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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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Defendants.

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1 THURSDAY MORNING SESSION, JANUARY 13, 2005

- 2 PROCEEDINGS
- 3 (9:32 a.m.)
- 4 THE COURT: Good morning, everybody. This is United
- 5 States of America versus Philip Morris, CA 99-2496. Mr. Bernick,
- 6 please.
- 7 MR. BERNICK: I'm told it's going to be warm enough today,
- 8 Your Honor, to have a picnic this afternoon here in Washington.
- 9 THE COURT: I couldn't hear you.
- 10 MR. BERNICK: I've been told it's going to be warm enough
- 11 to have a picnic later on today, so I would like to get out,
- 12 although I'm, unfortunately, going to San Francisco where I
- 13 understand it's wet.
- 14 THE COURT: Well, San Francisco is not unfortunate.
- MR. BERNICK: No, that's true, that's true.
- 16 CONTINUED CROSS-EXAMINATION OF BRENNAN DAWSON
- 17 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 18 Q. Good morning, Ms. Dawson. I want to go back over, to
- 19 provide a little bit more context, to the time line that we
- 20 started to draw yesterday, and basically go through a larger
- 21 version of that time line.
- 22 MR. BERNICK: And then, Your Honor, I've got a -- a bunch
- 23 of documents that relate to the attribution issue, and my hope is
- 24 to be able to provide, simply, the foundation with the witness.
- 25 I've already identified these documents very, very briefly to

- 1 counsel for the Justice Department, for the government, and I
- 2 think we're going to have to go through them a little bit, but my
- 3 hope is that we'll move through it very quickly. One of
- 4 housekeeping matters we undertook yesterday to try to find out
- 5 what the expectation was with respect to Ms. Dawson's bonus for
- 6 the year 2004.
- 7 THE COURT: Correct.
- 8 MR. BERNICK: And I wanted to report to the Court, as I
- 9 already reported to the government, that first of all
- 10 Ms. Dawson's salary for 2004, precisely, was \$311,000. The board
- 11 will meet, as I understand it, on February 2nd to formally or
- 12 finally approve a bonus. My understanding is that the target is
- 13 50 percent of salary, 50 percent, I'm sure that can't be a
- 14 disappointment, but I hope it's also the witness's expectation so
- 15 that this is not sharing information that would not otherwise
- 16 come to her later. These are simply my report to the Court. I
- 17 do not have documentation of this. We would be prepared to
- 18 stipulate, that is the circumstance as it exists today, our
- 19 expectation is that it will also be the fact as of February 2nd,
- 20 and I understand that counsel may want to inquire on those
- 21 matters, but we did want to report to the Court that's the
- 22 current status.
- 23 THE COURT: All right, well Mr. Wise, you certainly, if
- 24 you need to, you can address that issue on your redirect.
- MR. WISE: That's fine, Your Honor.

- 1 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 2 Q. Let me ask you, Ms. Dawson, going back to the point in
- 3 time when you first joined the Tobacco Institute, my
- 4 understanding from your direct examination is that you actually
- 5 had some prior experience at the Department of Health and Human
- 6 Services with regard to media relations; is that correct?
- 7 A. Yes, it is.
- 8 Q. Okay. And in -- again, by way of foundation, you were
- 9 there for roughly six years?
- 10 A. That's correct.
- 11 Q. So that would take you back to around 1980; is that fair?
- 12 A. That's correct.
- 13 Q. In your experience at the Tobacco Institute, and with
- 14 whatever experience you had from the perspective of Health and
- 15 Human Services, has there or has there always -- has there or
- 16 has there not always been a political and media dimension to
- 17 smoking matters here in the United States?
- 18 A. There is very much a political dimension.
- 19 Q. I want to show you a newspaper headline for January 11,
- 20 1978. It's the document -- the document is JD 013149, and ask
- 21 you whether or not you recall that at that time the newspapers
- 22 widely reported that the then secretary of HHS, Joseph Califano,
- 23 declared war on smoking in early 1978. Are you familiar with
- 24 that report?
- 25 A. I'm generally familiar with it, yes.

- 1 Q. Okay. Do you -- were you familiar with the fact that in
- 2 1979 the Surgeon General's Report -- there's a Surgeon General's
- 3 Report that issued recognizing 15 years since the 1964 report,
- 4 were you familiar with that?
- 5 A. I don't know about the 1979 report specifically.
- 6 Q. Okay. Do you remember whether or not at that time, that
- 7 is in 1979, based upon the information that you acquired when
- 8 you were at the Tobacco Institute, whether there was an
- 9 affirmative effort by the Tobacco Institute at that time to, in
- 10 a sense, preempt the '79 report by holding a press conference
- 11 the prior day? Is that something that you learned during the
- 12 course of your work?
- 13 A. Generally, yes.
- 14 Q. Okay. Do you remember whether the Tobacco Institute,
- 15 after that effort, did an editorial analysis to find out whether
- 16 their message, their message and their strategy had met with any
- 17 success?
- 18 A. The Tobacco Institute routinely did that.
- 19 Q. Okay. I'm going to show you JD 011663, which is a
- 20 February 9, 1979 memo from Mr. Kloepfer to Mr. Kornegay giving
- 21 an editorial analysis for the '79 Surgeon General's Report. If
- 22 you would just flip through that a little bit, I'm only going to
- 23 ask you some foundational issues for it and then read from a
- 24 portion of it, because this predates your tenure at the Tobacco
- 25 Institute.

- 1 Ms. Dawson, does this document reflect the kind of
- 2 editorial analysis that was done on a fairly regular basis at
- 3 the Tobacco Institute?
- 4 A. Yes, the TI would have reviewed news reports to see how
- 5 their message was coming across.
- 6 Q. And is this document the type of document that would have
- 7 been generated and maintained in the ordinary course of business
- 8 by the Tobacco Institute?
- 9 A. I think so.
- 10 Q. If we take a look at the first page of the editorial
- 11 analysis itself, it says: "Most of us are aware that news
- 12 coverage of the 1979 Surgeon General's Report achieved a
- 13 balance, of sorts, with attention given to the Tobacco
- 14 Institute's views both before and after the actual event.
- 15 Editorial" -- and that's underlined -- "reaction, however, which
- 16 is the subject of this analysis, has been overwhelmingly pro
- 17 government, antismoking, and, particularly, anti Institute."
- Do you see that?
- 19 A. Yes, I do.
- 20 Q. Now, after this memo is written in 1979, I want to go to
- 21 a little bit forward to 1984 and show you another document,
- 22 which is dated May 29, 1984. It is JD 080669.
- 23 I'll represent to you, Ms. Dawson, and to the Court, that
- 24 this was produced from the Tobacco Institute's files, and it's
- 25 called Report to the Communications Committee. You testified

1 yesterday, as I recall, about the Communications Committee, do

- 2 you recall that?
- 3 A. Yes.
- 4 Q. And was the Communications Committee a committee within
- 5 the structure and organization of the Tobacco Institute?
- 6 A. It was.
- 7 Q. Okay. Is this kind of report, again, the kind of report
- 8 that would have been done on a fairly regular basis during the
- 9 course of Tobacco Institute activities?
- 10 A. It would have been.
- 11 Q. I want to direct your attention to the pages -- page 9,
- 12 and this is page 9 of the communications plan -- this is 1984, a
- 13 couple years before you arrived. It says: "With respect to the
- 14 primary health issue." What was the primary health issue?
- 15 MR. WISE: Your --
- 16 THE WITNESS: Smoking and health issue.
- 17 THE COURT: What's the objection?
- 18 MR. WISE: Your Honor, I'm going to object to these
- 19 documents. That predate Ms. Dawson's tenure at the Tobacco
- 20 Institute. I was very careful in choosing documents that were,
- 21 in fact, from the period of time that he was employed at the
- 22 Tobacco Institute, and when she was shown documents, questions
- 23 like are these consistent with positions you took were the limit
- 24 of the questions I asked.
- Now, Ms. Dawson has said she was generally aware of the

