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4	EVIDENCE/PROPERTY CONTROL RECEIPT									
EVIDENCE FOUND PROPERTY SAFEKEEPING										
OFFENSE/INCIDENT: DATE: DATE: TIME: 1815 hrs										
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	ITEM #	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF EVIDENCE/PROPERTY	LOCATION RECOVERED						
	5	1	Brown leather wallet containing \$292.00 in U.S currency, an Arkansas driver's permit, including photo, to Vincent W. Foster, Jr., 5414 Stonewall Rd., Little Rock, Arkansas, one Exxon credit card, one shell credit card, one White House Federal Credit Union card, one Schwab One Visa card, one American Express gold card, one Delta Frequent Flyer card, one AT&T Calling card, and other miscellaneous cards, papers and photos.	of suit jacket from front pass- enger seat of 1989 grey Honda Accord 4 door. Arkansas tags						
1	6	1	Seiko quartz wrist watch with brown leather band. Serial # 200757	From the Deceased left wrist. COC Inv. Rolla to safe. From the Deceased right side waist area. COC same as item 6. From the Deceased Right ring finger. COC same as item 6.						
1	7	1	Motorola Bravo pager, cap code 052943, inscribed WHCA.							
-	8	1	Silver colored ring with large white stone.							
AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PERSON NAMED IN	9	1	Gold colored band type ring with inscription " E.B.B. to V.W.F. 4-20-68.							
				☐ NCIC CHECK MADE						
EVIDENCE/PROPERTY OBTAINED FROM: GRey Honda Accord, Arkansas tags RCN-504.										
OWNER: Vincent W. Foster, Jr. DEFENDANT(S):										
OWNER'S ADDRESS: 3027 Caimbridge Pl., NW, D.C.										
RECOVERED/RECEIVED BY: Inv. John C. Rolls DATE: 07/20/02 TIME:										
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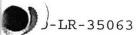
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BRAUN paged LIVINGSTONE later, but he did not return her page. BRAUN left a message with the White House switchboard.

BRAUN recalled that FOSTER's pager was turned off when they found it. ROLLA took possession of the pager.

BRAUN released the decedent's White House identification to a Secret Service Agent that night. The Secret Service Agent asked for and received a copy of the U.S. Park Police report regarding the initial death investigation. The name and identification number of the Secret Service Agent is located on the chain of custody, noting that the identification was turned over to him.

BRAUN left the U.S. Park Police office at approximately 7:00 a.m. on July 21. BRAUN stated that there was no longer any reason for her to stay in the office, as she had talked to the medical examiner on the phone and he was not planning on doing the autopsy until July 22.

The case was subsequently assigned to Detective MARKLAND. Captain HUME became involved in the investigation because of its high profile nature.

BRAUN was unsure of how her business card got mixed up in the medical examiner's file of this case. BRAUN stated that she was not present at the autopsy since it was done on July 21; BRAUN was at home. BRAUN stated that she had given her business card to Dr. BEYER in May of 1993 during a training period. BRAUN had talked to BEYER on the phone on the morning of July 21, and he may have assumed that she was handling the case.

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No, no, I don't. We wouldn't get anything 1 from -- I have never gotten anything from the medical 2 examiner who came on the scene. It's either their notes or 3 they have a standard form they thought to give to the 4 5 doctor who's going to do the autopsy and then those notes may be incorporated into the autopsy report. 6 But it doesn't come through the police. 7 (Witness nodded.) 8 A When you turned the body over with Dr. Haut, did 9 10 you or anyone else take photographs of the area under the body? 11 A You know, we rolled that body and I took 12 Polaroids of the body rolled -- and it's not funny, but the 13/ reason I remember it is because I pulled his arm up, 14 rolling him, obviously moving the body. I didn't care what 15 position he was in, one arm was pulled up, and he began 16 sliding down the hill. So Dr. Haut stood at his feet while 17 I rolled him over to keep him from sliding all the way down 18 the darn embankment. I pulled one arm up. So when I 19 rolled him, one arm was up, I forget which arm, and I 20 pulled him, he slid down a little bit, so I pulled him back 21

up, so he is actually higher up on the hill now. It looked

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- 1 like he was crawling up the hill and it looked funny,
- 2 wasn't funny. It's kind of one of these things, but I
- 3 didn't take pictures because it was funny. I know I took
- 4 Polaroids of that. I am not sure exactly how many I took,
- 5 but I don't recall seeing those Polaroids again. I mean, I
- 6 had them in the office that night, I did reports, and I
- 7 don't know what happened.
- 8 Q Do you remember how many Polaroids you would have
- 9 taken?
- 10 A Unless there was something significant.
- 11 Q I'm sorry.
- 12 A Unless there was something significant. Again,
- 13 the shirt, the back of his shirt being bloody was
- 14 significant, back of his shirt and back of his head. I
- 15 don't think I took many because Simonello was taking the
- 16 35s.
- 17 Q Did he take a lot of photographs?
- 18 A Yes. He did take a lot of photographs.
- 19 Unfortunately, for whatever reason, they were underexposed,
- 20 overexposed.
- 21 Q Did you tell him from what angle to take the
- 22 shots?

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It was not until after Medical Examiner DONALD D. HAUT arrived at the death scene that ROLLA rolled the decedent's body in order to inspect the apparent exit wound. When ROLLA rolled the body he observed new, wet blood pouring out of the nose and possibly the mouth of the decedent. ROLLA also observed a pool of blood, approximately 4-inches across, which had been under the head and neck area. ROLLA also observed the back of the shirt was soaked with blood from the collar to the waist. From the time ROLLA arrived at the death scene no one rolled the body until he (ROLLA) rolled the body in the presence of HAUT.

It is ROLLA's belief that it is not possible for the body to have been moved to the location at Fort Marcy Park because, as he discovered when he rolled the body, a large amount of blood would have spilled out of the decedent's nose and mouth. ROLLA searched the area surrounding the body and he did not see any blood trails in the area.

ROLLA was shown an autopsy photograph #156E, which depicts FOSTER's clothed body on the autopsy table. ROLLA stated the yellowish stain depicted on FOSTER's shirt in the right chest area was not present when he saw the body at the death scene.

ROLLA recalls lifting one of FOSTER'S arms above his head in order to gain enough leverage to roll the body over. When ROLLA did this, the body slid down the berm a little. recalls one of the decedent's arms was raised above his head making it appear as though the decedent was attempting to climb back up the berm. ROLLA also recalls discussing with USPP Investigator RENEE APT the need to photograph the body in this position. When ROLLA was deposed before the US Senate Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs (Senate Deposition) on 07/21/94, (pages 90, 91 and 92) he believed and testified he had taken photographs of the back of FOSTER's body which must have disappeared from the case file. However, now that ROLLA has had the opportunity to study the photographs he and BRAUN took that day, including the emulsion numbers on the backs of the photographs, he believes BRAUN must have already taken the camera to the parking lot before he (ROLLA) rolled the body. recalls intending to take pictures of the back of the decedent including the exit wound and blood stains on the shirt and ground because it would have been important evidence. However, ROLLA did not actually take any such photographs.



















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ROLLA put on a pair of gloves and lifted the decedent's left hand finding it to be warm and not rigid with slight lividity on the lower side of the arm. ROLLA observed no apparent wounds on the face, neck or head. Based on the blood trails coming out of the decedent's mouth and nose and the blood on his shoulder and on the ground under the back of decedent's head and neck (which he observed without rolling the body) ROLLA assumed that an exit wound would be in the back of the decedent's head.

ROLLA checked the decedent's pockets with gloves on. He patted down the back pockets by feeling under the decedent's hips but he did not feel anything in them. With respect to the front pockets, ROLLA put his hands into the pockets, however, it was difficult for him to get his hands all the way in, so he felt around the outside of the pockets instead. ROLLA believes the inside of the decedent's right front pocket was wrapped around the front of decedent's leg toward his groin. ROLLA'S search of the decedent's pockets missed the keys which he observed USPP Officer CHERYL BRAUN find later in the right, front pants pocket of the decedent when she searched the pockets again in the Fairfax County Hospital Morgue. ROLLA was embarrassed by the fact that he had missed the keys.

Since no keys to the decedent's vehicle had been located in either the search of the body or the car, ROLLA and BRAUN had left Fort Marcy Park and driven directly to Fairfax County Hospital, where the body had been transferred, in order to determine whether ROLLA had overlooked the keys. ROLLA does not now recall the exact time they left Ft. Marcy, but the trip to Fairfax Hospital took approximately 20 minutes.

When they arrived at Fairfax Hospital they went to the Hospital Security Staff who took BRAUN and ROLLA directly to the morgue. The body was still contained in the body bag. BRAUN put on gloves, unzipped the body bag and found the keys in the decedent's right, front pants pocket.

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ROBERT KITT BROWNING (DOB: Safety and Security Officer, Fairfax Hospital; (703) 698-3180, was advised of the identity of the interviewing and the purpose for the interview. BROWNING was interviewed in the presence of ROBIN LANDRY of the Fairfax Hospital Risk Management Department. BROWNING provided the following information:
BROWNING has worked at Fairfax Hospital as a Safety and Security Officer was approximately 3 1/2 years. BROWNING was working the 3-11:30 p.m. shift on the evening of FOSTER'S death.
BROWNING received a call to open the morgue for an incoming body. After regular hours, there are two sets of keys to the morgue. One set is kept by the Communications Center, the other set is kept by the Safety and Security Shift Supervisor. ERIK PETERSON was the shift supervisor that night. BROWNING obtained the morgue keys from the Communications Center, and opened the morgue for Fairfax County Ambulance #1; Paramedics Ashford and Harrison. They placed the body in the morgue refrigerator. The body was contained in a black "body bag". BROWNING had no conversation with ASHFORD or HARRISON, and did not observe FOSTER'S body at that time. BROWNING wrote down information from a tag on the outside of the body bag to record in their logbook. If BROWNING had been given any personal effects, he would have also recorded that. BROWNING reviewed the logbook and noted that no personal effects were recorded. The whole process took approximately 5 to 10 minutes.
At approximately 9:12 p.m. (as noted in the logbook), BROWNING met Investigators BRAUN and ROLLA at the morgue. BROWNING opened the morgue for them. BRAUN and ROLLA opened the body bag containing FOSTER'S body. BROWNING got a quick look at the body. BROWNING described FOSTER as having a large or tall build, not very old, and having dark hair. BROWNING did not know what BRAUN and ROLLA were doing with the body. BROWNING considered it routine for law enforcement officers to examine bodies at the morgue. BROWNING stated that they were in the morgue for approximately 5 to 10 minutes. BROWNING locked the
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morgue after BRAUN and ROLLA exited. BROWNING did not recall talking with the investigators, and did not remember seeing any thing in their hands when they left.

 ${\tt BROWNING}$  reiterated that the whole incident seemed very routine.

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ERIK JAMES PETERSON (DOB: Supervisor, Fairfax Hospital Safety and Security Department; (703) 698-3180, was advised of the identity of the interviewing agent, and the purpose for the interview. PETERSON was interviewed in the presence of ROBIN LANDRY of the Fairfax Hospital Risk Management Department. PETERSON provided the following information:
PETERSON was working a 3 to 11:30 p.m. shift on the evening of VINCENT FOSTER'S death. From 5 p.m. to 7a.m. the following morning, the hospital Safety and Security Officers are responsible for opening the hospital morgue. The Safety and Security shift supervisor maintains a set of keys to the morgue.
At approximately 10:30 p.m. that evening, PETERSON received a radio call to respond to the Emergency Department and see the Nursing Supervisor regarding accompanying some people to view a body at the morgue. The Nursing Supervisor that evening was CHARLOTTE EWING-PREVALL. The individuals identified themselves as being from the White House; CHIEF OF SECURITY CRAIG LIVINGSTONE and WILLIAM KENNEDY. PETERSON walked with them to the morgue. PETERSON did not recall OFFICER DAVE TIPTON from FAIRFAX COUNTY P.D. being present. PETERSON did not recall seeing LIVINGSTONE or KENNEDY use any telephones, including cellular phones. PETERSON opened the morgue to allow the laboratory technicians access to the body. LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY viewed the body through the morgue window. The body did not appear to be "cleaned up". PETERSON stated that Medical Examiner cases are viewed "as is". The viewing lasted approximately 15 to:20 minutes. PETERSON did not recall any particular reaction or conversation during this time. PETERSON stated that the procedure was "routine". The Nursing Supervisor walked with LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY back to the EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT.
At approximately 11p.m., OFFICER TIPTON, who was the FAIRFAX COUNTY POLICE OFFICER on duty at the hospital that evening, wanted access to the morgue. TIPTON told PETERSON that he wanted to "check the body". PETERSON met TIPTON and ORENSTEIN, an emergency room physician, at the morgue. PETERSON
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opened the morgue for them, and they went into the refrigerated area. PETERSON recalled that they were examining the body for wounds, and that they referred to the case as an "alleged suicide". PETERSON also recalled hearing TIPTON mention something about "powder burns". TIPTON and ORENSTEIN were in the morgue for approximately 10 minutes. PETERSON could recall nothing particularly unusual about the body. PETERSON noticed a large amount of blood on the decedent's shirt. PETERSON was not aware of any of the facts of the case at that time.

At approximately 1a.m., CHERYL BRAUN of the U.S.PARK POLICE provided PETERSON with her business card for the Medical Examiner's Office. PETERSON placed the card with the decedent.

Subsequent to the interview, PETERSON provided a photocopy of his personal notes pertaining to the incident.



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Detective ROLLA went directly to the hospital security office. A security officer escorted them to the hospital morgue. BRAUN recalled FOSTER's body was in a body bag. BRAUN unzipped the bag, reached inside, and pulled the right front trouser pocket inside out. When BRAUN did this, a "big wad" of keys came out. Neither BRAUN or Detective ROLLA searched the body further.

BRAUN has no knowledge of there being any volunteer workers in Fort Marcy Park on July 20, 1993. BRAUN recalled that enroute to the park, she had ordered the park gate closed to protect the death scene. BRAUN could not recall seeing any nonofficial people anywhere in the park, with the exception of a couple named DOODY and FEIST, whose vehicle was parked at the far end of the parking lot.

BRAUN could not recall seeing anything at the death scene that caused her to suspect, or even think, that FOSTER might have died elsewhere and his body moved to this location after his death.

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ambulance and the coroner may have gotten there at the same time. BRAUN stated that APT and ROLLA were still at the location of the body.

APT left the death scene with SIMONELLO, BRAUN left the death scene with ROLLA.

BRAUN stated that the only person she saw touch the body was ROLLA. ROLLA had to roll the body slightly so that he could check the decedent's pockets for the keys and any identification. BRAUN stated that the body was not touched until after all pictures were taken.

On their way to the hospital to attempt to retrieve the keys from the decedent's pockets, BRAUN received a call on her cell phone from Lieutenant GAVIN. GAVIN stated that an individual named DAVID WATKINS, who was a close friend of the decedent's, wanted to go with BRAUN and ROLLA to notify the decedent's family.

BRAUN and ROLLA then went to the Fairfax Hospital and located the keys to the decedent's vehicle in his pockets. A hospital security person brought them down to the hospital morgue, where she opened the body bag. BRAUN stated there was a lot of blood in the bottom of the bag. BRAUN located two sets of keys in the front right pocket of the decedent.

BRAUN and ROLLA then went to DAVID WATKINS residence. On the way to the residence, they received another cellular call from GAVIN. Individuals named LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY wanted to view the decedent's body at the hospital. BRAUN stated that it would be ok as long as they did not touch the body.

BRAUN and ROLLA picked up WATKINS at his residence. WATKINS' wife followed them in their personal car. BRAUN and ROLLA asked WATKINS about FOSTER's motive for suicide. At that time, WATKINS told them that FOSTER was extremely depressed over the "Travelgate" matter.

BRAUN and ROLLA arrived at the decedent's residence at approximately 10:00 p.m. As they were walking up to the residence, WEBB HUBBELL, SHEILA ANTHONY, SHARON BOWMAN, and BERYL ANTHONY arrived at the same time. These individuals got out of their cars as they saw BRAUN and ROLLA walking up to the house.

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stated that the initial call was from someone at the White House, TIPTON did not remember this individual's name. TIPTON then made a telephone to the United States Park Police Communications Center to determine whether or not these individuals should view. the decedent. A lieutenant called TIPTON back and stated that he was in charge of the investigation. The lieutenant told TIPTON that no one is to look at the decedent's body. TIPTON then relayed this information to the two individuals who were in the emergency room. TIPTON stated that he recalled these individuals' names as KENNEDY and LIVINGSTONE. TIPTON advised them that they would not be able to view the body. LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY then began making telephone calls. Subsequently, an individual who identified himself as Major HINES of the U.S. Park Police telephoned TIPTON and told them that it would be o.k. for LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY to view the body. TIPTON advised Major HINES that he would like to speak to the initial individual that he had contacted at the U.S. Park Police Communications Center. Major HINES told TIPTON to telephone this individual. then called the lieutenant back at the U.S. Park Police Communications Center and talked with him on the phone. lieutenant told TIPTON that these individuals would be allowed access to view the decedent's body. However, the lieutenant told TIPTON to not let them touch the body or take anything from the body.

