

- Jeffrey always woke up early & had his coffee

- no set time - wake up when ready

- a lot of girls coming in & out for short period - for an hr or 2

- he was very private

- I know they were coming to meet him

but didn't know why

- could have been coming to see GM

**KEY FACTS: CRITICAL** -- "[REDACTED] touched me during both" -- someone other than Epstein assaulted her. The people she saw most: JE (Jeffrey Epstein), GM (Ghislaine Maxwell), and 3 other redacted individuals. Many other girls her age came and went -- some for days, some for just 1-2 hours. In FL: girls constantly coming in and out. Jeffrey always woke early for coffee. Very private/secretive operation.

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## Page 9: Virgin Islands -- Jean-Luc Brunel & Naomi Campbell

Girls come in - kitchen

Hear say they're here to see Jeffrey

It was clear they [were] there to see him

- don't remember names

They weren't hanging out w/ me

- it was very secretive
- I was [isolated] - I didn't trust anyone

VI

- he had separate quarters
- no set schedule
- gathered outside area
- very leisurely
- people would come to island
  - Jean Luc, Naomi Campbell, older people
  - less traffic

Jean Luc

- understand one of JE's bf [best friends]
- works for/owns Modeling agency
- very eccentric, small, colorful
- saw him quite a bit, he traveled w/ us

**KEY FACTS:** Girls came to the kitchen saying they were "here to see Jeffrey." Very secretive operation. On the island: Jean-Luc Brunel and Naomi Campbell are named as visitors. Jean-Luc described as one of Epstein's best friends, owned/worked for modeling agency, "very eccentric, small, colorful" -- "saw him quite a bit, he traveled w/ us." This is a firsthand account placing Brunel as a constant traveling companion.

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## Page 10: Ghislaine Maxwell -- Photos 1-4

Ghislaine

- very intimidating, very cold
- understand her to be partner
- their relationship more business
- I avoided her - she not friendly or nice

Photo 1

JE on a Seadoo in VI

I took that photo from the dock

Photo 2

JE in VI on his boat

I took photo

Photo 3

JE from Italy friend of his [\*\*IDENTIFIED via typed FD-302 as MANUELLA LNU\*\* (Last Name Unknown), "from Italy and was a friend of EPSTEIN's"]

I took photo - tarmac VI

Photo 4

JE VI - diff island

Don't know people in background

I took photo

**KEY FACTS:** Ghislaine described as "very intimidating, very cold." Victim understood her to be Epstein's partner but their relationship was "more business." Victim avoided her. Victim personally took multiple photos of Epstein on properties -- Seadoo, boat, tarmac in VI.

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## Page 11: Photos 5-9 -- Disney World, Robin Hood Event

Photo 5

US VI - diff island

Photo [6]

Top - JE, plane - flying to FL somewhere

- young, privileged, entitled

- saw her handful of times

Photo 7

JE, took photo in FL

Disney World trip

Photo 8

Top - JE, [a] friend of his who toured Disney w/ us

2 - [the] only person [I] recognize is JE

3 - JE, same friend as top

Photo 9

1. JE, US VI - I took photo

2. JE, taken NY Robin Hood - special event

**KEY FACTS:** Victim traveled with Epstein to Disney World. There was a "young, privileged, entitled" woman on the plane, seen handful of times. A friend of Epstein toured Disney World with them. Photo taken at "Robin Hood" event in NY -- this is the Robin Hood Foundation gala, a major NYC charity

event. Epstein brought this victim to high-profile NYC social events.

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## Page 12: Photos -- Paris, Ecuador, Disney World, Helicopter

[Photo identifications:]

1. "JE, taken in Paris"
2. "taken in Paris by me"
3. "also taken in Paris"
4. "Me, JE"
5. "taken VI - helicopter"
6. "Me, JE"
7. "think Jean Luc took photos"
8. "taken in Ecuador"
9. "JE, taken VI by me"
10. "JE"
11. "taken by me in VI"
12. "taken at Disney World by me"

**KEY FACTS:** Extensive travel documented photographically: Paris (multiple), USVI (helicopter, boat), Ecuador, Disney World. Jean-Luc Brunel took some of the photos -- confirming his presence on trips. Ecuador travel is notable and rarely mentioned in Epstein materials. **UPDATED (typed FD-302, EFTA01245662 p.7):** The Ecuador photo shows four identified individuals: "MAXWELL (in the blue shirt), [victim] (in the green pants), EPSTEIN, and BRUNEL (in the pink top). This photo was taken in Ecuador." This is one of the few photographs placing all three principals (Epstein, Maxwell, Brunel) in the same frame with a victim at an international location.