1 '79 report and the Tobacco Institute's response. We've now seen

- 2 specific documents, internal documents, that go to that issue. I
- 3 don't think there was a foundation laid for that, a proper
- 4 foundation, for questions to that document, and now this document
- 5 that -- I don't think the question's even been asked if she saw
- 6 it when she was at the Tobacco Institute years later, and to now
- 7 question her about it I just don't think it's appropriate.
- 8 MR. BERNICK: Your Honor, the -- my examination is in
- 9 response not only to Mr. Wise's oral examinations, it's also in
- 10 response to the direct testimony that was proffered in writing.
- 11 That testimony, many many portions of it consists of confronting
- 12 the witness with a whole series of documents that never came from
- 13 Tobacco Institute files with a question of whether she saw them,
- 14 whether she agrees with them or whatever. So, the government
- 15 obviously has expanded their examination way beyond documents
- 16 that she saw, so there's no scope issue.
- 17 With respect to having her comment on the content of the
- 18 documents, in terms of whether the documents can come into
- 19 evidence, I believe we'll be able to offer this document into
- 20 evidence because it's an ordinary course of business record, it's
- 21 not hearsay, and she is in a position, because she was an
- 22 employee, to be able to verify those facts. So we think --
- 23 THE COURT: All right, Mr. Bernick the objection's
- 24 overruled, you may proceed.
- 25 BY MR. BERNICK:

- 1 Q. I want to direct your attention -- I think I asked you
- 2 about the primary health issue and I think that you identified
- 3 for the Court what that was, but just -- I was distracted a
- 4 little bit, so I'm not sure you had an opportunity to give your
- 5 answer.
- 6 A. The primary health issue is what we called smoking and
- 7 health and whether smoking caused cancer and other diseases for
- 8 smokers.
- 9 THE COURT: Ms. Dawson, I think you need to keep your
- 10 voice up, please.
- 11 THE WITNESS: Thank you, I will.
- 12 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 13 Q. This says: "Decrease" -- the bullet says, "decrease
- 14 Institute visibility on and reaction to the unwinnable primary
- 15 health issue" and then under that, "never raise the issue. In
- 16 situations where we must respond, keep statements short and free
- 17 of rhetoric. Wherever possible contain coverage to one day by
- 18 issuing statements for same day use and by refraining from
- 19 making comments which might extend the debate and encourage
- 20 questions." And then finally, "remove from general circulation
- 21 all Institute publications and literature with reference to the
- 22 primary smoke issue".
- 23 That approach -- is that -- what relationship, in your own
- 24 experience, if any, is there between the approach that's
- 25 described in the document in 1984 and the approach that was taken

1 while you were at the Tobacco Institute with respect to the

- 2 primary health issue?
- 3 A. This is very, very consistent with the approach that was
- 4 taken at the Tobacco Institute while I was there, except that I
- 5 don't recall issuing any statements. It was, in the sense of
- 6 issuing a press release on the smoking and health issue. So
- 7 here it talks about containing that to one day. I'm not aware
- 8 that we even did that. We responded to questions during media
- 9 interviews and that was it.
- 10 Q. Okay. I now want to take you up to the period of time
- 11 when you were at the Tobacco Institute, and I want to move
- 12 forward, and I want to do this relatively quickly so that we can
- 13 all keep our picnic and other plans here.
- 14 If we were to go back during the period of time when you
- 15 were there, that began in 1986?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. So, we'll mark off '86 and we'll mark off '94 when the
- 18 Waxman hearings took place, and in-between we'll put 1990.
- 19 I want to take a snapshot of where we were in '86 in
- 20 terms of going forward, the basic issues that the Tobacco
- 21 Institute was dealing with, and I want to begin with, I think
- 22 what you testified to, both in the written testimony and orally,
- $23\,$   $\,$  which is the issue of smoking in public places. Was that an
- 24 issue when you joined?
- 25 A. Yes, it was.

- 1 Q. Did it remain an issue through '94?
- 2 A. Yes, it did.
- 3 Q. What about youth smoking, was that an issue that you were
- 4 focused on when you joined in '86?
- 5 A. Or shortly thereafter, so, yes, that was an issue for the
- 6 entire period.
- 7 Q. Was there any particular prompt that occurred during this
- 8 period of time that intensified the focus on that issue?
- 9 A. The congressional hearings in the 1990s -- or actually
- 10 they began in the late 1980s.
- 11 Q. Okay. So we have youth smoking. If I said 1990 was the
- 12 date that the Waxman Bill was introduced, would that refresh
- 13 your recollection?
- 14 A. That might be.
- 15 Q. Now, with respect to both of these issues, or take them
- 16 one at a time, you've talked about with respect to causation or
- 17 the primary health issue that in a sense you weren't going to
- 18 speak unless asked to speak. Was that true of public smoking?
- 19 A. Yes, it was.
- 20 Q. Okay. Did a time come with respect to public smoking
- 21 where there were also more proactive activities?
- 22 A. Yes, there were proactive activities.
- 23 Q. So public smoking, you would say, is both, in a sense,
- 24 "R" for reactive, answer questions when asked, but it's also "P"
- 25 for proactive, fair?

- 1 A. Very fair.
- 2 Q. What about youth smoking, how old that stack up?
- 3 A. Along the same lines. It would be reactive if a bill
- 4 were introduced to ban tobacco advertising, for example, it
- 5 would be proactive in the sense that we were trying to promote
- 6 the industry's initiatives.
- 7 Q. Okay. Let's take another issue, which is causation, and
- 8 put this one down here. I know that that was an issue that was
- 9 out there when you joined and remains, so we can put that in.
- 10 But with respect to causation, I take it from what you've said
- 11 before, that that, during your period, was reactive and not a
- 12 proactive issue?
- 13 A. That's right, answer a question if asked.
- 14 Q. Okay. And with respect, now, to addiction, when did
- 15 addiction really come on the screen of the Tobacco Institute?
- 16 A. With the Surgeon General's Report.
- 17 Q. So that would have been in 1988?
- 18 A. That's right.
- 19 Q. I'll put it halfway and it remained true through '94?
- 20 A. That's right.
- 21 Q. On addiction, was that a proactive issue, a reactive
- 22 issue, or both?
- 23 A. Reactive.
- 24 Q. Okay. Now, you've said that the Tobacco Institute was
- 25 operating in a political environment, and we know from your job,

- 1 and the job of the Tobacco Institute, that in that environment
- 2 the tobacco industry was media and politically sensitive. It's
- 3 part of your job, would that be fair?
- 4 A. That is very fair.
- 5 Q. Okay. What about voluntary health organizations? Did
- 6 you deal with voluntary health organizations in the context of
- 7 your own work?
- 8 A. If they were involved in, say, the legislative process,
- 9 they had taken a position, then there would have been some
- 10 dealings.
- 11 Q. Okay. Were there particular voluntary health
- 12 organizations that were, in a sense, media active or politically
- 13 active?
- 14 A. Yes, there were.
- 15 Q. Could you name a couple for us?
- 16 A. The American Lung Association, the American Heart
- 17 Association, the Cancer Society.
- 18 Q. Okay. Did you have dealings with the American Cancer
- 19 Society during the course of your work?
- 20 A. Yes, I did.
- 21 Q. I take it that we all know the American Cancer Society
- 22 was an anti-tobacco force?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. I want to show you JD 013145, which is a
- 25 publication from the American Cancer Society called Smoke

- 1 Signals, and it's dated September 1985. That would have been
- 2 shortly before you came on board, correct?
- 3 A. Correct.
- 4 Q. And it's called: Smoking Control Media Handbook. Did
- 5 you, during the course of your own work, come into contact with
- 6 this publication?
- 7 A. Yes, I've seen it.
- 8 Q. I want to direct your attention to the table of contents.
- 9 Does it talk about, part 1, gaining media attention and then
- 10 various ways of doing that, part 2, capturing the symbols of the
- 11 debate?
- 12 A. Yes.
- 13 Q. This says that much of this book was drawn from an
- 14 extraordinary workshop sponsored by the American Cancer Society
- 15 and held in Washington in September of 1985. So if we went to
- 16 '85, this would be the ACS workshop that basically was
- 17 extraordinary -- may have been the most creative and successful
- 18 smoking control leaders. I want to direct your attention just
- 19 to a couple parts.
- 20 You were asked a lot of questions about ETS and public
- 21 smoking. This discusses capital B, spoiling their fun, and as
- 22 an example of spoiling their fun, it says, "in Washington, D.C.
- 23 a Continuing Medical Education conference at Georgetown
- 24 University devoted to a discussion of the evidence on
- 25 involuntary smoking was exposed as funded by tobacco interests

