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3 4	WENDY B. DOLIN, Individually and as ) Independent Executor of the Estate of ) STEWART DOLIN, deceased,		
5	Plaintiffs,		
6	VS.		No. 12 CV 6403
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1 (Proceedings heard in open court. Jury in.)

THE COURT: Thank you very much, ladies and gentlemen. Please be seated. We'll resume.

You may proceed.

MR. BAYMAN: Thank you, your Honor.

MICHAEL LOVALLO, PLAINTIFF'S WITNESS, PREVIOUSLY SWORN

CROSS-EXAMINATION (Resumed)

### 8 BY MR. BAYMAN:

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- 9 Q. Mr. Lovallo, just a few more questions. Before we left
- 10 | for the lunch break, we were talking about Mr. Dolin's
- 11 performance in 2010. I'm handing you what's been marked as
- 12 Defendant's Exhibit 3039. And you're familiar with documents
- 13 like this, correct?
- 14 **| A**. Yes.
- 15 Q. These are, I guess the first page of the document says
- 16 | CRL-S, attorney statistics, correct?
- 17 **A**. Yes.
- 18 Q. And these are documents that are generated by Reed Smith
- 19 in the ordinary course of business, correct?
- 20 A. Yes.
- 21 | Q. And this is -- these are a series of documents that give
- 22 | certain statistics or data on Mr. Dolin in 2010 including his
- 23 | revenue, his billings, his billable hours, things like that,
- 24 | correct?
- 25 A. Yes.

- MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, I would at this time move to publish Defendant's Exhibit 3039 and to admit it into evidence.
  - MR. RAPOPORT: No objection.
- 4 THE COURT: It may be received.
- 5 | (Defendant's Exhibit 3039 received in evidence.)
- 6 MR. BAYMAN: Can you put that up, Mr. Holtzen?
- 7 ∥ BY MR. BAYMAN:

- 8  $\blacksquare$  Q. I'm not going to -- this has a lot of data in it, and I'm
- 9 | not going to get into it, but we were talking about the fact
- 10 that in 2010, Mr. Dolin had revenues that he did not originate
- 11 | that were attributable to him because he was the client
- 12 | relationship lawyer, correct?
- 13 A. Attributable to his work, to his personal labor?
- 14  $\mathbb{Q}$ . No, no, no, to his -- in terms of his credit for revenue.
- 15 There was revenue in 2010, significant revenue in 2010 on
- 16 matters in which Mr. Dolin was not the originator nor was he
- 17 doing any work on the matters, correct?
- 18 A. I think we were talking about 2009.
- 19  $\mathbf{Q}$ . We were, but I also am asking you about with respect to
- 20 | 2010.
- 21 A. Let me look at the numbers.
- 22 Q. Sure.
- 23 A. Yes, there is a difference between his CRL number and his
- 24 MOA number.
- 25 | Q. And so that we're clear, what that means is there were

- 1  $\parallel$  clients that he was the relationship partner, but the work for
- 2 | those clients had been originated by someone else and was
- 3 being done by someone else, correct?
- 4 A. Again, I'd have to look at what's all beneath these
- 5 ∥ numbers, but based on these relationships unlike the 2009
- 6 ∥ differential, probably a lot of this was shared origination
- 7 where he was the CRL but the MOA origination would have been
- 8 | shared, meaning that there may be some where he received no
- 9 | origination, but from the looks of this, there could be many
- 10 | matters that were shared but he didn't receive 100 percent of
- 11 MOA. Again, CRL is one person, one designation, so that's
- 12 | always 100 percent.
- 13 | Q. But if we look at his work and timekeeper statistics, we
- 14 know that he was not, certainly on his own time, wasn't
- 15 working on enough matter -- enough matters to generate the
- 16 revenue that are reflected on his CRL, correct?
- 17 A. Well, no. When you're, to quote somebody here, rainmaker,
- 18 | by definition, you're not doing a lot of the work on the
- 19 | matters you bring in. I mean, you know, most of us who have a
- 20 | substantial amount of business have other people very much
- 21 contributing to our original -- our origination number because
- 22 | they're on our teams and they work with us.
- 23 | Q. His revenue was up in 2010 but his personal productivity
- 24 was not, correct?
- 25  $\blacksquare$  A. Compared to 2009 annualized, I think it was somewhat up.

- 1 Q. Well, but 2009 was 733 hours, correct?
- $2 \mid A$ . Oh, in hours?
- 3 | Q. Yes, sir.
- 4 A. 733 hours, yes.
- 5 MR. BAYMAN: Right. And if you look under -- could
- 6 you pull up the working timekeeper statistics page? Can you
- 7 pull that up, Mr. Holtzen? It's the last page of the document.
- 8 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 9 Q. Do you see "billable hours worked"?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. And that says 489.20?
- 12 A. Right. And that would have obviously been for a partial
- 13 | year.
- 14 Q. Right. Would have been through June and then a little bit
- 15 | in July, correct?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 | Q. And that would have not been on pace to bill 1400 hours
- 18 for the year, correct, annualized?
- 19 **A**. No.
- 20 Q. And with respect to -- you'll need your glasses for this
- 21 one. I'm handing you now what's been marked as defense
- 22 | Exhibit 6281, and it's a document entitled "Timekeeper
- 23 statistics." You're familiar with documents like this,
- 24 | correct?
- 25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. And these are generated by Reed Smith in the ordinary
- 2 | course of business, correct?
- 3 A. Yes.
- 4 MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, at this time, we'd move for
- 5 admission of defense Exhibit 6281 and permission to publish it.
- 6 MR. RAPOPORT: No objection to either.
- 7 THE COURT: You may proceed.
- 8 MR. BAYMAN: Thank you, your Honor.
- 9 (Defendant's Exhibit 6281 received in evidence.)
- 10 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 11 Q. Now, the print is very small here, and so we're going to
- 12 show -- the document has been redacted to remove other
- 13 | timekeepers at Reed Smith, correct?
- 14 **| A**. Uh-huh.
- 15 Q. But we have Mr. Dolin's line, correct?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 MR. BAYMAN: Can you blow that up a little?
- 18 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 19 | Q. This shows a number of different metrics including
- 20 | billable hours per month, correct, this document?
- 21 **A**. For February 2010.
- 22 Q. Okay. That's the first one.
- 23 A. Okay.
- 24 | Q. And that also includes January, does it not?
- 25 A. In the year-to-date column.

- 1 Q. Yes. And then you have -- you have a number, again, if
- 2 | you look through to just the Stewart Dolin, you have numbers
- 3 | for March and April, May and June?
- 4 Why don't you show March.
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 | Q. So we know that through, year-to-date through February, he
- 7 | billed 75 hours, correct?
- 8 A. Hold on. I don't think that's right.
- 9 Q. I'm sorry. 75 hours in February.
- 10 **A**. In February.
- 11 | Q. And he billed 49 hours in January if we look at
- 12 | year-to-date, correct?
- 13 A. Hold on. No, go back. Actual, 124. Yes.
- 14 ∥ Q. And then in March, it would be 156 hours, that was a
- 15 relatively busy month, correct?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 | Q. And back -- and then he was back down to 71 hours in
- 18 | April, correct?
- 19 **A**. Yes.
- 20 Q. And then back down to 51 hours in May, correct?
- 21 A. Yes.
- 22 | Q. And then 58 hours in the month of June, correct?
- 23 A. Yes. I'm pretty -- it's fuzzy, but I think that's an 8.
- 24 | Q. I've done a chart, Mr. Lovallo, just as -- because those
- 25 | numbers are indeed fuzzy. Do you see that?

- 1 **A**. I do.
- 2 | Q. And so that's where we get the 460 hours, correct, that he
- 3 | billed through June?
- 4 A. Yes.
- $5 \parallel Q$ . And if he maintained that pace, he was not on pace to bill
- 6 | 1400 hours, correct?
- 7 **A**. No.
- 8 **| Q**. And --
- 9 MR. RAPOPORT: Your Honor, forgive me. Can we get an
- 10 exhibit number on that last thing that was displayed to the
- 11 | jury both for our record and other purposes?
- 12 MR. BAYMAN: I'm sorry. Just for demonstrative
- 13 purposes, that was 6281.
- 14 MR. RAPOPORT: Thank you.
- 15 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 16 Q. Now, you talked some about bonuses for practice group
- 17 | leaders at Reed Smith for Mr. Rapoport, correct?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. You'll agree that bonuses are not guaranteed at Reed
- 20 | Smith, are they?
- 21 A. No.
- 22 | Q. And, in fact, the year that Mr. Dolin got his \$75,000
- 23 bonus for his performance in 2009, you'll agree that the range
- 24 was from 25,000 to 150,000 that year, correct?
- 25 A. It might have been more than that. In terms of the range

- 1 of all bonuses that were awarded?
- 2 | Q. For being a practice group leader, office managing partner.
- 3 A. I -- I don't recall.
- 4 MR. RAPOPORT: Your Honor, pardon my interruption,
- 5 but 6281 is not the summary chart that needed to be marked.
- 6 6281 was clearly marked in already and moved into evidence.
- 7 | Counsel showed the jury something else on a white sheet of
- 8 | paper not marked at all that needs a trial exhibit number.
- 9 MR. BAYMAN: All right. We'll put a number on it.
- 10 It's a demonstrative.
- 11 MR. RAPOPORT: Whatever it is.
- 12 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 13 Q. You're not in a position to assume that Mr. Dolin would
- 14 | have continued to receive a bonus as the practice group leader
- 15 of the corporate and securities group, are you?
- 16 A. I would never assume anything like that.
- 17 | Q. In fact, you wouldn't even assume that Mr. Dolin was going
- 18 to remain as a co-practice group leader, correct?
- 19 | A. I would not assume that.
- 20 | Q. And, in fact, after Mr. Dolin passed away, Mr. Jaskot
- 21 became the sole practice group leader of the corporate and
- 22 | securities group, correct?
- 23 A. Yes.
- 24 | Q. He did the job by himself, correct?
- 25 A. He did for -- yes. Well, he was the sole PGL. I'm sure

- 1 he had deputies or whatever. In fact, I know he had deputies.
- 2 Q. A new co-PG -- practice group leader wasn't appointed --
- 3 **A**. No.
- 4 | Q. -- after Mr. Dolin's death?
- 5 A. No.
- 6 | Q. Now, you talked earlier about Mr. Dolin's -- that Mr.
- 7 Dolin's band was reduced for 2010 meaning his compensation was
- 8 | reduced, correct?
- 9 ∥A. Yes.
- 10 Q. And, in fact, it was reduced from -- it was reduced by
- 11 | 135,000, from 990,000 to 855,000, correct?
- 12 **A**. Uh-huh.
- 13 Q. Is that right?
- 14 A. Yes, I think so.
- 15  $\blacksquare$  Q. Do you need -- would you like to refer to a document to
- 16 | confirm that?
- 17 | A. I will -- if you give me a document, I'll be able to
- 18 confirm that.
- 19 | Q. I'm handing you what's been marked as defense Exhibit
- 20 | 3129. You're familiar with these kinds of documents, correct?
- 21 | A. I am. This is for 2008.
- 22 | Q. And it is the -- it is the -- if you look at -- well, it's
- 23 called an equity partner pro forma, correct?
- 24 A. Yes.
- 25 | Q. And this lists the various bands of partner, equity