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## Page 13: Photo Shoot & Sexual Assaults Summary

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JE in FL at Disney taken by me

Don't know other person

[REDACTED] took pics of me

- don't remember how [it] came up
- 1 photo shoot
- I think before trip to Spain
- on island
- I believe I was wearing bathing suit, like modeling
- don't remember [a] lot
- seemed light-hearted
  
- don't remember whose idea

- no one else there
- just myself
- not that I recall - photos without clothes

[REDACTED] has lot of photos of me - friendly photos

#### 4 ASSAULTS BEFORE 18

- Paris, NM, FL
- 2 of [the] assaults were rapes
- snuck into [room] while sleeping

#### **KEY FACTS: CRITICAL SUMMARY**

- Someone (redacted, likely Ghislaine or another associate) took modeling-style photos of victim on the island in bathing suit before Spain trip
  - Victim cannot confirm whether there were nude photos ("not that I recall")
  - **4 ASSAULTS BEFORE AGE 18** in Paris, New Mexico, and Florida
  - **2 OF THE 4 ASSAULTS WERE RAPES**
  - Method included "snuck into [room] while sleeping" -- entering victim's room while she slept
  - This is assault across 3 states/countries while victim was a minor
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#### **Page 14: NM Property & Sister's Role**

- Set up kinda strange
- no [meeting] point besides kitchen
- I didn't see him a whole lot
- prob count on both hands # times there
- didn't visit often
- always kept me downstairs in rm
- other people stay in nicer rms upstairs

#### Sister

- in beginning she traveled w/ me 1st time
- she wasn't there a whole lot
- more in beginning
- handful of times we together
- I just remember her saying what a great guy he was

[REDACTED]

- she worked in his office in NY
- I turn receipts into her for petty cash
- I assumed she was asst.

- [he'd] send me shopping in NY & save receipts  
turn into him
- arranging anything to do w/ travel
- helped me arrange 1st trip
- via phone

**KEY FACTS:** NM property (Zorro Ranch) described as "kinda strange." Victim kept downstairs while others had nicer rooms upstairs. Sister traveled with her initially, praised Epstein. A female assistant in NY office handled petty cash receipts and travel arrangements.

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## Page 15: Financial Control & Clothing Control

They gave me a phone

Fly in his plane - Gulfstream & a bigger one

I'd fly commercially to [his] properties

Schedule thru [his] houses

Only see [REDACTED] in NY in person

He helped me open 1st bank account

Set up credit card

He had [a] banker help me

Gave letter that I was residing w/ him

[Account] was in my name

Paid for my school

Sometimes gave me cash

[He] gave me gold ring from Egypt, 600 B.C.

Left it in NY when I left

He took me shopping

HE WAS VERY CONTROLLING ABOUT WHAT WE WEAR[wore]

He was buying so he picked

**KEY FACTS:** Epstein gave victim a phone. She flew on Gulfstream and a larger plane. He set up bank account, credit card, had banker help. Provided letter stating she resided with him. Gave her an ancient Egyptian gold ring (600 B.C.). **"He was very controlling about what we wear -- he was buying so he picked."** Classic control/grooming: financial dependence, clothing control, isolation.

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## Page 16: Mind Control & "Harem" Ideology

[He] believes monogamous way of life is not way to live

It's not healthy to be in monogamous relationship

Idea to build harem [written as "harun"]

Went to Spain together to build this

I trusted him a lot and believed a lot of what he said

IT WAS ALL MIND CONTROL

He asked me a very random question if I thought it was wrong for a [older man to be with a young girl]

[\*\*CORRECTION from typed FD-302 (EFTA01245662

(<https://www.justice.gov/epstein/files/DataSet%209/EFTA01245662.pdf>) p.5):\*\*

Epstein actually asked the victim "if she thought it was wrong for a man to put women's faces on children's bodies to masturbate to them" -- a description of morphed CSAM, substantially different from the handwriting interpretation above.]

