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IN RE: TAMERAH GRIMES

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INTERVIEW OF DEPUTY MARSHALL LAURA IRBY,
taken pursuant to stipulation and agreement before
Mallory M. Johnson, Certified Court Reporter and
Commissioner for the State of Alabama at Large, in the
Federal Courthouse, One Church Street, Montgomery,
Alabama, on Tuesday, December 9, 2008, commencing at
approximately 10:23 a.m.

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10 EXAMINATION

11 BY MR. MULLINS:

12 Q. State your name for the record.

13 A. Laura Irby, I-R-B-Y.

14 Q. And did you have another name at the time of
15 the Siegelman trial?

16 A. No.

17 Q. Okay. Can you tell me what is your current
18 profession? What do you do?

19 A. I'm a criminal investigator, Deputy United
20 States Marshal. And I'm been with the federal service
21 for 26 years.

22 Q. All right. Were you involved in the trial
23 known as the U.S. versus Siegelman trial here in this
24 district in Montgomery?

25 A. Yes, I was.

Q. Can you tell me, what was your involvement in
that trial?

A. I was a senior deputy assigned to the jurors,

1 to the jury, on a daily basis for approximately four
2 weeks.

3 Q. Okay. Let me ask you, were you involved in
4 the pretrial planning for this case, for the security
5 of this case?

6 A. No.

7 Q. How did you first come to be involved in the
8 case?

9 A. I came in on a special assignment from
10 another district to work there.

11 Q. At that time, what district were you assigned
12 to?

13 A. Middle District of Georgia, Columbus,
14 Georgia, Division.

15 Q. Okay. Why were you brought in for this
16 trial?

17 A. They requested some female deputies to be
18 available to work the trial that was going to be
19 lengthy. They usually have male and female deputies
20 work the -- the trial with jurors in case they need
21 anything. The women feel more comfortable asking a
22 woman about certain things they may need or --

23 Q. Okay. And was this a Marshal Service type of
24 detail?

25 A. Yes, it was. It was a special detail.

1 Q. Were you asked for by name, or was this just
2 a general detail that you could apply for?

3 A. I believe I was asked for by name.

4 Q. Do you know why you?

5 A. They -- they know me over here. I've worked
6 some details with some of the deputies in years gone
7 by.

8 Q. Okay. Do you know the prosecutors in this
9 district?

10 A. No, not all of them.

11 Q. Okay. Which ones would you say that you
12 knew, at least would be able to know their names and
13 their faces?

14 A. Well, I didn't know any of them prior to the
15 trial. And right now I can't think of the
16 prosecutors' names that tried the case. Louis
17 Franklin was -- was on the team. And I can't think of
18 the other guy, the big, tall white gentleman. I can't
19 think of his name right now. I'll think of it in a
20 minute.

21 Q. All right. Not a problem. So you were
22 brought over. Do you know when you first arrived for
23 the Siegelman trial? Had the trial already begun when
24 you came?

25 A. No, I don't believe so. I think I was there

1 for the very beginning.

2 Q. Okay. Now, when the trial started, there was
3 an order of partial sequestration entered by the
4 court.

5 A. That's correct.

6 Q. Okay. Can you tell me what your
7 understanding of that order was? What did you guys
8 do?

9 A. We escorted the jurors. We picked them up
10 every morning at a -- we met at a location. We
11 escorted them in. We took them out to lunch or had
12 their lunch brought in every day. We took them back
13 to their vehicles to leave every evening.

14 Q. Okay. Were you with them the entire time
15 that they were -- they left their vehicles until the
16 time you took them back to their vehicles?

17 A. Yes, I was. Except for small breaks here and
18 there, I was, yes.

19 Q. And how many marshals were assigned to -- to
20 basically provide security for this jury during the
21 trial?

22 A. I'd say six or eight that may have worked the
23 jury and the courtroom.

24 Q. Okay.

25 A. It was probably rotated in and out. Probably

1 four deputies on the jurors. Let's see. I believe
2 there was two women and two men working the trial the
3 whole time on the jurors, but there were other
4 deputies, too.

5 Q. That would work the courtroom?

6 A. Yes. Uh-huh.

7 Q. And the Judge and the --

8 A. And court security, yes. And they were --
9 they -- I think they were there for some prisoner
10 witnesses', protection of the courtroom when they
11 would testify.

12 Q. Okay. Now, when you picked up the jurors in
13 the morning, you basically brought them in to -- did
14 you bring them -- did they ever have a chance to be in
15 contact with the public?

16 A. No.

17 Q. Or any of the people in the courtroom?

18 A. No. There wasn't no time. We brought them
19 in through the sally port door by the magnetometer.
20 They went through the magnetometer every morning, each
21 juror. Then we took them to the jury room. We stood
22 by at the jury room until it was time to go into the
23 courtroom.

24 Q. Okay. Now, during breaks, when they went to
25 the restroom, were they accompanied; or was there a

1 chance for them to see the public or people in the
2 courtroom at that time?

3 A. Absolutely no chance for them to see the
4 public, no.

5 Q. Why do you say that?

6 A. Because the jury room has a male and female
7 bathroom there, and they weren't taken outside for
8 anything. Occasionally, they would go outside for a
9 break. Two or three of them would go outside for a
10 break, maybe four or five on occasion; and they would
11 also be escorted by deputies.

12 Q. What about at lunchtime? Did they have any
13 change to intermingle with people in the public or in
14 the courtroom?

15 A. Absolutely not. We would take them out
16 seldom. Most of the time, we brought their lunch in.
17 Usually, they ordered their lunch in. I don't believe
18 we took them out, no. I think we -- I think lunch was
19 brought in every day.

20 Q. All right. As you're aware, there's
21 allegations in this case that I'm here to talk about.
22 And the allegation was that a female juror and perhaps
23 others on the jury were passing notes to the U.S.
24 Marshals in the courtroom, who thereafter passed notes
25 to the prosecutors. Do you know anything about any

1 written notes passed to the marshals by the jurors for
2 any other person?