- 1 partners as well as what the budgeted compensation was to be,
- 2 | correct?
- 3 A. Yes. The change from 2007 to 2008.
- 4 Q. Yes. I -- go ahead.
- $5 \mid A$ . Now, when I say I'm familiar, this is sorted by practice
- 6 group, you know. What I would -- what I would see if there
- 7 ∥ was a sort for me, it would be by the office, but it's similar.
- 8 | Q. But Reed Smith generates these for the various practice
- 9 groups, correct?
- 10 **| A**. Yes, yes.
- 11 MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, at this time, I would move
- 12 for admission of defense Exhibit 3129 and ask permission to
- 13 | publish.
- 14 MR. RAPOPORT: Your Honor, I object because there's
- 15 been no showing that this is the correct timeframe.
- 16 MR. BAYMAN: Well, I've tabbed Page 19, and I was
- 17 | just going to take him to that, your Honor, which shows 2009
- 18 **I** and 2010.
- 19 MR. RAPOPORT: Your Honor, counsel is testifying now.
- 20 | He needs to lay the foundation through the witness, and it
- 21 | hasn't been done to this point.
- 22 THE COURT: All right. You may inquire of the witness.
- 23 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 24 | Q. Sure. Turn, if you would, to the page I tabbed, Mr.
- 25 | Lovallo. I'm not trying to be tricky here.

- 1 MR. RAPOPORT: Objection, your Honor. It should just
- 2 be questions.
- 3 THE COURT: Proceed.
- 4 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 5 | Q. Page 19.
- 6 | A. Uh-huh.
- 7 | Q. Do you see that? It says, does it not, at the top, "2009
- 8 | budget comp, "and then there's a column for 2010 budget comp,
- 9 | and then there's a column for bonus and a bonus explanation;
- 10 is that correct?
- 11 **A**. Uh-huh.
- 12 Q. So this would -- based on your experience as a partner at
- 13 Reed Smith and the managing partner of the Chicago office,
- 14 | this document reflects what Mr. Dolin's budgeted compensation
- 15 | would be for 2010 as compared to 2009, correct?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, now may I --
- 18 THE COURT: Yes.
- 19 MR. BAYMAN: -- have permission --
- 20 MR. RAPOPORT: No objection.
- 21 THE COURT: Just put the question. Let's not --
- 22 MR. BAYMAN: Okay. Let's put that page up, Roger,
- 23 please, Page 19.
- 24 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 25 | Q. And you said it would be helpful to look at a document and

compare. This shows, does it not, that in 2009 his budgeted 1 2 compensation was 990,000; for 2010, it was reduced by 135,000 3 which yields 855,000, correct? 4 A. Uh-huh. 5 Thank you. And you mentioned before we took a break that Q. 6 after an equity partner passes away, the partner's beneficiary 7 receives 36-month payments each in the amount of 3-1/3 percent 8 of the budgeted compensation allocated to that partner at the 9 time of his death? 10 MR. RAPOPORT: Objection, your Honor. That's 11 collateral source. 12 THE COURT: Pardon me? 13 MR. RAPOPORT: Objection, collateral source. 14 MR. BAYMAN: I don't think it is, your Honor. It's 15 compensation from the law firm. 16 THE COURT: Let's go to the sidebar. 17 (Proceedings heard at sidebar:) 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

(Proceedings heard in open court:) THE COURT: The objection is sustained to the last question. The reference will be struck. You may proceed, sir. MR. BAYMAN: Thank you, your Honor. BY MR. BAYMAN: Q. One last area, Mr. Lovallo. We had talked about the events of Mr. Dolin's last week, particularly with respect to Standard Parking and Miniat. You recall that, correct? A. Yes.

MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, I neglected to move for admission of Exhibit 3064-B which was Mr. Lovallo's email to Mr. Gallatin that the jury saw prior to the break, and I would just move for its admission. I'm not going to go back over it.

THE COURT: All right.

MR. RAPOPORT: No objection.

(Defendant's Exhibit 3064-B received in evidence.)

### BY MR. BAYMAN:

- 9 Q. At any time during the years you knew Stewart Dolin, did
- 10 he ever relay to you that he was ever experiencing anxiety?
- 11 A. No.

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- 12  $\mathbf{Q}$ . Did he ever relay to you that he was having feelings of
- 13 | depression?
- 14 A. No.
- 15  $\mathbb{Q}$ . And he never told you that he had ever sought any
- 16 | treatment from a mental health professional, correct?
- 17 A. I believe that is correct.
- 18 **| Q. A**nd --
- 19 THE COURT: I think that was covered.

## 20 BY MR. BAYMAN:

- 21 | Q. On direct examination, you talked -- we talked about the
- 22 | events of the last week, and what I wanted to ask you is if he
- 23 | shared feelings of anxiety or insecurities with others either
- 24 | before Saturday, July 10, 2010, or during the final week of
- 25 | his life, he certainly didn't share them with you, correct?

- A. Nothing notable. I mean, we were friends, you know. We shared some aspects of our lives. There was nothing particular.
- $3 \mid Q$ . And if he shared feelings of losing a client or worries
- 4 about keeping a client the evening of Wednesday, July 14th,
- 5 with someone such as a therapy -- therapist, he did not share
- 6 | those feelings with you on Thursday morning when you met with
- 7 | him, correct?
- 8 A. No.
- 9 MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, I have no further questions.
- 10 THE COURT: Any redirect?
- 11 MR. RAPOPORT: There is some redirect, your Honor.
- 12 | Thank you.
- 13 THE COURT: All right.
- MR. RAPOPORT: To begin my redirect, your Honor, I
- 15 | will need the exhibit that doesn't have a number on it.
- 16 MR. BAYMAN: We've marked this demonstrative as
- 17 defense Exhibit 7034.
- 18 MR. RAPOPORT: Thank you. I'm going to try to get
- 19 the -- can you help me get the Elmo working?
- 20 MR. WISNER: It's up.
- 21 REDIRECT EXAMINATION
- 22 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 23 | Q. Do you still have the various exhibits that you were
- 24 | handed up during that cross-examination nearby?
- 25 | A. Yes, I do.

- 1  $\blacksquare$  Q. Okay. What I'd like to do is have you turn to 3039, the
- 2 one that looks like this.
- 3 Great. Do you have it in your hand there?
- 4 | A. I do.
- 5 | Q. And let's turn in 3039 to the last page. They're
- 6 | two-sided, but it's really the second-to-the-last page. Do
- 7 | you see that one?
- 8 | A. December 10, Page 1 of 2?
- 9 Q. Yes. Now, this is the page where the statistics for the
- 10 | total year billable hours was drawn from, right?
- 11 A. Yes, for working attorney, working timekeeper.
- 12 | Q. For working timekeeper. And working timekeeper that we're
- 13 | looking at here is Stu Dolin?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 | Q. Now, also on here we have the non-billable hours that
- 16 **Mr.** Dolin worked in the same timeframe just a few lines down,
- 17 **|** don't we?
- 18 **A**. Yes.
- 19 Q. Is that 706?
- 20 A. Yes.
- 21 | Q. All right. So to get the billable hours and the
- 22 | non-billable hour total, we would add the figure 706 more
- 23 | hours, would we not?
- 24 A. Yes.
- 25 | Q. And if we wanted -- so that, one way to do that would be

- 1 | to write on here. I'm not going to ruin the exhibit, but we
- 2 could add a column to this and show how much the man was
- 3 working, both billable and non-billable, if we wanted to,
- 4 | couldn't we?
- 5 **A**. Yes.
- 6 | Q. And if we did that, we would be adding 460 and 706 to
- 7 get --
- 8 **A**. I think 489.2.
- 9 Q. Okay. So the actual numbers working is a little bit
- 10 higher than what they put on the exhibit here?
- 11 A. The number I see for billable hours worked is 489.20.
- MR. BAYMAN: Objection, your Honor. We pointed out
- 13 there were hours in July. This is for six months.
- 14 THE WITNESS: Oh, okay. December -- I'm reading
- 15 December '10 which you asked me to do.
- 16 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 17 | Q. Okay. That's okay. I'm not so much focused on the
- 18 difference between 489 and 460 as I am on leaving out all of
- 19 the non-billable work that the guy was doing. So when we take
- 20 | into account the non-billable work and the billable work that
- 21 | is documented on this record, defense Exhibit 3039, it is fair
- 22 | to conclude that Stewart was working very long hours the
- 23 entire year that he died, wouldn't you say?
- 24 A. He was working a full complement of workload. It was a
- 25 | full workload for an equity partner.

- 1 Q. There is no indication in the records that you have seen
- 2 | that Stu Dolin ever missed a single day of work because of any
- 3 | mental health condition, isn't that a fact?
- 4 | A. I am not aware of any day that Stewart would have missed
- 5 because of -- that he was in, whenever. You know, he was in
- 6 except if he was on vacation, he was in.
- 7 | Q. Would you agree with me that it would be an inaccurate
- 8 characterization to suggest that Stu Dolin was working
- 9 | part-time?
- 10 MR. BAYMAN: Object to the leading, your Honor, and
- 11 mischaracterizes the question.
- 12 THE COURT: You may answer.
- 13 You may answer.
- 14 THE WITNESS: Say it again, please. I'm sorry.
- 15 THE COURT: Read it back. -- why don't you rephrase
- 16 | it.
- 17 MR. RAPOPORT: Yes, I'll be happy to.
- 18 THE COURT: Why don't you just ask him directly.
- 19 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 20 | Q. Yes, absolutely. So it's crystal clear that the man was
- 21 | working full-time and not part-time?
- 22 A. Yes, he was working full-time.
- 23 | Q. One of the questions you were asked had to do with looking
- 24 | at the police report and whether that refreshed your
- 25 recollection about the conversation with the police. Do you

- 1 | remember those questions?
- 2 **A**. I do.
- 3 Q. And I want to call your attention to the same portion of
- 4 the report that your attention was called to before, which was
- 5 on Page 7, the third paragraph from the bottom.
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 | Q. Does that refresh your recollection about certain things
- 8 | that were discussed in the conversation with the police
- 9 officer that nobody's asked you about yet today?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 | Q. Please tell the jury about those.
- 12 A. May I read the pertinent sentence, the sentence that, you
- 13 | know, "Michael" --
- 14 MR. BAYMAN: He's reading now. He's reading now.
- 15 | It's not refreshing his recollection.
- 16 THE COURT: Yes, you have to refresh your
- 17 | recollection. You know we have these procedures, sir. You've
- 18 got to tell us what you remember after you refresh your
- 19 recollection.
- 20 THE WITNESS: I recall saying -- yes, my recollection
- 21 has been refreshed, but I think I would recall this without
- 22 | this paper, that I pointed out the things, the client-related,
- 23 practice-related matters that were causing stress and said
- 24 | that -- but that it was nothing that Stewart should have taken
- 25 | his life over.