TIPTON then escorted the two individuals to the Fairfax Hospital morgue, along with a Fairfax Hospital security officer and a nurse supervisor whose first name is "CRISTY". Upon arrival at the morgue area, a Fairfax Hospital Laboratory Technician retrieved the decedent's body from out of the morgue freezer. LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY viewed the decedent's body from behind a glass partition. The laboratory technician pulled the curtain back on the glass partition, and exposed the head of the decedent in the body bag. KENNEDY became extremely upset. TIPTON recalls KENNEDY crying and providing KENNEDY with tissues. TIPTON recalled KENNEDY asking "Why?" LIVINGSTONE appeared more business-like. LIVINGSTONE did not appear to get emotionally upset. While escorting LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY from the morgue area, KENNEDY punched a locker because he was so emotionally distraught. TIPTON recalled LIVINGSTONE having a cell phone and that he was constantly making telephone calls. Additionally, TIPTON stated that LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY used the hospital phones in the emergency room police office and the hospital phone in the consultation room of the emergency room. TIPTON advised that the Fairfax Hospital security can obtain these phone

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official identity of the interviewer and the purpose of the interview, furnished the following information:	- 25

From about February, 1993 until December, 1993, he was employed as a Medical Technician by the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Northern Virginia District, Fairfax, Virginia. He worked for and under the supervision of DR. JAMES C. BEYER.

Prior to the interview, he was allowed to review the Report of Autopsy pertaining to VINCENT FOSTER and to view several photographs taken during the autopsy. He stated he recalled assisting DR. BEYER during this autopsy.

He was not aware of the identity or the importance of FOSTER at the beginning of the autopsy. However, he was told by DR. BEYER that this was a very high profile case and that they needed to take their time and be very thorough. There was no pressure to hurry the autopsy and to the best of his recollection, it was conducted in the normal manner.

As to persons present during the autopsy, he advised the usual procedure was to list the doctor conducting the autopsy and any "outsiders". It was not the usual practice to list the technician. He recalled there were three (3) to five (5) "outsiders" present during this particular autopsy however he was not introduced to any of them and he did not recall hearing any of their names.

FOSTER's body was undressed by DR. BEYER and himself. After removal, each item of clothing was visually inspected by DR. BEYER and then placed in a plastic bag. The usual procedure was to place all items of clothing into the same bag unless a particular garment contained a hole or tear from the weapon causing the death. Then that particular piece of clothing was placed in a separate plastic bag. His best recollection of this

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autopsy was that all of the items of clothing were placed in the same plastic bag since the wound was in the head.

He recalled at the time of FOSTER's autopsy, the laboratory had just received a new X-Ray machine and that it was not functioning properly. Some times it would expose the film and some times it would not. He recalls moving the machine over FOSTER's body in the usual procedure and taking the X-Ray. They did not know until near the end of the autopsy that the machine did not expose the film.

Photographs taken during the autopsy were taken by DR. BEYER. He could not now recall just how many photographs were taken but mentioned the photographs he has observed today accurately depict the body as he recalls it that day. He identified the black male in one of the photographs as being himself.

He recalled seeing a dark area on the webbing and along the thumb and forefinger of FOSTER's right hand. He did not know if this was just a dirt smudge or if it was gun powder but DR. BEYER photographed it. He could not now recall seeing this same type dark matter on the left hand but observed in the autopsy report that there was. He could not explain why DR. BEYER did not photograph the left hand.

He could not recall seeing an indentation on FOSTER's right thumb nor could he recall there being any discussion concerning it during the autopsy.

He said the usual practice during an autopsy such as this one, was for fingerprints to be taken. He had no clear recollection of whether or not fingerprints were actually taken during this autopsy or who took them but would assume the body was fingerprinted.

He recalled that DR. BEYER inserted a probe through the path of the bullet before the skull was opened and that photographs were taken. DR. BEYER did not appear to meet any resistance as he inserted the probe and he recalls that DR. BEYER made some comment that the bullet path was clear.

After the brain was removed and visually inspected, he recalls DR. BEYER did dissect it with cuts of approximately one(Rev. 11-15-83)

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eighth inch thickness. He specifically recalls this because he sharpened the knife prior to the autopsy and recalls asking DR. BEYER if he had done it right and if the knife was sharp enough. He recalled there were no bullet fragments located inside the brain.

He recalled they could not locate the missing skull fragments from the exit wound. They even searched the body baq used to transport FOSTER but found nothing.

During an autopsy, blood is not normally drained for weighing and measurement. If there is blood in the chest cavity, it will be removed, measured and weighed. That was not the situation during this particular autopsy.

He did not see evidence of any other type of injury anywhere on FOSTER's body. He was shown a photograph of a dark spot on the right side of FOSTER's neck area which he identified as dried or smeared blood.

He concluded by saying there was nothing about the autopsy of FOSTER that was unusual or caused him any concern. He described it as just a routine autopsy.

Prior to this interview, BURGESS said he had not been contacted by anyone for interview regarding this matter.

Present during and assisting in the interview was R. JEFFERY GREENE, Consultant.

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Date of death: Date of birth:	July 20, 1993 January 15, 1945
Place of death:	Fairfax Hospital
Address of decedent:	Falls Church, Virginia 3027 Cambridge Place, NW Washington, D.C. 20007
Maiden name of	washington, D.c. 20007
decedent's mother: Place of birth:	ALICE MAE WADDLE Arkansas
Social Security #:	429-80-1132
Cause of death:	Perforating gun shot wound
Source of information	mouth-head : LISA BRADEN FOSTER, spouse
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Signed by:

DONALD D. HAUT, M.D.

July 27, 1993

Opinion:

Death occurred at 6:15 pm -

suicide

Funeral Director:

Murphy Funeral Home 4510 Wilson Boulevard Arlington, Virginia

Place of Burial:

Memory Gardens

Hope, Arkansas

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Copies of the following items were not requested from the Medical Examiner's office:

Copies of news articles

The original autopsy and toxicology report

The original copy of the death certificate

A letter from ROD LANKLER dated March 28, 1994

A file of original newspaper articles

A file of information from the citizens commission on human rights sent to the Northern Virginia Medical Examiner's Office through the mail.

Items sent via facsimile machine from the Northern Virginia Medical Examiner's Office to the Senate Banking Committee on July 27, 1994 per a request letter from the Senate Banking Committee dated July 25, 1994.

A letter from the Senate Banking Committee dated September 14, 1994, and a response letter from the Northern Virginia Medical Examiner's Office dated September 21, 1994 regarding a deposition errata sheet for the deposition of Dr. JAMES BEYER.

The deposition/testimony of JAMES BEYER before the Senate Banking Committee on July 29, 1994 and August 18, 1994.

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On 7/21/93 Sgt. Rule, I.D. Tech's Johnson and Hill, and the undersigned responded to the officer of the Medical Examiner in At this time we met with Dr. Byer. After briefing him with the available information surrounding the crime scene and the victim he started the autopsy on the victim. arrival the victim's tongue had been removed as well as parts of the soft tissue from the pallet. Dr. Byer stated that there was evidence of gunpowder residue on the soft tissue but not on the.

Dr. Byer pointed out what he thought to be gunpowder residue on the right hand forefinger of the victim. I supplied him with a picture of the crime scene in which the suspected residue was evident.

During the autopsy Dr. Byer noted that the bullet trajectory was "upward and backward" exiting in the center line of the back of the head. Dr. Byer stated that X-rays indicated that there was ne -evidence of bullet fragments in the head.

Dr. Byer stated that it appeared that the victim had eaten a "large" meal which he believed to have occurred within 2-3 hours prior to death. He was unable to state positively what type of food was consumed but stated the it might have been meat and potatoes.

The cause of death was determined to be "perforated gunshot wound in and out". The point of entry was in the back of the mouth with the exit in the back of the head. Autopsy concluded at 1105 hrs.

Hair and blood samples as well as fingerprints were taken from the victim by Dr. Byer and turned over to I.D.Tech Johnson. In addition, I.D. took custody of the victim's clothing.

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### Before The

# **United States Senate**

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Hearing on

THE WHITEWATER MATTER

THE DEATH OF VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR.

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1	Dr. Beyer. That's correct.
2	Senator Faircloth. That's correct?
3	Dr. Beyer. Yes, sir.
4	Senator Faircloth. He devoted 70 pages to the
5	biographies of people who never saw the body.
6	Dr. Beyer. That's correct.
7	Senator Faircloth. Dr. Beyer, your autopsy
8	report indicates that you took X-rays of Mr. Foster.
9	Dr. Beyer. I had anticipated taking them, and I
10	had so stated on one of my reports.
11	Senator Faircloth. Your autopsy report says you
12	took X-rays of Mr. Foster.
13	Did you?
14	Dr. Beyer. No, sir.
15	Senator Faircloth. Why did you say you did if
Τρ	you didn't?
17	Dr. Beyer. As I indicated, I made out that
18	report prior to actually performing the autopsy. We'd been
19	having difficulty with our equipment, and we were not
20	getting readable X-rays. Therefore, one was not taken.
21	Senator Faircloth. What was wrong with the X-ray
22	machine?
23	Dr. Beyer. We had a new machine; we had new
24	grids; and we had a new processor. We were having a number
25	of problems.

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Dr. Beyer. That's correct.

Senator Dodd. And you did not know the condition of your X-ray machine at the time you filled out that form? Dr. Beyer. We were having trouble with it. Some days we would get a partial readable X-ray. Other days, we wouldn't.

Senator Dodd. But in this case if it were working, you would have done an X-ray?

Dr. Beyer. Yes, sir.

Senator Dodd. And you checked out that -- the form thing, that is what you intended to do?

Dr. Beyer. My error was not in removing the "yes" when I finalized the autopsy.

Senator Dodd. And that is the only incorrection on this autopsy form?

> Dr. Beyer. That's correct.

The Chairman. Now if you will permit me to just go one step further, I take it that that report is two or three pages of which the front page is sort of the checklist of things that you intend to do with respect to this autopsy, and then it is the subsequent pages that in fact provide the analysis that you develop in the course of actually performing it, so that you have got to read all the way through to the end to really get to what you determine?

Am I right about that?

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#### DEPOSITION OF TODD S. HALL IN RE: S. RES. 229

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1994

U.S. Senate, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, Washington, DC.

Deposition of TODD S. HALL, called for examination pursuant to notice of deposition, at 5:55 p.m. in the Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room G-59, before DAVID L. HOFFMAN, a Notary Public within and for the District of Columbia, when were present:

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On behalf of Deponent.

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1		Were the polaroid or 35 millimeter?	
2		All I know, they were eight by tens.	
3	-	How was the quality of the photos?	
4		It was pretty good.	
5	_	Pretty clear?	
6		Yes.	
7	-	Do you recall whether there were any photographs	
8		g the hands of the body?	
9	, A	Yes. There were photographs showing the whole	
10	-		
11	Q	What position were the hands in in the	
12	1 0		
13	A	Straight down, I recall.	
14		Palms up or down?	
15	A	I think it was down.	
16	Q	Is that how you remember the hands when you were	
17	at the s	cene!	
18	A	Yes, pretty much. I think they was even on the	
19 20	1	etty much.	
	Q	Which side are you indicating?	
21	A	This side may have been like this.	
22	Q	You mean off on the side?	
1	Α	Left side.	
2	Q		
3	A	And the right side?	
4	Q	I would say the right side was all the way down.	
5	A	Which way was the palm?	
6	Q	I recall the palm being down.	
7	Ā	Could you see the gun in the palm?	
8	Q	In the picture you could see it.	
9	A	What about when you were at the scene?	
0		It was woody and not until I bent over. When I lown, I seen it.	
1	Q		
2	leg?	Was the gun obscured at all by the body, by the	
3	A	Maybe his pants log was	
4	Q	Maybe his pants leg was covering it a little bit.	
5	Ā	But you couldn't tell what kind of gun it was? No.	
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7	determin	I seen it was a gun. I just didn't try to e what type it was.	
8	Q		
9		Do you recall doing any kind of search of the the mouth area?	
0	A	No.	
1	Q		
		Do you recall touching the skin at all?	
2	Α	I recall attempting to check the accord	







## DEPOSITION OF JOHN C. ROLLA IN RE: S. RES. 229

## THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1994

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS, Washington, DC.

Deposition of JOHN C. ROLLA, called for examination pursuant to notice of deposition, at 10:20 a.m. in the Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room G-59, before WENDY S. CASWELL, a Notary Public within and for the District of Columbia, when were present:

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391 21 for it to begin, six to 12 hours for it to start manifesting itself, at this point it hadn't even -- wasn't really manifesting itself. The blood was starting to clot -- the flies work pretty fast once they start, but I would say they won't go immediately. You are dead, you are laying on the ground, they are not going to -- it will take them a while to -- what I would say, organize themselves to realize this is where they are going. So my best guess is, I would say, that he was 10 dead between two or three hours. 11 So, then, what did you do after that? 12 After that, I leaned over -- oh, I'm sorry. In 13 the parking lot, I believe Ferstle or someone told us that there was a gun in the guy's right hand. 15 Q This is before you had come over? 16 Right. Before I was notified of this. I was 17 going to look at that but I said I am taking my time looking at everything else. At that point I leaned over 18 the body, and just a little plant with leaves was over the 19 hand, basically, in that area. And I could -- and his hands are down at his side. Basically, he sat down on a tree root, which stuck out on the side the berm, which acted like a little seat -- this is after everything else, our final determination -- put the gun in his mouth, shot 3 himself and fell backwards with his hands falling, just natural gravity, falling at his sides, right at his sides, so his right hand was right at his right thigh. 6 And it was difficult to see his right hand and 7 the gun because of the plant and material around there. 8 Q Who recovered the gun? 9 Simonello. 10 Q Did you see any powder on his hands? 11 Yes, there was powder burns on the webbing of his 12 hand. 13 Which hand? 14 A Right hand. 15 Any powder on the left hand? 16 A I didn't notice. 17 Did you see any powder on his face? 18 I didn't observe -- I think there was some 19 stippling marks on his face, but I didn't make note of any specific powder burns on his face, I don't think. 20

Did you see any eyeglasses out there?

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Yes.





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maintained that this search of the decedent's pockets took place after both he and Identification Technician Peter Simonello (USPP) took photographs of the decedent's body and the death scene area. In this regard, Investigator Rolla reviewed a series of polaroid photographs supplied by the USPP and advised that these polaroid photographs were a true and accurate representation of his observations of the decedent's body and the death scene at Fort Marcy Park on July 20, 1993.

In regards to the above noted polaroid photographs, which Rolla stated were a combination of the photographs he and Sergeant Edwards took at the scene, his attention was drawn to a transfer-like pattern of blood forming a straight lower margin at the right side of the decedent's neck and chin. Investigator Rolla advised that this blood pattern did give him some concern but believed that this blood pattern could possibly have occurred as a result of the decedent's head twisting or jerking at the time of death or for that matter could have resulted from activities performed by EMT personnel when they were checking for vital signs. Investigator Rolla reiterated that during the period he was at the death scene, he did not touch the body or observe anybody else touch the body prior to the completion of all death scene photography.

In addition to the above functions performed by Investigator Rolla, he advised that he physically checked the surrounding area of the death scene, which failed to reflect any footprints, tire tracks, or any trampled vegetation. He did advise however, that approximately 15 feet to the right of the 2nd cannon in an open area, he did observe an empty bottle of what he thought was wine cooler, with the bottle shaped similar to a Mistic shaped soft drink. To the best of his recollection, the label on the bottle was faded, was empty of any contents and appeared to have been at the location for a extensive period of time.

According to Investigator Rolla, at approximately 7:45 pm, Fairfax County Coroner, Dr. Donald Haut, arrived at the death scene and examined the decedent. Rolla recalls rolling the decedent's body over at which time he observed an extensive amount of blood on the back of the decedent's shirt and on the back side of his head. Additionally he advised that he physically felt the exit wound at the rear of the decedent's head noting that it was extremely soft and mushy. He further observed what he thought was urine on the decedent's trousers in the

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On 04/17/96, Detective JOHN C. ROLLA, United States Park Police (USPP), Investigations Branch, Annocostia Station, telephone number (202)690-5050, was interviewed by Special Agent JAMES T. CLEMENTE, Federal Bureau of Investigation. Also present for this interview were Consultant R. JEFFERY GREENE and Associate Counsel STEPHEN C. PARKER, Office of the Independent Counsel (OIC). After having been advised of the identity of the interviewers and the nature of the interview, ROLLA provided, in part and in substance, the following information:

Upon arriving at Fort Marcy Park (Ft. Marcy) ROLLA was briefed in the parking lot by USPP Officer FRANZ FERSTL. FERSTL pointed out the car and the suit jacket laying folded on the front passenger seat, stating that they appeared to belong to the decedent found in the park. While ROLLA was viewing the car and the jacket, he noticed that the car door lock pegs were in the up/unlocked position. ROLLA then proceeded into Ft. Marcy and up to the second cannon where the body was located.

Upon arrival at the location of the body ROLLA was advised that there was a revolver in the decedent's right hand. ROLLA could not see the revolver until he straddled the body and leaned over looking closely at the right side. It was very difficult to see the revolver because foliage surrounded the body, the revolver was right next to the decedent's leg and the decedent's hand covered most of the revolver. ROLLA looked for, but did not see, any evidence of trampling of the foliage, or any signs of a struggle in the area surrounding the body.