3 A. I have no knowledge of that, and I did not
4 witness that.

5 Q. Okay. Were there notes passed during
6 deliberations?

7 A. The only notes that I can think of that were
8 passed during deliberations, when the jurors passed a
9 note to the court security officer, who in turn passed
10 it to the clerk, Ms. Kelly Greg, who in turn passed it
11 to Judge Fuller, that had a question of law or about
12 evidence. That's the only notes that I have any
13 knowledge of.

14 Q. All right. So just for the record, did you
15 ever receive notes from the jurors to be passed to any
16 other person during the Siegelman trial?

17 A. No.

18 Q. If you had, what would have been the
19 procedure for the marshals to follow if they had asked
20 you to pass a note?

21 A. It would have gone to the supervisor. I
22 wouldn't have done it, but I would have notified the
23 supervisor. They would have probably had a meeting
24 with all attorneys and the Judge.

25 Q. All right.

1 A. And the Marshal himself.

2 Q. And it never occurred, to your knowledge?

3 A. It never occurred, to my knowledge.

4 Q. Okay. Do you believe it would have been
5 possible to have -- the prosecutors, for example, sat
6 close to the jurors in the courtroom. Where did you
7 sit in the courtroom?

8 A. I was probably two feet from the jury box at
9 all times.

10 Q. Okay. Do you think it's possible that the
11 jurors passed notes directly to the prosecutors while
12 they were in the courtroom?

13 A. No.

14 Q. Why do you say that?

15 A. Because they were never over near the jury
16 box, and I was between the prosecution and the jury
17 box.

18 Q. Okay.

19 A. As were other deputies.

20 Q. All right. And did you miss any days of the
21 trial?

22 A. I did. Yes, I did, some of the final
23 deliberations. I worked until the jury was
24 deliberating, I believe.

25 Q. Okay. Did you ever miss any days in the

1 courtroom?

2 A. Not that I recall. I don't think so.

3 Q. Did you ever hear any rumors about any
4 communications, notes or otherwise, between the jurors
5 and any outside person?

6 A. No, not until this morning. Not until you
7 briefed me on it. I have not heard anything.

8 Q. Do you think that any communications were
9 made between the jurors and any outside person?

10 A. No, I do not.

11 Q. Why do you say that?

12 A. Because the Marshal Service kept that -- and
13 Melissa from the clerk's office, we kept them away
14 from everybody. The juror room was three feet from
15 the jury door, the room and the door for the jury to
16 go out. The bathrooms are right there. No
17 prosecution or defense attorneys ever attempted to
18 open that door or even get close to the jury box.
19 There was no room for them to be able to talk or pass
20 notes, not that I've seen. And when they went out on
21 breaks, there was all -- they were always accompanied
22 by the deputies, and there was nobody but the jurors
23 where they took them.

24 Q. Now, the actual allegations were that they
25 were female jurors that passed the notes. Would you

1 think that you have the best information about the
2 security of the female jurors during this trial, or
3 would there be anybody that would know better than you
4 about the possibility of passing notes?

5 A. I would think that any deputy on the -- the
6 detail would have as much knowledge as another one
7 about that.

8 Q. Now, this was a politically charged
9 prosecution and pretty high profile. Do you have any
10 strong political leanings at all?

11 A. No.

12 Q. Did you know any of the parties involved in
13 this case before you came over to do security for this
14 case?

15 A. Not personally. Of course, I know that
16 Siegelman was a former governor.

17 Q. Did you have any relationship with him
18 before?

19 A. No.

20 Q. Did you have any relationship with any of the
21 prosecutors before the trial?

22 A. No. I never knew any of them prior to the
23 trial.

24 Q. After the trial, there were some allegations
25 of jury tampering by e-mails. Are you aware of any of

1 those allegations?

2 A. No, I'm not. I think I heard a rumor that --
3 to that effect, that that was a question or something
4 after I was back in my other district. I didn't
5 really pay much attention to it.

6 Q. When did you return to your district in
7 Columbus? Was it Columbus, Georgia?

8 A. Right. I don't recall the exact date. It --
9 I was here at the onset of the trial and worked about
10 four weeks. And to my best recollection, I believe
11 they were already deliberating when I went back to my
12 district.

13 Q. Do you have an opinion as to whether you
14 believe notes were passed during the trial between the
15 jurors and any other outside party?

16 A. No. My opinion is no, that never took place.

17 Q. Do you have any other information you think
18 that would be beneficial to this inquiry?

19 A. It sounds like a false allegation to me.

20 Q. You current --

21 A. And I can't help you with something I don't
22 know about.

23 Q. Not a problem. You currently work in this
24 district now; is that correct?

25 A. Yes, I do.

1 Q. And you work for this Marshal.

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. Have you ever seen any conduct by this
4 Marshal that would make you question his integrity or
5 his management of security of juries while you've been
6 here working for him?

7 A. Absolutely not under any circumstances. I
8 don't think he's a man to be compromised.

9 Q. Thank you. I've got nothing else.

10 A. Thank you.

11 (The interview concluded at
12 10:35 a.m.)

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2 STATE OF ALABAMA

3 MONTGOMERY COUNTY

4 I, Mallory M. Johnson, Certified Court Reporter
5 and Commissioner for the State of Alabama at Large,
6 hereby certify that on Tuesday, December 9, 2008, I
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8 and that pages 2 through 13 contain a true and
9 accurate transcription of the examination of said
10 witness by counsel for the parties set out herein.

11 I further certify that I am neither of kin nor of
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13 any manner interested in the results thereof.

14 This 31st day of December, 2008.

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10 EXAMINATION

11 BY MR. MULLINS:

12 Q. Okay. Would you please state your full name
13 for the record?

14 A. Melissa F. Myers.

15 Q. Okay. And, Ms. Myers, can you tell me what's
16 your job?

17 A. I am the jury administrator for the court.

18 Q. Okay. And what is that, please?

19 A. I am the one that handles and takes care of
20 all of the jurors, summonsing jurors, correspondence
21 with the jurors, getting them to the court, getting
22 them prepared and ready to go for jury selection. And
23 then I take care of them through the trial.