- 1 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 2 | Q. Thank you, sir. Now, you were asked a lot of questions
- 3 about numbers, and I want to ask a few more that hopefully
- 4 | will cut to the bottom line here. Do you have the exhibits
- 5 before you with different numbers in them so we can move
- 6 | through this very quickly?
- 7 | A. I do. Just tell me which one.
- 8 Q. Great. So let's start with Plaintiff's 24, which is the
- 9 | thing with Stewart's picture on it. All right. Now, as -- I
- 10 guess before we go through this, keep it in hand, I want to
- 11 get a couple of other facts down.
- 12 THE COURT: Take this off the screen, sir.
- 13 MR. RAPOPORT: Oh, yes. Sure.
- 14 ∥ BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 15 | Q. So you mentioned something about layoffs since Mr. Dolin
- 16 died. You were asked in particular about 2016. Have there
- 17 | been any layoffs since Mr. Dolin died where equity partners
- 18 | were laid off from Reed Smith?
- 19 **A**. I do not think so.
- 20 | Q. And in general terms without meaningful detail at all, how
- 21 | have economic conditions been compared to, say, 2009?
- 22 | A. They've been steadily improving. They probably, you know,
- 23 got to the good level of improvement by 2011 and since then,
- 24 | things have been steady to positive.
- 25 Q. All right. If Mr. Dolin was still with us and had his

- 1 | health otherwise, do you have any reason to believe that he
- 2 would no longer be at Reed Smith at this point for any reason?
- 3 A. No reason at all.
- $4 \parallel Q$ . All right. Now, I want to come back to these numbers and
- 5 | understand what we can learn from them about his earnings and
- 6 ∥ also the situation if he hadn't died. So a starting point is
- 7 | his 2009 actual compensation without bonus, correct?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. And that, the jury has already heard, is \$1,089,000,
- 10 | agreed?
- 11 A. Again, are you referring to 2009?
- 12 | Q. Yes, 2009 actual compensation because I want to get us
- 13 | started, and I want to try to get these numbers straight if we
- 14 ∥ can. So to calculate the total earnings for 2009, we would
- 15 | add to that another \$75,000 for the bonus, agreed?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 | Q. All right. Then in getting at the 2010 compensation, both
- 18 the partial year that he worked and if he hadn't been killed
- 19 and we just assumed he worked a full year, his band adjustment
- 20 | would have accounted for him receiving budgeted compensation
- 21 | of \$855,000, right?
- 22 MR. BAYMAN: Objection to the characterization, your
- 23 | Honor, "getting killed."
- 24 MR. RAPOPORT: Well, "died."
- 25 THE COURT: Proceed, please.

- 1 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 2 | Q. So in any event, because of the band adjustment, if he had
- 3 been alive in order for this kind of review process to occur
- 4 | for 2010, his budgeted payments would have been 855, correct?
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 | Q. And that means he would have drawn that out more or less
- 7 | in pay that was paid out in the year?
- 8 A. Or shortly thereafter the end of the year.
- 9 Q. Okay. Then the discussion at that point would have been
- 10 both about bonus, but also there would have been a
- 12 profitable in 2010 --
- 13 A. Yes.
- 14 | Q. -- right?
- 15 And so is it a reasonable --
- 16 MR. BAYMAN: Objection to leading, your Honor.
- 17 | THE COURT: Proceed.
- 18 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 19 | Q. Is it a reasonable calculation in order to take into
- 20 | account the band adjustment to take Mr. Dolin's 2009 total
- 21 | earnings and subtract 10 percent from it for the band
- 22 | adjustment and call that a reasonable or conservative estimate
- 23 of what he would have or could have made at Reed Smith if he
- 24 | had lived?
- 25 MR. BAYMAN: Objection, your Honor. This is now

- calling for an expert opinion and for speculation. This is beyond the scope of the witness's expertise.
- THE COURT: I think it's within the range of this witness to say if he can.
- THE WITNESS: Yes. Let me -- I think it's simpler than that.
- 7 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 8 | Q. Okay.
- A. If he had lived for the entire year, his compensation
  would have been 855 plus or minus our variance to budget. We
  were over budget that year because, you know, we're over
  budget most years. I don't remember by what percentage we
  were over budget that year, probably somewhere between 5 and
  10 percent. And then the -- and the bonus then, if any, would
  have been added to that. And, in fact, there was a bonus
- 17 THE COURT: Keep your voice up, sir.

postmortem that was awarded in this case.

- 18 THE WITNESS: Yes.
- 19 BY MR. RAPOPORT:

- Q. So are the -- we have fairly stable earnings, looking back in retrospect at the five years that we have here. Would averaging them as an estimate for what 2010 would have been delivered be a reasonable approach?
- 24 MR. BAYMAN: Objection, your Honor. This calls for 25 speculation as to what the performance --

1 THE COURT: Overruled.

2 MR. BAYMAN: -- would have been in 2010.

THE COURT: Overruled.

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A. It's one approach. The reality is, I think -- I know that you can know with certainty but for perhaps some difference in

7 the bonus had he lived the entire year exactly what he would

8 have earned because we now know what the 2010 results were

9 compared to budget. It's a direct calculation.

#### 10 ■ BY MR. RAPOPORT:

11 | Q. So please give us your best figure that you can.

12 MR. BAYMAN: Same objection.

13 THE COURT: Overruled.

#### 14 BY THE WITNESS:

A. Well, trying to unpack this 949,050 number from this exhibit and deducting what I think are some payments pursuant to the partnership agreement which I think would be, in my calculation, 147,500, his, you know, payment for the seven months, 7/12 of the year for 2010 would be then \$800,000.

Now, I don't know whether one should annualize that or not but, you know, I think, you know, it gives some framework. I think he would have, you know, in 2010, base --well, he did receive a bonus actually, would have received that, and then 2011 would have been a new determination.

MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, now he's speculating for

1 future years, 2011, which is that speculation because 2 compensation gets renewed at the end of the year. 3 THE COURT: We have actual numbers, I guess, for 2011. THE WITNESS: No, we can't. We can't --4 THE COURT: No? 5 MR. BAYMAN: 6 No. 7 MR. RAPOPORT: So he knows more than anybody --8 THE WITNESS: All I said is that it would have been 9 reviewed naturally in the next term. Every year, we're 10 reviewed. 11 THE COURT: There are no numbers for 2011? 12 MR. RAPOPORT: Well, it's not a question of no 13 numbers. There are future damages, and so this is the 14 evidence --15 THE COURT: I understand that, sir, but are there --16 is there data that shows what happened in 2011? 17 MR. RAPOPORT: Oh, I understand your question. I 18 don't think that's been within the scope of --19 THE COURT: That's not -- there's no data in the 20 record to show that. Proceed. BY MR. RAPOPORT: 21 22 Q. Yes. So you are -- so I think what I'd like you to do, 23 I'm not sure that we finalized 2010. Let's just stay there 24 for the moment, which is, what is your best estimate about 25 what his earnings would have been in 2010 taking everything

- 1 into account that you know. I heard you mention 800 for seven
- 2 months.
- 3 A. Well, you would take the 855. You would add the 5 or 10
- 4 percent overrun, whatever we had. So, you know, we'll make it
- 5 | 925 for that. You would take 7/12 of that, of 925. And then
- 6 ∥ we know at 100 for the bonus that he received, and beyond
- 7 | that, you know, we don't know. We don't know what the rest of
- 8 | the year would have been.
- 9 Q. So Mr. Dolin, based on his book of business and based on
- 10 his knowledge, training, experience, and expertise, was
- 11 | marketable in the legal profession both at Reed Smith and
- 12 | elsewhere, correct?
- 13 MR. BAYMAN: Object to leading, your Honor.
- 14 THE COURT: Well, it's kind of compound.
- 15 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 16 Q. Okay. Was Mr. Dolin -- you've already testified about his
- 17 | value at Reed Smith. Would he be valuable to others in the
- 18 | marketplace as well?
- 19 A. Yes.
- 20 | Q. And was his compensation over the last five, six years of
- 21 | his life a reasonable reflection of his value in that
- 22 | marketplace?
- 23 A. Yes.
- 24 | Q. Are you aware of any factors that would have decreased his
- 25 value in the marketplace in the years that have gone by since

- 1 | then?
- 2 A. No.
- 3 Q. Or, for that matter, what you expect to happen in the
- 4 years ahead?
- MR. BAYMAN: Objection. "What you expect to happen
- 6 | in the years ahead," your Honor, is speculative.
- 7 THE COURT: Yes. Sustained.
- 8 MR. BAYMAN: I ask the jury to disregard that.
- 9 THE COURT: Disregard it.
- 10 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 11 | Q. All right. And you were asked some questions about
- 12 pedigrees, and I want to return to that briefly. So first of
- 13 | all, how was Stewart Dolin's pedigree?
- 14 A. What do you mean?
- 15  $\mathbb{Q}$ . I thought the word "pedigree" was used, but credentialing.
- 16 So there were -- let me start again.
- 17 There were questions in the cross-examination asking
- 18 you about whether his lack of an Ivy League set of
- 19 qualifications makes any difference to anything. Let's start
- 20 with your view that your face expresses.
- 21 A. I'm sorry. Stewart graduated from the University of
- 22 | Illinois undergraduate, I think, in 1974. I think he
- 23 graduated --
- 24 THE COURT: We've been through all this now.
- MR. RAPOPORT: Yes. So --

- THE COURT: Let's not cover the same thing over and over again, gentlemen.
- MR. RAPOPORT: Okay. Let me see what else I've got here. Maybe we can wrap up.
- 5 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- Q. You were asked some questions about different work situations and what stress it may have caused. I just want you to compare and contrast briefly the stresses in 2009 that Mr. Dolin and you and your colleagues would have faced and compare that to the stresses that Mr. Dolin was facing in the immediate period before his death.
  - MR. BAYMAN: He's asking for speculation now about what Mr. Dolin faced in 2009 and how he reacted.
  - THE COURT: Well, it's beyond the scope of the cross-examination. This is redirect.
- 16 MR. RAPOPORT: All right.
- THE COURT: You must limit yourself to what you heard on cross.
- 19 BY MR. RAPOPORT:

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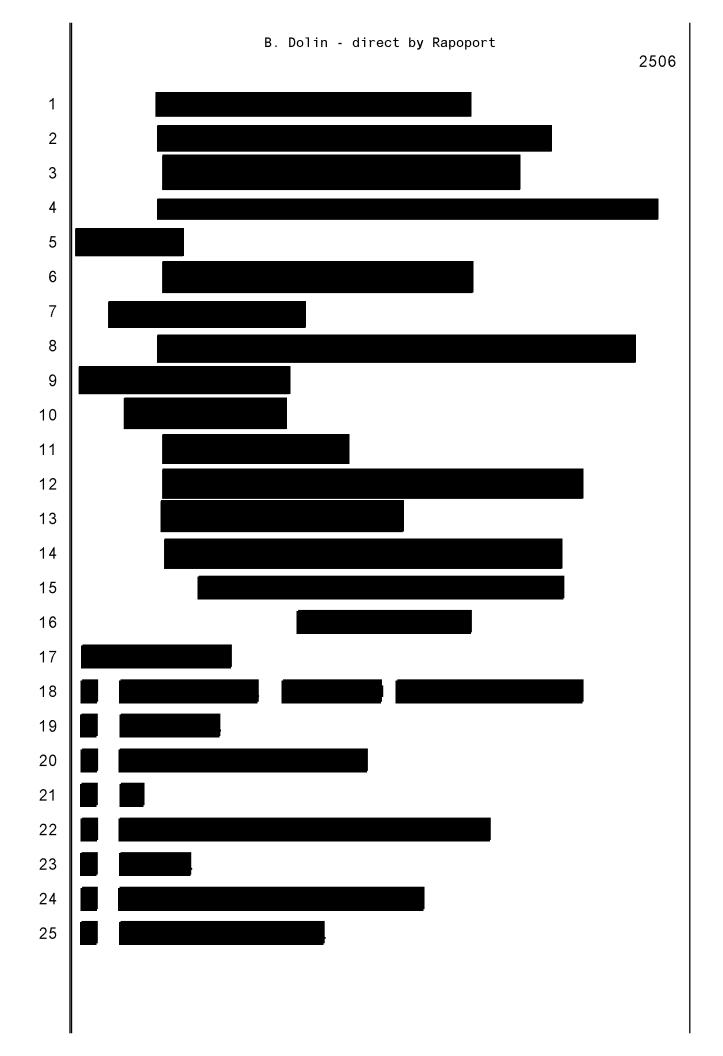
- Q. All right. Let me move forward to that email that contains two things with reference to one of the problems you told us about, what a nightmare and hanging on to the client by the fingernails. You won't need the specifics for this.

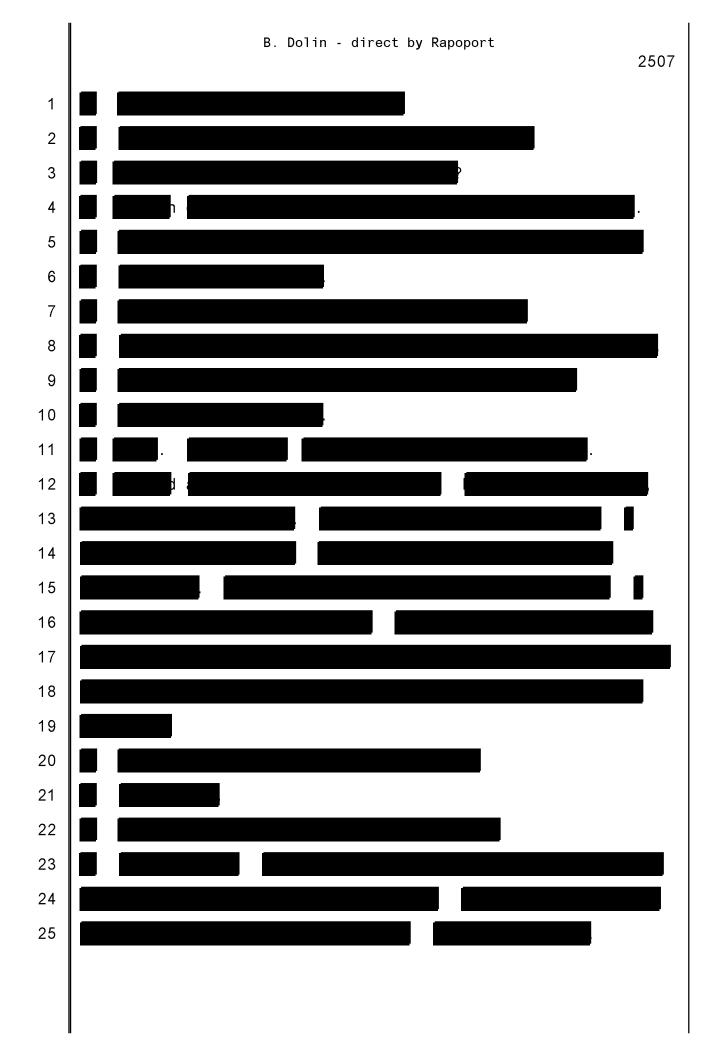
  So what -- did you discuss this language and this kind of
- 25 | terminology with Mr. Dolin?

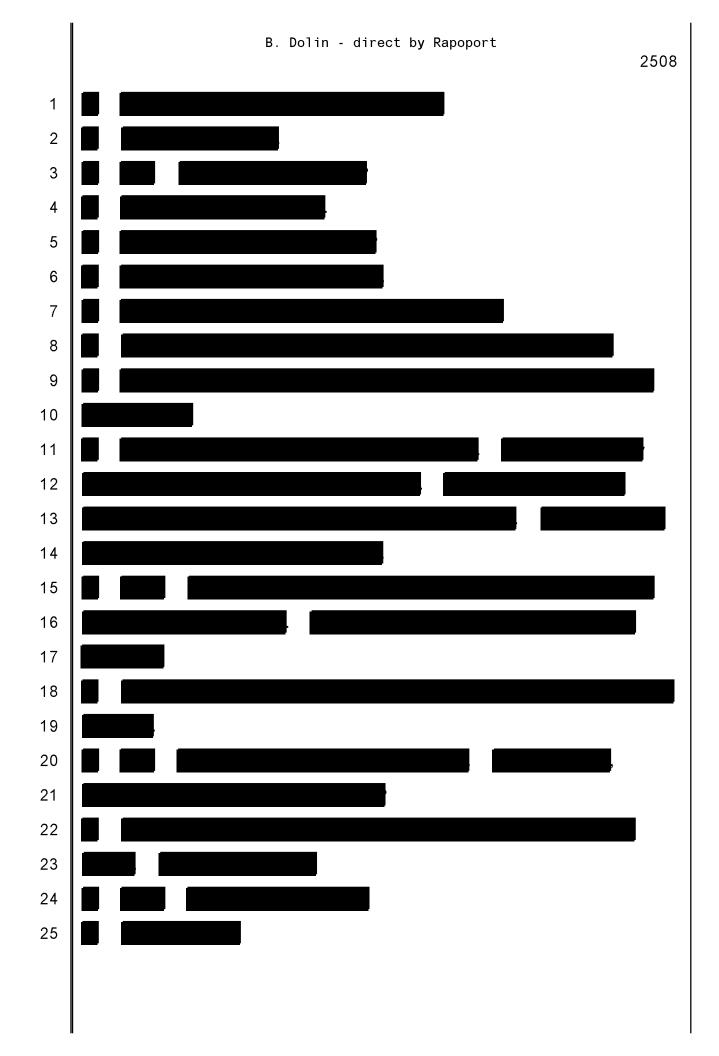
- 1 A. No.
- $2 \mid Q$ . Did you have an understanding of what it was that he was
- 3 | trying to communicate?
- 4 MR. BAYMAN: Your Honor, he said he didn't discuss it
- 5 ∥ with him, and now he's trying to give his state of mind
- 6 | testimony.
- 7 MR. RAPOPORT: It's --
- 8 THE COURT: Put another question.
- 9 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 10 Q. What was the question? It's, with respect to -- let's
- 11 | take them one at a time. With respect to the statement,
- 12 | "hanging on by the fingernails," was that a literal reference,
- 13 in your opinion?
- 14 MR. BAYMAN: Objection, your Honor.
- 15 THE COURT: Sustained.
- 16 MR. RAPOPORT: Do you have --
- 17 THE COURT: The jury will have to decide.
- 18 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 19 | Q. What was Mr. Dolin trying to communicate in that email?
- 20 MR. BAYMAN: The same objection.
- 21 THE COURT: Overruled. Let's get on with it, please.
- 22 BY THE WITNESS:
- 23 A. My reading of it was that he was being -- using pretty
- 24 aggressive, somewhat graphic language to make it clear that he
- 25 | was quite annoyed.