- 1 and disproportionately loaded with researchers supported by the
- 2 industry. Amidst effective publicity the outcry by smoking
- 3 control leaders shamed Georgetown into canceling the
- 4 conference." There's been testimony by Dr. Schwartz. Do you
- 5 know who Dr. Schwartz was and is?
- 6 A. I do. He's at Georgetown University, he was when I knew
- 7 him.
- 8 Q. Was he or was he not involved in the activities that are
- 9 referenced here in this document?
- 10 A. He was.
- 11 Q. Now, he says that he cancelled the conference. This is
- 12 at page 4454 of the transcript of this trial. "Mainly because I
- 13 wanted to have a scientific conference and not a press
- 14 conference, and the Washington Post got into it, and I didn't
- 15 want more reporters there than doctors. The question is, that's
- 16 fine. That flap, as you described it, you found out that the
- 17 Office of Smoking and Health had put pressure on the speakers
- 18 not to show up; is that correct? " Answer "to withdraw" and he
- 19 then talks about Dr. Hoffman.
- 20 He then says: "Question: Did you believe, sir, that
- 21 what was going on at that time you, at least, believe was
- 22 chilling as far as academic freedom, is that fair to say?"
- 23 "Answer: Truthfully I didn't think it was chilling, I
- 24 just thought it was stupid."
- 25 He then goes on to say: "Your university -- question,

- 1 your university thought it was a problem of academic freedom?"
- 2 "Answer: Oh, yes the university did. I was not outraged
- 3 by the imposition on my personal academic freedom, I was more
- 4 outraged by their getting people to withdraw."
- 5 Are we talking about the same incident here, that is, the
- 6 incident that's referred to in the American Cancer Society
- 7 publication as "spoiling their fun" and the incident that
- 8 Dr. Schwartz is referring to when he said that the conference was
- 9 cancelled?
- 10 MR. WISE: Your Honor, I'm going to object. This witness
- 11 has no personal knowledge of this conference. It predated her
- 12 time at the Tobacco Institute. To ask her if this document, in
- 13 reference to a conference at Georgetown, is the same one that we
- 14 now heard from Dr. Schwartz's testimony about, it's just not
- 15 proper with this witness.
- 16 THE COURT: Mr. Bernick, she don't know anything about
- 17 this personally.
- MR. BERNICK: Well, fair enough. I'm not really offering
- 19 it for the purpose of verifying -- I'll rephrase the question
- 20 because what I'm --
- 21 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 22 Q. Let me just ask it this way, Ms. Dawson: As of 1986,
- 23 were you -- I think you already said you had contact with the
- 24 American Cancer Society during the course of your work?
- 25 A. Yes, I did.

- 1 Q. Your own dealings with public health organizations that
- 2 were involved in anti-tobacco control, were your dealings framed
- 3 by your understanding of the history of context between those
- 4 organizations and the Tobacco Institute?
- 5 A. They were.
- 6 Q. And I'm just going to ask you whether this particular
- 7 incident was one of those matters that, from your point of view,
- 8 framed your attitudes?
- 9 A. It was part of it, yes.
- 10 Q. Did you -- did you have any involvement in any of these
- 11 issues?
- 12 A. In this specific Georgetown conference?
- 13 O. Yes.
- 14 A. No, I did not.
- 15 Q. Okay. Let's move forward, in the interest of time. I
- 16 want to get to the portion of the document that ties into your
- 17 period of time. This says: "General recommendations: Don't
- 18 let journalists treat paid tobacco industry spokespersons as the
- 19 moral equivalent of public health advocates. Challenge their
- 20 credibility." Do you see that?
- 21 A. I do.
- 22  $\,$  Q. Is there, then, discussion about the issues that should
- 23 be used to challenge the credibility of the industry as we see
- 24 in the third bullet point?
- 25 A. There are.

- 1 Q. In your own experience, I think you've already said that
- 2 the issue of whether smoking has health hazards, was an issue
- 3 that was put to the industry during your period of time, fair?
- 4 A. That's fair.
- 5 Q. Okay. Do we see that the recommendation to use that
- 6 issue to challenge the credibility of the industry is also part
- 7 of the American Cancer Society agenda?
- 8 A. It is.
- 9 Q. Was that your own experience?
- 10 A. It is my -- it was my experience.
- 11 Q. So the ACS was speaking to causation as a matter of
- 12 credibility. Let's talk about addiction a little bit. I think
- 13 you said your real involvement with addiction was
- 14 contemporaneous with the '88 report?
- 15 A. That's right.
- 16 Q. Let's take a look a little bit at this document at page
- 17 21, this 1985 document. It says: "Cigarettes are more
- 18 addictive than heroin or cocaine, and by far the leading
- 19 preventable cause of death and disease in our society. Smoking
- 20 is fatal under normal or moderate conditions of use. The habit
- 21 has no redeemable social value other than to relieve its own
- 22 addiction." And there's then here later on, "freedom of choice
- 23 has no meaning to heroin addicts or those who are similar
- 24 addicted to smoking." Do you see that?
- 25 A. I do.

- 1 Q. Later on -- well, let's again, sort of record where we
- 2 come on that. The ACS is talking here about addiction and hard
- 3 drugs before this even became an issue for the Tobacco
- 4 Institute?
- 5 A. That's right.
- 6 Q. Let's follow that through. In 1987, the Justice
- 7 Department yesterday pointed out, through Exhibit 62752, that in
- 8 1987 the industry learned, in late '87, that the Surgeon General
- 9 was likely to describe smoking as addictive. Do you remember
- 10 your testimony on that?
- 11 A. I do.
- 12 Q. So the issue is now starting to percolate at the Surgeon
- 13 General in '87. Following up on the American Cancer Society
- 14 recommendation -- following up on the American Cancer Society's
- 15 brochure here, did you become familiar at this time, that is,
- 16 when word first surfaced that the Surgeon General might say
- 17 "addictive", did you become familiar with whether or not the
- 18 scientists who were working on this matter for the Surgeon
- 19 General were specifically studying the media effects of using
- 20 the word "addiction"? Did you ever become familiar with that?
- 21 A. There were rumors of what discussions were taking place,
- 22 but nothing further at that point.
- 23 Q. Well, it's been brought to the attention of this Court
- 24 and in this trial, and this is JD 064656, which are notes of a
- 25 meeting on tobacco use as an addictive process, and I'll tell

- 1 you that the Court heard about this document through the
- 2 testimony of Dr. Henningfield who is one of the government's
- 3 experts. And the document says, and Dr. Henningfield confirmed,
- 4 that as far as public communication was concerned, "In
- 5 communicating information about the addictive nature of tobacco
- 6 use to the public we must use simple direct language,
- 7 furthermore, any pronouncement must be well covered by the media
- 8 in order to have impact."
- 9 It goes on to say: "We should use, we should use the word
- 10 "addiction" for its visceral effect on the public and the
- 11 pressure on lawmakers that will result." This is
- 12 Dr. Henningfield speaking.
- 13 Let me just ask you, Ms. Dawson, assuming that this is in
- 14 the trial record here, would you agree with the folks who wrote
- 15 this document, the scientists, that using the word "addiction"
- 16 would have a visceral effect on the public and result in pressure
- 17 on lawmakers?
- 18 A. It did, in fact.
- 19 Q. Now, when the announcement was actually made by the
- 20 government of the '88 report, -- and who made that announcement
- 21 on behalf of the government?
- 22 A. Surgeon General Koop at a press conference.
- 23 Q. Okay. Showing you JD 080643 --
- 24 MR. WISE: Your Honor, before we proceed, I just want to
- 25 address the last document we saw in the instant after it was