24 Q. Okay. And who do you work for?

25 A. I work for the Clerk of Court, Debbie
Hackett.

Q. Okay. So you're employed by the federal
government in the courts?

1 A. Yes.

2 Q. Okay. How long have you been the jury
3 supervisor coordinator in this district?

4 A. I started March of 2005. Yes, March of 2005.

5 Q. Were you involved in the Siegelman trial at
6 all?

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. Can you tell me what your involvement was?

9 A. I was the person that summonsed the group,
10 prepared the summons, sent them out. I was the go
11 between with telephone calls, getting anyone excused.
12 I was also the one that brought in the jurors for jury
13 selection. I was here while we had jury selection.
14 And once we got the group finished, I was told who
15 were the lucky 18 jurors to be selected for this
16 trial.

17 And at that point then, I contacted the jurors
18 and told them to come in, that they had been the
19 chosen group. And we brought them in, and they were
20 sworn in by Judge Fuller. And they were told to
21 report back to begin trial on -- I'm not sure what day
22 the trial began. And then at that point, I was in
23 charge of making sure they were here attending-wise,
24 their payments, breakfast. We provided meals for the
25 jurors during that 11 weeks, actually.

1 I fed them breakfast, lunch, snacks in between.
2 I just took care of whatever needs that they had, make
3 sure that they had what they needed for their
4 employers, and their -- their payments.

5 Q. All right. The jury had a partial
6 sequestration order on them.

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. And how were you involved with that at all?

9 A. Basically, they were in the care of the
10 marshals. The United States Marshals were -- had a
11 designated area for them to arrive at in the
12 mornings. They transported them to the courthouse.
13 At that point, the marshals brought them in. I had
14 breakfast ready for them here. I fed them breakfast.
15 I got them upstairs, the marshals, and then proceeded
16 to take them upstairs to get ready for the trial.

17 At that point, I -- I took care to get their
18 lunches ready and their midmorning snacks. So, you
19 know, I was basically their maid for 11 -- 11 weeks.

20 Q. All right. Did you sit in the courtroom also
21 during the trial?

22 A. No. I would briefly come in. Pretty much,
23 we would have it timed down to what time of the
24 morning and the afternoon Judge Fuller would take a
25 midmorning and afternoon break. I would go up, take

1 them some kind of midmorning snack, apples, whatever,
2 and coffee; take that up to them. And I would just
3 kind of come into the courtroom and, you know, see
4 if the courtroom deputy or court reporter needed
5 anything, bottle of water, coffee, whatever. I was
6 just kind of at that point to make sure that they were
7 taken care of and kind of wait until trial got
8 started, that the jurors didn't need anything else.
9 And once they were brought back in to start --
10 continue the trial, I would basically leave because at
11 that point, I had to go take care of and do my job
12 downstairs and take care of whatever, you know,
13 getting -- making sure their lunches were ready.

14 Q. Okay. So you didn't watch most of the
15 testimony?

16 A. No. I could not tell you most of what
17 testimony went on in the courtroom because at that
18 point -- I'm the only jury administrator and the only
19 staff at the jury office. So I had other jurors, not
20 in the building, but they had been summoned, that
21 I had to take care of also, take care of that.

22 Q. Okay. And how long have you been an employee
23 of the courts?

24 A. I began here May of 1998. So a little over
25 ten years.

1 Q. What jobs did you hold before you were jury
2 coordinator?

3 A. When I started here, I started as an intake
4 clerk. I was in intake for a little over a year, and
5 then I moved to the civil docketing section. And I
6 was there until I started with the jury administrator
7 in March of 2005.

8 Q. Okay. Now, as an intake clerk here, is that
9 the person that receives the filings of the cases?

10 A. Yes. You were the -- basically the one that
11 worked the counter, taking phone calls, clocking
12 pleadings that came in, you know, whatever else was at
13 that time. We've come a long way electronically since
14 I started, so.

15 Q. I understand. I've been here for a long time
16 myself.

17 A. We were -- the intake person is basically the
18 first person that you see when you come in the
19 courthouse, filing of complaints, you know, answering
20 the phones, things like that.

21 Q. So since you had some contact at least
22 initially with the attorneys in the area, did you know
23 any of the attorneys in the Siegelman trial before it
24 started?

25 A. I mean, of course, the prosecutors. I didn't

1 know them personally. You know, I had met them.
2 Excuse me. Louis Franklin and I had met, because he's
3 been here a while. I knew Steve Feaga's name; but at
4 that point when I first started, names and faces, I
5 wasn't real sure who he was. I'm not sure if J.B.
6 Perrine was here when I started. At intake, I mean,
7 you didn't see much of the U.S. Attorney's Office.
8 You saw more their runners as they came over to file
9 things. So as far as the counsel, unless you ran into
10 them in the hall and asked who that was -- I did know
11 them personally, no.

12 Q. Okay. How about defense counsel?

13 A. Bear with me. I'm trying to think who they
14 were. As far as defense counsel for Don Siegelman, I
15 did not know them until the trial. I did not even
16 know their names, actually. For Richard Scrusby, I
17 mean, I don't know Fred Gray personally; but I knew
18 who he was through the filings that he had had and,
19 you know, through local TV. No, I would say I didn't
20 know any of them other than maybe the name
21 recognition.

22 Q. Okay. But you knew -- did you know anybody
23 on the prosecution team?

24 A. At the time of the trial?

25 Q. At the time of the trial.

1 A. I knew the U.S. attorneys, yes.

2 Q. Okay. Did you know, for example, the FBI
3 agents or any of the personnel from the U.S.
4 Attorney's Office that were sitting at counsel table?