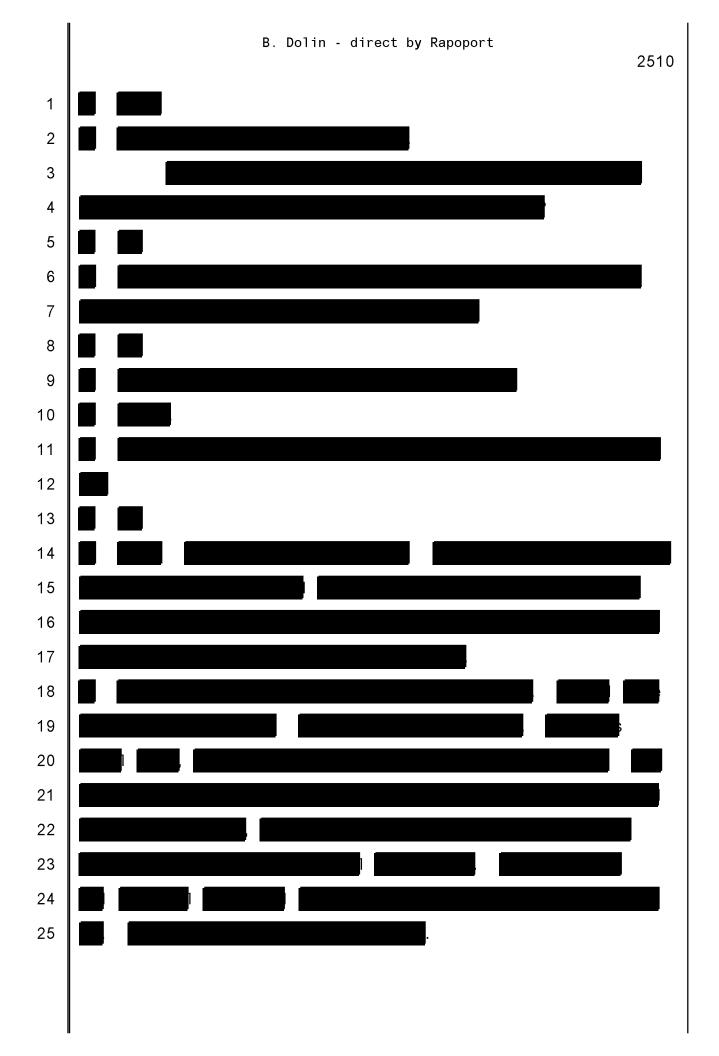
- 1 BY MR. RAPOPORT:
- 2 Q. Did these various figures that we've looked at for
- 3 | earnings include deferred compensation, too, in other words,
- 4 | the 401(k) or whatever else --
- 5 A. These numbers are all-in.
- 6 MR. RAPOPORT: All-in. Okay. I don't have any other 7 questions. Thank you.
- 8 MR. BAYMAN: Briefly.
- 9 THE COURT: Very briefly. Very, very briefly.
- 10 MR. BAYMAN: Yes, sir.
- 11 RECROSS-EXAMINATION
- 12 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 13 | Q. You don't recall sitting here today how much Reed Smith
- 14 exceeded its budget in 2010, correct?
- 15  $\blacksquare$  A. I think it was between 5 and 10 percent but that, somebody
- 16 could tell you that.
- 17 | Q. That's just your estimate, correct?
- 18 **A**. Yes.
- 19 MR. BAYMAN: And can we put up PX 24? And bring up
- 20 the second, under charge hours and non-chargeable. Highlight
- 21 the first -- yes, there you go.
- 22 BY MR. BAYMAN:
- 23 | Q. This shows Mr. Dolin's both chargeable and non-chargeable
- 24 | hours, correct?
- 25 A. Yes.

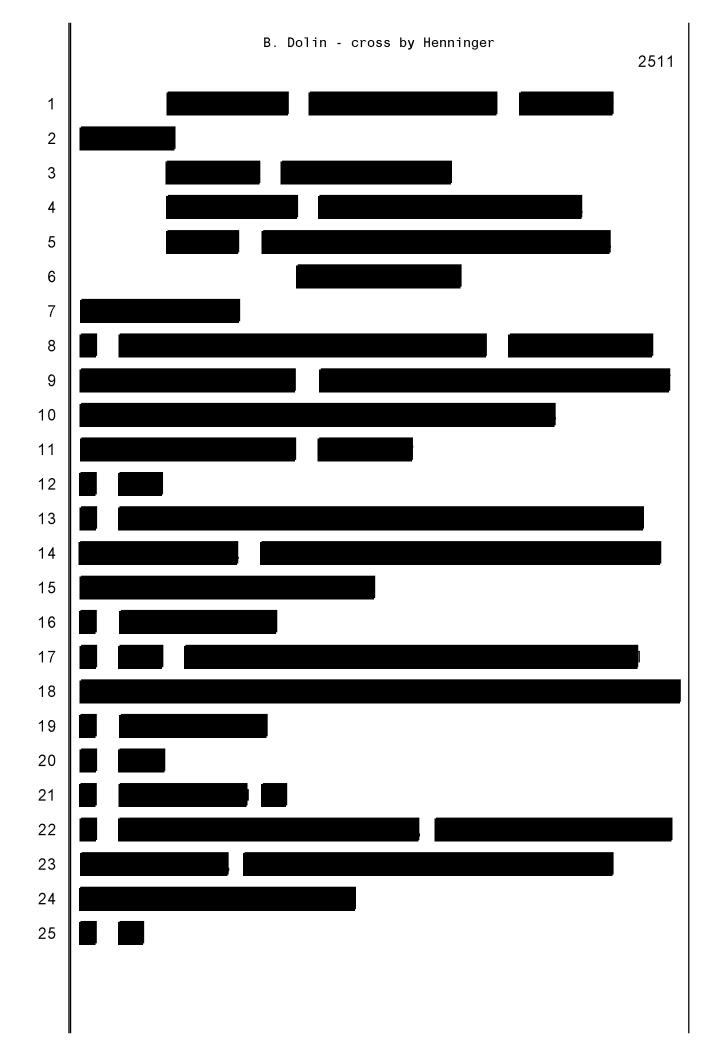
- 1 | Q. And non-chargeable hours are not revenue to the law firm,
- 2 | correct?
- 3 A. They are not.
- 4 Q. In fact, the firm emphasizes billable or chargeable hours
- 5 | over non-chargeable hours in the main, correct?
- 6 | A. I think the firm in general would certainly want there to
- 7 | be more chargeable hours than non-chargeable hours. It could
- 8 vary depending on your role in the firm.
- 9 Q. And you know that equity partners were supposed to bill
- 10 | all told chargeable plus non-chargeable 2400 hours, correct?
- 11 A. That was the expressed goal.
- 12 **Q**. In 2007, in 20' -- certainly in 2009, Mr. Dolin did not do
- 13 | that, correct?
- 14 A. No.
- 15 Q. The combination of his non-billable and --
- 16 **| A**. 2131.
- 17 | Q. -- did not -- it fell below the firm's expectation, correct?
- 18 A. The stated expectations.
- 19  $\mathbf{Q}$ . And his pace in 2010 was below the stated expectation,
- 20 | correct?
- 21 A. Yes.
- 22 MR. BAYMAN: Nothing further, your Honor.
- 23 THE COURT: All right. Thank you, sir.
- 24 THE WITNESS: Thank you.
- 25 THE COURT: You may step down.