- 1 shown, we briefly checked to see if it had, in fact, been used
- 2 with Dr. Henningfield, and by our records it wasn't, so the
- 3 assertion that it was, I just don't know if that's the case.
- 4 MR. BERNICK: I apologize.
- 5 THE COURT: I didn't remember seeing it, and given its
- 6 content, I thought I would have remembered, but go ahead,
- 7 Mr. Bernick.
- 8 MR. BERNICK: I'm sorry, Your Honor, the correct
- 9 designation, and I apologize for the confusion, it's ours, it's
- 10 JD 012675, you may want to check the records on that, and it was
- 11 used with Dr. Henningfield, and we specifically looked for that
- 12 yesterday and he confirmed that these were minutes of a meeting
- 13 that he attended.
- MR. WISE: Well, but that's a different issue than whether
- 15 this document was used, whether he attended this meeting. I
- 16 don't know that that's precisely the same issue.
- 17 MR. BERNICK: Well, the document was used with him, in any
- 18 event, and we can get the particular language. Here we go. This
- 19 is the testimony -- thank you very much very timely -- at page
- 20 7010. It says: "The question is: Let me have this one I'm
- 21 referring to and then you can tell me if there were others.
- 22 Could I have JD 12675" -- which I think is the number that we
- 23 just gave, that's tab 194 -- "this appears to be a Harvard
- 24 University working meeting that took place on July 24, 1985
- 25 before you agreed to serve on the '88 Surgeon General's Report as

1 an editor. Do you recall attending this particular workshop,

- 2 sir?"
- 3 "Answer: Yes, I definitely would not have characterized
- 4 it the way that you characterized it. But he attended this
- 5 workshop. Let's look at what it says, did you attend the
- 6 workshop?"
- 7 "Yes."
- 8 "Actually give a presentation?"
- 9 THE COURT: My question is, and I have a feeling people
- 10 are going to have to check the transcript --
- 11 MR. BERNICK: I'm sorry --
- 12 THE COURT: -- during this trial, was Dr. Henningfield
- 13 presented with this document, and did he acknowledge that he had
- 14 either made the presentation in question or that the language you
- 15 asked Ms. Dawson about accurately conveyed whatever it was he had
- 16 to say during that meeting?
- 17 MR. BERNICK: Yeah, well, Your Honor, it would be our
- 18 position, this document was produced by the government, he said
- 19 he attended the session, so we've got that far.
- 20 Your Honor's now saying, well, did he sign off on the
- 21 accuracy. We think that whether or not he did, we would still be
- 22 able to use the document because it's a government document and a
- 23 record of what happened, but to save the day at page 7011, he
- 24 says the answer, at line 19 there's discussion about the issue of
- 25 addiction, it's connotations, he says: "Is that correct?"

1 "Answer: Yes, I believe this is a summary of the workshop

- 2 done after, and I'm not sure I had involvement in this, that is
- 3 the document, but these are the -- the workshop was run more like
- 4 a scientific meeting. I gave a presentation, other people would
- 5 give a presentation, there would be a discussion, so if this
- 6 doesn't look like it was actually -- this doesn't look like it
- 7 was actually run, it looks like a summary of it."
- 8 "Question: I'm not saying this is verbatim, this appears
- 9 to be a summary of what you all discussed and did that day, is
- 10 that fair?"
- 11 "Answer: Yes. And, in fact, there is a Monograph, a red
- 12 Harvard Monograph that has my chapter and the other chapters in
- 13 the workshop."
- 14 And, in fact, there was no objection during this
- 15 cross-examination to any of this or the use of the document. I
- 16 think, in fact, I don't know if there's even an objection to the
- 17 document being introduced as evidence, but I think that the
- 18 exhibits on Henningfield may still be in process. So it's not
- 19 been formally admitted. Those are the page references, Your
- 20 Honor.
- 21 MR. WISE: Your Honor, again, the issue of whether
- 22 Dr. Henningfield attended the workshop and whether he thought the
- 23 minutes -- well, first of all, will counsel represent that JD
- 24 just so we're clear, because you made a comment first that this
- 25 may clear up the confusion. Is JD 02012675 the same document as

- 1 JD 012675? Because we've got two documents.
- 2 THE COURT: I believe the answer's yes.
- 3 MR. BERNICK: No, I -- the one I used before was -- I
- 4 don't even have it in front of me, 012675 is the same as the
- 5 document that I showed the witness. Is that what you got down?
- 6 12675. 012675.
- 7 MR. WISE: Right and my question is, I believe the
- 8 document was used with Dr. Henningfield was 012675. Is that the
- 9 same?
- 10 MR. BERNICK: Yeah, see, those are identical numbers.
- 11 012675.
- 12 THE COURT: All right. Could we establish for the record
- 13 it's the same document? I think it is. The government's
- 14 objection is overruled. Let's proceed.
- 15 MR. BERNICK: So, what did I just do with my copy. You
- 16 objected to the last document. I was done with it, so it's over
- 17 here someplace.
- 18 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 19 Q. Picking up on the last document where it talks about the
- 20 impact of the word "addiction", you've already talked about the
- 21 fact that it did have the impact. Was there or was there not a
- 22 media event associated with the release of the Surgeon General's
- 23 Report in 1988?
- 24 A. Yes. The Surgeon General released the report at a press
- 25 conference.

- 1 Q. Okay. And again, showing you JD 080643, is this a
- 2 statement that was made by Surgeon General Koop in connection
- 3 with the conference that was held at 10:00 on May 16, 1988?
- 4 A. It is.
- 5 Q. Okay. Now, we see that Surgeon General Koop, at page 2,
- 6 it says, "first, cigarettes and other forms of tobacco are
- 7 addicting. Nicotine is the drug in tobacco that causes
- 8 addiction."
- 9 It then says, "third, pharmacologic and behavioral process
- 10 that determine tobacco addiction are similar to those that
- 11 determine addiction to drugs such as heroin and cocaine."
- But my question to you is, as a person in the media
- 13 business, what would you expect to be the impact of this
- 14 scientific language? How would it -- what would the take away be
- 15 from the press?
- 16 A. The press would, naturally, gravitate to the heroin and
- 17 cocaine because it was a better -- it just -- it had more
- 18 impact.
- 19 Q. Okay. Did you deal with the immediate consequences of
- 20 the press conferences -- press conference?
- 21 A. Yes, it would actually have begun before the press
- 22 conference because press materials would have been distributed
- 23 in advance.
- 24 Q. Okay. Now, just describe for us, very briefly, what that
- 25 day was like, and I want to begin, first of all, with television

- 1 coverage. Was there television coverage of Mr. Koop's
- 2 statement? Did he appear on TV?
- 3 A. Yes, he would have appeared -- videotape of his press
- 4 conference or interviews with him would have been on every major
- 5 newscast.
- 6 Q. Did he appear live on channel 4 here in Washington? Do
- 7 you remember?
- 8 A. He may have.
- 9 Q. The McNeil Lehrer News Hour later on in the day?
- 10 A. He would have been on just about everything.
- 11 Q. Okay. Showing you JD 080690, is this a collection of the
- 12 transcripts of news broadcasts on that day, May 16, 1988,
- 13 relating to the release of the report?
- 14 A. I have a transcript of the McNeil Lehrer News Hour.
- 15 Q. And if you page through, do you see there are a whole
- 16 bunch of other transcripts from earlier points in time during
- 17 that day?
- 18 A. I only have one transcript.
- 19 Q. Oh, there's only one. Okay. Well, then, that's my
- 20 mistake and we'll deal with it.
- 21 Let me just ask you this question, which is what I wanted
- 22 to get to. Knowing that the media would focus on the equivalency
- 23 that was being -- or the similarity that was being expressed
- 24 between nicotine and smoking on the one hand and heroin and
- 25 cocaine on the other, what, if anything, was the essence of what