5 A. No, other than Ms. Shaw. That was the only
6 one that I knew.

7 Q. Okay. You knew Debbie Shaw?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. And how did you know Debbie?

10 A. I worked with Debbie with the grand jury.
11 She helps out when the initial grand jury comes in and
12 gets selected. I -- she is my kind of go-between in
13 the grand jury, you know, as far as how many cases or
14 how many days the grand jury would be. I -- we are in
15 correspondence as far as on the telephone about that.
16 But other than that, that was -- you know, work
17 related, that's all I knew of Ms. Shaw.

18 Q. You wouldn't consider her like a personal
19 friend?

20 A. No. We -- I mean, we're friends, yes, but
21 not -- only on a business level.

22 Q. Okay. How about Keith Baker, the FBI agent?

23 A. I did not know Mr. Baker until the trial.

24 Q. Okay. Did you know Vallie Birdsong --

25 A. No.

1 Q. -- the consultant in the trial?

2 A. I met Vallie Birdsong during the trial also.

3 Q. Okay. Let me start with some of the
4 allegations in the court and see if you know anything
5 about them.

6 A. Sure.

7 Q. The general allegation is that a female juror
8 and perhaps others passed notes to the U.S. Marshals
9 in the courtroom and then who later passed those notes
10 to the prosecutors. Do you have any knowledge at all
11 of anyone trying to attempt to communicate from the
12 jury to the prosecution team by notes or otherwise?

13 A. I have no idea about any notes or any
14 correspondence that would have been passed from the
15 jurors to anyone at the trial. I do know that there
16 was at least one note passed during deliberations that
17 was given to the Judge; but as far as notes, no, I
18 have no recollection of anything passed there.

19 Q. Okay. And the note to the Judge, you're
20 referring the question from the jury during
21 deliberations?

22 A. Yes. I'm sorry. That was the question that
23 they had -- a question that they had during the
24 deliberations regarding -- I don't even know the issue
25 at that time.

1 Q. Okay. And when you were with the jury, did
2 you ever observe the jurors ever trying to attempt to
3 communicate with anyone other than the marshals or the
4 court personnel like yourself?

5 A. No.

6 Q. Do you believe they had very much opportunity
7 to communicate with third parties, prosecutors,
8 defense, or third parties outside the courtroom?

9 A. In my personal opinion, no. They --

10 Q. Why would you say that?

11 A. They were with either -- I mean, the marshals
12 were with them at all times. Even when they
13 transported them to the restroom, they went as a
14 group. The marshal stood there outside the restroom
15 and, you know, did not allow anyone else to come into
16 the restroom while they were there. I mean, they were
17 pretty basically treated like children in the
18 classroom. You know, they were escorted everywhere
19 they went regardless of it was from the restroom to
20 where we were keeping them for lunch or breakfast.

21 Q. Okay.

22 A. To my knowledge, they were escorted
23 everywhere they went. I -- I -- you know, they were
24 never by themselves anywhere.

25 Q. Did any of the jurors ever attempt to

1 communicate through you to any third party?

2 A. No.

3 Q. Did you ever hear of any juror attempting to
4 communicate outside the jury with a third party?

5 A. No.

6 Q. When you were with the juries -- jurors, were
7 the marshals always present?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. There's an allegation in this case that at
10 one point, you teased Agent Baker. Do you recall, did
11 that occur?

12 A. Yes.

13 Q. Okay. Can you tell me a little bit about
14 that incident?

15 A. I remember coming into the courtroom. I
16 don't remember if it was morning or afternoon. I had
17 come in, brought midmorning snack or mid-afternoon --
18 I don't remember, but -- for the jurors. And I had
19 come into the courtroom. And I believe I had stopped
20 to ask Ms. Shaw a question. Mr. Baker came up. And I
21 mean, there was -- I'm sure there was a conversation
22 there. He -- he had been picking at -- at me about,
23 you know, this, that, your hair, your shirt, whatever.

24 Q. In a friendly way?

25 A. In a friendly way, yes. Yes. in a very

1 friendly way as far as, you know, just trying to
2 embarrass me. So in order to get him back and then
3 see him red-faced and embarrassed, I -- I just made
4 the comment that one of the jurors thought he was very
5 cute. I did not -- I do not recall saying whether it
6 was male or female, whether that person was black,
7 green, yellow, or blue. And at the time, the jurors
8 were not in the courtroom. They were in the
9 deliberation room, so I -- no pointing, no saying
10 where they sat, anything was done.

11 Mr. Baker at the time did get embarrassed. He
12 turned as red as a tomato. He got embarrassed, he
13 walked off, and he walked off. Of course, myself and
14 Ms. Shaw got a good laugh out of it. And that was
15 it. Never was it mentioned again from me or from
16 anyone else that I know of. It was done just to see
17 him get embarrassed and to make a good laugh for the
18 rest of us.

19 Q. All right.

20 A. So, no -- no -- I'm sorry.

21 Q. I'm sorry. Go ahead.

22 A. No juror ever told me that. It was something
23 that I just kind of spouted out at the moment just to
24 get him to hush and walk away. And the purpose was
25 successful. I would say that.

1 Q. All right. So was it based on anything that
2 you heard in the jury room from any juror?

3 A. No, no. No juror ever came up to me, male or
4 female, and said that Mr. Baker was a nice-looking
5 gentleman. It never came. That was me at the spur of
6 the moment coming into the courtroom.

7 Q. You were just teasing him?

8 A. Yes. It was friendly teasing, and it never
9 went any further than that. It was never brought up
10 any more than that --

11 Q. All right.

12 A. -- to my knowledge.

13 Q. When you said this to Mr. Baker and Ms. Shaw,
14 were the prosecutors present where they could have
15 heard this?

16 A. I don't believe so. Because when I would
17 come into the courtroom, I would basically just come
18 in and stand at the jury -- at the end of the jury
19 box. I don't recall being anywhere near the
20 prosecutors or defense counsel.