ROLLA discovered a pair of prescription glasses at the foot of the berm on which the body was found. ROLLA also noticed an empty wine cooler bottle laying on the level ground inside the fort, approximately 15 feet east of the second cannon. ROLLA disregarded this bottle because the label was faded and there appeared to be dried mud in the bottle.



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weapon shown in the photograph is in the same approximate position as he remembers seeing the weapon at the death scene. From this photograph, ARTHUR can see that the weapon depicted is obviously a revolver, but his impression on the scene was that the weapon was a semi-automatic weapon.

Based on the photograph of the gun in FOSTER's hand, the gunshot residue on FOSTER's hand, plus other forensic information, ARTHUR commented "My memory is, I saw a semiautomatic, however, I must have been mistaken."

ARTHUR recalled when his crew arrived at Fort Marcy Park, they had not been given a specific location for the body. The only information provided to them was that there was a body by a cannon. The crew split up to search for the body and he accompanied two others down a trail from the southeast corner of the parking lot. The only people they saw were a man and a woman sitting on a hillside to the left of the trail.

After following the trail to the bridge where the trail crosses under the George Washington Memorial Parkway, they returned to the parking lot. They were then directed up into the northeast corner of the park to the death scene.

ARTHUR did not see anyone working on the trails in the park and could not recall seeing any unidentified persons in the park, except the couple previously described. ARTHUR recalled searching the area north of the death scene and he did not see any other person(s) such as two men getting dressed or anyone running from the death scene.

ARTHUR prepared a hand drawn sketch of the park showing the location where the body of FOSTER was found. ARTHUR initialed and dated his hand drawn sketch, which is being retained and made a part of the file.

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#### FOIA(b)(6)

JAMES ATWATER IACONE was interviewed about his recollection of events which occurred on July 20, 1993 in Fort Marcy Park, Virginia in relation to the death of VINCENT W. FOSTER, Jr. IACONE, who was born on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is employed by the Fairfax County Fire and Rescue Department (FCFRD), Fairfax County, Virginia, as a Fire Lieutenant-Suppression and is assigned to FCFRD Fire Station 34, 10511 Rosehaven Street, Oakton, Virginia 22030, telephone (703) 591-0273. After IACONE was advised of the official identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, he provided the following information:

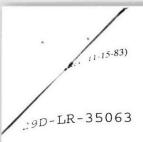
IACONE had never been to Fort Marcy Park prior to his response there in relation to the death of FOSTER on July 20, 1993. He may have driven in to the entrance of the park in the past in order to turn around, but he had never before been inside the park.

On July 20, 1993, IACONE was assigned as the officer on FCFRD unit Engine 1 when it was dispatched with another FCFRD unit, Medic 1, to Fort Marcy Park. When IACONE and other FCFRD personnel arrived at the park, there was no one at the park to direct them to FOSTER's body. IACONE walked over and examined a map of the park which was posted at the entrance to the park's parking lot. The map depicted two major trails within the park so IACONE, as the incident commander, decided to split up his personnel into two groups so that they might locate the patient more quickly. IACONE assigned a Cardiac Care Technician to each of the two groups so that their training and skills would be immediately available to the patient. The other members of IACONE's group were RALPH PISANI, JENNIFER WACHA and RICK ANTHONY.

IACONE and his group began walking down a trail leading to Pimmit Run. IACONE observed two people in the woods off to the left of the trail as he walked downhill. These two people were located to the left of two large trees, and one of the people was sitting on top of the other person.

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IACONE's group arrived at Pimmit Run near the bridge which carries the George Washington Memorial Parkway over Pimmit Run. When IACONE and the members of the group were unable to locate a victim, they began to turn around and walk back up the trail toward the parking lot. Prior to going down the trail, IACONE had contacted the Fairfax County Public Safety Communications Center by radio and requested that the units on the scene at Fort Marcy Park be assigned to an alternate radio channel. On the way back up the trail from Pimmit Run, IACONE was notified via radio by Sergeant GEORGE GONZALEZ, who was with the other group of FCFRD personnel, that a body had been found. As IACONE and his group continued walking up the trail toward the parking lot, IACONE again observed the same two people he had seen previously still at the same location in the woods. No one in IACONE's group had conversation with the two people in the woods, and the two people did not inquire why the FCFRD personnel were in the woods.

When IACONE and his group reached the parking lot, IACONE returned to the map in an effort to visualize where GONZALES and TODD HALL, the members of the other group, were located. IACONE and the other members of his group walked together and arrived at FOSTER's body as a group. Officers of the United States Park Police (USPP) had arrived at the location of the body and had secured the scene.

IACONE recalls that FOSTER's body was lying on a trail with FOSTER's head on the uphill portion of the trail. The body was in a supine position, and FOSTER's hands were at his side. FOSTER was wearing a white shirt, necktie, dark trousers and dark shoes. IACONE does not recall if the shoes were tie shoes or loafers. FOSTER's head was straight in line with his body.

IACONE did not observe any eyeglasses, papers, bottles or other litter on the ground in the vicinity of the body.

IACONE may have checked FOSTER's right carotid artery for a pulse, but he does not have an exact recollection of doing so. If IACONE did feel for a pulse, he was standing to FOSTER's right side when he did so. Although IACONE recalls that FOSTER's face appeared pale, he does not know whether FOSTER's body was cold or warm, and he does not know if lividity was present. IACONE did not move FOSTER's body and he did not see anyone else move the body while he was at the scene. The Fairfax County Medical Examiner did not arrive at the scene while IACONE was

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IACONE recalls observing a silver or chrome-colored revolver in FOSTER's right hand. The gun may have appeared silver-colored because of sunlight reflecting off the gun.

At this point in the interview, IACONE was shown a photograph which had been taken by a USPP official on July 20, 1993 and which depicted a handgun in FOSTER's right hand. Even after viewing this photograph, IACONE advised the interviewers that he still recalled the handgun he had observed on July 20, 1993 as being silver-colored.

At no time did IACONE observe the back of FOSTER's head, shirt or trousers.

IACONE does not recall observing any blood on FOSTER's face, but he believes that there may have been blood on the face and he does not now recall it.

TODD HALL, another of the FCFRD personnel, observed a suit jacket in a car displaying Arkansas registration plates in the parking lot at the park. The jacket in the car appeared to match the trousers worn by FOSTER. The car itself was a dark red Honda whose color was almost a maroon shade but was not quite that dark a color.

During the course of the interview, IACONE was asked to show the interviewers the route he had followed inside the park on July 20, 1993. IACONE was also asked to draw handwritten sketches of the Fort Marcy Park parking lot and the area surrounding FOSTER's body as these locations had appeared on that date. IACONE's map of the parking lot depicts the positions of FCFRD units Medic 1 and Engine 1 as they were parked in the lot. The remaining unmarked rectangle on the map depicts the location where IACONE observed the Honda automobile displaying Arkansas registration plates.

IACONE was also asked to review a copy of a narrative report relating to the FOSTER incident which had been typed on the FCFRD reporting system. IACONE reviewed this one page document and identified it as a copy of the report he had prepared following his return to the firehouse on July 20, 1993. 11-15-83)

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A copy of the narrative report as well as a copy of each of the two maps, all of which were signed and dated by IACONE, are attached to and incorporated into this report of interview.



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area. GONZALEZ indicated a dark circular apparent blood stain depicted in the area of FOSTER'S jaw line (photograph 85C11) as the "wound" he was referring to in this testimony.

GONZALEZ was shown polaroid photograph marked 85C15. GONZALEZ's recollection is that FOSTER's right hand was closer to his body than depicted in this photograph. GONZALEZ could only recall seeing the cylinder of the weapon and not the gun barrel. GONZALEZ has no recollection of seeing the trigger guard around FOSTER's right thumb. However, GONZALEZ states the remaining circumstances depicted in this photograph are as he recalls them from July 20, 1993.

When the FCFRD crew left the death scene and returned to the parking lot, GONZALEZ instructed his crew members to check the doors of the vehicle that appeared to belong to the victim. GONZALEZ recalls his primary concern and interest was the clothing inside this vehicle. GONZALEZ wanted to see if the suit coat he observed in this vehicle matched the trousers worn by the victim. GONZALEZ did not actually observe any of the crew members attempt to open the doors of this vehicle.

GONZALEZ has a vague recollection of observing a necktie hanging from the rear view mirror inside the vehicle.

GONZALEZ recalls seeing something which he initially thought to be a briefcase/attache case in this vehicle. GONZALEZ was shown the canvas tote bag which was recovered from FOSTER's vehicle by the USPP. GONZALEZ acknowledged that this bag might have been what he saw in the vehicle and originally thought was a briefcase/attache case.











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SHARON L. BOWMAN and her attorney JAMES HAMILTON of the law firm of Swidler & Berlin, Washington, D.C., participated in a telephonic interview regarding .38 caliber cartridges located by BOWMAN in Hope, Arkansas. The purpose of the interview was to determine how BOWMAN came into possession of the aforementioned cartridges and to determine the logistics of having the cartridges turned over to the custody of the Office of the Independent Counsel (OIC).

On November 28, 1994, BOWMAN was in Hope, Arkansas visiting the home of her mother. She returned to Little Rock on Tuesday, November 29, 1994. She traveled to Hope with her daughter. While at her mother's home, BOWMAN continued the task of going through articles at her mother's home that were related to the death of her father VINCENT W. FOSTER, SR. and her brother VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR., was the former Deputy Counsel to the President, who died on July 20, 1993.

BOWMAN initially began the task of going through things at her mother's home circa, August, 1994. Of the things that BOWMAN began to look through during her August visit, a number of articles were placed in a sack for future review. BOWMAN left the sack in Little Rock upon her dearture.

A number of loose handgun cartridges were among articles placed in the sack. The cartridges were located in a closet within her mother's residence located in Hope. The cartridges were in a drawer in the closet or on top of the builtin chest of drawers in the closet.

On November 29, 1994, BOWMAN took the shells that she had located last August and brought them to her home in Little Rock, Arkansas. In August, 1994, the shells were placed in a watch box that contained a mixture of cartridges. In addition to a number of .38 caliber cartridges, the box contained several much smaller cartridges. Upon initially finding the cartridges and placing them in the watch box circa August 1994, BOWMAN placed the watch box in the previously described sack. BOWMAN

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noted that although she saw the bullets back in August, she did not examine them and did not realize the possible investigative significance of the cartridges.

On Tuesday, November 29, 1994, BOWMAN first realized the possible significance of the .38 caliber cartridges. BOWMAN did note that of the cartridges located in the watch box, she added one other bullet from another drawer in the residence but this cartridge was not a .38 caliber cartridge.

BOWMAN noted that there is one dresser at her mother's residence that she has not looked in. This dresser is also built into a closet in the house. The closet is in a bathroom in her mother's residence. She believes it contains handkerchiefs, socks and other assorted items.

BOWMAN could not recall the last time that her brother VINCENT FOSTER, JR. last visited the home of their mother. BOWMAN was aware that at some point FOSTER, JR. and his son BRUGH, had traveled to Hope, Arkansas in order to go through FOSTER, SR.'s things subsequent to the Senior FOSTER's death.

BOWMAN's mother resides at 1021 West 14th Street, Hope, Arkansas 71801. According to BOWMAN there were no further cartridges located in the closet from which the aforementioned cartridges were located.

The following information was provided with regard to SHARON L. BOWMAN's residence in Little Rock, AR:

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ALICE MAE FOSTER, the mother of VINCENT WALKER FOSTER, JR. was interviewed at her residence in Hope, Arkansas, with Deputy Independent Counsel MARK TUOHEY and Associate Independent Counsel BRETT KAVANAUGH, and in the presence of SHARON BOWMAN. Mrs. FOSTER was advised of the identities of the interviewing agent and attorneys, and the purpose for the interview. Mrs. FOSTER provided the following information:
Prior to her son's moving to Washington, D.C., Mrs. FOSTER saw VINCENT FOSTER often. Mrs. FOSTER's husband died of lung cancer in 1991. VINCENT FOSTER was very supportive of his parents. VINCENT maintained a furnished apartment for them in Little Rock, and was very attentive; no matter the inconvenience to him.
Mrs. FOSTER characterized her son as considerate, family-oriented, and self-sacrificing. VINCENT FOSTER's family was his source of recreation.
VINCENT FOSTER was in Michigan on business when his father died. His father's death was deeply disturbing to VINCENT FOSTER, particularly since he was not present at the end.
Mrs. FOSTER stated that she is unfamiliar with firearms, and did not fully realize the number of guns that were kept at her residence by her deceased husband. Mrs. FOSTER stated that she was aware of a handgun that was kept in the top drawer of a table by her husband's bed. Mrs. FOSTER described the handgun as a revolver. Mrs. FOSTER stated that she was never comfortable with guns. Her husband purchased a gun for her, but she was not at all interested in it. Mrs. FOSTER recalls her husband leaving a gun on a table in the house when her grandchildren were small. This frightened her, and she communicated her fear to her husband.
Her husband was terminally ill and bedridden for a period of time in 1991. A friend of his who was also terminally

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ill, committed suicide by shooting himself. Mrs. FOSTER was

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concerned that her husband might also commit suicide. Mrs. FOSTER had all of the handguns in the house placed in a box and put in a closet.

Subsequent to her husband's death, VINCENT FOSTER came to her and told her that his father had told him that he could have the guns. Mrs. FOSTER gave VINCENT FOSTER the box of handguns.

-Mrs. FOSTER was shown a revolver which was recovered from the hand of VINCENT FOSTER subsequent to his death at Fort Marcy Park. Mrs. FOSTER was unable to identify the gun, and could not say whether the gun belonged to her husband. Mrs. FOSTER's husband had a membership in a hunting cabin at Yellowcreek, Arkansas. He would go there occasionally with his friends. Mrs. FOSTER never accompanied them to the cabin to hunt or shoot.

Mrs. FOSTER recalled that at one time, her husband told her that he had obtained a permit for the gun. Mrs. FOSTER recalled that the conversation regarding the permit would have occurred in Hope, Arkansas during the 1950s or 60s.

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Mrs. FOSTER is aware that her son VINCENT accepted an appointment with the CLINTON administration to become the Deputy White House Counsel, not the White House Counsel. VINCENT FOSTER told her that he did not want the publicity that would accompany the position as the White House Counsel. At the time of his appointment, Mrs. FOSTER was very happy and proud of her son; now she stated that she wishes that he hadn't accepted the appointment. Mrs. FOSTER believes that her son would be alive today if he had not accepted the position at the White House. Mrs. FOSTER is sure that her son was deeply disturbed about the publicity he received in The Wall Street Journal articles.

Mrs. FOSTER is unaware of her son receiving any previous treatment for depression. Dr. LARRY WATKINS was his personal doctor.

Mrs. FOSTER last talked to VINCENT a day or two prior to his death. She had attempted to contact him during the weekend prior to his death; he returned her call and told her

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to accept the position at the White House. Mrs. FOSTER-recalls that it was at least half the pay of his previous position at the Rose Law Firm. VINCENT FOSTER did not like going into debt.

Mrs. FOSTER could not specifically recall receiving any letters from VINCENT FOSTER subsequent to his death. Mrs. FOSTER attempted to locate any letters, specifically a letter transferring oil or mineral rights on a property to her. Mrs. FOSTER was unable to locate any such letter.

Mrs. FOSTER married VINCENT WALKER FOSTER, SR. in 1937. They lived with her mother in Hope, Arkansas. Mrs. FOSTER recalls her husband having a handgun at that time. VINCENT WALKER FOSTER, SR. was involved in the oil business and traveled extensively throughout the United States. Additionally, VINCENT WALKER FOSTER, SR. was in the Navy in World War II, and was stationed at Alameda Naval Station in California.

During the interview, Mrs. FOSTER introduced her housekeeper, ARLENE REED, to the interviewing agent and attorneys. REED has been employed by the FOSTER's for approximately 40-45 years. REED is very familiar with VINCENT WALKER, SR. and JR. REED recalls seeing a handgun in the bedside table drawer immediately adjacent to VINCENT WALKER, SR.'s bed. REED was subsequently shown the previously identified revolver. REED was unable to identify the revolver as the handgun that she observed in the bedside table drawer.

Subsequent to the interview, Mrs. FOSTER showed the interviewing agent a photocopy of a codicil, which was a part of VINCENT WALKER FOSTER, SR.'s will. The codicil listed numerous personal items that were to be given to specific individuals at the time of VINCENT FOSTER, SR.'s death. The dates on the codicil were noted to be 8/10/88, 10/12/90 and 6/19/91. The first two pages of the codicil were identified by Mrs. FOSTER to be written in VINCENT FOSTER, SR.'s handwriting. The second two pages of the codicil were identified by Mrs. FOSTER as being written in ALLISON BETHUNE's handwriting. BETHUNE is Mrs. FOSTER's granddaughter; the daughter of SHIELA and BERYL ANTHONY. The codicil identifies the following guns which were to be left to the following individuals:

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NANCY HERNREICH'S birthday was that week. LISA knew HERNREICH from ARKANSAS. LISA did not personally know MARSHA SCOTT.

LISA FOSTER stated that FOSTER was a perfectionist. A good example of this was the speech he wrote for the University of Arkansas Law School Commencement. FOSTER wrote and rewrote the speech. He made corrections to it and rewrote it again. Then he corrected his corrections.

LISA FOSTER stated that it was normal for FOSTER to take the onions off of his hamburgers.