I said I think that's wrong

Phoenix

Vegas is close

[called] for resources

### **KEY FACTS: CRITICAL**

- Epstein told victim monogamy was unhealthy
- **"Idea to build harem" -- Epstein openly discussed building a harem**
- Spain trip was connected to this "harem" plan
- Victim states: **"It was all mind control"**
- Epstein tested victim by asking if she thought it was wrong (handwritten notes suggest: "for an older man with a young girl"; **typed FD-302 correction:** Epstein asked whether she thought it was wrong "for a man to put women's faces on children's bodies to masturbate to them" -- a description of morphed CSAM) -- she said yes, it was wrong
- References to Phoenix and Vegas -- possibly additional locations or contacts

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### **Pages 17 & 19: Allred, Maroko & Goldberg Confidentiality Notices**

Multiple repeated confidentiality footer notices from the law firm Allred, Maroko & Goldberg, 6300 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1500, Los Angeles, CA 90048. These appear to be from email transmissions of the photos.

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### **Pages 18-30: PHOTOGRAPHS (Scanned)**

Pages 18 through 30 contain the actual scanned photographs that the victim brought to the interview and identified in pages 10-13. Based on image analysis:

- **Page 18:** Adult male with short light-colored hair, white shirt, in vehicle near body of water/beach. Sandy area with rocks and vegetation. (Likely Epstein on island)
  - **Page 19:** Two people near front of private jet on tarmac. Clear sky. (Epstein and companion boarding/deplaning)
  - **Page 20:** Three people outdoors at table. Casual setting with boat in background. Body of water and greenery. Faces obscured. (Island/VI setting)
  - **Page 21:** Three individuals outdoors. Boats in water, hills/mountains background. Cup held, bottle visible. Black square censoring. (Island setting)
  - **Page 22:** Two images: Top - person in chair holding blue object indoors. Bottom - person on boat near water with hilly landscape, person in swimsuit in foreground. (Island/boat setting)
  - **Page 23:** Three people outdoors -- one in white polo shirt (white hair, older man = Epstein). Two others obscured by black squares. Buildings and trees background. (Possible NM or FL)
  - **Page 24:** Two men at table, casual clothing. Multiple people in background. (Disney World or similar)
  - **Page 25:** Three photos: Person in white swimsuit on watercraft (Seadoo). Person in suit and tie with watch. Person in white "212" t-shirt seated. (VI watercraft, formal photo, NYC area code shirt)
  - **Page 26:** Three individuals on couch -- young adult male, older adult male, young adult female. Fireplace, coffee table, window with trees. (Indoor social setting at property)
  - **Page 27:** Man in light blue UCLA sweatshirt with headphones, woman with long light-colored hair in sleeveless top. Interior of aircraft (airplane or helicopter). (In-flight photo)
  - **Page 28:** Multiple scenes collaged: People on sidewalk, at table, in vehicle. (Multiple locations documentation)
  - **Page 29:** Multiple scenes: Outdoor with table, inside vehicle, outdoor with palm trees. Person holding camera. Red surface. (Disney World/FL)
  - **Page 30:** Three individuals outdoors near palm trees, red surface, blue vehicle/cart. Building with white facade and arched windows. Black squares obscuring faces. (Disney World)
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## COMPLETE VICTIM PROFILE RECONSTRUCTION

### Identity Markers (all redacted in source)

- **Born:** ~January 1985 (turned 18 in Spain in January 2003)
- **Grew up:** Santa Cruz Mountains, California
- **Homeless at age 11**
- **Moved to LA at 16, on her own**
- **First job:** Hair salon receptionist in LA
- **Met Epstein at age 17** (approximately mid-2002)
- **At time of interview (Jan 2019):** Bartender, mother of 3 children (ages 9, 4, 2)
- **Attorney:** Gloria Allred (Allred, Maroko & Goldberg)
- **Co-counsel:** Mariann Wang (Cuti Hecker Wang LLP)