21 Q. All right. Now, when you were in your daily
22 and frequent contacts with the jurors, did you hear
23 the jurors -- overhear the jurors discussing the case
24 in any way at all?

25 A. No. That was something that I started from

1 the very beginning, that, you know, please don't
2 discuss the case; don't ask me questions. And we try
3 and do this with every juror. Because I'm not going
4 to answer it, and I don't want anything to be said
5 that we did discuss anything. So they never discussed
6 the case. Their basic discussions with me were what
7 are we having for lunch today, don't you think we need
8 to order breakfast and get that taken care of. With
9 me, they were more concerned about when they were
10 going to be paid, what we were going to eat the next
11 day, and, you know, just -- just personal questions
12 as, you know, they were -- were we going to be taken
13 care of today.

14 Q. Okay. Did you ever hear any of the members
15 of the jury discussing members of the prosecution or
16 the defense team?

17 A. Not to my recollection, no.

18 Q. Did you ever -- while you were in the
19 courtroom, did you ever hear the prosecutors -- did
20 they ever talk to you about the jury and ask you
21 questions about the jury members?

22 A. No.

23 Q. Were you ever asked any questions by the
24 defense team about the jurors?

25 A. No. Not to my recollection, no.

1 Q. I was just trying to see about any other --

2 A. No.

3 Q. Do you believe that notes were passed between
4 the jurors and the prosecutors at any time during the
5 trial?

6 A. I really -- I don't think so. I -- you know,
7 I don't -- to my best ability, this trial was done,
8 you know, in an order that kept everybody separated
9 and where they needed to be, that no one came in
10 contact with any juror. You know, like I said, the
11 jurors were transported in and out of here without any
12 contact from anyone other than the marshals or
13 myself. Even the courtroom that we had them in, we
14 had direct access to a stairwell that took them to
15 where they needed to have lunch so they didn't come in
16 contact with anyone.

17 I -- I don't think that the prosecutors would
18 have done what is alleged (sic), that any notes
19 would have been passed. And I don't think the jurors
20 would have done that either.

21 Q. Is this -- in your experience, is the
22 Siegelman trial, how you dealt with the jury, is that
23 more secure than the normal jury?

24 A. Even in just a, you know, regular, everyday
25 case that's not against, you know, someone who knows

1 everyone like Governor Siegelman did at that time, we
2 try really hard to keep the jurors away from the
3 public as far as, you know, anyone coming down the
4 hall. We try to isolate them as best we can to keep
5 any family members or counsel, you know. And counsel
6 is directed at any -- at all times during the
7 beginning of a trial to not have contact with the
8 jurors.

9 It was more of a high-profile case, yes;
10 therefore, the partial sequestration order came into
11 effect in order to avoid anything like that
12 happening. I mean, even jurors that come in here
13 every day, we don't have notes passed, you know, even
14 amongst jurors. They don't pass notes with one
15 another. And, you know, that's -- like I said, that's
16 one thing that I try -- don't discuss the case with
17 me; I don't -- you know, unless it's some kind of
18 emotional or physical hardship that you have that you
19 think the Court needs to be aware of, that's the only
20 time I really want to hear from you other than if you
21 have a complaint and we need to address it.

22 Q. All right.

23 A. Yes, it was much longer. That has been my
24 longest trial and most time-consuming, I would say,
25 than any trial that we normally have, so.

1 Q. I was trying to make sure I covered
2 everything.

3 A. That's fine.

4 Q. If you feel like you have any --

5 A. No. I have been deposed twice and I have
6 been on the witness stand twice in my short tenure as
7 a jury administrator, so this is nothing.

8 Q. Okay. I just didn't want to make you feel
9 bad about this.

10 A. No. I've got nothing to hide. So tell the
11 truth and you don't have to think about what you're
12 going to lie about. Do not put that on the record.

13 Q. No. Is there anything else that you think
14 that would be relevant to this instant investigation,
15 basically, that you think should be brought forward?

16 A. Just in my personal opinion, I think the
17 trial went very smoothly. And it was an all-in effort
18 from the Marshal's Office to Judge -- Judge Fuller and
19 his staff and all working together to make sure that
20 this was, you know, done correctly; the jurors were,
21 you know, not in harm's way of any media or anything
22 like that, outside connections. You know, as far as
23 counsel on either side, you know, they -- they
24 respected the jurors and what was put before them of
25 no contact. I don't think the prosecutors would have

1 contacted any jurors any more than the defense counsel
2 would have done it. So -- and I don't think that the
3 jurors would have tried to initiate any type of
4 contact during the trial or after the trial.

5 Q. Now, the marshals in this case, some of them
6 were brought from outside this district.

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. Did you notice that any of the marshals had
9 any particular close relationship with the prosecutors
10 in this case?

11 A. No. In my personal opinion, they were just
12 as professional as anyone else. They -- they came --
13 their job was to oversee the jurors and be there for
14 them, and that's what they did. To my recollection, I
15 don't even recall anyone -- a marshal mingling with
16 anyone in the courtroom. Their concern was the
17 jurors.

18 MR. MULLINS: Okay. I have no further
19 questions. I appreciate your taking the time.

20 (The interview concluded at

21 2:26 p.m.)

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4 I, Mallory M. Johnson, Certified Court Reporter
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INTERVIEW OF PAMELA C. HARDING, taken before
Mallory M. Johnson, Certified Court Reporter and
Commissioner for the State of Alabama at Large, in the
Federal Courthouse, One Church Street, Montgomery,
Alabama, on Wednesday, December 10, 2008, commencing
at approximately 8:52 a.m.

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10 EXAMINATION

11 BY MR. MULLINS:

12 Q. Can you please state your name for the
13 record?

14 A. Pamela C. Harding, H-A-R-D-I-N-G.

15 Q. Ms. Harding, what is your current profession?

16 A. I'm retired. I'm a retired deputy marshal.
17 Well, I was actually a supervisor when I retired.

18 Q. All right. And how long were you with the
19 Marshal Service?

20 A. Over 32 years.

21 Q. And during that time, were you ever assigned
22 to the office in Montgomery, Alabama?

23 A. Yes, I was.

24 Q. Can you tell me basically how long you were
25 here and what you did here?

A. I have been in Montgomery -- I was in
Montgomery from 1980 until I retired this past year.

Q. What kind of positions have you held in this

1 office?