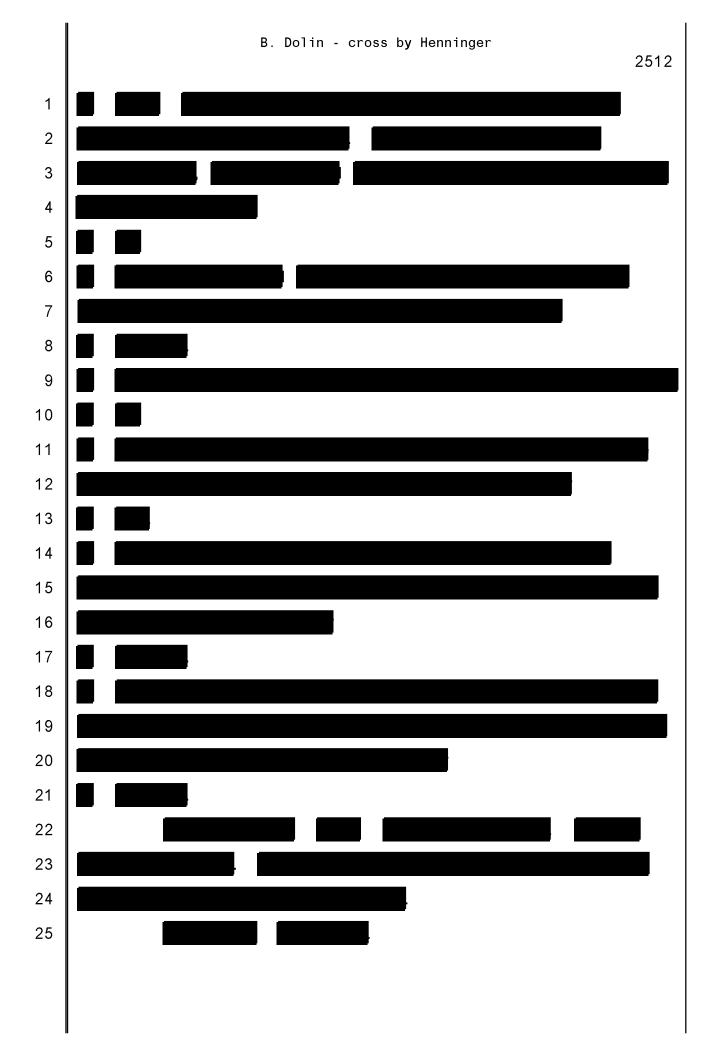


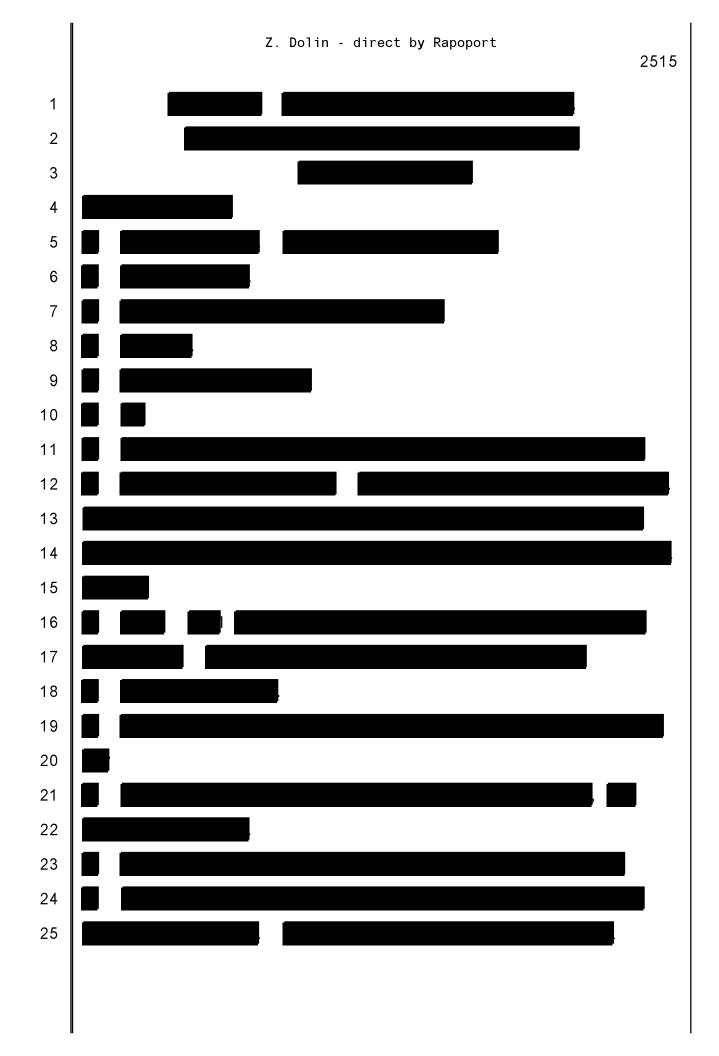


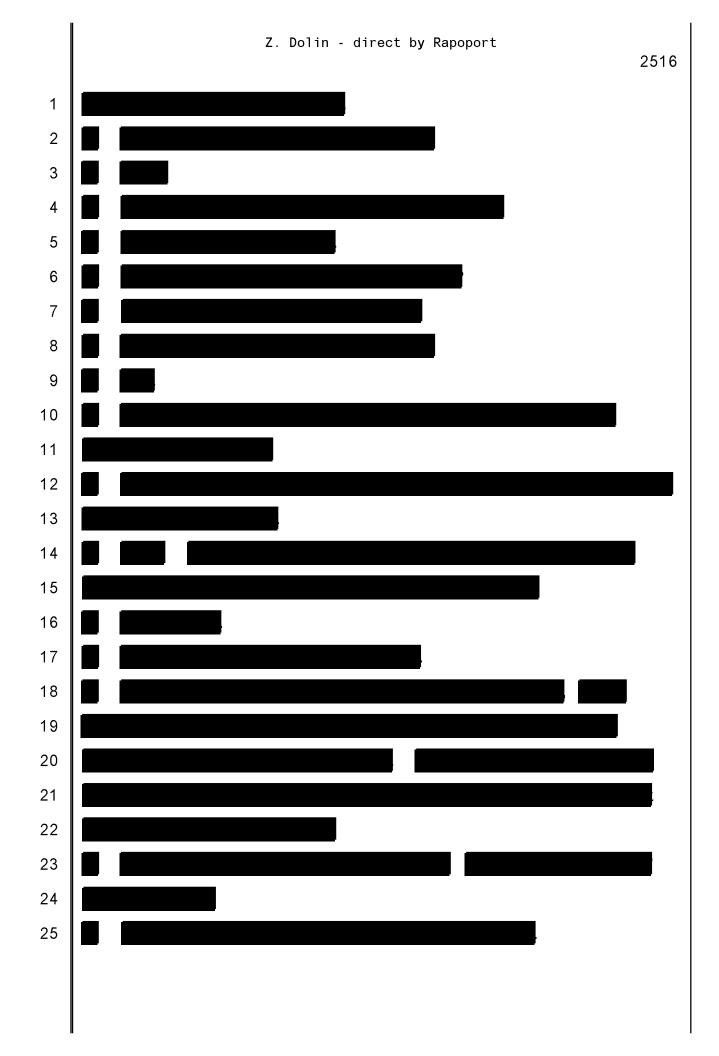


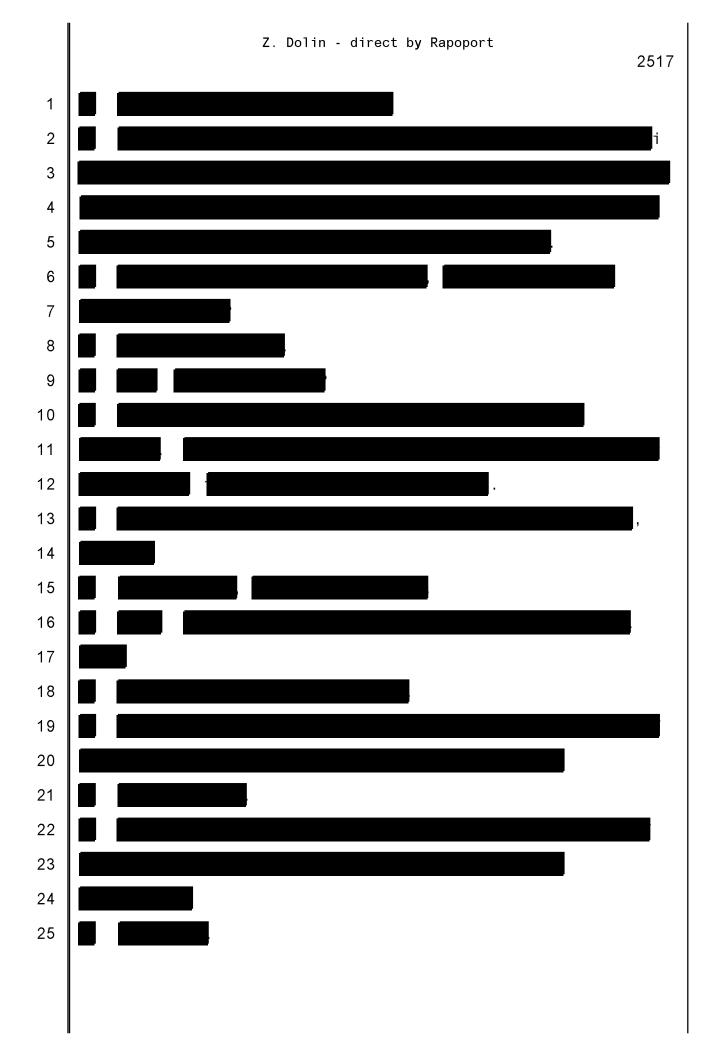


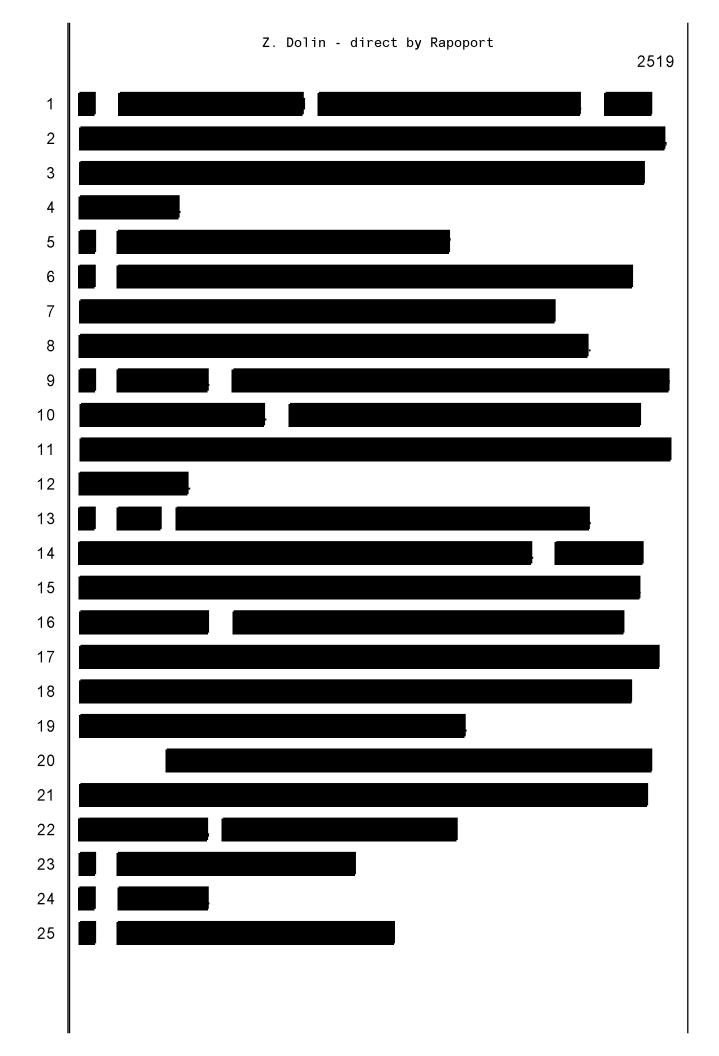


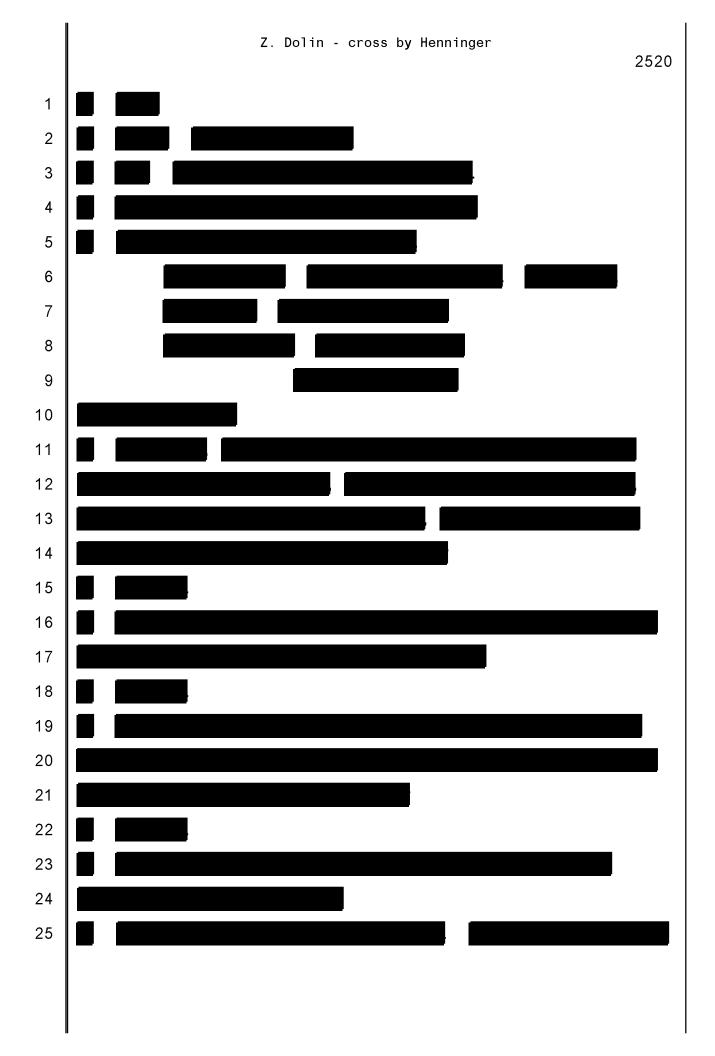




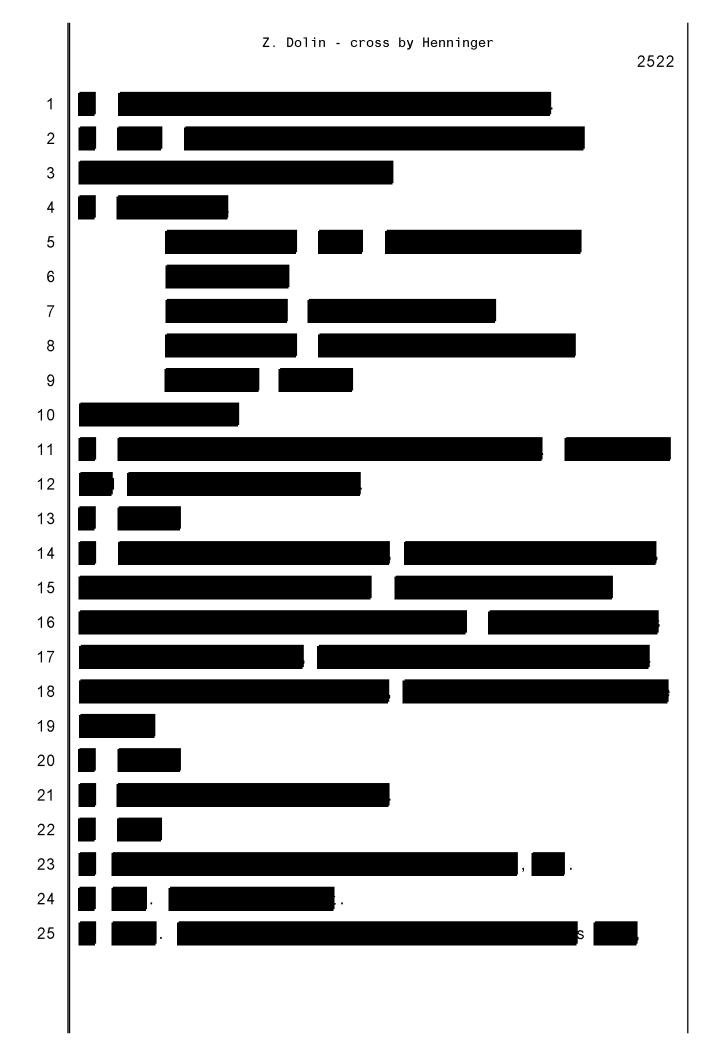


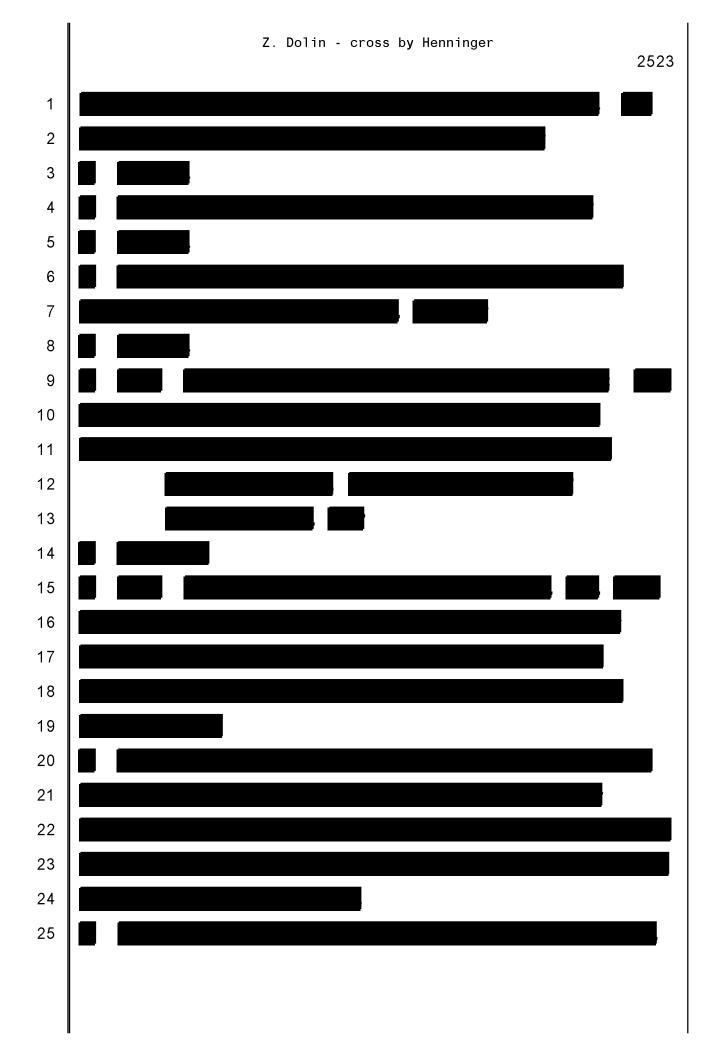


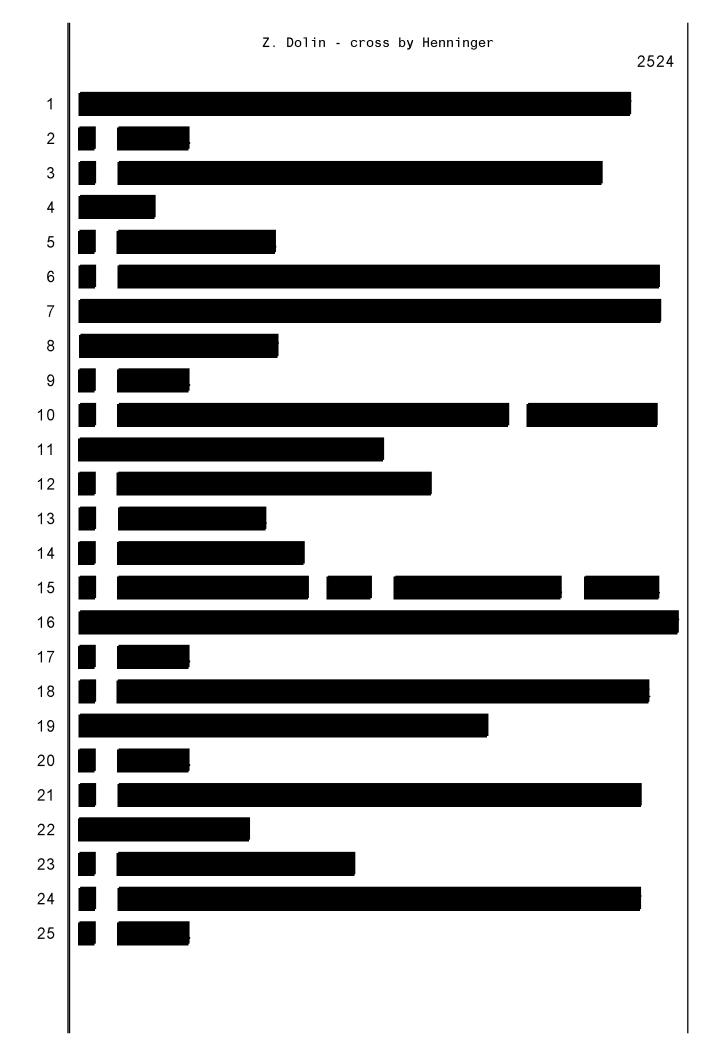




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THE COURT: All right. Thank you very much, ladies and gentlemen. Please be seated. We will resume.

You may proceed, sir.

MR. RAPOPORT: Thank you, your Honor.

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MR. RAPOPORT: Your Honor, at this time, we -- I
think it's already been moved into evidence before trial, and
either now or after the break, it runs 11 minutes -- oh, we're
done with our break. If this is a good time, I'm moving to
show the montage.

THE COURT: Okay. Have you finished with the
witness?

MR. WISNER: There will be a couple of questions

 $$\operatorname{MR}.$$  WISNER: There will be a couple of questions after the montage, or I could do it the other way --

THE COURT: Why don't you finish with the witness.

MR. RAPOPORT: Great. I'm happy to do that.

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    I'd move to -- I have no further questions and move to play
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THE COURT: Cross-examination first, I think.

MS. HENNINGER: That's fine.