### Recruitment Method

1. Sister introduced her to Epstein through a mutual acquaintance
2. Epstein was visiting California, staying at Bel Air Hotel
3. He showed intense interest in her background, especially her history of homelessness at 11
4. He offered to pay for school (leveraging her hair salon job to suggest "hair school")
5. He called frequently, directly or through assistant
6. Invited her to properties with her sister as initial chaperone

## Abuse Timeline

Period	Location	Type
~Mid-2002 (age 17)	FL properties	First assault during massage -- froze
2002-2003 (age 17)	Paris	RAPE (1 of 2) -- snuck into room while sleeping
2002-2003 (age 17)	New Mexico (Zorro Ranch)	Assault
2002-2003 (age 17)	Florida	RAPE (2 of 2)
Jan 2003	Sent to Spain	Turned 18; 4 months studying Spanish
2003-2004	FL, VI, NY, Paris	Continued abuse (now 18+)
~2004	Arizona	Sent for eating disorder treatment

**Total assaults before 18: 4 (in Paris, NM, FL)**

**Of those, 2 were rapes**

### Properties Visited

- **Florida** (Palm Beach) -- had her own room with bathtub
- **US Virgin Islands** (Little St. James) -- separate quarters, "very leisurely"
- **New Mexico** (Zorro Ranch) -- "kinda strange," kept downstairs
- **New York** -- multiple apartments
- **Paris** -- apartment, chef who "cooked the best eggs"
- **Spain** -- 4-month language study
- **Ecuador** -- confirmed by photo
- **Arizona** -- eating disorder treatment

### Named Individuals

Name	Role per Victim
<b>Jeffrey Epstein (JE)</b>	Primary abuser, "fun & light-hearted" during grooming
<b>Ghislaine Maxwell (GM)</b>	"Very intimidating, very cold," understood as his "partner," relationship "more business"
<b>Jean-Luc Brunel</b>	"One of JE's best friends," owns/works for modeling agency, "very eccentric, small, colorful," "traveled w/ us," took photos
<b>Naomi Campbell</b>	Named as visitor to the island
<b>Joseph "Gypsy" Alvarez</b>	Native American spiritual healer, California. Introduced victim (through sister) to Epstein. Listed in <a href="#">EFTA00098755</a> as Epstein "Inner Circle -- Part II": <b>"Provides girls for Epstein."</b> FBI/SDNY and Maxwell defense (BGS Ltd) both sought him in 2020-2021 ( <a href="#">EFTA01250066</a> ).
<b>Manuella LNU</b>	Italian woman, friend of Epstein; identified via typed FD-302. Confirmed as real contact in <a href="#">EFTA00766010</a> (2010 call) and <a href="#">EFTA02412777</a> (2009 office visit).
<b>[REDACTED - Sister]</b>	Introduced victim to Epstein, worked in his NY office, traveled with victim initially. <b>Typed FD-302 clarifies sister was present during the first assault.</b>
<b>[REDACTED - "Best Friend"]</b>	Sweet, quiet woman understood to be Epstein's girlfriend; victim tried to confide about assaults but she "didn't relate"
<b>[REDACTED - Blonde Woman]</b>	Short blonde hair, brown eyes, 5+ years older; contact with victim "more than 1x before I was 18"
<b>[REDACTED - touched victim]</b>	"Touched me during both" -- someone besides Epstein sexually assaulted the victim

**Name**                      **Role per Victim**

**Sammy Wong**            Paralegal at Allred, Maroko & Goldberg, present at interview

## **Control Mechanisms Documented**

1. **Financial dependence** -- gave up job & apartment, he paid for everything
  2. **Bank account control** -- set up her first bank account, credit card, wrote letter saying she resided with him
  3. **Clothing control** -- "very controlling about what we wear; he was buying so he picked"
  4. **Phone control** -- "they gave me a phone"
  5. **Travel control** -- all arrangements through his staff/Ghislaine
  6. **Ideological manipulation** -- anti-monogamy philosophy, "idea to build harem," tested her about age-of-consent views
  7. **Mind control** -- victim's own words: "IT WAS ALL MIND CONTROL"
  8. **Isolation** -- "I didn't trust anyone"; kept in lower-quality rooms; separated from other girls
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## **CROSS-REFERENCE: EFTA00022133 (9-PAGE VICTIM ACCUSATION COMPILATION)**