2 A. I was a deputy marshal. I was a court
3 security coordinator. And then I retired as a
4 supervisor.

5 Q. All right. And during that time, did you
6 have any occasion to be involved in the trial that I
7 will call U.S. versus Siegelman?

8 A. Yes, I did.

9 Q. Can you tell me generally what your role was
10 during that trial?

11 A. I supervised the deputies who were assigned
12 to the jury, a partially sequestered jury.

13 Q. And what does that mean by you supervise?

14 A. We had a -- I appointed a deputy as the
15 deputy in charge, but I oversaw the -- basically, the
16 entire trial..

17 Q. All right. So who was it that you appointed
18 as deputy in charge?

19 A. Mike Bates.

20 Q. And then when you did that, did you also then
21 become involved in the operational plan for the
22 security of the jury?

23 A. I approved -- Mike wrote the plan and I
24 approved it.

25 Q. Okay. Do you recall any of the elements of

1 the plan to tell me kind of how you secured the jury?

2 A. Well, it was planned that we would pick up
3 the jurors at an undisclosed location every day away
4 from the courthouse and bring them in together. And
5 at the end of the day, we would take them -- take them
6 back. And the entire time they were at the
7 courthouse, they were under our control. They did not
8 mingle with the general public, and they were kept
9 separate from everyone.

10 Q. All right. Did you actually attend the trial
11 of the Siegelman case?

12 A. I was in and out of the courtroom multiple
13 times a day. I didn't see any need to sit in there.

14 Q. The whole time.

15 A. No. I was actually -- in addition to running
16 the trial, I was actually -- I running the district at
17 the same time, too, normal operational duties.

18 Q. Can you tell me, as you can recall, how did
19 the marshals secure the jury when they were in the
20 courtroom? How many marshals were with the jury,
21 where did they sit, that kind of thing.

22 A. In the courtroom?

23 Q. Yes, ma'am.

24 A. This was -- the proceedings were held in the
25 special proceedings courtroom, what I call the special

1 proceedings courtroom. There were three -- most of
2 the time, there were three deputies assigned to the --
3 to the jury. And I left it up to Mike Bates as to how
4 they would give themselves relief and where they
5 positioned; but at the very least, there was one in
6 there at all times with the jury. And they sat -- it
7 was very close contact in there because of so many
8 participants, defense attorneys, U.S. attorneys,
9 support staff; but we kept one deputy sitting just
10 inside by the jury in the courtroom.

11 Q. And the jury, when they took breaks, what did
12 you do with them during the break times?

13 A. They were taken back to the -- see, I've been
14 retired; and all these terms, I blew them out of the
15 mind -- the jury room, which was right off of the
16 courtroom.

17 Q. And can you tell me how that happened, breaks
18 for the jury?

19 A. They were kept in the -- in the jury room off
20 of the courtroom except for lunch. And at lunch, we
21 had worked out a -- an agreement with the clerk's
22 office where it was a larger room. The jury room was
23 small. Because I think we had 12, plus four
24 alternates. I'm not sure of that. So for lunch, we
25 would take them downstairs in the clerk's office for a

1 secure location to feed them lunch.

2 Q. All right. Now, are you aware that there are
3 allegations in this case that at least a female juror
4 and maybe others passed notes to the U.S. Marshals,
5 who thereafter passed notes to the prosecution team?
6 Are you aware that there are allegations?

7 A. I'm aware of that allegation.

8 Q. When did you first hear that allegation?

9 A. This one was fairly recent. I mean, I don't
10 know. Last couple of months, maybe. I'm not even
11 sure of that.

12 Q. All right. So you didn't hear anything about
13 marshals passing notes during the trial?

14 A. No. No. And I was up there -- I tried to
15 make it a practice to be at the courtroom or at the
16 jury room during the majority of the breaks. So
17 except for when they were actually in the courtroom, I
18 was probably up there the majority of the time.

19 Q. All right. Did you have an occasion to bring
20 in marshals from outside the district during the
21 Siegelman trial?

22 A. Yes, we did.

23 Q. Can you tell me a little bit about that?

24 A. Well, we did not have the staff, the number
25 of people here in the district to accomplish the task

1 of handling a sequestered jury. So I believe we asked
2 for two -- two out of district deputies to assist us.
3 I believe it was two or three.

4 Q. Okay. And did they come in and help?

5 A. Yes, they did.

6 Q. And they were to help -- help take care of
7 the jury?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. Now, did those people -- were they under your
10 supervision when they were in your district?

11 A. Yes, they were. I -- they came for three
12 year -- a three-week rotation, the majority of them.
13 And I know I did the first briefing for the first
14 rotation, and I believe I did the rest of the
15 briefings.

16 Q. What kind of stuff did you say in your
17 briefings about the security of the jury?

18 A. They were given a package that Mike Bates had
19 prepared which described the -- why we were here,
20 about the trial, and had the sequestration order and
21 basically explained to them what our role was to be.

22 Q. During the time that you were overseeing the
23 Siegelman jury, did you hear any complaints from your
24 marshals or any other person that the jury was trying
25 to contact people on the outside or that people from

1 the outside were trying to contact the jury? You're
2 not sure --

3 A. Are you talking about the entire time of the
4 trial?

5 Q. Right. Before deliberations. Are you
6 talking about -- were you talking about the
7 deliberation time?

8 A. See. All of it starts -- at some point, it
9 all starts running in my head about was this during
10 the deliberation, was this during the actual trial.
11 And I'm not sure. There was one occasion -- or there
12 were two occasions that one of the jurors had
13 contacted a boyfriend or something, you know. And we
14 brought that -- I don't even remember how we learned
15 of it, but we took it to the Judge. He had the
16 defense attorneys there and the prosecution there.
17 And I think we, being the Marshal Service, sent
18 someone out to talk to the boyfriend, who was a major
19 or somebody out on Maxwell Air Force Base.