After LISA FOSTER had been notified of her husband's death, she retrieved a handgun that was stored on a shelf in her closet, under her sweatshirts. The handgun was in an old leather "case". There were other handguns in the closet in LAURA FOSTER'S room. The handguns were placed there when they unpacked after the move. LISA thought that one of the handguns was silver. LISA FOSTER stated that she is completely unfamiliar with the guns, and had no interest in them, other than to try and convince FOSTER to get them out of the house. LISA FOSTER stated that she may have gone into LAURA'S closet to look for the guns after FOSTER'S death. LISA may have said that they (the guns) were not there.

LISA FOSTER does not recall looking for a note after FOSTER'S death, but she may have. LISA FOSTER is unable to specifically recall many of the events immediately after FOSTER'S death.

LISA FOSTER does not personally know CRAIG LIVINGSTONE.

The day after FOSTER'S death, LISA spoke with BERNIE NUSSBAUM. He told her that he should have let him (FOSTER) quit, or forced him to quit. LISA told NUSSBAUM that FOSTER would have killed himself anyway.

LISA FOSTER had no knowledge of the existence of the note until she returned to D.C., subsequent to FOSTER'S funeral. NUSSBAUM telephoned her, and told her about it.

LISA FOSTER stated that she is unfamiliar with FOSTER'S clients. LISA had no knowledge of SYSTEMATICS or AL-TEL.

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Although LISA FOSTER did not view or read the note on the day that FOSTER appeared to be energized by her remarks, she is confident that the comments written in the note were written on that same day. LISA FOSTER knows that FOSTER was upset about the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) being called in regarding the Travel Office matter, but she does not believe that FOSTER believed that the FBI had lied. People know that representatives of the media were getting deals through the White House Travel Office. LISA FOSTER is aware that people knew of these deals, but she herself knew nothing about FOSTER's remarks in the note pertaining to the Republicans or the usher's office. believes that FOSTER was concerned about excessive costs being incurred by the usher's office, but FOSTER never discussed these matters with her.

On Tuesday night, July 13, 1993, FOSTER spoke with LISA FOSTER about resigning. LISA FOSTER encouraged him to stay in his position in the White House Counsel's office. him that Congress would take a recess in August 1993. LISA FOSTER then suggested to FOSTER that he should stay in his current post until Christmas of 1993. LISA FOSTER understood clearly that FOSTER was speaking about the Travel Office when he was speaking of his depression and his concerns.

LISA FOSTER is aware of the whereabouts of some ammunition which was kept at the FOSTER residence in Little Rock prior to her husband's death. She recalls finding a number of shotgun shells in the top drawer of her dresser. She also recalls that there were a number of shotgun shells kept in a closet. In searching her house, LISA FOSTER found a number of 20 gauge and 12 gauge shotgun shells, some .22 caliber ammunition, and possibly some small handgun ammunition. LISA FOSTER does not recall seeing any such ammunition at her house in Washington, D.C.

LISA FOSTER believes that she may have seen the handgun which she examined previously during the interview at her residence in Washington. LISA FOSTER recalls that as she was packing her belongings in Little Rock in preparation for coming to Washington, D.C., she found a handgun inside a travel trunk which had been packed by FOSTER prior to his departure for Specifically, as LISA FOSTER was packing in Little Washington. Rock, she came across a silver-colored gun, which she then packed in with her other property. When LISA FOSTER unpacked the gun in

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When Mr. LANKLER, OIC, and Special Agent WILLIAM COLOMBELL, FBI, came to the FOSTER residence to show the FOSTER children the gun, LISA FOSTER was so upset that she does not recall if she even looked at it. It was too soon after VINCE FOSTER JR.'s death and all of the investigators were telling her about hair and fibers and semen stains and she was very upset. Now that LISA FOSTER looks at the gun without emotions, she remembers the black handle with the lighter front part and the elongated front. LISA FOSTER stated that it just seemed lighter when she saw it in the footlocker, but that it's funny what tricks your memory will play. SA CLEMENTE asked LISA FOSTER whether her son VINCENT FOSTER, III recalled unpacking a Colt revolver or a Colt semi-automatic to which LISA FOSTER responded by suggesting that SA CLEMENTE show the gun to VINCE FOSTER, III. LISA FOSTER requested that SA CLEMENTE call VINCE FOSTER, III, speak to him about the gun, and then go show it to him.

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When Mr. LANKLER, OIC, and Special Agent WILLIAM COLOMBELL, FBI, came to the FOSTER residence to show the FOSTER children the gun, LISA FOSTER was so upset that she does not recall if she even looked at it. It was too soon after VINCE FOSTER JR.'s death and all of the investigators were telling her about hair and fibers and semen stains and she was very upset. Now that LISA FOSTER looks at the gun without emotions, she remembers the black handle with the lighter front part and the elongated front. LISA FOSTER stated that it just seemed lighter when she saw it in the footlocker, but that it's funny what tricks your memory will play. SA CLEMENTE asked LISA FOSTER whether her son VINCENT FOSTER, III recalled unpacking a Colt revolver or a Colt semi-automatic to which LISA FOSTER responded by suggesting that SA CLEMENTE show the gun to VINCE FOSTER, III. LISA FOSTER requested that SA CLEMENTE call VINCE FOSTER, III, speak to him about the gun, and then go show it to him.

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## Interview: Lisa Foster

On 7/29/93 at approximately 1610 hours Lisa Foster, wife of Vincent W. Foster, was interviewed at the law offices of Swidler & Berlin, 3000 K Street, Northwest, Washington, D.C. The interview was conducted by Detective Peter W. Markland and Captain Charles Hume. Mrs. Foster was represented by Mr. James Hamilton. Also present, at Mrs. Foster's request, was Mr. Beryl Anthony and Mr. John Sloan.

Mr. Hamilton prefaced the interview by stating that there would be no waiver of the attorney-client privilege between himself and Lisa Foster. Prior to any disclosure of this report Mr. Hamilton requests that he be consulted. Lisa Foster then provided the following information:

-Lisa and the rest of the family were in Washington, D.C. in November 1992 and again around Easter 1993. They remained in Arkansas the remainder of the time because of school year considerations. Mr. Foster lived apart from his wife and family until June of this year when the family moved to Washington to join him.

-Pressures associated with his role at the White House were physically affecting Mr. Foster adversely. Specifically citing not being able to sleep well and telling his sister, Sheila Anthony, that he was not feeling well and was experiencing high blood pressure.

-The criticism of the President in the news media, the Travel Office investigation, the scrutiny by the press of the people from Arkansas, and even the stress of the family move to Washington in June all seemed to Lisa Foster to have a cumulative effect on Vincent Foster. He "took it all personally" and once stated to her "How did I get myself into this?".

-Vincent Foster historically dealt very well with stressful situations but was used to being in charge and in control of situations while in Arkansas, control that he lost when he took the position at the White House. He also lost the outlets for stress with the family life that he enjoyed while in Arkansas. Lisa and he talked about this and had begun an effort to rectify traveled to the eastern shore and, although it had not gone particularly well, discussed that things would take time and not change overnight.

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At this point in the interview, LISA FOSTER was asked to examine a pair of eyeglasses which had been found in Fort Marcy Park on July 20, 1993. LISA FOSTER held the glasses, examined them, and then stated that the eyeglasses appeared to be those of her husband. LISA FOSTER noted that the tips of the stems of the eyeglasses had bite marks on them, which was an observation consistent with one of her husband's habits. FOSTER had frequently chewed on the tips of his eyeglasses as a nervous

LISA FOSTER then examined a revolver which had been brought to the interview by the interviewing agents. FOSTER examined the revolver, which had also been found at Fort Marcy Park on July 20, 1993, and stated that she believed it may be a gun which she formerly saw in her residence in Little Rock, Arkansas.

LISA FOSTER then examined a photocopy of a handwritten note which has previously been identified as having been written by her late husband. LISA FOSTER believes that the original note was written on or about July 11, 1993. LISA FOSTER is not entirely certain of this date and believes that the note was written sometime during the period between July 4 and July 20, She believes that the note was written by FOSTER in their Washington residence on a day when there were a number of young people in her house. Her son was working as a Senate aide and there were a number of other aides visiting him on that day. LISA FOSTER invited FOSTER to go with her to the store, but he declined to accompany her. FOSTER was upstairs in bed, alternately trying to sleep and work. LISA FOSTER suggested to FOSTER that he write down everything that "they" did wrong. She suggested to FOSTER that he go on the offensive and not continue to take responsibility for every mistake which was made in the White House. FOSTER agreed with LISA FOSTER's suggestion, and he sat up in bed and appeared energized. FOSTER told LISA FOSTER that he had not resigned yet, and he said that he had already written his opening argument in his defense. LISA FOSTER believes that the torn note which was found was actually FOSTER's opening argument in the event he had to testify before Congress.

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SA CLEMENTE then showed FOSTER the gun that was found on July 20, 1993 in VINCE FOSTER, JR.'s hand at Fort Marcy Park. LISA FOSTER then asked if she could touch the gun, which she did, after which she stated, "I don't know what all the mystery is about, I swear this is the gun that I unpacked." VINCE FOSTER, JR. had a footlocker he was planing to bring with him to Washington, D.C., but he never got around to packing it. When LISA FOSTER went to Washington, D.C., she took what was in the footlocker, boxed it and brought it to Washington with her. VINCE FOSTER, JR. had a gun and three hardcover books, one of which was "THE MAKING OF A PRESIDENT", in the footlocker, LISA FOSTER then stated, "I swear it was this gun, only it looked lighter in the front part. I thought it had a black handle and the front was silver."

FOSTER described the gun from the footlocker as looking like a "cowboy" gun, not "squared-off" like the other gun that they had in the house at the time. LISA FOSTER recalls that when she and VINCENT FOSTER, III were in the basement unpacking the boxes they had moved from Little Rock to Washington, D.C., VINCE FOSTER, III found the gun and said, "Oh shit, what is this doing here." LISA FOSTER didn't pay much attention to the gun because she is as afraid of guns as she is of snakes. LISA FOSTER seems to remember the front of the gun looking lighter. However, when the light plays off of the gun a certain way, it does seem silvery to her. LISA FOSTER stated that if she had been asked to draw a picture of the gun, it would have looked just like this one.

At this point, LISA FOSTER left the room and on her own volition telephoned VINCENT FOSTER, III at his office in Atlanta, Georgia and returned saying that VINCENT FOSTER, III remembers unpacking a Colt, but LISA FOSTER does not know the difference between a semi-automatic and a revolver and therefore did not ask her son to describe the type of Colt he unpacked. LISA FOSTER recalls telling VINCE FOSTER, JR. several times to get rid of the guns while they were living in Washington, D.C. LISA FOSTER also recalls that VINCE FOSTER, JR. got mad because she had mentioned the guns in front of their children. LISA FOSTER believes that VINCE FOSTER, JR. took a gun or guns from his father's office to keep them from his mother in case she got depressed after the death of her husband.

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BERYL ANTHONY ultimately arrived at the house. BILL KENNEDY and his assistant, who was a big, heavy set guy, were there and the assistant stayed outside. HUBBELL recalls seeing BILL KENNEDY's wife, GAIL KENNEDY, at the house because GAIL KENNEDY has a daughter the same age as HUBBELL's child. Senator DAVID PRYOR and his wife, BARBARA PRYOR, were at the house. Senator PRYOR was responsible for having a doctor come to the house to provide care to the FOSTER family. SYDNEY PROBST was at the house and may have been there with SHEILA ANTHONY and SHARON BOWMAN. PROBST now lives in WDC.

President CLINTON was at the house as were BRUCE LINDSEY, MICKEY KANTOR and KANTOR's wife, HEIDI SCHULMAN. HUBBELL does not recall seeing DEBORAH COYLE or NANCY HERNREICH at the house. BERNARD NUSSBAUM came by the house at some point. KANTOR and MARSHA SCOTT left the FOSTER house to go to the White House, and President CLINTON came to the house after they had left.

The USPP investigators were at the FOSTER house quite HUBBELL suggested to the USPP investigators that LISA FOSTER was just not going to be able to do anything. HUBBELL went upstairs with LISA FOSTER at least once, and LISA FOSTER came back downstairs and then returned upstairs. The doctor who had been summoned by Senator PRYOR gave some medication to LISA FOSTER at some point.

The USPP investigators seemed sure of their identification of FOSTER as the decedent.

LISA FOSTER was very distraught that evening. after HUBBELL arrived at the house, LISA FOSTER went into a closet in her bedroom and looked for something. HUBBELL does not recall if LAURA FOSTER or SUZIE HUBBELL was present at that time. LISA FOSTER looked on a shelf at the top of the closet and found a handgun, possibly among the sweaters on the shelf. LISA FOSTER then advised that a gun was missing and one other gun was still in the closet. HUBBELL saw an older looking handgun with a square-shaped handle which holds a clip in the bedroom closet of the FOSTER house. HUBBELL believes the gun was unloaded since there was no clip in the handle. HUBBELL is not familiar with handguns. HUBBELL was scared about this gun being in the FOSTER house, especially after such a traumatic incident. After LISA FOSTER left the bedroom, HUBBELL retrieved the pistol and gave it to BERYL ANTHONY and asked him to keep it. LISA FOSTER was later

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On 11/30/95 WEBSTER L. HUBBELL was interviewed by SA JAMES T. CLEMENTE, FBI and CI COY A. COPELAND, OIC. Also present for the interview was HUBBELL's lawyer, LAURA SHORES. After having been advised of the identity of the interviewers and the nature of the interview, HUBBELL provided, in part and in substance, the following information:

On July 20, 1993, after HUBBELL was notified of the death of VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR., HUBBELL was at the FOSTER residence. At some point early on that night HUBBELL and LISA FOSTER were upstairs in the FOSTER's bedroom, and LISA FOSTER was talking about the discussions she and VINCENT FOSTER, JR. had over the preceding few days. HUBBELL recalls telling LISA FOSTER that he didn't even know that VINCENT FOSTER, JR. had a gun. LISA FOSTER then responded, "Let's look and see if they are still there." LISA FOSTER then walked directly to the closet in the bedroom and began searching the shelf. HUBBELL stood beside LISA FOSTER as she reached up with her hands and felt for a gun underneath some blankets or sweaters. FOSTER then pulled out a "squared-off" type gun in an Army green-type holster. does not recall whether the holster had a flap or was secured in some way. LISA FOSTER said, "This isn't it," she then added, "Looks like the other one is not here." LISA FOSTER proceeded to look for another gun in the closet. Together, HUBBELL and LISA FOSTER did a thorough search of the closet shelf, possibly removing everything from the shelf. HUBBELL recalls LISA FOSTER saying, at some point, that VINCE FOSTER, JR. did have guns that his father had left to him. LISA FOSTER further stated that they had brought the guns with them to Washington, D.C.

At some point, HUBBELL had the "squared-off" gun in his hand and he noticed that there was no magazine in the bottom of the handle. He describes the gun as all steel and either dark grey or black in color. HUBBELL had the strong impression that the "other gun" that he and LISA FOSTER were looking for was one that LISA FOSTER was more familiar with. However, HUBBELL does not recall whether or not LISA FOSTER had described the other gun to him.

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aware that FOSTER was disturbed by the burning of the David Koresh compound in Waco, Texas, and was concerned with "Travelgate." BOWMAN did not recall any reference to the <u>Wall Street Journal</u> articles that she is aware of since FOSTER's death that may have been a contributing factor to his depression.

Regarding the gun that was found at the death scene, BOWMAN was aware that her father owned several guns. These weapons were recalled to be hunting rifles and several pistols. BOWMAN used the term "pistol" in a generic sense for handgun. BOWMAN was aware that VINCENT FOSTER, SR.'s will was written by BERYL ANTHONY's daughter, indicated who the senior FOSTER's gun collection would go to. BOWMAN did not have any strong concern that her father would use one of the guns in his collection to take his own life. VINCENT FOSTER, SR. had made an offhand comment that caused SHELIA ANTHONY, her sister, to acquire the guns from the senior FOSTER's residence.

VINCENT FOSTER, SR. maintained a gun in his bedside table which was known to have been taken from him. particular gun had previously been identified by BOWMAN. believed that VINCENT FOSTER, JR. took the guns out of her father's house upon her father's death. The afternoon of VINCENT FOSTER SR.'s funeral, SHARON BOWMAN showed one of the guns to her son. At that time the guns were taken by VINCENT FOSTER, JR. BOWMAN recalls that she received two guns. She was aware that one of the guns was a ".22 automatic pistol." BOWMAN thought BERYL ANTHONY may have some of the guns but was unsure. BOWMAN remembers that her father had a gun similar to a revolver that was displayed to her during the course of the interview. remembered the detailing on the handle of the gun but remembers the handle on the gun she saw to be brown. Upon reflection she could not be sure about the color of the handle. BOWMAN thought her father may have had a gun similar to the gun she was displayed in the course of the interview, in his bedside table.

BOWMAN does not recall FOSTER, SR. having made mention of the weapon that was displayed to her in the course of the interview. BOWMAN admitted that she had never really carefully examined the gun that was thought to have come from her father's night table. BOWMAN was unable to say whether the gun that was displayed to her during the course of the interview belonged to her father.