This document compiles public press reporting and hearing transcript information about Epstein victims. Four Gloria Allred clients are listed:

### **Jane Doe 9 (Gloria Allred) -- New Mexico**

*"Sexually molested by him for many hours"*

*"Positioned me by laying me on his floor so that I was confronted by all the framed photographs on his dresser of him smiling with wealthy celebrities and politicians."*

*"After he finished with me, he told me to describe in detail how good my first sexual experience felt."*

### **Jane Doe 10 (Gloria Allred) -- New Mexico**

*Recruited by unidentified female*

*Epstein asked if she would give him a massage*

*Over the course of four visits, eventually progressed to "forced oral copulation"*

*Paid money*

### **Jane Doe 11 (Gloria Allred) -- New York**

*Raped by Epstein at 16 years old*

*"Here, come. Come help me with a kink in my shoulder while we finish our discussion." A large vibrator and a couple of hundred dollars, disgust and dirty secret, more praise and imparted wisdom from a godlike figure, a deliberate diabolical depression of grooming and submission for his pleasure and release.*

*"Even if I resisted, I was no match for him. I felt powerless, ashamed, and embarrassed. I wanted to vomit remembering these moments."*

*"washed my entire body compulsively in the shower"*

*"He forcefully penetrated me. I was numb. There was pain, but his use of the vibrator and his fingers in previous sessions with me had left a black hole-like void between my legs. I protested, but he forced my face into the bed to stifle my cries. That was my first time."*

*Paid a few hundred dollars*

### **Jane Doe 12 (Gloria Allred) -- New York**

*Recruited by unidentified woman*

*In Epstein mansion, he had a white robe on, then took it off and locked the door*

*Got close to her, touched her genitals. She refused him. He went to massage table and showed her the vibrator.*

### **Assessment: Which Jane Doe is EFTA00004070?**

The EFTA00004070 victim's profile (NM + FL + Paris + VI, recruited through sister, age 17, 4 assaults before 18 across Paris/NM/FL) does NOT precisely match any single Jane Doe 9-12 from the hearing compilation. The compilation covers hearing testimony (likely the 2019 CVRA hearing), while the interview notes are far more detailed. The victim's mention of New Mexico assaults and multi-location abuse pattern could align with **Jane Doe 9** or **Jane Doe 10**, but neither description fully captures the travel extent described in the notes. **It is possible this victim is Jane Doe 11** -- raped at 16 (consistent with age 17 at meeting, turning 18 in Jan 2003), the detail about "grooming and submission for his pleasure" and "forced my face into the bed" aligns with the violence level described. However, Jane Doe 11's location is listed as New York while EFTA00004070 describes assaults in Paris/NM/FL. This may reflect the compilation only listing the primary/hearing-testimony location.

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### **CROSS-REFERENCE: EFTA00011526 -- ATTORNEY PROFFER (March 1, 2021)**

A separate Allred/Wang client had a later proffer to SDNY:

Call with USA [REDACTED], Attorneys Mariann Wang & Gbria Allred

MW & GA wanted to provide attorney proffer of additional information their client [REDACTED] had disclosed since being interviewed by SDNY & FBI in 2020. [REDACTED] is available to be re-interviewed if necessary.

[REDACTED] had subsequent interactions with Epstein beyond November 2017, those interactions took place in December 2018 - July 2019

- Accurate that JE lured [victim] to Paris & to Florida with offer of employment
- Accurate that [victim] left and did not want to deal with JE again
- JE & another woman named [REDACTED] (spelling unknown) kept reaching out
- [victim] took up offer, and JE bought a ticket to travel to NY
- JE said, in essence, [victim] owed [him] and felt obligated to agree to additional trips
- Another trip to Florida & VI, sexual abuse in both
- [victim] also went to JE's Paris apartment when already in Paris
- She talked about a dental issue, JE had [staff] arrange dentist appointments and flew [victim] to NY for dental appointments
- Appointments were right around the time when JE was arrested
- [victim] interacted with [REDACTED] around that time

- JE would ask [victim] to find girls for him
- JE asked [victim] to meet with a young (18/19) girl for coffee in Russia
- [victim] did so, but does not recall her name
- Just told JE that the girl seemed fine

**NOTE:** This proffer describes a DIFFERENT victim (interactions through 2017-2019), not the **EFTA00004070** victim (whose relationship ended ~2004). However, both are Allred/Wang clients, demonstrating Epstein's continued predation through at least July 2019 -- one month before his arrest.