20 And I think it was more of I went -- she went to
21 a party and it was like, you know, I'm -- I'm on this
22 jury, that sort of -- you know, blowing --

23 Q. Right.

24 A. -- I'm somebody; I'm important.

25 Q. Right.

1 A. But there was -- after the interview was
2 conducted, there was found to be no -- you know, she
3 didn't say anything --

4 Q. About the trial.

5 A. -- she shouldn't have said. No, she didn't
6 say anything about the trial. It was just like, you
7 know, I'm -- I'm a juror.

8 Q. All right. Any other occasions you recall?

9 A. See, I -- for two years, I'm not sure if that
10 was -- there was another incident that involved a
11 party at Steve Feaga's house. And I don't know if --
12 I don't think these were the same incident, I don't
13 think. And it involved Steve's son. And when I say
14 at Steve's house -- and I may have that wrong. It may
15 just involve Steve's son. And it involved somebody
16 with the defense.

17 I can't -- I can't speak to that for certainty
18 about if it was just somebody from the defense or if
19 it was one of the jurors.

20 Q. Was that matter brought to the attention of
21 the Court?

22 A. It was. It was. And that was also -- and as
23 far as I can recall, he talked to the defense on that
24 one. Because every time were turned -- every time we
25 turned around, we had the defense attorneys up there

1 going over matters. I just can't say for certain
2 about that.

3 Q. All right. Do you remember any other types
4 of contacts with the jurors during the time you were
5 supervising?

6 A. No, not -- not of anything I can recall.

7 Q. Would it have been standard practice that if
8 a juror wanted to communicate with anyone, that the
9 marshals would take that information to the Judge?

10 A. Correct. Now, I was trying to think. There
11 was a -- we had a phone in the room where they ate
12 lunch down in the clerk's office where if they needed
13 to talk to their employers, you know. I don't -- I
14 think we -- I think we just had a standing order from
15 the Judge that that was okay for them to make phone
16 calls.

17 Q. All right. And was the marshal present when
18 they made phone calls in the room?

19 A. There was -- there would be a marshal in the
20 room, yes.

21 Q. Now, when they went to breaks, like, for
22 example, the restroom, were they allowed to be alone
23 at that time? Did they go where the public could have
24 seen them or met them?

25 A. No. There was a -- there was a men and

1 women's restroom outside the jury -- jury room that
2 the public did not have access to, as was down in the
3 clerk's office for their breakfast and lunch.

4 Q. Now, in the cases that you went to the --
5 either the jury room or the break room down in the
6 court clerk's office, did you ever hear the jurors
7 discussing the case or any individuals in the case?

8 A. They never discussed the case. I mean, it
9 got to the point where they were making jokes about
10 everybody. I mean, and I'm sure some of us were
11 included in it, but nothing -- nothing of any -- any
12 importance. They were -- there was never talk of the
13 case.

14 Q. Now, when they would make a joke about people
15 in the courtroom or what had occurred during the day,
16 did you pass those jokes along to any of the people in
17 the courtroom?

18 A. The Judge?

19 Q. Anyone. Did you every talk to anybody
20 outside the jury pool about those jokes?

21 A. No. No. When I say it was a joke, it was
22 just like Bill Baxley, his face is awful red today,
23 I mean, or something about a defense attorney,
24 something like that, or so-and-so sure got upset when
25 he didn't get his way. You know, it was something

1 like that.

2 Q. Right.

3 A. So no.

4 Q. So you didn't go in and, for example, tell
5 Mr. Baxley the jury saw today that you got upset --

6 A. No.

7 Q. -- anything like that?

8 A. No.

9 Q. Did you make any communications to any person
10 on the prosecution team about comments that were said
11 about them?

12 A. No.

13 Q. There are allegations in this case that some
14 of the jurors may have found one of the FBI agents
15 attractive in the case. Did you ever hear anybody say
16 anything like that in the jury room?

17 A. No.

18 Q. Do you have an opinion as to whether you
19 believe notes were passed between the jury and the
20 prosecution through the Marshal's office?

21 A. I do not believe that occurred.

22 Q. Why would you say that?

23 A. I know I didn't pass notes. And I know Mike
24 Bates. I've worked with him probably 20 years. I do
25 not believe that would have occurred. The majority of

1 the out of district deputies that were here, I did not
2 know them prior to their being here; but when I was
3 around them, they displayed totally professional
4 attitudes and demeanor. And I do not believe they
5 would have done that. Because they would -- everybody
6 realized the seriousness of this trial. And not that
7 we don't take all trials seriously, but we knew that
8 the public was watching this trial. And everybody, I
9 think, wanted to make sure it was done professionally.
10 And I believe it was.

11 Q. Now, is there any possibility -- I know the
12 courtroom was pretty tight. The prosecutors were
13 sitting next to the jury in the courtroom. Is there
14 any possibility that the jury exchanged notes with the
15 prosecutors directly, not through the marshals?

16 A. No, I don't believe. I don't believe that
17 could have happened.

18 Q. Why do you say that?

19 A. Well, first of all, the jury didn't come
20 in until the Judge -- the Judge was usually on the
21 bench before the jury came in. So that would mean
22 that the defense was there. Defense was there. I had
23 a deputy sitting right there by the -- by the jury
24 box. So I don't believe that could have been
25 possible.

1 Q. All right. You think it would have been
2 observed?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. Do you have any social relationships with any
5 of the individuals in the U.S. Attorney's office?