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SHEILA FOSTER ANTHONY was interviewed at the United States Department of Justice, Washington, D.C., where she serves as Assistant Attorney General for Legislative Affairs. JAMES HAMILTON, who is associated with the law firm of Swidler & Berlin, Washington, D.C., and who is representing the FOSTER family, was present during the interview. Also participating in the interview were MARK STEIN and CARL STICH, Associate Counsels with the Office of the Independent Counsel, Washington, D.C. After ANTHONY was advised of the official identities of the interviewing agents and that the interview pertained to the circumstances of the death of her brother, VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR., on July 20, 1993, she furnished the following information:

Among the duties of the Office of the Assistant Attorney General for Legislative Affairs are the clearance of bills before they are forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget and a role in the selection of nominees for positions as United States Attorneys, United States Marshals and Federal Judges. ANTHONY's office also corresponds with Congress and assists in attempting to advance legislation which is regarded as important to members of Congress.

ANTHONY has not been interviewed previously by either the United States Park Police (USPP) or the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) regarding the death of her brother.

ANTHONY has no personal knowledge regarding the gun which was found with the body of VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR.
ANTHONY'S father, VINCENT W. FOSTER, owned a number of handguns, rifles and shotguns. The elder MR. FOSTER was very ill with cancer approximately two years ago, and he eventually died as a result of the disease in June 1991. Prior to his death, the elder MR. FOSTER had hinted to other family members that he might use a weapon to take his own life. Either VINCENT FOSTER, JR. or ANTHONY'S sister, SHARON BOWMAN, or possibly both of them removed the guns owned by the elder MR. FOSTER from his home in Hope, Arkansas. ANTHONY recalls that the guns were removed from the house sometime during the period of March to May 1991, but

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finding of suicide in the case. VINCENT FOSTER, III expressed complete confidence in the thoroughness and professionalism of the FBI investigation, and stated that he was convinced and satisfied that his father had taken his own life.

VINCENT FOSTER, III stated that he knew that his father had an old .38 caliber revolver. He had seen it unpacked in their residence in D.C. His father told him that he had received it from his father (VINCENT FOSTER, SR.). VINCENT FOSTER, III was subsequently shown the .38 caliber Colt revolver which was found in the hand of VINCENT FOSTER, JR. at the time of his death. VINCENT FOSTER, III was unable to identify the gun as the one that he had previously seen, and stated that he was not sure if it was the same weapon. VINCENT FOSTER, III recalls his father previously saying something about keeping the gun for protection in "the big city." VINCENT FOSTER, III did not know where the gun was kept, except that he was certain that the gun was hidden somewhere in the family's residence. He did not think that his father brought it with him to work.

VINCENT FOSTER, III knew that his father was concerned about "Travelgate." VINCENT FOSTER, JR. had previously contacted an attorney by the name of JIM LYONS regarding the possibility of representing him on this matter. VINCENT FOSTER, JR. thought that it would be in his best interest to have an attorney for this incident. VINCENT FOSTER, JR. was upset about the media coverage regarding the firing of the Travel Office staff. Additionally, he thought that BILL KENNEDY had received a "bad deal" regarding his contact with the FBI.

VINCENT FOSTER, III stated that he had heard rumors about a letter from Senator DOLE, but did not know any specific information about this letter.

VINCENT FOSTER, III stated that he had no knowledge of any family financial problems, or of his father having any health problems. Money did not seem to be a problem, the children had a trust fund for their college tuitions.

VINCENT FOSTER, III recalled that his father had taken a day off from work at some point immediately prior to his death. However, he could recall no specific information regarding what prompted his father to take the day off or what actual was.

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whatever they wanted, regardless of the truth. VINCENT FOSTER was angry with the way BILL KENNEDY was portrayed in the media during the Travel Office matter. KENNEDY had called the FBI for advice on the Travel Office situation, not to demand an investigation.

BRUGH FOSTER did not recall being in the family's Honda sedan the weekend before his father's death. BRUGH FOSTER does not smoke, but his brother VINCENT FOSTER, III does.

On July 20, 1993, the day of his father's death, BRUGH FOSTER woke up at approximately 11:00 a.m., and subsequently got out of bed at approximately 1:00 p.m. BRUGH FOSTER's mother, LISA FOSTER, came home, and he went with her to the MCLARTY's house. BRUGH FOSTER stated that they were gone between 2:00 and 3:00 p.m. in the afternoon, possibly earlier. BRUGH FOSTER stated that it is possible that during that time period, his father could have returned to their house. However, BRUGH FOSTER stated that he has no direct knowledge of his father returning to the house.

During the unpacking from the move to D.C., BRUGH
FOSTER observed one or two handguns in a shoe box, along with a
number of loose bullets. BRUGH FOSTER stated that these items
came from his grandfather's house. BRUGH FOSTER described his
grandfather's handguns as a small pearl-handled gun, and one or
two revolvers. His grandfather left one of the guns to BRUGH
FOSTER. This gun is now with his Aunt Sharon. The gun was given
to her prior to them moving to D.C. BRUGH FOSTER is aware that
his mother asked his father to put the guns in a lock box. BRUGH
FOSTER thinks that his father placed them in a closet. In any
event, BRUGH FOSTER did not see any of the guns again after that
day. After his father's death, BRUGH FOSTER found a magazine
with one bullet loaded in it. BRUGH FOSTER stated that he was
previously shown a handgun, but does not recall what it looked
like. The handgun was shown to him for identification purposes
by an FBI Agent who had travelled to Little Rock.

BRUGH FOSTER recalled his father talking of purchasing a boat when they returned to Arkansas after he was done with his job here. BRUGH FOSTER admitted that he had previous doubts concerning his father's intent to commit suicide because of these conversations. However, BRUGH FOSTER stated that he has recently accepted that his father did indeed commit suicide. BRUGH FOSTER stated that he has taken a psychology course and learned of some

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death when the U.S. Park Police officers came to their home. It was fairly late in the evening, but LAURA thought that her father was still at the White House watching the President on the Larry King Show.

LAURA FOSTER could not recall any conversations regarding her father leaving a suicide note, nor any recollection of anyone in the residence looking for guns in the house on the evening of her father's death. LAURA FOSTER did recall conversations regarding the concerns relating to contacting her grandmother in Hope, Arkansas; and locating and notifying her brothers.

LAURA FOSTER stated that she never saw more than one handgun in the house. LAURA recalled someone unpacking the handgun at the house when they initially moved to D.C. The day after her father's death, she found a "cartridge" in her closet. In describing the "cartridge", it was apparent that LAURA FOSTER was describing a pistol magazine. LAURA FOSTER stated that she gave the "cartridge" to her mother. LAURA FOSTER never saw any other weapons in their D.C. home, however, she did recall seeing rifles in their Little Rock residence.

LAURA FOSTER stated that she has no doubt that her father died as a result of a self-inflicted gunshot wound, and that it was a suicide. LAURA FOSTER believes that her father may have been suffering from some type of chemical imbalance that had caused him to become temporarily insane. Otherwise, he would not have been able to intentionally leave his family.

LAURA FOSTER stated that her father was always very intense about his work. She recalled that in 1992, her father was concerned that their own telephone was being tapped. He subsequently changed their home telephone number. Additionally, her father was concerned about telephone calls from the media regarding an alleged affair with HILLARY CLINTON. VINCE FOSTER told LAURA that these media reports were not true.

LAURA FOSTER did not think that her father was at any time concerned for his personal safety, and did not feel the need to keep a weapon with him.

LAURA FOSTER stated that the last time she personally used the Honda sedan was prior to July 4, 1993.

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On Thursday, August 22, 1993, Detective Pete Markland and I responded to the White house to meet with Special Agents Scott Salter and Dennis Condon of the FBI to conduct interviews.

The purpose of the interviews were to reconstruct the final hours. of Vincent Foster's life.

Myself and Special Agent Condon interviewed Ms. Betsy L. Pond; Staff Assistant to Bernard Nussbaum, Chief Counsel for the White The interview took place in an office that was unoccupied Present in the room during the entire interview were Clifford Sloan; associate counsel to Nussbaum, and Paul Imbordino; assistant Special Agent in Charge, Protective Operation, U.S. Secret Service. Clifford Sloan took notes throughout the interview. During the interview Bernard Nussbaum burst into the room and demanded "is everything right?"

We started the interview at approximately 0900 hours. Ms. Pond got in to work at around 0900 hours on Tuesday, July 20th. there is a staff meeting of the counsel's office from 0900 to 0945 hours each morning that Vincent Foster would attend. She assumed he was at the staff meeting as she didn't see him when she arrived at work. She first recalled seeing him outside in the Rose Garden. The President was nominating Judge Freeh at the ceremony as the new director of the FBI.

She doesn't recall Vincent Foster having any visitors on Tuesday. The first conversation she had with him was about lunch around 1200-1230 hours. He said he would eat at his desk. He ordered a medium rare cheeseburger, french fries and coke. Linda Tripp went to the cafeteria and ordered his lunch. recalled there were M & M's on the tray with the food because Linda wanted them. He sat on his sofa and ate lunch in his office.

At around 1300 hours he came out of the office and stated "I'll be: back, there are M & M's left in my office". Ms. Pond recalled that she and Linda were in the office when he left. She wasn't sure if Tom was in the office or not. Tom Castleton is a young college graduate working in the office. There was nothing unusual about his emotional state. In fact, over the last several weeks she did not notice any changes, either physically or emotionally. noticed no weight lost. She was unaware of him taking any medication or seeing any doctors. I asked here would she be surprised if I found out he was seeing a psychiatrist. She was not aware of any depression problems. information whether he owned any weapons.

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Ms. Pond said she left work at approximately 1845-1850 hours on Tuesday; but, before she left at around 1820 or so, Maggie Williams (Mrs. Clinton's Chief of Staff) called for Vincent. The paged Vincent and left the White House number for him to call. She recalled no other phone messages for Vincent.

She learned about Vincent's death from messages on her home answering machine around 0500-0600 hours on Wednesday, July 21. She came into work at 0700 hours and was the first person in. door to Vincent's office was closed when she arrived at work. believed that Tom Castleton or Bernard Nussbaum were the persons out of the complex on Tuesday and one of them would have closed the door to Vincent's office. She went into his office and "squashed" the papers together that were on his desk. She realized that she shouldn't have touched the papers as soon as she did it but probably did it out of habit.

When I questioned her if she had been told how to respond to our questions, she stated that Clifford Sloan (who was present during our interview) and Steve Neuwirth, both associate counselors, had called them all together on Wednesday evening and told them they would be questioned by the police and for them to tell the truth.

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Castleton advised that he last saw Vincent Foster at approximately 1:00 pm on July 20, 1993. He said that Foster had asked Linda Tripp, another Special Assistant in the Counsel's office to pick up lunch for him and bring it to his office. He then sat at the coffee table in his office, ate his sandwich, then took his briefcase and his suit jacket and left the office saying "I'll be back later". Castleton said that it was his belief that Foster was going to a meeting or an appointment. He said that he assumed this because Foster usually did not take his suit jacket when he was going anywhere else within The White House. He also said that Foster seemed to be in good spirits when he left the office. Mr. Castleton said that primarily because of the lunch hour, he (Castleton) and Linda Tripp were the only two persons in the office at the time Foster departed.

Thomas Castleton stated that he knows of no problems of any sort that Vincent Foster had that would have caused him to take his life. He said that he cannot recall Foster mentioning any physical ailments or pain and the only thing physical he can recall was that he either heard Foster say or heard someone else in the office comment that he was losing weight.

Castleton was asked how he felt about Vincent Foster and responded that he "looked up to him" and that he felt that Foster was a "model lawyer". He explained that Foster was restrained, not impulsive, professional, careful, very bright and reflective, and a man who cared greatly for his family. Castleton said that he recalls meeting Foster's wife on one occasion when Foster brought her into the office and introduced her to the workers in the Nussbaum/Foster suite. He said that while he could "just tell" that Foster's family was important to him, he did not feel that he could offer a substantial opinion regarding Foster's relationship with his wife, having only met her one time.

Thomas Castleton said that he does not recall Foster ever discussing any hobbies or leisure time activities although he does recall that Foster took a "short vacation" about a week before his death.

Mr. Castleton was asked who most often visited Foster in his office. He responded that Webb Hubbell, Cliff Sloan, and Steve Neuwirth were seen in Foster's office on a fairly regular basis. He said that he saw Hillary Clinton in Foster's office approximately four times during the five weeks he was employed





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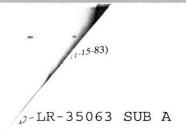
John S. Skyles, Officer, Uniform Division, United States Secret Service (USSS) was interviewed in the Office of the Special Counsel, 1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. Officer Skyles was advised as to the identity of the interviewing agent and of the nature of the interview. He then provided the following information:

His office is located at 1310 L Street NW and his telephone number is 202-395-2020. He has been employed by USSS for 19 years, the last 6 of which have been at The White House compound. He is normally assigned to USSS guard post "E-4" (west lobby) which is located at the first floor front entrance to the west wing of The White House. He was so employed on July 20, 1993, the day of Vincent Foster, Jr.'s death.

Officer Skyles stated that he first learned of Vincent Foster's death through a late evening television news broadcast on July 20, 1993. He stated that he had not known Vincent Foster either professionally or personally but that he knew Foster to be a White House staffer, knew his title, and easily recognized him when he saw him on The White House compound. He explained that he easily recognized Foster because he had seen him enter and exit The White House west wing on numerous occasions when he (Skyles) was on duty.

On July 20, 1993, Officer Skyles worked the 6:30 am through 3:00 pm shift at post E-4. He described this as a rather routine day about which he could recall noticing nothing out of the ordinary. He advised that numerous White House staffers came and went through post E-4 on July 20 but that he could recall few specifics about these individuals. He advised, however, when he learned of Vincent Foster's death late on the evening of July 20, he remembered that he had seen Foster leaving the west wing of The White House through entrance E-4 earlier that day. Skyles said that he was approximately two thirds of the way through his shift on July 20 when he saw Foster leaving The White House. He said that while he cannot recall exactly when he saw Foster, he does distinctly recall that it was "about lunchtime". He said

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that as Foster walked pass the guard desk at entrance E-4 he (Skyles) asked Foster, "How are you doing sir"? He said that Foster replied, "Hello-fine" and nodded his head to Skyles with what Skyles remembers as a "half smile". Officer Skyles said that he remembers this encounter in detail because when he heard that Foster had died via suicide he distinctly recalled that Foster did not appear to be at all depressed or preoccupied as he walked by. He said that he was therefore quite surprised to hear that Foster had committed suicide. Officer Skyles said, to the best of his recollection, that Foster was wearing a gray suit when he saw him on July 20. He said that he could not recall if Foster was wearing his suit jacket or not and that he does not recall Foster carrying anything in his hands such as a briefcase. Officer Skyles stated that this was the last time that he saw Vincent Foster.

Officer Skyles said that he worked the 6:30 am to 3:00 pm shift on post E-4 on July 21, 1993. He said that this was a rather routine, ordinary shift except that he overheard parts of several conversations between White House staff members that day about Vincent Foster's death, their grief, and their disbelief that he could be dead. He said that he can not recall, however, any specifics as to who was engaged in these conversations or exactly what was being said.



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decedent's pockets. ROLLA and BRAUN later retrieved the keys from the decedent's pockets at Fairfax Hospital. ROLLA removed the decedent's rings, pager, and watch from the body prior to the coroner's arrival. ROLLA noted that the decedent's pager was turned off, which to him indicated suicidal intent. ROLLA remarked that he does not think that he moved the body at all to check the decedent's back pockets.

ROLLA returned to the parking lot area where he observed the decedent's coat folded on the seat of the vehicle. Inside the fold was a White House identification. ROLLA stated that he also may have popped open the trunk to look inside. ROLLA recalls that there were books, cards, and letters inside the trunk. Additionally, ROLLA stated that there were items in the car that made it seem that the vehicle did not belong to the decedent. ROLLA stated that he did not observe any briefcase in the vehicle at all.

ROLLA was shown a photograph which was taken during a search of the decedent's vehicle at the U.S. Park Police impoundment lot on the following day. ROLLA looked at a picture taken of the glove compartment of the vehicle which contained a pot holder mit. ROLLA stated that he recalled the mit in the glove compartment. The mit was of such a size that the decedent's revolver could have fit into it. ROLLA looked at a photograph taken of the front seat of the vehicle in which a small post-it sticker was located. ROLLA stated that he did not recall seeing the note on the seat.

BRAUN returned the White House credentials to the U.S. Secret Service later in the evening. The pager remained with the decedent's personal property, which was subsequently returned to the decedent's family through an individual named CLIFF SLOAN. ROLLA stated that he photocopied everything that was contained in the wallet prior to releasing it. ROLLA recalled locating a money machine receipt for \$300 from several days prior, and a note with three doctors names on it.

ROLLA went to the decedent's residence with BRAUN, and a friend of the decedent's named DAVID WATKINS. WATKINS' wife followed in their car.

ROLLA had previously telephoned LIVINGSTONE and KENNEDY on BRAUN's car phone, per the request of Lieutenant GAVIN. These individuals had requested to see the decedent's body at the

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SIMONELLO recalls giving his polaroid camera to Investigator ROLLA to use to make "back-up" photographs. SIMONELLO is not aware how many polaroid photographs Investigator ROLLA took nor could he recall whether or not he provided an additional film pack to Investigator ROLLA.

SIMONELLO recalls his first impression when he observed the death scene was that someone had to have moved the head. SIMONELLO did not move the body at any time nor did he observe anyone else move it. SIMONELLO's original impression was based on his seeing the blood transfer stain on the right cheek of the body.