- 1 the Tobacco Institute developed as a message in response?
- 2 A. We talked about the differences between nicotine and
- 3 smoking and heroin and cocaine, and used data from the Surgeon
- 4 General's office on the number of people who had quit and how
- 5 they had gone about quitting.
- 6 Q. Now, counsel showed you two press releases relating to
- 7 addiction, one dated May 16, 1988 that was Exhibit 21239, and
- 8 the other being July 29, 1988, that being U.S. Exhibit 77065.
- 9 Recognizing your testimony that the approach that was taken by
- 10 the Tobacco Institute with respect to addiction was reactive,
- 11 rather than reactive and proactive, were there any other press
- 12 releases issued by the Tobacco Institute, other than these two
- 13 press releases in the summer of 1988, relating to addiction?
- 14 A. No. One was in response to the Surgeon General's Report,
- 15 because we had to have something to give reporters, and the
- 16 other was on top of a packet of testimony at a congressional
- 17 hearing where the issue -- we were asked to address the issue.
- 18 Q. Okay. Going to the point -- the American Cancer Society
- 19 saying "addiction, hard drugs," this ought to be part of the
- 20 equation, did the addiction issue continue to follow the
- 21 industry into the mid-1990s, and in particular in connection
- 22 with the proposals to regulate, have the industry regulated by
- 23 the FDA?
- 24 A. Addiction did follow that issue, yes.
- 25 Q. Showing you U.S. Exhibit 87155, which is the Crossfire --

- 1 the transcript of the Crossfire interview that, I believe, was
- 2 played yesterday by clip, and Your Honor may remember I didn't
- 3 have the transcript there at the time, I now have the
- 4 transcript.
- 5 Do you see where this is a Crossfire interview and the
- 6 intro talks about in "the Food and Drug Administration has said
- 7 it may start regulating tobacco just like any other drug." Do
- 8 you recall that proposal being made in 1994 by the FDA through
- 9 then commissioner, David Kessler.
- 10 A. Yes, and the sponsor of that measure was the other guest
- 11 on Crossfire on this transcript.
- 12 Q. Who was that?
- 13 A. Congressman Mike Synar.
- 14 Q. So it's called the Synar Amendment?
- 15 A. It was the Synar Bill.
- 16 Q. Okay. And do we see that the very question that was
- 17 played back yesterday, did we raise, or did the Tobacco
- 18 Institute raise the question or come out with the statement in
- 19 connection with this saying we're going to issue a press release
- 20 or we're going to make a public statement, nicotine is not
- 21 addictive, is that how this issue got discussed on this clip?
- 22 A. No, we were asked a question about it.
- 23 Q. And then the question is -- is the question: You make a
- 24 statement here which was not played, Your Honor, on the clip.
- 25 The clip began with the yellow portion where Mr. Kinsley is

- 1 asking the question about addiction. Prior to that, you made
- 2 the comment, "so what we have is an overwhelmingly informed
- 3 public, you can't find an American adult who hasn't heard that
- 4 message" -- that is, smoking may increase your risk of -- may
- 5 increase your risk -- "in fact, according to the Surgeon
- 6 General's office, people not only have heard that message, they
- 7 believe that message. So if people have the information they
- 8 need to make a decision, 50 million American adult say that they
- 9 want to smoke, every day they go out and they purchase a pack of
- 10 cigarettes, that's something that they want to do. Let's let
- 11 them make up their own minds, let's not leave it up to Mr. Synar
- 12 to decide what people should and should not do."
- 13 Now that comment doesn't talk about addiction, does it?
- 14 A. It does not.
- 15 Q. So, I take it, then, that the part that was played
- 16 yesterday was a question that Mr. Kinsley raised on his own?
- 17 A. It was.
- 18 Q. And you went ahead and answered it. I looked at the
- 19 answer and the answer, again, that was played to the question of
- 20 whether nicotine is addictive, you said, "Absolutely not.
- 21 Nicotine is first of all -- I mean, nicotine occurs naturally in
- 22 cigarettes. Nicotine is also found in things as scary as
- 23 potatoes." Did you say potatoes or is that --
- 24 A. I think I said tomatoes.
- 25 Q. Yes, not that it makes an enormous difference, what's

- 1 more significant is you say, "I mean nicotine", and then the
- 2 clip skipped over the next part. But Kinsley says, "Not in the
- 3 quantity that are in cigarettes, come on."
- 4 But you say, "But it's not in the quantity in tomatoes
- 5 that it is when it's in the tobacco products."
- 6 Were you or were you not cut off by Mr. Kinsley at that
- 7 point, that is, that after saying "I mean nicotine" -- you were
- 8  $\,$  in the middle of your answer. Is that right or do you remember
- 9 or --
- 10 A. It was Crossfire, and they like to cut you off.
- 11 Q. Right.
- 12 A. It was also in response to a proposition by Congressman
- 13 Synar that the cigarette companies spiked their cigarettes with
- 14 nicotine, and he had said that earlier on page 2. So, I mean,
- 15 Kinsley and Congressman Synar were both picking up this charge.
- 16 Q. Ultimately, did the position of the industry on nicotine
- 17 and addiction become as predicted by the American Cancer Society
- 18 an issue of credibility?
- 19 A. Yes, I think it did.
- 20 Q. Let's talk a little bit about causation, then I think I
- 21 can finish up after we go through some of these attribution
- 22 documents. Let's pick up the causation scheme.
- 23 Yesterday you testified concerning the guidelines that
- 24 were issued as media strategy by the U.S. Department of Health
- 25 and Human Services Public Health Service and the National

- 1 Institute of Health. Do you recall that?
- 2 A. I do.
- 3 Q. Okay. Now, that event took place -- this is a workshop
- 4 that took place January 14th or 15th. I think that the document
- 5 itself was later -- in 1988, we have then the HHS, Public Health
- 6 Service, and the NIH talking about media, and I don't want to go
- 7 back over the details of this, I really want to follow up on it.
- 8 You discussed -- or we discussed the fact that this makes
- 9 reference to using, again, as an especially effective technique
- 10 in any debate or public appearance with a representative of the
- 11 tobacco industry, challenge that representative to respond to
- 12 the question, do you believe that smoking causes any lung cancer
- 13 or any other -- question -- and then it goes on to say when the
- 14 answer is "no, not proven", that will be a credibility issue.
- 15 My question is, after this document was issued in January
- 16 of 1988, did you or did you not have experience exactly along
- 17 those lines?
- 18 A. Exactly along those lines.
- 19 Q. I want to show you U.S. Exhibit 85150, which is another
- 20 one of your sessions with Mr. Kinsley on Crossfire.
- 21 And this deals with the question of ads that are being
- 22 run by the State of California, TV cigarette -- TV commercials
- 23 run by the State of California that basically have an
- 24 antismoking message. Do you recall that interview with
- 25 Mr. Kinsley?

- 1 A. I do.
- 2 Q. Now, I want to direct your attention to this discussion
- 3 here at page 3. It says: "Okay, Doctor Kaiser, let's bring the
- 4 Tobacco Institute in on this. Ms. Dawson, first of all, is the
- 5 ad accurate in its assertion that cigarettes cause cancer, heart
- 6 disease, emphysema and strokes?" Now, when that's being raised,
- 7 is that the primary health issue again?
- 8 A. That would be the primary health issue, yes.
- 9 Q. Was that what you came to talk to Mr. Kinsley about when
- 10 you showed up on Crossfire?
- 11 A. No, we were supposed to talk about the California ad
- 12 campaign.
- 13 Q. Was it a shocking surprise to you that he raised this
- 14 question?
- 15 A. Wasn't a shocking surprise no, it wasn't what we were
- 16 there to talk about.
- 17 Q. It says, "Is the ad accurate in its assertion?"
- 18 You say, "I'd like to jump back to what Mr. Kaiser --"
- 19 Kinsley says, "Well, answer my question first, and then
- 20 honestly, I'll let you answer Mr. Kaiser, we'll go in point
- 21 then."
- 22 Answer -- question --
- 23 Your answer is, "I think that smokers and non-smokers that
- 24 adults across the United States are smart enough, they've heard
- 25 messages before, they see it on every pack, for goodness sake, to