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## **CROSS-REFERENCE: EFTA00013253 -- VICTIM INTERVIEW SCHEDULING**

This document reveals Allred and Wang represented MULTIPLE victims, with a detailed scheduling list:

To Be Scheduled -- interviews

[Victim] (4) - ~2002, one incident in New York.

[Victim] (01) - ~late 2004-late 2005, multiple incidents in New York.

[Victim] (15) - ~fall 2003 - late 2004, multiple incidents in NY. Some interactions with Maxwell.

[Victim] (48) - ~2002, one incident in New York.

[Victim] (0) - ~August 2017 - November 2017, multiple incidents in Paris and Florida.

Interacted with others working for Epstein.

[Victim] (48) - ~June 2003 to late 2004, multiple incidents in NY and FL as well as incidents with TWO OTHER MEN at Epstein's direction in New York, California, and Washington, DC. In ~2010, final interaction with Epstein included interaction with PRINCE ANDREW at townhouse. Over earlier time period, Maxwell left VMs on the apartment message machine. [Victim] interacted with and/or traveled with multiple others working for Epstein.

[Victim] (1) - ~8-10 incidents in Florida between ~late 2000 and 2001.

### **CRITICAL FINDINGS:**

- One victim had "incidents with TWO OTHER MEN at Epstein's direction in New York, California, and Washington, DC" and an interaction with **PRINCE ANDREW at townhouse** in ~2010
  - One victim's abuse dates (~fall 2003 - late 2004, NY, interactions with Maxwell) could potentially match **EFTA00004070's** post-Spain period
  - The Paris/Florida victim (Aug-Nov 2017) matches the **EFTA00011526** proffer victim
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## **GLORIA ALLRED CORRESPONDENCE NETWORK**

30 distinct EFTA documents contain Gloria Allred's name in the redaction database. Key

correspondence threads:

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>
<a href="#">EFTA00010261</a>	Oct 21-23, 2019	"Urgent: I have a new alleged victim of E[pstein]" -- scheduling FBI interview for Oct 23 at 305 Broadway, Suite 607
<a href="#">EFTA00014339</a>	Aug 12-14, 2019	Scheduling victim for Aug 19 meeting; "Another one of my clients who is an Epstein victim has agreed to fly to New York"; victim later declined
<a href="#">EFTA00016220/28/37</a>	Mar 25-31, 2020	"Call this week" scheduling thread with SDNY
<a href="#">EFTA00013253</a>	Aug 10 - Oct 12, 2020	"New potential victims of Epstein and some of Maxwell who are willing to speak to you and the FBI" -- scheduling Zoom interviews
<a href="#">EFTA00028682</a>	Aug-Nov 2020	"Follow up" -- checking on photograph info, rescheduling adjourned interviews
<a href="#">EFTA00011526</a>	Mar 1, 2021	Attorney proffer re additional victim disclosures post-2020 interview
<a href="#">EFTA00030507</a>	[2020-2021]	"RE: Wednesday" -- scheduling with USANYS
<a href="#">EFTA00023405</a>	[press clip]	"Gloria Allred purchases Prince Andrew 'w[axwork?]"
<a href="#">EFTA00025398</a>	Apr 2020	OPR Matter -- spreadsheet of represented victims and their counsel
<a href="#">EFTA01651531</a>	[2020-2021]	RE: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Miami meeting -- with Diane Aldrich
<a href="#">EFTA01651538</a>	[2020-2021]	With Mariann Wang, RSVP (ODAG) (JMD)

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## CORROBORATION WITH VICTIM JOURNAL NAMES

Cross-referencing [EFTA00004070](#) with the victim journal names from [EFTA02731393](#) (13-page journal) and [EFTA02731465](#) (8-page journal):

The [EFTA00004070](#) victim describes:

- **Jean-Luc Brunel** -- Named in both the interview and the first victim journal ([EFTA02731393](#) references Brunel in the accusation compilation context)
  - **Naomi Campbell** -- Named as island visitor; Campbell also appears in Epstein's correspondence
  - **Ghislaine Maxwell** -- Named as "very intimidating, very cold" -- consistent with multiple victim descriptions
  - **"Harem" ideology** -- The interview victim says Epstein wanted to "build [a] harem"; the victim journals document Epstein's eugenics/baby plans and forced pregnancies
  - **Mind control** -- Interview victim uses the phrase "mind control"; the journal victims describe systematic psychological manipulation
  - **Clothing control** -- Interview victim says "very controlling about what we wear"; consistent with the modeling/Victoria's Secret pipeline
  - **Robin Hood event** -- Photo places victim at Robin Hood Foundation gala; Epstein's calendar shows Robin Hood connections through Eva Dubin ([EFTA02081975](#))
  - **Ecuador travel** -- Confirmed in typed FD-302 with four identified individuals in photo: Maxwell, Epstein, Brunel, and the victim
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## NEARBY DOCUMENTS: **EFTA00004065-EFTA00004080**

### **EFTA00004066** (4 pages)

Palm Beach Police Department Official Police Photographs. Case #05-368, dated 8-08-00 [likely 2005 based on case number format]. Contains national camera imaging store receipt from 1650 N. Military Trail, West Palm Beach, FL. This is physical evidence from the original Palm Beach investigation.

No other documents in the **EFTA00004065-EFTA00004080** range besides **EFTA00004066** and **EFTA00004070** were found in any database.

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## ANALYTICAL SUMMARY

### What This Document Establishes

1. **Recruitment of a minor (age 17) through a family connection** -- exploiting a vulnerable teenager with a history of homelessness and family instability
2. **4 sexual assaults before age 18** across 3 locations (Paris, NM, FL), including 2 rapes
3. **Rape by entering victim's room while she slept** -- a pattern consistent with other victim accounts
4. **Total financial and psychological control** -- bank accounts, phone, clothing, housing, school, travel
5. **"Mind control" tactics** -- victim's own characterization
6. **Harem ideology** -- Epstein openly discussed building a harem with this victim
7. **Jean-Luc Brunel as constant companion** -- traveled with them, took photos, present on island
8. **Naomi Campbell visited the island** -- firsthand victim testimony
9. **Ghislaine Maxwell's operational role** -- all arrangements went through her and another female associate
10. **Multi-year trafficking operation** -- FL, VI, NM, NY, Paris, Spain, Ecuador, AZ over ~2 years
11. **Systematic rotation of young girls** -- "a lot of girls coming in & out for short period -- for an hr or 2"
12. **Additional assailant(s)** -- "[REDACTED] touched me during both" -- someone besides Epstein sexually assaulted the victim

### Unique Elements of This Testimony

- **Ecuador travel** -- confirmed in typed FD-302: photo placing Maxwell, Epstein, Brunel, and victim together at international location
  - **Robin Hood Foundation gala attendance** -- victim brought to high-profile NYC charity event
  - **Egypt ring (600 B.C.)** -- Epstein gave victim an ancient artifact
  - **Eating disorder development** -- direct psychological consequence documented
  - **"Chef who cooked the best eggs" in Paris** -- distinctive household detail
  - **UCLA sweatshirt photo** -- possible university connection
  - **"212" t-shirt** -- NYC area code reference in photos
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## REVISIT ADDENDUM (2026-02-12): TYPED FD-302 AND NEW EVIDENCE

### Typed FD-302 Discovery: **EFTA01245662**

The full-text corpus search of DS9 identified **EFTA01245662** (DS9, 8 pages) as the formal, agent-prepared typed FBI FD-302 transcription of the same January 31, 2019 interview documented by the handwritten notes in **EFTA00004070**. It is filed under case number 31E-NY-3027571 and bears an alternative reference **EFTA00057943**. This typed version provides corrections and clarifications to the

original report's handwriting reconstructions.