SIMONELLO recalls the body was lying on what appeared to be a footpath and there was a lot of vegetation on both sides of the body. SIMONELLO does not recall there being noticeable trampling of the vegetation. At least no more than you would expect from two Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) being there examining the body. SIMONELLO could not recall seeing a wine cooler bottle anywhere near the death scene.

SIMONELLO has no recollection of the presence of anyone at the death scene that he did not know personally or otherwise there in an official capacity. SIMONELLO described "official capacity" as EMTs or the Medical Examiner.

After photographing the death scene, SIMONELLO returned to the parking lot area. SIMONELLO recalls he had a few frames of film left on the roll of film in his 35mm camera and that he used these remaining frames photographing the vehicle believed to be that of the decedent. SIMONELLO also recalls there was someone else taking photographs of the vehicle but he could not now recall who this was.

SIMONELLO has no knowledge of how entry was gained to the vehicle. SIMONELLO did not use a "slim jim" to open the vehicle door nor was he aware of anyone else using one. SIMONELLO was under the impression that the vehicle was unlocked.

SIMONELLO is uncertain as to his memory of observing a map and a birthday card in the vehicle at Fort Marcy Park.

SIMONELLO explained he later observed all of the evidence in his office and it is possible he is confusing just what he saw where. SIMONELLO is certain there was no briefcase in the vehicle. SIMONELLO has no recollection of photographing any papers or an

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compartment of the decedent's vehicle. SMITH stated that he does not specifically recall the mit, however, the photograph is one that he would have taken. SMITH stated that he did not seize the mit, as it is not listed on the vehicle inventory sheet. SMITH stated that he probably had no reason to take the mit, as it did not appear related to the suicide investigation.

SMITH had no recollection of a canvas bag in the vehicle. SMITH did not recall taking a picture of any canvas bag in the vehicle. SMITH was then shown a picture of a canvas bag in the back of the decedent's vehicle. SMITH stated that this is a photograph that he would have taken, however, he did not recall the bag. SMITH stated that he did not take this bag, as it is not noted on the inventory sheet. SMITH stated that he probably didn't take it because there was nothing inside of it.

SMITH stated that the pictures in U.S. Park Police cases are developed at their lab, the negatives stay there at the lab in case they need to make duplicates. The photos were sent directly back to him. SMITH reviewed the photographs and then would have put them into the mobile crime laboratory file for this case, which is noted to be 166-93. All latent fingerprints, pictures, and mobile crime laboratory reports are contained in this file. SMITH reviewed all of the photographs that he took in this case. SMITH stated that he hasn't seen them in a while. SMITH does not recall specifically what he did with these photos when they were provided to him after development, however, SMITH stated that he would have put them into the U.S. Park Police Mobile Crime Laboratory file, as was his custom.

SMITH processed the decedent's gun for latent fingerprints. SMITH stated that he used fingerprint powder to attempt to develop latents on the gun. No latents were developed. SMITH took polaroid and 35mm photographs of the gun. SMITH was shown all of the photographs of the gun, and identified the photos that he recalls specifically taking. SMITH was unable to identify some of the photos. SMITH stated that he is unsure of exactly how many photos he took, or of what exact parts of the gun he photographed. SMITH stated that some of the pictures may have been taken by SIMONELLO. SMITH stated that three black and white polaroid photographs were taken with the U.S. Park Police MP-4 camera.

of the decedent's car when he processed it and inventoried it on

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7/21/93. Any personal property belonging to the decedent would have been taken out of the car.

SMITH stated that the car had evidence tape on the doors when he went to process it. SMITH stated that there were initials on the tape, and that he took pictures of the tape. However, SMITH stated that he did not know whose initials were on the evidence tape.



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After leaving the scene of the body, IACONE recalls he walked back to the parking lot where he observed a small grayish compact automobile parked facing into the park. IACONE observed a dark colored jacket on a hanger in the left rear area (behind the driver's seat) hanging on a hook. At the time IACONE looked into the vehicle there were no U. S. Park Police or other FCFRD EMTs present with the exception of TODD HALL. In an effort to determine if the suit coat in the vehicle matched the decedent's pants he had observed minutes earlier, IACONE attempted to open the left rear passenger door of the automobile. IACONE intended to check for identification in the suit jacket, however, he found the car door was locked. IACONE stated he is not certain "but he thinks TODD HALL attempted to open one of the doors" of the vehicle. IACONE, however it was also locked.

IACONE did not see a road map, a birthday card or wine cooler bottles inside the vehicle. IACONE did not see a briefcase inside the vehicle, nor does he recall any mention of anyone else seeing a briefcase in the vehicle. IACONE stated that when he looked inside the vehicle he saw what he believed to be numerous cassettes tapes in the center console area of the front of the vehicle. IACONE was physically present at the vehicle for approximately one minute.

In his earlier interview conducted on 4/27/94, IACONE reported seeing the decedent clad in a tie at the death scene. IACONE now states he is not sure whether the decedent was wearing a necktie when he (IACONE) saw the decedent on July 20, 1993 in Fort Marcy Park.













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HALL noted that ARTHUR and GONZALEZ accompanied him on the medic unit.

HALL advised that the search teams were broken down with himself and an officer of the Park Police. RALPH PISANI knew where the cannons were located at the park; he departed in one direction; HALL's team headed in an opposite direction. HALL believed there are four cannons in the park.

Upon arriving at Fort Marcy Park, HALL noticed an unoccupied brown car with the engine running parked in the lot. He noted that the car was not parked in a space. After coming out of the woods, HALL noticed a second vehicle that contained a suit jacket matching the trousers worn by FOSTER. HALL noted that the jacket was laying on the back seat of the car. The car was a foreign make, possibly a Toyota Corolla. The car was further described to be a 4-door sedan, light blue in color. Also contained in the car was a briefcase; HALL believed FOSTER's tie may have been in the car, but he was not sure.

Back in the parking lot, HALL heard JAY IACONE make a remark regarding the victim. IACONE said the victim must have been one of CLINTON's buddies from Arkansas. HALL noted that the aforementioned vehicle with the suit coat and briefcase bore Arkansas tags. By this point in time, the rest of the EMS personnel were gathered in the vicinity of the vehicle bearing the Arkansas license tags. It was noted that USPP officers were also on scene.

HALL remembers the dispatch regarding FOSTER being received at approximately 6:00 or 7:00 p.m. The weather that day was described as being hot.

HALL was not coached or given any instructions regarding how he should respond when contacted by investigators regarding FOSTER's death.

TODD STACEY HALL is described from observation and interview as follows:

> Date of Birth: Place of Birth: Race: Sex:

Black Male

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### DEPOSITION OF TODD S. HALL IN RE: S. RES. 229

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1994

U.S. Senate, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, Washington, DC.

Deposition of TODD S. HALL, called for examination pursuant to notice of deposition, at 5:55 p.m. in the Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room G-59, before DAVID L. HOFFMAN, a Notary Public within and for the District of Columbia, when were present:

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On behalf of Deponent.

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1	unit. I h	ung around right out there in the parking lot with	
2	the unit.		
3	Q	So you were waiting out there in an area where	
4	you coul	dn't see the body?	
5	Α	Right.	
6	Q	Did you see people go over to Mr. Foster's car	
7	and try to	o go in it?	
8	Α	No.	
9	Q	Or in a car?	
10	A	No, they didn't try to go in it, but we were	
11	standing	by his car. We was looking at it.	
12	Q	Do you remember seeing anything in there?	
13	A	Yes. We saw a suit coat and I think his	
14	briefcase	, something like that. I know a suit coat was in	
15		d we pretty much matched it up with his pants to	
16		e that it was his car.	
17	Q	In the interview with the FBI, you said you	
18	thought	you saw someone else in the woods?	
19	A	Yes, I seen something. It was woody and I seen	
20	somethir	ng go past, like a car.	
21	Q	Do you think you know what it was?	
22	A	Yes. It was route 123. It was right down	
		18	
1	beneath i	is because when we went back to the scene, I said,	
2	what's do	own there, and it was probably a car or truck that	
3	drove par	st the bushes.	
4		(Pause.)	
5	Q	Do you remember seeing an unoccupied car with the	
6	engine ru	inning in the parking lot?	
7	Α	Yes. It was speculation between all of us that	
8	it was the	e car in the lot running.	
9	Q	That it was running?	
10	Α	Well, I did hear it running. I can't say for	
11	positive	it was running, but I knew someone else said it was	
12	running.		
13	Q	But you remember seeing a car there?	
14	Α	Yes, there was one parked, yes.	
15		There was two or three cars there, but there was	
16	one there	e, and I don't recall, I can't say whether it was	
17	there wh	en we left or not.	
18	Q	Do you remember someone saying, I guess it was	
19	Iaccone	saying that the victim must have been one of	
20		buddies from Arkansas?	
21		• •	
	Α	Yes.	
22	A Q	Yes. Was he serious or was he joking around?	

1		officers about this case?	
2	Α	Lt. Bianchi.	
3	Q	About not talking to the press?	
4	Α	Right.	
5	Q	What about any other senior officers?	
6	A	No.	
7	Q	Do you know if anyone else on the detail was	
8	contacte		
9	A	No, I don't.	
10 11	Q	Do you remember any more details about what you	
		the car in the parking lot in Foster's car?	
12	Α.	All I know for sure I saw was his suit coat. And	-
13	I though	nt I may have seen, he may have had a briefcase or	
14		ng in there.	
15	Q	But you don't recall any details?	
16	A	No, just that it was a car with Arkansas tags.	
17	Q	Front seat or back seat?	
1/8	A	What, the coat?	
19	-0	The coat or the briefcase?	
20	A	I don't recall which seat.	
21	Q	I'm just looking for anything you might recall	
22	whereve		
1		Do you remember what color the bag might have	
2	been?	bo you remember what color the bag might have	
3	A	No.	
4	Q	1.0.	
5		You don't remember anything about the size?	
		You don't remember anything about the size?	
6	Α	No.	
6	A Q	No.  Did you say that anyone tried to open the door	
7	A Q while yo	No. Did you say that anyone tried to open the door u were there?	
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incident scene revealed no signs of struggle.

Also noticed by GONZALEZ was pooling of blood within the body at the extremities. Upon completion of the visual inspection, it was determined by GONZALEZ that FOSTER was not revivable. GONZALEZ did not touch FOSTER during the inspection. The visual inspection of FOSTER also included a look into FOSTER's mouth which revealed the presence of blood. No lighting enhancement was utilized during the search of the mouth. HALL may have touched the body at this point; GONZALEZ was unsure. No photographs had been taken throughout the inspection process. GONZALEZ and HALL departed the scene to return lifesaving equipment to the EMS vehicle. By this point in the response, GONZALEZ recalls a second USPP officer at the incident scene. Other investigators began to arrive on scene as well.

After walking away from the location of the body, GONZALEZ looked at the two vehicles in the park for further identifiers related to the victim. The Honda contained a necktie, suit coat, and a black briefcase/attache case. Based on the manner in which FOSTER was clothed, GONZALEZ determined the vehicle to have been driven by the victim.

GONZALEZ identified the following EMS personnel as being located in the Ft. Marcy Park parking area in the vicinity of the vehicle believed to be FOSTER's:

EMS Vehicle

TODD HALL RICK ARTHUR

Engine Company:

RALPH PISANI JENNIFER WACHA

JAY IACONE

GONZALEZ noted that USPP officers were also gathered in the vicinity of the vehicle believed to belong to FOSTER. No Fairfax County Police officers were at the incident site while GONZALEZ was on scene.

IACONE was described to be the OIC of the Engine Company unit. GONZALEZ's EMS vehicle and the personnel listed above from the Engine Company, represent the first emergency response units dispatched to the FOSTER death scene. Once the scene was determined to be a death, Fairfax County Fire

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#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1994

U.S. SENATE,
COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS,
Washington, DC.

Deposition of GEORGE O. GONZALEZ, JR., called for examination pursuant to notice of deposition, at 2:45 p.m. in the Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room G-59, before DAVID L. HOFFMAN, a Notary Public within and for the District of Columbia, when were present:

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Majority Counsel
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JULIE FALLON, ESQ.
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1	All I had was a visual from the outside windows	
2	looking in.	
3	Q Do you recall what you saw in the car besides the	
4	suit jacket?	
5	A I can't say if I saw a briefcase or papers. I	
6	can't correctly say whether I saw it or not.	
7	Q You don't remember talking about what was in the	
8	car with anyone?	
9	A No.	
10	I think the tie was in there and the jacket was	
11	in there. That's what I remember. That's all I can really	
12	remember.	
13	Q Was there any speculation in the parking lot	
14	about what the Arkansas tags might mean, or whether that	
15	might imply someone who worked in government?	
16	A Yes. I mean, you know, one of those just aloof	
17	comments, you know, because of the fact that the President	
18	is from Arkansas. This happens to be an Arkansas plate,	
19	jokingly.	
20	Q So some people at the scene might have been	
21	making some assumptions about the car?	
22	A Yes.	
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1	Q Do you recall whether you told the FBI what you	
2	recalled seeing in the car?	
3	A You'll have to repeat that.	
4	Q In your FBI interview, you'll recall that there	
	was a necktie, a suit coat, and a paper attache case in the	
6	car.	
7	Do you remember that?	
8	A I'll have to go with that statement because, as	
9 10	time goes on, I remember less and less.	
11	Q But at the time you made the statement, that's	
12	what you remembered?  A Yes I did	
13		
14	Q Do you remember discussing the fact that there	
15	might have been a bag in the car with anyone? Did you mention it to anyone?	
16	A No.	
17		
18	Q No one tried to get you to try to open the car or go into the car?	
19		
20	A I think someone tried to open the car. I don't know whether it was unlocked or locked. I think it was	
21	locked.	
22	O It was locked?	

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area. GONZALEZ indicated a dark circular apparent blood stain depicted in the area of FOSTER'S jaw line (photograph 85C11) as the "wound" he was referring to in this testimony.

GONZALEZ was shown polaroid photograph marked 85C15. GONZALEZ's recollection is that FOSTER's right hand was closer to his body than depicted in this photograph. GONZALEZ could only recall seeing the cylinder of the weapon and not the gun barrel. GONZALEZ has no recollection of seeing the trigger guard around FOSTER's right thumb. However, GONZALEZ states the remaining circumstances depicted in this photograph are as he recalls them from July 20, 1993.

When the FCFRD crew left the death scene and returned to the parking lot, GONZALEZ instructed his crew members to check the doors of the vehicle that appeared to belong to the victim. GONZALEZ recalls his primary concern and interest was the clothing inside this vehicle. GONZALEZ wanted to see if the suit coat he observed in this vehicle matched the trousers worn by the victim. GONZALEZ did not actually observe any of the crew members attempt to open the doors of this vehicle.

GONZALEZ has a vague recollection of observing a necktie hanging from the rear view mirror inside the vehicle.

GONZALEZ recalls seeing something which he initially thought to be a briefcase/attache case in this vehicle. GONZALEZ was shown the canvas tote bag which was recovered from FOSTER's vehicle by the USPP. GONZALEZ acknowledged that this bag might have been what he saw in the vehicle and originally thought was a briefcase/attache case.

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1	(Pause.)	
2	A I don't mean wrong. I mean how can I best	
3	describe it.	
4	(Pause.)	
5	I think you're using my word literally.	
6	Q Whatever you meant, you said you were on your	
7	way, you thought, when you were on your way to the park, I	
8	think that you thought something might be wrong.	
9	What did you mean by it?	
10	A I don't mean wrong. Like I said before, an	
11	instinctive feeling.	
12	Q Do you mean peculiar?	
13	A Instinctive feelings, instinct and just your	
14	feelings when you go on a certain call. That's how I can	
15	best describe it, my feelings.	
16	Q When did you realize or learn that this involved	
17	a high profile individual?	
18	A Late in the evening, after they picked up the	
19	body.	
20	Q Were you there when they picked up the body?	
21	A No.	
22	Q So the entire time you were at Fort Marcy Park,	
	94	_
1	you didn't realize that it was	
2	A No.	
3	Q Did your report indicate seeing the victim's car	
4	in the parking lot?	
5	A I don't remember if I stated that. I may have	
6	stated that. I'm not too sure. I'd have to read it again.	
7	Yes, I said a brown Honda with Arkansas tags and	
8	a white Nissan with Maryland tags.	
9	Q At some point, when you were in the parking lot,	
10	did you determine which of the cars was the car?	
11	A Yes, the Honda was the victim's vehicle.	
12	Q Did the fact that it had Arkansas plates mean	
13	anything to you?	
14	A No. The fact that the suit was, the other half	
15	of the suit was in the car lent to the determination whose	
16	car it was.	
7	Q Were you there when the car was entered by the	
8	Park Police?	
19	A No.	
20	Q So you don't recall any discovery of	
21	identification?	
22	A Specifics? No	

















































## Memorandum

# Office of the Independent Counsel



To : IIC E.H. LUECKENHOFF

Date 03/01/96

IC KENNETH W. STARR

From : SA JAMES T. CLEMENTE, FBI

CI COY A. COPELAND & CONSULTANT JEFF GREENE, OIC

Subject: VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR. DEATH INVESTIGATION

### I. SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATIONS TO DATE

## A. UNITED STATES PARK POLICE (USPP) INVESTIGATION

# 1. DEATH INVESTIGATION 7/20/93 a. INVESTIGATORS AND OFFICIALS RESPONDING TO SCENE

Arrival Time at Fort Marcy Park 7/20/93

<sup>\*(</sup>FCFRD - Fairfax County Fire and Rescue Department)

\*\*(USPP - United States Park Police)

<sup>\*\*\*(</sup>Time according to USPP records. Dr. Haut believes he arrived an hour earlier.)