- 1 know about --"
- 2 He then interrupts you and says, "Is it true, is it true?"
- 3 And then you say, "The dangers that have been alleged
- 4 about tobacco smoking, the 99 percent awareness rate, for one
- 5 thing" -- and you then go in then to talk about it.
- 6 He didn't let you off the hook. On the next page he said,
- 7 "I just want to find out if you're on the is same planet here.
- 8 Does smoking cause lung cancer?"
- 9 THE COURT: No, "Does smoking cause cancer."
- 10 MR. BERNICK: I'm sorry, "Does smoking cause cancer."
- 11 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 12 Q. Is this or is this not the experience that you had with
- 13 the causation issue which was it's being used as a litmus test
- 14 for credibility?
- 15 A. It's the experience.
- 16 Q. Did a time come in the late 1990s -- let me just ask you,
- 17 by the mid-1990s, in your own view, how is the Tobacco Institute
- 18 fairing in the court of public opinion with regard to its
- 19 credibility on the issues of addiction and causation?
- 20 A. I think we were at the bottom of the heap.
- 21 Q. Ultimately, as the Court, I know, has heard from other
- 22 people, have those positions been abandoned or are they still
- 23 being maintained?
- 24 A. No, we've changed our positions.
- 25 Q. I want to go to an important question that the Court

- 1 asked you and deal with it, and spend a few minutes because of
- 2 its importance. Before I do that, actually, I want to pull in
- 3 one other thing. Before I forget, which I didn't do.
- 4 This form, and the media strategy guidelines, has at the
- 5 back end, has at the back end Appendix C, and it's called
- 6 Creative Epidemiology. Do you see where it makes reference --
- 7 where this government report makes reference to a whole series
- 8 of kind of, you know, bullet points or factoids, I guess it's
- 9 now called, about various statistics?
- 10 A. I do.
- 11 Q. Number one is a thousand people quit smoking every day by
- 12 dying. That is equivalent to two fully loaded jumbo jets
- 13 crashing every day with no survivors. Memorable?
- 14 A. Yes.
- 15 Q. Now, this is dated 1988. Have you heard that same
- 16 comparison made during the course of these years since the
- 17 government put out the publication about that use of
- 18 epidemiology?
- 19 A. Yes.
- 20 Q. In fact, I want to show you a book, or a piece of a book.
- 21 This was referenced in the government's demonstrative 17671 used
- 22 with Dr. Biglan. It's dated 1995, and as he testified, he had a
- 23 chapter on reducing the prevalence of tobacco use. And the
- 24 whole introduction talks about, basically, the smoking and
- $25\,$  health problem. Do you see where at the bottom Dr. Biglan in

- 1 his publication in 1995 says, "To illustrate the size of the
- 2 tobacco problem, imagine two Boeing 747s crashed today killing
- 3 everyone on board, unless the planes clearly were not defective,
- 4 these crashes would probably produce an immediate grounding of
- 5 all 747s", and then he spends the next two full paragraphs
- 6 talking about this particular comparison.
- 7 Was Dr. Biglan alone in seizing upon the creative
- 8 epidemiology?
- 9 A. He was not. This was commonly used.
- 10 Q. Let's talk about your own answers to this Court,
- 11 Ms. Dawson. When you were acting as a spokesperson for the
- 12 Tobacco Institute, did you or did you not believe in the truth
- 13 of what you were saying?
- 14 A. I did believe it.
- 15 Q. Did you expect that some of those listening to you,
- 16 listening to your statements on behalf of the Tobacco Institute,
- 17 would agree, for example, with the industry's views on
- 18 environmental tobacco smoke? Some of them would?
- 19 A. Some would agree.
- 20 Q. Did you believe that some of them would agree with the --
- 21 that the industry was, in fact, taking appropriate steps on
- 22 youth smoking?
- 23 A. I think so, yes.
- 24 Q. Did you expect that some would agree with the view that
- you expressed on behalf of the Tobacco Institute that

1 nicotine -- or smoking, I should say, was not addictive like

- 2 hard drugs?
- 3 A. I think some people would agree with that, yes.
- 4 Q. Let's talk about the primary health issue. When you were
- 5 in a position where, as Mr. Kinsley was doing, (indicating),
- 6 he's putting the issue to you, the primary health issue to you,
- 7 and you are responding as the industry has responded
- 8 historically that causation's not been demonstrated, albeit as
- 9 the press -- as your interview reflected yesterday, there is a
- 10 potential risk factor. Was that language part of the language
- 11 that you used, "potential risk factor"?
- 12 A. It was.
- 13 Q. Did you believe at the time when you would make those
- 14 statements, did you expect that any significant number of people
- 15 who were listening to that statement would actually believe that
- 16 the statement was accurate scientifically or factually?
- 17 A. I think some would believe it.
- 18 Q. Any (sic)?
- 19 A. No.
- 20 Q. Was persuading people about the merit, that is the
- 21 scientific merit of the industry's position on primary --
- 22 THE COURT: Excuse me, I have to go back for a minute,
- 23 everybody, and I want you to look at the realtime transcript.
- MR. BERNICK: Okay.
- 25 THE COURT: Did you ask the question "any" or "many"?

- 1 MR. BERNICK: I think I --
- 2 THE COURT: Because as you will see, that one letter makes
- 3 a very big difference in the answer.
- 4 MR. BERNICK: You mean the one I just asked?
- 5 THE COURT: Yes.
- 6 MR. BERNICK: I said -- it wouldn't make sense if it
- 7 were -- if it were "many," it would have to be "any significant
- 8 number." Is that the question that you are focused on?
- 9 THE COURT: Yes. Well, if you think the transcript is
- 10 right, that's fine.
- 11 MR. BERNICK: It says did you --
- 12 THE COURT: Maybe I'm misreading it.
- 13 MR. BERNICK: "Did you believe at the time that you made
- 14 those statements, did you expect any significant number of people
- 15 who were listening to that statement would actually believe that
- 16 the statement was accurate scientifically or factually?"
- 17 She said, "I think some would believe it" -- oh, I see,
- 18 it's the next one. Sorry, I said "many" with an "M".
- 19 THE COURT: That's what I thought.
- 20 MR. BERNICK: I saw "any" in the prior question, I thought
- 21 that's what you were asking about.
- 22 THE COURT: That's what I thought.
- 23 BY MR. BERNICK:
- 24 Q. Now, here's what I want to get to. Beyond the prospect
- 25 of persuading some people, whatever the number was, about the

- 1 merits, the scientific merits of the Tobacco Institute's
- 2 position on these issues, was that the only purpose of your
- 3 being a spokesperson of the Tobacco Institute doing what they
- 4 were doing?
- 5 A. No. I was on these television programs talking about
- 6 other topics when I was asked this question, and they were
- 7 political, regulatory, legislative issues that were going on
- 8 generally.
- 9 Q. Okay. I want to be more precise in order to get to
- 10 what's going to be the Court's questions to you.
- 11 In those television programs where you were then asked the
- 12 primary health question, pick that one out, you said that gee, I
- 13 didn't expect that many people were going to be persuaded by it,
- 14 and you could take the other positions as well, was there any
- 15 purpose to your articulating the industry's position on these
- 16 issues other than the prospect of actually persuading many
- 17 people, some people, to agree that those positions were factually
- 18 or scientifically correct? Do you understand where I'm asking
- 19 you now? I'm asking you if there was any other purpose to the
- 20 communication?
- 21 A. I mean, the purpose was to respond to the question so
- 22 that you could, you know, then talk about the other issues. The
- 23 purpose wasn't to try to persuade people, the purpose was to try
- 24 to respond and move on.
- 25 Q. Okay. Let me then put this, now, in the context of the