6 A. Quite a few. I mean socially as I've known
7 them for quite a few years, 20-something years
8 probably, some of them. We've worked closely on other
9 cases; Debbie Shaw in particular. She and I -- when
10 I say ran the district, we ran the district because
11 she was my point of contact. If we had an arrest, I
12 would call her and I'd say, Joe Blow has been
13 arrested, you know, to give them a heads up. And
14 sometimes we were the last ones to get notification
15 from the court clerk's office that a hearing had been
16 set or a hearing had been canceled. So a lot of times
17 I would get together with her, hey, we got anything
18 tomorrow; is this -- is this hearing going to take
19 place tomorrow. And she would do the same with me.
20 She would give me a heads up that this is not -- you
21 know, this hearing is off.

22 Q. All right.

23 A. Quite often we would show up in the courtroom
24 and we'd be the only persons here. Oh, we forgot to
25 tell you. Well, we've got the defendant, I mean, you

1 know. But anyway.

2 Q. Did you ever have any contact with her
3 outside the professional office relationship?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. Okay. And would you describe your
6 relationship as close personal friends?

7 A. We were close in that we did not socialize,
8 do not socialize in each other's homes, but go out
9 after work for a drink or, you know, if there was a
10 social occasion, we would go out and do things such as
11 that, yes.

12 Q. All right. Is there anyone else on the
13 prosecution team that you would describe with a
14 relationship as other than just casual?

15 A. I -- I knew and do know quite a few of them.
16 I consider Louis a personal friend. And if I --

17 Q. Louis Franklin?

18 A. Louis Franklin.

19 Q. Who at that time was the criminal chief?

20 A. He was the acting U.S. Attorney for this
21 case.

22 Q. Right.

23 A. And here again, if it was usually if we went
24 out, if a group went out, it was -- you know, he would
25 be included in that group.

1 Q. All right. Anyone else?

2 A. I mean, you know, like I said, if we went
3 out, there was usually a group of them. And I knew
4 them professionally through working, working with them
5 every day. Then, like I say, if we went out for a
6 drink after work, usually, you know, sometimes J.B.
7 would be there, J.B. Perrine. There's some in civil
8 that had been there forever. Rand Neeley. The guy
9 that just retired. I mean, there's quite a few of
10 them.

11 Q. Right.

12 A. Quite a few. Especially the criminal, the
13 people in the criminal attorneys. Those are the ones
14 I dealt with the most.

15 Q. The criminal division has more contact with
16 the Marshal's Office?

17 A. Correct.

18 Q. Did you know Tammy Grimes from the U.S.
19 Attorney's Office?

20 A. I did not. I would like to see what she
21 looks like, to tell you the truth. I don't know if
22 she's black, white, green, yellow, or blue.

23 Q. Okay. Can you tell me -- you had -- you
24 mentioned some relationship with the prosecutors.
25 There's allegations that notes were passed by the

1 marshals to the prosecutors. What could you tell me
2 that would tend to indicate that you wouldn't have
3 used your friendship on behalf of the prosecutors to
4 give them an advantage in the trial?

5 A. Like I say, I -- I worked with the Marshal
6 Service for over 32 years. I know what's right and
7 wrong. And I know that that would be something that
8 you do not do, friendship or no friendship. And I
9 didn't feel like they needed the help, to tell you the
10 truth.

11 Q. Now, did you know the individuals that were
12 on the defense team at all?

13 A. I knew some of them from past times in
14 court. There were some I did not know that were from
15 out of -- from outside the Middle District of Alabama,
16 but we all became -- in a way, we all became
17 acquainted with each other over the course of the
18 trial. I knew Bill Baxley. Vince Kilbourne was not
19 from here. Deen, D-E-E-N, was not from here. And Art
20 Leech was from Atlanta.

21 And let me say, when I would be in the courtroom,
22 I would speak to everybody, whether they be defense
23 attorneys, U.S. Attorney staff, you know, and the
24 defendants.

25 Q. Did you ever communicate anything about the

1 jury to anyone else in the courtroom or outside the
2 courtroom?

3 A. No.

4 Q. Do you believe your marshals that worked on
5 your detail, that any of them, do you think,
6 communicate anything they heard within the jury room
7 to individuals outside the jury?

8 A. No, I do not.

9 Q. Is there anything else you think that I need
10 to know about this investigation that would be
11 helpful?

12 A. No. I -- I truly think it's -- that this
13 investigation needs to end. This has been ongoing.
14 And it probably won't end until the Supreme Court
15 rules in this case. It's like I -- I told my husband,
16 I said, I feel like I've lived this case at least
17 three different times. It was an unbelievable
18 experience.

19 Q. Did you watch the entire trial of the
20 matter? Do you believe it was tried fairly by the
21 Court?

22 A. Yes, I do. Like I said earlier, I believe
23 Judge Fuller gave the defense a great deal of
24 latitude. And that's my opinion. I'm not an
25 attorney.

1 Q. Sure.

2 A. But I truly believe it was fairly tried.

3 Q. Do you believe anyone tampered with or
4 attempted to tamper with the jury during this trial?

5 A. No. I will say this. We -- there were three
6 jurors, I think, that the Court -- the Court had said
7 if the jurors lived a certain distance away from
8 Montgomery, they could say during the week in a hotel
9 of our choosing, not under sequestration but, you
10 know. The first hotel we had them in, the next day
11 they came talking about defense lawyers down at happy
12 hour. So we moved them that particular day. So
13 it's -- you know, what went on at night, I don't know,
14 because we had no control over them.

15 Q. But you had no reports that any of the
16 prosecutors had attempted to contact them at night?

17 A. No. No, no.

18 Q. And even the report about the defense
19 attorneys, it wasn't that they were trying to contact
20 them, but just they were present?

21 A. Just that they were there. To prevent
22 anything that might look suspicious or whatever, we
23 just -- we took it upon ourselves to move the jurors.
24 And I -- I -- I'm sure we talked to Judge Fuller about
25 it before we did it, but we did.

1 MR. MULLINS: All right. I appreciate it.
2 That's all I have.

3 THE WITNESS: All right.

4 MR. MULLINS: Thank you very much.

5 (The interview concluded at
6 9:17 a.m.)

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