## Corrections from Typed FD-302

#	Item	Original Report	Typed FD-302 Correction	Source
1	Gold Ring Date	"600 B.C."	Confirmed: "a gold ring from Egypt that was from 600 B.C."	EFTA01245662 p.5
2	Healer Identity	"Native American Spiritual healer" (unnamed)	<b>Joseph "Gypsy" Alvarez</b> -- named as "GYPSY" in FD-302, listed in EFTA00098755 as "Provides girls for Epstein"	EFTA01245662 p.1, EFTA00098755 p.2
3	Ecuador Photo	Minimal detail	Photo shows Maxwell, victim, Epstein, and Brunel together with described clothing	EFTA01245662 p.7
4	Italy Friend	"JE from Italy friend of his"	Named as <b>MANUELLA LNU</b> (Last Name Unknown)	EFTA01245662 p.6
5	First Assault	Reconstructed as massage escalation	Sister was present during first assault; both sisters massaged Epstein; assault was more explicit than handwriting suggested	EFTA01245662 p.1
6	Staff Names	Redacted	"JOJO worked in New York, MILES and KATHY worked in the Virgin Islands," chef in Paris	EFTA01245662 p.2
7	Bank Account	Not specified	"on 66th and 2nd" -- near Epstein's Upper East Side properties	EFTA01245662 p.5
8	Epstein's Question	"wrong for an older man to be with a young girl"	"wrong for a man to put women's faces on children's bodies to masturbate to them" -- description of morphed CSAM	EFTA01245662 p.5

## Allred/Wang SDNY Scheduling Correspondence: EFTA00040390

DS9 counterpart of EFTA00013253. 6-page email chain (Aug-Nov 2020) containing victim scheduling with additional detail. Mariann Wang writes regarding photographs found in Epstein's possession: "Re the photograph info especially, we don't want to convey the info to our clients until we understand the scope/clarifications." This indicates SDNY may have found photos of these victims in seized evidence.

## Naomi Campbell Corroboration Chain

Three independent sources now confirm Campbell's presence in Epstein's orbit: (1) this victim (island), (2) pilot Larry Visoski confirming Campbell on the aircraft alongside Brunel (EFTA00159483), and (3) a separate victim (DOB 4/7/1986, met Epstein via David Blaine) placing Campbell at an Epstein dinner in New York (EFTA00153851). Calendar entries show continued Epstein-Campbell contact through at least 2015.

## Joseph "Gypsy" Alvarez -- Identified Procurer

Text messages (EFTA01250066, DS9, 7 pages, Jul 2020-Apr 2021) show both FBI/SDNY and Maxwell's UK-based defense investigators (BGS Ltd, "managed by very senior ex Scotland Yard detectives") attempted to contact Alvarez. He is listed in EFTA00098755 alongside Maxwell, Groff, and Visoski in the loyalty tier expected to "remain loyal to JE during any criminal investigation."

## New EFTA Documents from Revisit

EFTA	DS	Pages	Description
EFTA01245662	9	8	Typed FBI FD-302 of same victim interview

<b>EFTA</b>	<b>DS</b>	<b>Pages</b>	<b>Description</b>
<a href="#">EFTA00040390</a>	9	6	Allred/Wang SDNY scheduling, references photographs found
<a href="#">EFTA00098755</a>	9	5	Investigation memo: "Inner Circle" -- Alvarez "Provides girls for Epstein"
<a href="#">EFTA01250066</a>	9	7	Alvarez text messages (prosecution + defense outreach)
<a href="#">EFTA00153851</a>	9	5	Separate victim FBI 302: Naomi Campbell at Epstein dinner
<a href="#">EFTA00159483</a>	9	--	Visoski deposition: Campbell on plane with Brunel
<a href="#">EFTA00073492</a>	9	1	FBI 302 of Jean-Luc Brunel telephone interview (7/23/2019)
<a href="#">EFTA00766010</a>	9	1	"Manuella called" -- confirms Manuella as real Epstein contact
<a href="#">EFTA02412777</a>	11	1	"Manuella stopped by the office" (2009)

*Report compiled from: primary document text database, OCR text extraction database, image catalog database*

*Revised 2026-02-12 with full-text corpus revisit: 16 systematic FTS5 queries across DS9/DS11, 10 corrections identified, 11 new EFTA documents cataloged*

*[EFTA00004070](#): 30 pages total (FBI evidence receipt + 15 pages handwritten notes + 14 pages photographs)*

*Interview date: January 31, 2019*

*FBI Case: 31E-NY-3027571*

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