1 question that the Court asked you. It says, you originally were

- 2 asked, "You and the Tobacco Institute intended the public to
- 3 rely upon the public statements you made on those television
- 4 shows?"
- 5 And the answer that was proposed by the government was:
- 6 "That's correct." And when the Court asked you those questions,
- 7 you ultimately said "yes".
- 8 And I want to ask you, first of all, whether, kind of now
- 9 looking back at that question and the way that you answered it
- 10 originally in your dialogue with the Court, with the benefit of
- 11 hindsight, should that have been your answer to begin with?
- 12 A. That's correct is fine, yes.
- 13 Q. Okay. What were you getting at by saying "our intent was
- 14 to communicate the views of the Tobacco Institute on industry
- 15 issues to the public"? Why is that anything different from
- 16 "rely"?
- 17 A. Because I did not want to answer in the affirmative that
- 18 I was trying to persuade people, that I was -- I mean that to me
- 19 was what the "rely" implied, that we were trying to persuade
- 20 people that smoking wasn't dangerous that we were affirmatively
- 21 selling that message, that I was affirmatively selling that
- 22 message, because I don't believe I was.
- 23 I was there to discuss, you know, in many cases, in most
- 24 cases, a legislative matter. The question came up, I answered
- 25 it, and then went back to the issue that we were discussing for

- 1 the, you know, for the rest of the 13 page transcript, for
- 2 example.
- 3 Q. And when you now recognize that the answer should have
- 4 been "yes", what relationship does that, if any, have to the
- 5 questions I was asking, which is when you did speak to the
- 6 issue, did you or did you not recognize that some people were
- 7 going to take it seriously on the facts and might believe it,
- 8 that that might be true for some people?
- 9 A. But for some people it might be true.
- 10 Q. I want to turn, finally, to this stack of documents here,
- 11 and I don't know, Your Honor, of a better way in which to do it
- 12 other than to just go through them.
- 13 There were questions that were asked of you concerning --
- 14 what happened to those -- Exhibit 855587, which was a press
- 15 release that made reference to Doctors LeVois, Lee, and Fleiss.
- 16 Do you recall that?
- 17 A. I do.
- 18 Q. And there were questions was anything disclosed on the
- 19 press release that LeVois had a relationship with the Tobacco
- 20 Institute, do you recall that?
- 21 A. I do.
- 22 Q. I want to show you JD 013143. Do you see that that's an
- 23 article in the Tulsa Tribune, Tulsa, Oklahoma, dated a little
- 24 while later, that is, the next year, 1991.
- 25 A. I do.

- 1 Q. It says, The Effect of Smoke On Nonsmokers Challenged.
- 2 It says, "Last year, at the request of the Tobacco Institute, I
- 3 submitted written comments to the Environmental Protection
- 4 Agency on portions of an EPA draft compendium of technical
- 5 information on ETS."
- And it's signed by the same individual, do you see that?
- 7 A. I see that.
- 8 Q. I want to show you JD 013142, which is a June 26, 1991
- 9 letter to the editor by Maurice LeVois, and all the different
- 10 people that he's writing are there, and it says, actually, let
- 11 me just check out, includes the Tulsa Tribune. "Dear Editor,
- 12 Again last year at the request of the Tobacco Institute" -- was
- 13 that letter written by Maurice LeVois preceding the article in
- 14 the Tulsa Tribune?
- 15 A. It is.
- 16 Q. And we see the same letterhead of fairly broad
- 17 distribution?
- 18 A. Yes, it would have.
- 19 Q. You then have Exhibit 85588, which was shown to you by
- 20 the government, dated January 20, 1992, again relating to the
- 21 EPA draft document. It has no attachments, and it makes
- 22 reference to a Dr. Flamm and a Dr. LeVois, again relating to
- 23 ETS, right?
- 24 A. Right.
- 25 Q. At that time, that is, July of 1992, showing you JD

- 1 013147, Flamm is writing now to the Scientific Advisory Board
- 2 staff office of the EPA, and says: "I've been asked by the
- 3 Tobacco Institute to comment on the draft EPA document." Do you
- 4 see that?
- 5 A. I see that.
- 6 Q. Here's another one, JD 013148, now, by Dr. LeVois meta
- 7 analysis, again, July 1st -- both of these are just prior to the
- 8 press release, is that fair?
- 9 A. That would be fair.
- 10 Q. Again, he said here, "I've been asked by the Tobacco
- 11 Institute to prepare comments."
- 12 Was there any doubt in your mind that the affiliations of
- 13 Doctors LeVois and Flamm to the Tobacco Institute was a matter of
- 14 public record?
- 15 A. It was a matter of public record.
- 16 Q. The criticisms that were made by those individuals, did
- 17 they or did they not -- did those types of criticisms ultimately
- 18 get aired in Court, that is, the EPA's risk assessment, were the
- 19 criticisms of the assessments aired in Court?
- 20 A. Yes they did.
- 21 Q. And what was the result if you know?
- 22 A. The EPA risk assessment was overturned.
- 23 Q. I'm going to show you Exhibit 22367, which is the Public
- 24 Affairs Management Plan Progress Report dated July 1990 that was
- 25 shown to you by the government. Do you recall that?

- 1 A. I do.
- 2 Q. And there was reference made to the Detroit News
- 3 publication of an editorial -- there is reference made to the
- 4 Detroit News publishing an editorial submitted by Joe Pedelty,
- 5 and there's no indication that he has an affiliation with the
- 6 Tobacco Institute; is that correct?
- 7 A. That's correct.
- 8 Q. Showing you JD 013141, which is the Detroit News July 26,
- 9 1990, Smokers Dangers Overplayed is the headline, it says by
- 10 Joseph Pedelty, do we see the description of the author includes
- 11 an attribution, or a disclosure, that he's done work for the
- 12 tobacco companies?
- 13 A. It's disclosed.
- 14 Q. Showing you 85588, which is -- I'm sorry, 85379 and -- I
- 15 guess it's just that one, 85379. This was the 1990 press
- 16 release that the government showed you dealing with the youth
- 17 smoking issue. It says "Experts would violate the first" -- the
- 18 Bill -- "Experts say Bill would violate First Amendment."
- 19 There's a reference here to Mr. Floyd Abrams to Professor
- 20 Mizersky, to -- I think it was one other, to Dr. Flamm, do you
- 21 see that again?
- 22 A. I do.
- 23 Q. And there were hearings that were being held at that
- 24 time, correct?
- 25 A. That's correct.

- 1 Q. Showing you JD 013144, do we see the same press release
- 2 as produced by the Tobacco Institute in Minnesota with
- 3 sequential pages 26755 up to 26888, and attached to the press
- 4 release are the actual statements that were being submitted to
- 5 Congress; is that accurate?
- 6 A. Yes, and as -- this is the package that would have been
- 7 at the congressional hearing on the press table. It would have
- 8 included all of the testimony.
- 9 Q. Okay. Taking a look at Floyd Abrams, does the statement
- 10 indicate on its face that he's appearing on behalf of the
- 11 Tobacco Institute? This is at the page ending 8 -- 082, excuse
- 12 me. It's the page that ends at the bottom, 26802. Is that the
- 13 same thing? It should be the first page of the statement?
- 14 A. On behalf of the -- it says statement of Floyd Abrams on
- 15 behalf of the Tobacco Institute.
- 16 Q. Same thing with respect to Mizersky at page ending 836,
- 17 the indication he's appearing on behalf of the Tobacco
- 18 Institute?
- 19 A. Statement of Richard Mizersky on behalf of the Tobacco
- 20 Institute.
- 21 Q. And then Dr. Flamm, this is the page ending 873 where it
- 22 says, "I've been asked by the Tobacco Institute to present my
- 23 views". Was there any doubt in your mind that with respect to
- 24 all three individuals it was a matter of public record that they
- 25 were appearing and had ties and were -- they were appearing on

- behalf of the Tobacco Institute?
- 2 A. There was no doubt in my mind.
- 3 MR. BERNICK: Thank you, Your Honor, that's all the
- 4 questions I have of the witness.
- 5 THE COURT: Any other defense counsel with questions for
- 6 this witness? Mr. Wise, how long do you think you'll be?
- 7 MR. WISE: Not very long, Your Honor. I think maybe a
- 8 half an hour at the longest.
- 9 THE COURT: All right, well, let's at least start, please.
- 10 REDIRECT EXAMINATION OF BRENNAN DAWSON
- 11 BY MR. WISE:
- 12 Q. Good morning, Ms. Dawson.
- 13 A. Good morning.
- 14 Q. Why don't we pick up where counsel left off and address
- 15 some of the other issues, some of the issues that were raised
- 16 yesterday. Let's start with talking about these letters to the
- 17 editor. Now, why don't we start with -- yesterday counsel
- 18 discussed with you, briefly, the Dallas ETS survey press release
- 19 and the events that surrounded that. Do you recall that?
- 20 A. Yes, I do.
- 21 Q. And you were shown that press release. Why don't I just
- 22 do it this way. Counsel showed you that, it's JD 013136. Do
- 23 you recognize this? Is this the Tobacco Institute June 30th
- 24 1987 press release that we discussed in your direct?
- 25 A. Yes, it is.