FOIA(b)(3) - Fed. R. Crim. Pro. 6(e) - Grand Jury

During GONZALEZ's Senate testimony on 7/20/94, he testified "I can't say if I saw a briefcase or papers!", "I think the tie was in there and the jacket was in there." and "That's what I remember. That's all I can really remember."

According to SPRUNT's report, HALL also thought he saw a briefcase in the car.

During HALL's FBI interview on 3/18/94, he said "also contained in the car was a briefcase."

During HALL's Senate deposition on 7/20/94, he testified "We saw a suit coat and I think his briefcase, something like that." "All I know for sure was his suit coat. And I thought I may have seen, he may have had a briefcase or something in there." and "Maybe his tie and a briefcase."

According to SPRUNT's report, FORNSHILL stated in his deposition that he "possibly" saw a briefcase in the Honda.

During FORNSHILL's Senate deposition on 7/12/94, when asked "Did you see a briefcase?", he testified "! Possibly. It doesn't stick in my mind right now."

According to SPRUNT's report, BRAUN volunteers that she was not looking for a briefcase in the Honda and, in any event, there was no briefcase in the vehicle.

According to SPRUNT's report, CW (KERMIT KYLE) also believed he saw a briefcase on the passenger floor of the Honda.

During KYLE's FBI interview on 4/14/94, he stated there was possibly a briefcase in the car.

It should be noted that on 4/15/94, KYLE was accompanied to FMP and re-enacted his activity on 7/20/93 and he provided a sketch of the park and his routes of movement. The re-enactment and the sketch clearly show that KYLE actually looked into DOODY's vehicle and was describing the contents therein.

According to SPRUNT's report, the witness (PATRICK KNOWLTON) who described the 1988-1990 rusty brown Honda in the FMP parking lot also saw a briefcase in the vehicle.

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On the day of FOSTER's death, FEIST left work at approximately 4:30 p.m.; FEIST is not sure of the exact time. FEIST was planning to have a picnic lunch at Fort Marcy Park with his friend JUDY DOODY. FEIST went to a liquor store located at Columbia Plaza at 23rd and C Streets NW to purchase two cans of beer, and one or two wine coolers, as well as some type of chips and pretzels. FEIST stated that he paid cash for these items.

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individual, but also believed he was "big and burly" and could have been wearing bluejeans.

Ms. Doody advised that while with Mr. Feist in the wooded area South of the Fort Marcy parking area, she failed to observe any other individuals or activities and denied hearing any sounds or noises which could be construed as a gunshot. did state, however, hearing emergency vehicles which were apparently entering the parking lot of Fort Marcy, but neither she nor Mr. Feist paid any attention to these vehicles. Furthermore, she advised that she was unaware of any activity in either the parking area or the Northern section of the park, until both she and Mr. Feist were located by a uniformed U.S. Park Police officer who directed them to the Fort Marcy Park parking area, where they were subsequently interviewed by U.S. Park Police officials.

In an effort to sharpen her memory of her observations on July 20, 1993, the interviewing agents related to Ms. Doody the observations she provided to U.S. Park Police officials on July 20th. In recalling this particular interview, Ms. Doody stated that she is positive that her initial comments that a vehicle that she observed as a light-colored older model pulling in next to the Honda was untrue. She maintained that the only vehicle she recalls that was positioned between her vehicle and the Honda previously described was the white van or truck which arrived shortly after she parked her vehicle.

Mrs. Doody further advised that the vehicle she was driving on July 20, 1993 was a 1992 4-door white Nissan Stanza with Maryland license plates and this vehicle had a light blue interior. Furthermore, she advised that the only distinguishing external characteristic of this vehicle was the presence on the right rear bumper of a Maryland State Police sticker, yellow in color, with the notation "BAD Against Drugs."

In regards to the contents of the vehicle, it was Ms. Doody's opinion that on either the front floor or the back seat floor was a can of beer and either 1 or 2 bottles of wine coolers. Ms. Doody stated that she believes the bottles of wine coolers were separate and not contained in either a 4- or 6-pack container.

### UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MEMORANDUM U.S. SECRET SERVICE

DATE: 07/20/93 22:01 pm

REPLY TO

ATTN OF: SA SCOTT MARBLE

SUBJECT: DEATH OF VINCENT FOSTER, DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND

DEPUTY COUNSEL (SEE ATTACHED)

TO: SAIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

ON 7/20/93, AT 2130 HRS, LT WOLTZ, USSS/UD - WHB, CONTACTED THE ID/DD AND ADVISED THAT AT 2030 HRS, THIS DATE, HE WAS CONTACTED BY LT GAVIN, US PARK POLICE, WHO PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

ON THE EVENING OF 7/20/93, UNKNOWN TIME, US PARK POLICE DISCOVERED THE BODY OF VINCENT FOSTER IN HIS CAR. THE CAR WAS PARKED IN THE FT. MARCY AREA OF VA NEAR THE GW PARKWAY. MR FOSTER APPARENTLY DIED OF A SELF-INFLICTED GUNSHOT WOUND TO THE HEAD. A .38 CAL. REVOLVER WAS FOUND IN THE CAR.

SA TOM CANAVIT, WFO PI SQUAD, ADVISED THAT HE HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH US PARK POLICE AND WAS ASSURED THAT IF ANY MATERIALS OF A SENSITIVE NATURE (SCHEDULES OF THE POTUS, ETC.) WERE RECOVERED, THEY WOULD IMMEDIATELY BE TURNED OVER TO THE USSS. (AT THE TIME OF THIS WRITING, NO SUCH MATERIALS WER LOCATED)

NO FURTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

INVESTIGATION BY US PARK POLICE CONTINUING.

THE FOLLOWING NOTIFICATIONS WERE MADE BY USSS/UD - WHB:

DIR. OF PERSONNEL, WH INSP. DENNIS MARTIN
CRAIG LIVINGSTON

USSS/UD

WH SECURITY COORDINATOR

OPO

ASAIC PAUL IMBORDINO DAD RICHARD GRIFFIN OPO (BY ASAIC IMBORDINO) PPD (BY ASAIC IMBORDINO) ATSAIC DON FLYNN SAIC RICHARD MILLER PPD (BY ATSAIC FLYNN) DIR (BY DAD GRIFFIN) DIRECTOR MAGAW

THE FOLLOWING NOTIFICATIONS WERE MADE BY THE ID/DD:

75 10 10 ATSAIC LON WARFIELD 2145 HRS SAIC STEPHEN SERGEK 2155 HRS DAD DALE WILSON 2205 HRS ASAIC CARL MEYER

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the investigation of FOSTER's death. CANAVIT believes he spoke to USPP Lieutenant GAVIN when he called USPP. CANAVIT did not know GAVIN from before, and he is not certain that GAVIN is the name of the USPP official with whom he spoke. GAVIN advised that FOSTER'S death was being investigated as a suspected suicide. CANAVIT asked if the USPP had recovered a White House pass or any papers which might be of interest to the protective intelligence squad. In particular, CANAVIT wanted to know if any sensitive documents, such as a copy of the president's schedule, had been found with FOSTER. CANAVIT's concern was that any such documents could contribute to a breach of the security measures used to protect the First Family. CANAVIT was advised by USPP that no such documents had been found with FOSTER.

CANAVIT later learned that FOSTER's White House pass had been turned over to USSS officials during the shift which followed the shift on which CANAVIT worked. From speaking later with USSS agents assigned to work that later shift, CANAVIT learned that these agents had received FOSTER's White House pass and had spoken to GAVIN from USPP. CANAVIT believes that FOSTER's key to a secure telephone may have been on the chain with FOSTER's White House pass and may have also been returned to USSS at the same time. Based on the naming of GAVIN by the other USSS agents as their point of contact at USSS, CANAVIT believes that GAVIN is also the name of the USPP official with whom he spoke.

CANAVIT did not assign or send anyone to go over to Fort Marcy Park, where FOSTER's body had been found.

CANAVIT does not recall what time he received the call from MARBLE.

(At this point in the interview, the interviewing agent advised CANAVIT that MARBLE's report reflected that CANAVIT was notified at 9:56 p.m.) CANAVIT stated that the time noted by MARBLE sounded correct.

All of the USSS officials reflected on MARBLE's memo as having been notified of FOSTER's death were USSS headquarters personnel. CANAVIT probably telephoned and advised WALT SHEPPARD of FOSTER's death. SHEPPARD was the Assistant to the Special Agent in Charge of the USSS Washington Field Office. It was close to shift change when CANAVIT reached SHEPPARD, and CANAVIT

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GAVIN

VINCENT FOSTER SUICIDE Deputy General Counsel to the President

CHIEF 301 983 1898 Hines 301 596 7577

Bill Burton A/white house chief of staff
202 456 1414 white house switchboard

202 456 1414 white house switchboard 202 456 6797 direct Honcho, coordinated press release, gave him 2 briefings

David Watkins General Counsel to the president
202 757 5000 white house signal room pager 4019
202 333 0299 home 1554 34 st NW
With detectives on notification

Officer of the Day USS UD Lt. Woltz
395 4366 Gave him initial death notification

Dr. Haut FFX medical Examiner no recollector Dr. Hout at some

Cristina Tea FFX Hospital she collection; swel couple lettergh at these attaches are 703 698 1110 Concerned over WH officals wanting to view the body bedy-should she lettern Ofc. Tipton FFX PD. Talked to typen due a seen bedy told Typton let them are bedy make 703 573 2852 Advised him to allow viewing but not disturb body or effects

Craig Livingston WH Security Chief
William Kennedy Counsel to pres, travel-gate
Viewed body at FFX

D.D. Myers WH Press Sec. 202 456 6423 Was faxed press release per Maj. Hines

Tom Canvit USSS Presidential Protection Intelligence 202 435 6600 Was concerned about WH passes, classified docs in vehicle John Keeney USSS Relayed that car was sealed and processing in AM

Burton was very concerned about the registration of the weapon, asked several times. 38 Colt old 2 rounds, spent under hammer, next up live. Engine warm on vehicle.







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There were two telephones in FOSTER's office and, GORHAM believes, the main telephone number for FOSTER was (202) 456-6611. GORHAM does not recall how many telephone lines were connected to FOSTER's telephones. Neither GORHAM nor FOSTER used electronic mail (e-mail) because it was not available on GORHAM's computer, which was not on a network. GORHAM does not recall if e-mail was available on the computers of BETSY POND, LINDA TRIPP, or TOM CASTLETON.

GORHAM only saw FOSTER using one briefcase and she never saw him with any other briefcase. FOSTER's briefcase was dark navy blue and had two leather handles which opened, giving access to the storage compartment.

GORHAM used both computer calendars and handwritten calendars to keep track of FOSTER's schedule. The computer calendar displayed an entire month at one time on the screen. In addition, FOSTER maintained his own calendar book, which had a navy blue leather cover and was approximately six inches by seven inches in size. GORHAM maintained a standard government-issue spiral notebook calendar for FOSTER.

GORHAM is only aware of FOSTER having one pager. On Friday, July 16, 1993, FOSTER needed a Skypager because he was going away for the weekend. GORHAM was actually the person who believed FOSTER needed the Skypager because she was not certain FOSTER's normal pager would operate outside the WDC metropolitan area. FOSTER became rather agitated when GORHAM was unable to quickly obtain a Skypager for his use, but FOSTER eventually obtained a Skypager that Friday prior to his departure.

 $\mbox{\sc GORHAM}$  is not aware of either FOSTER or NUSSBAUM having a mobile telephone.

FOSTER had a burn bag and a trash can for normal trash in his office. GORHAM does not recall observing any other receptacles in FOSTER's office. She believes FOSTER did use his burn bag. Burn bags were typically collected from the offices either in late afternoon or overnight. The burn bags were collected by officers from an agency, but GORHAM does not recall which agency had jurisdiction over the burn bags. GORHAM does not recall if the burn bag in FOSTER's office was collected on the afternoon of July 20, 1993. The regular trash was also collected in the afternoon but usually before the burn bags were collected. The regular trash was collected by General Services

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going away every weekend until he started feeling better.

The following day (the day of his death), FOSTER didn't jog. He told LISA that it took too long to cool off afterwards.

LISA FOSTER did not think that FOSTER was aware of WEBB HUBBELL'S problems. LISA stated that FOSTER may not have committed suicide if he knew that HUBBELL may have needed him. Also, LISA did not think that FOSTER would have accepted his position at the White House if he knew of HUBBELL'S problems. FOSTER would have wanted to stay at the ROSE LAW FIRM to do what he could for HUBBELL.

The night before his death, FOSTER came home from work a little earlier than usual. However, he received a telephone call from the President. LISA recalled seeing a "smirk" on FOSTER'S face as he spoke with the President. Afterward, FOSTER told LISA that the President had wanted him to return to the White House to watch a movie with him and HUBBELL. FOSTER put his arm around LISA and told her that he told the President no. FOSTER did not say what the movie was, or who else was there besides HUBBELL. It was not uncommon for the President to invite friends to see movies at the White House; usually 10 to 12 people would be present for a show, which usually took place on Saturday evenings.

LISA FOSTER wanted FOSTER to be more "normal"; to take more time for himself and his family.

LISA FOSTER had no knowledge of any appointment that FOSTER had with the President for the day following his death.

On the day of VINCENT FOSTER'S death, he did not kiss LISA goodbye when he left for work. LISA recalled FOSTER standing very stiffly with his briefcase just prior to leaving. FOSTER didn't turn around to say goodbye, he simply walked out. LISA considered this somewhat odd, but given his behavior during the past month, LISA simply dismissed it to FOSTER being uptight about work.

LISA FOSTER was shown a dark brown leather briefcase, which was obtained from VINCENT FOSTER'S office. LISA identified the briefcase as the same one that FOSTER had when he left their residence on the day of his death.

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VINCENT FOSTER, III recalled his father bringing the family together to brief them on some of the problems that he was having at work, and how the next few months might be difficult for him and the family. His father had told them that some of the things that might happen could be very unpleasant for the family.

VINCE FOSTER, III could not recall his father ever mentioning Whitewater, Madison Guaranty Savings and Loan, or Capital Management Services. Additionally, he could not recall his father ever being concerned about the family's telephones being tapped. He did recall his father talking with him at one point regarding purchasing a sail boat. VINCENT FOSTER, III knew that this was just "wishful thinking," and that his father did not have any actual plans to purchase the boat.

VINCENT FOSTER, III's mother spoke to him about helping her cheer his father up. His mother was concerned about the pressure VINCENT FOSTER, JR. was under at work and how it was affecting him. As a result, VINCENT FOSTER, III stated that he may have called his father during the afternoon of Tuesday, July 20th, to see if he wanted to go to an Orioles game with him.

The evening of his father's death, at the FOSTER residence, VINCENT FOSTER, III recalled seeing the President, WEBB HUBBELL, MACK MCLARTY, and possibly DAVID WATKINS.

VINCE FOSTER, III did not specifically recall driving the family's Honda sedan on Sunday, but stated that he have. The beer cans and other items in the vehicle were probably his. He stated that he kept the car at college, as well as used it the weekend prior to his father's death.

VINCE FOSTER, III was subsequently shown a green oven mitt that was obtained from the glove compartment of the Honda sedan subsequent to his father's death. VINCE FOSTER, III identified the oven mitt as belonging to his mother. He had no specific information regarding the mitt or how it ended up in the glove compartment in the car. He stated that he, as well as his brother, eat sunflower seeds.

VINCENT FOSTER, JR. had an old "beat-up" leather briefcase. He carried the briefcase to work with him every morning. VINCENT FOSTER, III did not know of any other briefcases that his father kept.

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ROGER LEE PERRY, Arkansas State Trooper, was advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the purpose for the interview. PERRY provided the following information:

PERRY was working at the Arkansas Governor's Mansion during the time of VINCENT FOSTER'S death. PERRY received a telephone call from Helen Dickey at the White House sometime between 4 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Central Standard Time. Dickey told PERRY that VINCE FOSTER had left work, went out to his car in the parking lot, and shot himself in the head. PERRY was unsure of DICKEY'S exact words, but he had the impression that FOSTER had committed suicide in his car parked at the White House. PERRY wrote the message down at the time of the call, but no longer has the written memo. PERRY relayed DICKEY'S message to Governor TUCKER, who called the White House for more details. TUCKER found out that DICKEY had bad information; FOSTER actually committed suicide at FT. MARCY PARK. PERRY did not know who TUCKER spoke to at the White House.

PERRY stated that DICKEY was hysterical when she called, and that he was not surprised that she had incorrect information. PERRY did not know how DICKEY learned of FOSTER'S death.

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If the governor plans to stay in the mansion all evening, it was the usual practice for one of the assigned troopers to go home early. Since the governor was not feeling well and had told PERRY he (TUCKER) was remaining at home all evening, when PERRY returned to the guard shack at the front gate of the mansion, he told the other trooper he could leave early. He estimated his arrival at the guard shack to have been about 4:30 PM and after the departure of the other trooper, he continued his shift alone.