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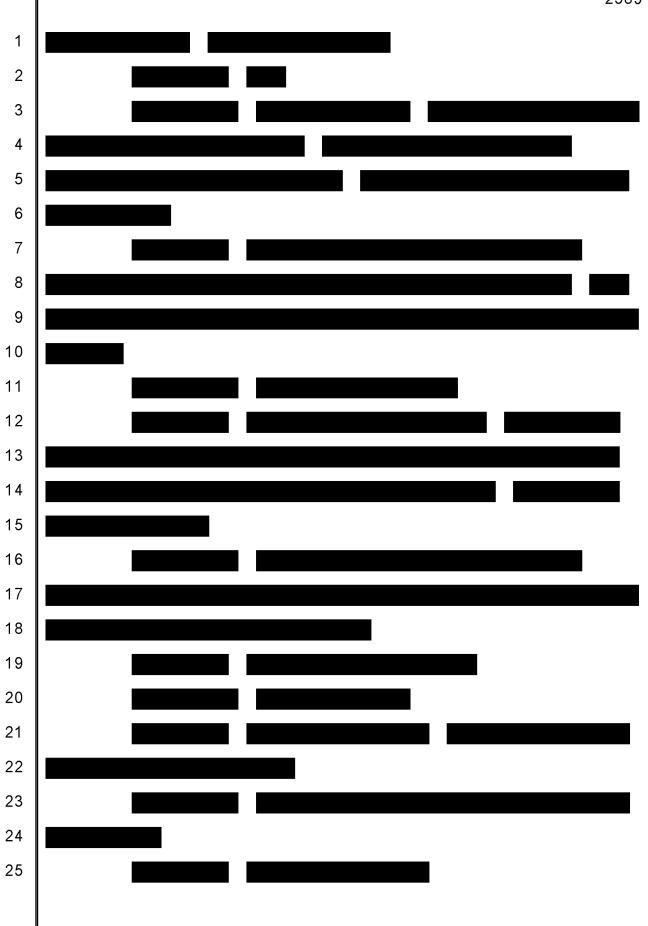
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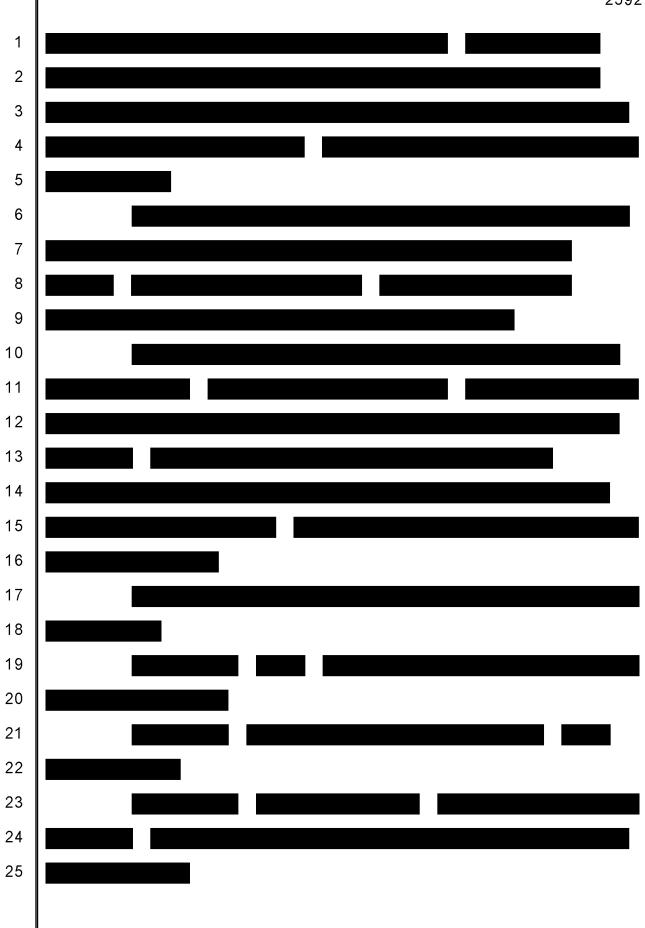
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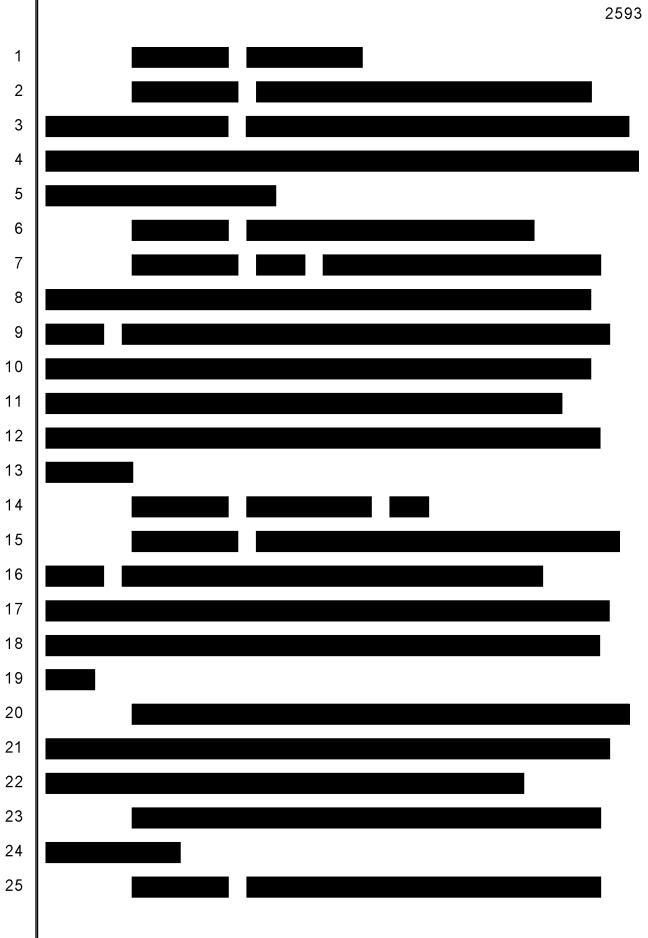
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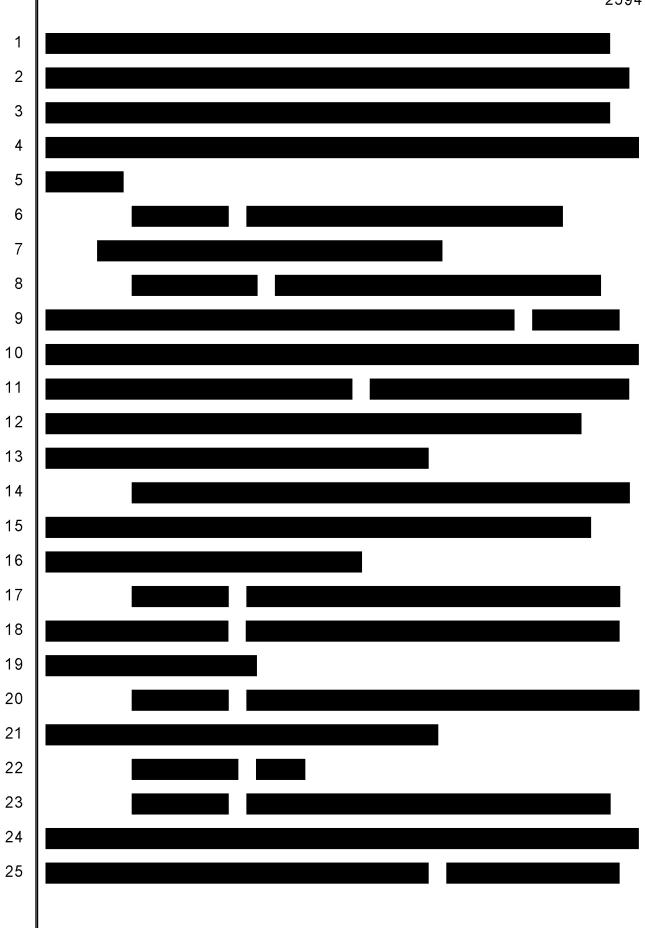
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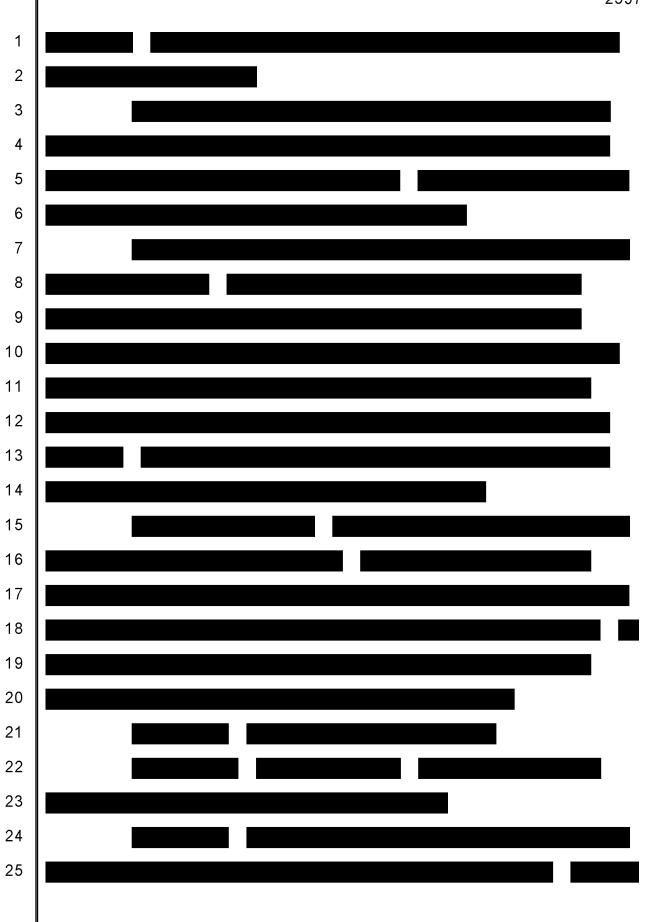




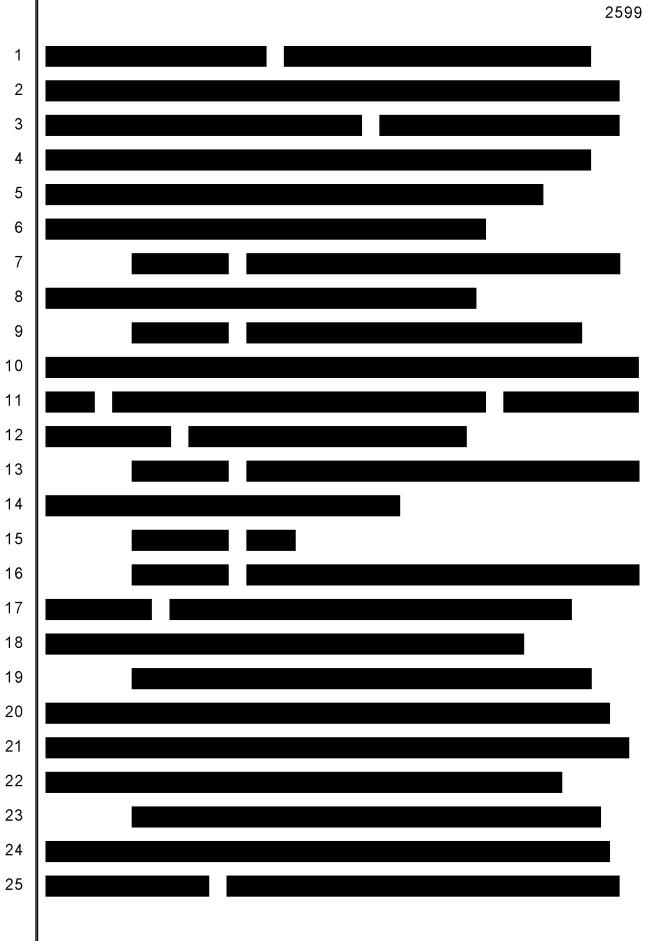


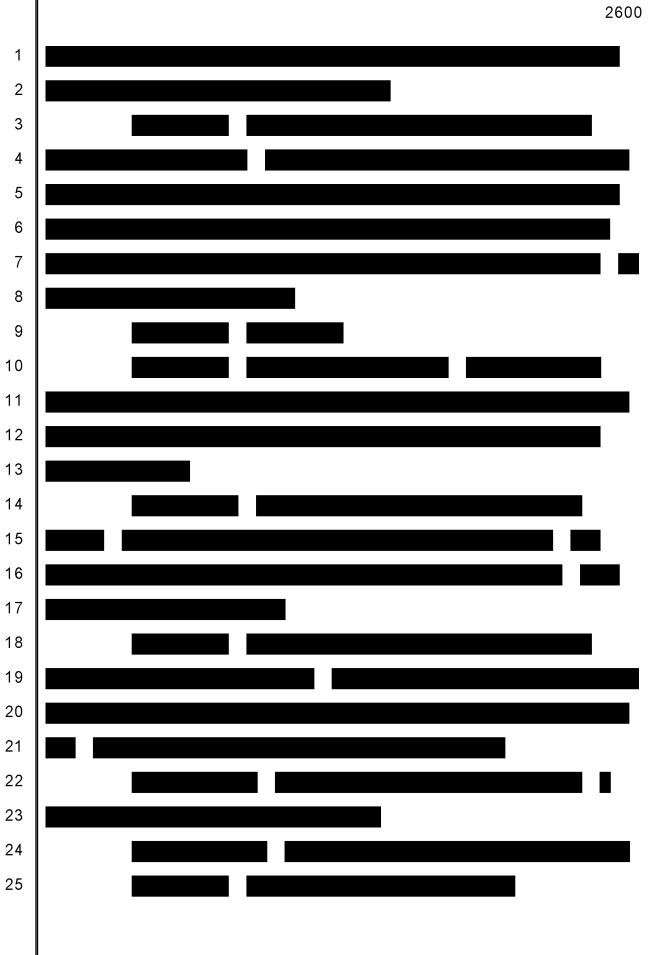
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