He explained all incoming telephone calls to the governor's mansion are answered at the guard shack and then transferred to the proper person. Most outgoing telephone calls are also made through the guard shack, however, the mansion telephones have the capability of bypassing the guard shack if the person making the call so desires. In the past meticulous logs were maintained of all telephone calls going through the guard shack switchboard. A log was also maintained on all visitors to the mansion listing the name of the visitor as well as arrival and departure times. These logs were discontinued

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during the time BILL CLINTON was governor.

He recalls after the departure of the other guard at approximately 4:30 PM and sometime before approximately 7:30 PM, he received a telephone call at the guard shack from HELEN DICKEY. He has known HELEN DICKEY for many years as she was the baby sitter for the CLINTON's when they occupied the governor's mansion. DICKEY did not want to talk to anyone in particular but apparently just wanted to let the governor and/or the staff know that VINCE FOSTER had just shot himself. DICKEY sounded very upset. Her conversation was very disjointed and it was hard to understand just what she was saying. During the call, he made notes of what she was saying so he could pass the message on correctly, however his original notes have since been thrown away. From what DICKEY told him, it was his understanding that VINCE FOSTER had left his office after work and shot himself while seated in his car in the White House parking lot.

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Their conversation only lasted a few minutes and immediately after he hung up the telephone, he called into the mansion. His call was answered by BETTY TUCKER, who after hearing the message, repeated it to JIM GUY TUCKER. He heard BETTY TUCKER repeat the message to JIM GUY TUCKER. BETTY TUCKER told him he (JIM GUY TUCKER) would call the White House and get the details.

He recalled that someone inside the mansion made a series of telephone calls that did not go through the guard shack switchboard. These telephone calls were over a period of approximately two (2) hours.

After he hung up the telephone after telling the TUCKERs about VINCE FOSTER, he telephoned LARRY PATTERSON, another trooper who had been assigned to the security detail, LYNN DAVIS, his attorney and ROBIN PERRY, his present wife but at that time his girlfriend. All of these calls were local calls.

He recalled the telephone numbers into the governor's mansion as being 501-376-6884, 501-376-6885, 501-371-1480 plus one or two other lines with a 374 prefix.

After his relief came on duty just before 10:30 PM, he stayed around for a few minutes to brief his relief about what had gone on during his shift and to tell him about the telephone call he had received from HELEN DICKEY.

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During the time he was briefing his relief, he received a telephone call on the intercom system from JIM GUY TUCKER who told him the information he had previously received from HELEN DICKEY was incorrect and that VINCE FOSTER had actually shot himself in Fort Marcy Park. TUCKER did not tell him who at the White House he had spoken with.

When the sequence of events around the time of the telephone call from HELEN DICKEY were discussed, starting at about 10:30 PM and working backwards, taking into consideration the time span of the telephone calls made from inside the governor's mansion, PERRY conceded he could possibly be mistaken about the time the call from DICKEY was received. The call could have been as late as 8:30 PM, Arkansas time. However, he still felt his best recollection was that the call was received sometime between 4:30 PM and 7:30 PM.

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was interviewed at the Arkansas State Police Headquarters,  Natural Resources Drive, telephone 501-221-8245. After being advised of the official identities of the interviewers and the purpose of the interview, furnished the following information:

He has been employed by the Arkansas State Police for approximately twenty (20) years. Prior to he current assignment, he was assigned to the Governor's Security Detail at the governor's mansion from 1987 through 1993. During this assignment he worked with Trooper ROGER PERRY.

On the evening of July 20, 1993, he received a telephone call from PERRY advising him that PERRY had just received a telephone call at the governor's mansion form HELEN DICKEY who told him (PERRY) that VINCE FOSTER had just gotten off work, walked out to the parking lot and blew his brains out.

He placed the time of this telephone call at approximately 6:00 PM. He arrived at the time by explaining that he works a 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM shift and that he had been home only a short period of time when PERRY called him.

He wears a trooper uniform during his work shift and drives a state police vehicle home each day. He does not stop off for drinks, dinner or out of the way shopping enroute home. He occasionally will stop at the grocery store or the dry cleaners enroute home. He did not recall watching television, reading or eating dinner prior to PERRY's telephone call. If he stopped at the grocery store or dry cleaners, he would have written a check for his purchase. He agreed to search his check register for July 20, 1993 to see if there would have been any reason he would have arrived home later than his normal arrival time.

While working on the governor's security detail, he occasionally was assigned to the guard shack at the front

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HELEN DICKEY was advised of the identities of the interviewing Agents and the nature of the interview. DICKEY provided the following information:

DICKEY is absolutely certain that she did not learn of the death of VINCENT FOSTER until close to 10:00 p.m. eastern time on 7/20/93. She is confident of the approximate time she was notified because at the time she was watching President CLINTON being interviewed on the LARRY KING LIVE show. She was watching the show on a television located in the solarium on the third floor of the White House. She knows the show was almost over because KING asked the President if he could continue for an additional thirty minutes and the President responded that he could stay. Following a break in the show, KING came back on and stated the President was not going to be able to continue the interview.

DICKEY was asked if the LARRY KING Show is one-half hour or an hour in length. She stated the show lasted for one hour and the hour was almost up when she learned of FOSTER's death. It is even possible that the show had just ended. She was asked how CLINTON could remain for an additional thirty minutes if the hour show was completed. She responded that she does not know. She speculated that possibly the interview was going to continue as part of CNN coverage.

Shortly after LARRY KING said the President could not continue the interview, JOHN FANNING, who is a White House Doorman, entered the solarium. FANNING told DICKEY that VINCE FOSTER's body had been found (dead) and he did not want her to hear about it on the news. DICKEY told FANNING "that's not funny," to which FANNING responded he was not kidding. DICKEY does not recall asking FANNING how FOSTER was killed. However, she said FANNING must have told her it was a suicide because she told her mother and father (whom she called shortly thereafter) that FOSTER had killed himself. FANNING did not tell DICKEY how he became aware of FOSTER's death. DICKEY can not recall whether FANNING said FOSTER's body was found in a park.

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HELEN HALTON DICKEY was interviewed in a conference room in the offices of the Office of the Independent Counsel (OIC), 1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 490 North, Washington, D.C. After being advised of the official identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, DICKEY provided the following information:

DICKEY lived on Stonewall Road in Little Rock, Arkansas next door to the family of VINCENT W. FOSTER, Jr. when she was a youngster. Through her mother, ROBYN DICKEY, HELEN DICKEY has known President BILL CLINTON and First Lady HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON for approximately fifteen years. ROBYN DICKEY managed the governor's mansion in Little Rock when Mr. CLINTON was governor there. ROBYN DICKEY is currently Deputy Social Secretary at the White House, where her telephone number is (202) 456-7462.

In 1991, the CLINTONs asked DICKEY to provide child care for their daughter CHELSEA during Mr. CLINTON's campaign for the Democratic nomination for president. DICKEY agreed to serve as a child care provider although it required her to miss her final semester at the University of Arkansas. DICKEY later completed her course work through correspondence school and received her degree from the University of Arkansas.

Once President CLINTON took office on January 20, 1993, DICKEY moved into the White House, where she continues to live in the residence portion with the CLINTON family. DICKEY continues to serve as a governess for CHELSEA CLINTON although there has been less need for DICKEY's services as CHELSEA CLINTON has grown older. DICKEY intends to move out of the White House soon, but she will continue to provide child care to CHELSEA CLINTON.

DICKEY had limited contact with Deputy White House Counsel VINCENT FOSTER during the weeks prior to his death because their positions did not cause them to have contact. DICKEY saw FOSTER on the morning of July 20, 1993 on the colonnade at the White House and they exchanged greetings.

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Helen Dickey

There was no one in the solarium with DICKEY. The only other individuals on the third floor at the time were NICOLE BOXER and a friend of BOXER's (whose identity she cannot recall). BOXER and her friend were somewhere on the third floor making BOXER's wedding plans. BOXER was the fiancee (now wife) of TONY RODHAM.

\_Upon hearing this from FANNING, DICKEY was extremely distraught. She went down to the second floor kitchen looking for President CLINTON. She explained that CLINTON was somewhere in the White House because the LARRY KING interview had been conducted on the ground floor. She recalls that the only person in the kitchen was a Butler named RICARDO (last name unknown). RICARDO was also known as SAM. RICARDO had not yet heard about FOSTER's death. She finally located someone who told her that CLINTON was with MACK MCLARTY who was informing him about FOSTER's death.

DICKEY then used a telephone located in the kitchen to call her mother in Falls Church, Virginia and her father in Atlanta; Georgia. She did not go through the White House switchboard to make these calls and dialed her father as follows:

She basically told her mother and father that FOSTER had killed himself. She was still extremely upset during these telephone calls. She then went back up to the third floor but found no one to talk to so she returned to the second floor kitchen. It is possible she called ANNE STOCK, ANN MCCOY, and the Arkansas Governor's mansion at this time but is almost certain these calls were placed after she discussed FOSTER's death with CLINTON.

When DICKEY returned to the second floor kitchen she found President CLINTON, GEORGE STEPHANOPOULOS, MARK GEARIN, and a fourth person whose identity she cannot recall. CLINTON told DICKEY that FOSTER had shot himself in a park and instructed her to go to the FOSTER residence.

DICKEY then went back to the third floor and used a hallway phone to make three calls. As previously stated, it is possible but not likely that she made these calls before talking to CLINTON. She estimates that these calls were made 15-20 minutes after she called her mother and father. The calls were placed to ANNE STOCK (DICKEY's boss) and ANN MCCOY at their homes in Virginia and to the Arkansas Governor's mansion. STOCK was

the White House Social Secretary and MCCOY was the Deputy Social Secretary. The last call she made was to the Governor's mansion in Little Rock. She went through the White House operator to place these calls because she did not remember the telephone numbers of STOCK and MCCOY. She does not know why she went through the operator to call the Governor's mansion.

\_DICKEY's calls to STOCK and MCCOY were short and she basically told them about FOSTER's death. She called the Arkansas Governor's mansion because she wanted JIM GUY TUCKER and the Governor's Security personnel to know about FOSTER. She was well acquainted with the Governor's Security Squad members since she had been around the Governor's office for many years.

DICKEY estimates she placed her call to the Governor's mansion at approximately 10:30 p.m. eastern time on 7/20/93. She is certain the call was not made before 10:20 p.m. eastern time and is reasonably sure it was not made after 10:40 p.m. eastern time. She is certain the call to the Governor's mansion was the last of the three calls she made from the third floor hallway telephone.

Her call to the Governor's mansion was answered in the Guard's shack by ROGER PERRY. Their conversation was very brief, she estimates two minutes in length. She told PERRY that she just wanted them to know that VINCE FOSTER had shot himself in a park. These may not be her exact words but she is certain she said that FOSTER shot himself and she is certain she said it occurred in a park. She definitely did not say he was killed in a parking lot. She was still upset at the time she talked to PERRY; however, she had settled down somewhat by this point and was not hysterical.

DICKEY was asked to identify guests staying at the White House in the days immediately following FOSTER's death. On July 21, 1993, HELEN and JOHN, SLOAN stayed on the third floor of the White House. She explained that the SLOANs were close friends of the FOSTER family. BILL and SUSAN WOODYARD and JERRY and STEPHANIE ATCHLEY were also present in the White House on July 21, 1993. DICKEY believes that one of these couples also spent the night. The WOODYARDs and the ATCHLEYs are both friends of the FOSTER family and both are from Little Rock. DICKEY cannot recall who stayed in the White House in the days following July 21, 1993.



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Helen Dickey

There was no one in the solarium with DICKEY. The only other individuals on the third floor at the time were NICOLE BOXER and a friend of BOXER's (whose identity she cannot recall). BOXER and her friend were somewhere on the third floor making BOXER's wedding plans. BOXER was the fiancee (now wife) of TONY RODHAM.

\_Upon hearing this from FANNING, DICKEY was extremely distraught. She went down to the second floor kitchen looking for President CLINTON. She explained that CLINTON was somewhere in the White House because the LARRY KING interview had been conducted on the ground floor. She recalls that the only person in the kitchen was a Butler named RICARDO (last name unknown). RICARDO was also known as SAM. RICARDO had not yet heard about FOSTER's death. She finally located someone who told her that CLINTON was with MACK MCLARTY who was informing him about FOSTER's death.

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DICKEY then used a telephone located in the kitchen to call her mother in Falls Church, Virginia and her father in Atlanta, Georgia. She did not go through the White House switchboard to make these calls and dialed her father as follows:

She basically told her mother and father that FOSTER had killed himself. She was still extremely upset during these telephone calls. She then went back up to the third floor but found no one to talk to so she returned to the second floor kitchen. It is possible she called ANNE STOCK, ANN MCCOY, and the Arkansas Governor's mansion at this time but is almost certain these calls were placed after she discussed FOSTER's death with CLINTON.

When DICKEY returned to the second floor kitchen she found President CLINTON, GEORGE STEPHANOPOULOS, MARK GEARIN, and a fourth person whose identity she cannot recall. CLINTON told DICKEY that FOSTER had shot himself in a park and instructed her to go to the FOSTER residence.

DICKEY then went back to the third floor and used a hallway phone to make three calls. As previously stated, it is possible but not likely that she made these calls before talking to CLINTON. She estimates that these calls were made 15-20 minutes after she called her mother and father. The calls were placed to ANNE STOCK (DICKEY's boss) and ANN MCCOY at their homes in Virginia and to the Arkansas Governor's mansion. STOCK was

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was interviewed by Criminal Investigator (CI) COY A. COPELAND,	
Office of the Independent Counsel (OIC) and Special Agent JAMES	
T. CLEMENTE, Federal Bureau of Investigation. After having been	
advised of the official identities of the interviewers and the	
nature of the interview, FANNING provided, in part and in	
substance, the following information:	

On 7/20/93, FANNING worked a 1:30 pm through 10:30 pm shift. However, since it is his responsibility as Doorman to remain on duty at the White House until the President retires for the night, FANNING worked over-time until approximately 12:00 midnight on that night.

Just after President BILL CLINTON ended his interview on "LARRY KING LIVE," FANNING took CLINTON up in the elevator from the ground floor library to the second floor of the White House residence. Shortly thereafter, FANNING rode the elevator to the ground floor to answer an elevator call from MACK McLARTY. It was at this time that FANNING learned of the death of VINCENT W. FOSTER, JR., from MACK McLARTY. FANNING noticed that McLARTY was not as sociable as he usually was, so FANNING asked McLARTY what was wrong. FANNING recalls McLARTY responded in substance, "JOHN I have some bad news, a friend of the President's has just committed suicide. And I need to inform him he's dead. You have to make sure no one goes to the second floor to disturb him until I tell him." FANNING thought he heard McLARTY say it was VINCE NEIL who killed himself.

After leaving McLARTY on the second floor, FANNING proceeded to the third floor of the residence to find HELEN DICKEY who was in the solarium watching the "LARRY KING LIVE" show on television. FANNING had planned to enlist DICKEY'S support in keeping people from disturbing the President on the second floor while McLARTY informed him of the death.

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FANNING recalls telling DICKEY, "MACK said a close friend of the President committed suicide. VINCE NEIL or something." DICKEY responded, "You mean VINCE FOSTER?" FANNING replied, "Yes, that's it." FANNING estimates the time he informed DICKEY was between 10:00 pm and 10:05 pm. FANNING recalls they were still discussing this when the "CNN" or "FOX 5" 10:00 pm news began reporting that FOSTER, an aide of President Clinton, had been found dead. FANNING estimates the time he and DICKEY saw this on the news was between 10:00 pm and 10:10 pm.

FANNING firmly believes he was the first to inform DICKEY of the news of FOSTER'S death because of her extreme reaction to the news. FANNING recalls DICKEY becoming hysterical when she realized that it was VINCENT FOSTER, JR., who was dead. The news hit DICKEY like a brick. She jumped up from her seat and began running around crying and screaming. DICKEY then ran down the stairs to the second floor, which was exactly what McLARTY told FANNING to prevent.

FANNING was upset that he had unwittingly broken the news of FOSTER'S death to DICKEY without knowing she was a close friend of FOSTER'S. FANNING had not anticipated DICKEY'S extreme reaction. FANNING then located NICOLE BOXER RODHAM and her friend whose name FANNING does not recall, and asked them to help calm DICKEY down. These two women held DICKEY and succeeded in calming her.

Later at approximately 10:20 pm to 10:25 pm, DICKEY came down to the Ushers' Office to make at least one telephone call to a family member. FANNING believes the call was made to DICKEY'S mother because Mrs. ROBYN DICKEY arrived at the White House shortly thereafter and continued to calm HELEN DICKEY. approximately 10:50 pm to 10:55 pm, the DICKEY'S both left the White House on their way to the FOSTER residence.

FANNING does not know when or if DICKEY called the Arkansas Governor's Mansion on the night of 7/20/93.

At approximately 10:30 pm, FANNING picked up CLINTON and McLARTY on the second floor of the residence and took them down in the elevator to the ground floor. FANNING believes CLINTON was on his way to announced FOSTER'S death to the West Wing White House Staff in the Map Room at that time. FANNING further believes DICKEY was on the third floor of the residence at the time.

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FANNING did not know FOSTER personally, however, he may have met FOSTER occasionally while transporting him on the elevator.