- 1 Q. And it's titled New Study of Actual Air Quality In
- 2 Restaurants, Offices Shows Tobacco Smoke is Insignificant
- 3 Factor"; is that correct?
- 4 A. That's correct.
- 5 Q. And it's referring to the Dallas survey we were
- 6 discussing, right?
- 7 A. It is.
- 8 Q. And counsel flipped past the press release to the second
- 9 attachment, I guess, statement of John Carson, and pointed you
- 10 to the fact that in that statement there was the sentence:
- 11 "Because of the company's" -- referring in this case to
- 12 Mr. Carson's company International Technological --
- 13 International Technology Corporation -- "Because of the
- 14 company's extensive experience in air quality areas, IT was
- 15 selected by the Tobacco Institute to collect and analyze samples
- 16 of indoor air in the metropolitan Dallas area". Did I read that
- 17 correctly?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. And it was your testimony that any reporter would have
- 20 known, after having read this press release and then read the
- 21 subsequent attachments, that what that meant was that the
- 22 Tobacco Institute had hired IT Corporation to conduct this
- 23 survey; isn't that right?
- 24 A. Yes.
- 25 Q. And that they would know that Mr. Carson, therefore, was

1 a paid contractor of the Tobacco Institute; isn't that correct?

- 2 A. Yes.
- 3 Q. Ms. Dawson, in your, I guess, 20 years of public affairs
- 4 work, are you familiar with the -- with an organization called
- 5 the United Press International?
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. And that's a national news organization? Is that a fair
- 8 way to characterize it?
- 9 A. Yes, it is.
- 10 Q. And reporters write stories and place it on this service
- 11 and then newspapers can pick them up and run them in their
- 12 newspapers with attribution to UPI; isn't that correct?
- 13 A. Right.
- 14 Q. Ms. Dawson I'm showing you an exhibit -- actually, can we
- 15 get this? It's 90103. It's U.S. Exhibit 90103. And I'll hand
- 16 you this copy, Ms. Dawson.
- 17 A. Thank you.
- 18 Q. And you'll see at the top it's listed UPI, you understand
- 19 that's the acronym for United Press International?
- 20 A. Yes.
- 21 Q. 6-30-87, June 30th, '87, the same day as the press
- 22 release, and the first paragraph reads: "Dallas" -- that's the
- $\,$  location of the ETS survey and where the press conference was
- 24 held; is that right?
- 25 A. Yes, it is.

1 Q. And it says, "A report released Tuesday" -- and there is

- 2 "release", in fact, that's the word used in the press
- 3 conference, right, the report was released by the Tobacco
- 4 Institute?
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 Q. "Said secondhand smoke is not as dangerous to nonsmokers
- 7 as previously estimated."
- 8 And then if we could scroll down to the paragraph that
- 9 starts "John Carson". "John Carson, air quality project manager
- 10 for International Technology", that's the contractor that
- 11 conducted the study, right?
- 12 A. Yes, it is.
- 13 Q. That was referred to in the press release as an
- 14 independent scientific team; isn't that correct?
- 15 A. I'm sorry, could you repeat the question?
- 16 Q. International Technology was referred to in the Tobacco
- 17 Institute press release as an independent scientific team; isn't
- 18 that correct?
- 19 A. That's right.
- 20 Q. Now, this paragraph reads: "John Carson, air quality
- 21 project manager for International Technology, said each office
- 22 or restaurant in the study was equipped with a briefcase
- 23 containing air quality measuring devices, the case was placed on
- 24 a desk or chair near the center of the area away from doors and
- 25 air vents." Did I read at a correctly?

- 1 A. Yes, you did.
- 2 Q. So the information that you testified, any journalist
- 3 would have known from reading the attachments to the press
- 4 release, is not, in fact, in this press report written based on
- 5 the press release, is it?
- 6 A. No, it says the Tobacco Institute released the report.
- 7 Q. Well, I didn't ask you about that first paragraph yet,
- 8 I'm asking about this paragraph. It says, "John Carson, air
- 9 quality project manager for International Technology." Nowhere
- 10 in this statement is the information that you said any reporter
- 11 would have known by reading the attachments to the press
- 12 release, nowhere is that information, in fact, in this
- 13 statement?
- 14 A. It's not in this paragraph, that's correct.
- 15 Q. Well, why don't we look -- you said it's not in this
- 16 paragraph. Why don't we take a moment to look at the press
- 17 release -- not at the press release, but the article in its
- 18 entirety, and, in fact, that information isn't contained
- 19 anywhere else in this article, is it?
- 20 A. The article refers to it as a Tobacco Institute study.
- 21 Q. Ms. Dawson, my question is, the fact that the
- 22 International Technology Corporation and John Carson were paid
- 23 by the Tobacco Institute, is that disclosed anywhere -- or is
- 24 that discussed anywhere else in this article?
- 25 A. The fact that it was a Tobacco Institute study, would

- 1 that not indicate that IT Corporation was paid by the Tobacco
- 2 Institute, if it was our study?
- 3 Q. Well, Ms. Dawson, if you could just answer my question.
- 4 I asked you if the fact that the information you said any
- 5 reporter would have known that John Carson was paid by the
- 6 Tobacco Institute, is that information in the paragraph that
- 7 discusses him, is that information contained there?
- 8 MR. BERNICK: Objection, Your Honor, asked and answered.
- 9 THE COURT: The objection's overruled, the witness may
- 10 answer.
- 11 THE WITNESS: I believe that the fact that, for example,
- 12 it says that it was a Tobacco Institute study, indicates that
- 13 people understood that IT was part of the Tobacco Institute study
- 14 and therefore, they would have been compensated.
- 15 BY MR. WISE:
- 16 Q. But if we could just focus on -- I think the testimony
- 17 you gave yesterday, and that is that the statement of John
- 18 Carson that was attached to the press release, would have
- 19 alerted any reporter, and I think you even said anyone with the
- 20 exception of the man on the street, that Mr. Carson, in fact,
- 21 was being paid by the Tobacco Institute, is that addressed in
- 22 the paragraph that talks about Mr. Carson?
- 23 A. Not in that paragraph.
- 24 THE COURT: But, Ms. Dawson, once you issue a press
- 25 release with whatever attachments are attached to it, do you

1 control what the press chooses to select out to put in its

- 2 stories?
- 3 THE WITNESS: No, Your Honor, you wouldn't.
- 4 BY MR. WISE:
- 5 Q. Well, Ms. -- may I, Your Honor?
- 6 Ms. Dawson, you testified yesterday that you ran media
- 7 tours to localities that were considering, I think you said,
- 8 public smoking bans, like Dallas; is that correct?
- 9 A. That's right.
- 10 Q. And you brought scientists and other people to, I think
- 11 you said, make media appearances, or some words to that effect?
- 12 A. That's right.
- 13 Q. But you issued national press releases; isn't that
- 14 correct?
- 15 A. I'm not sure that this would have been issued nationally.
- 16 Q. Well, it was picked up by UPI, which is a national wire
- 17 service, as you've testified to just a few moments ago; isn't
- 18 that right?
- 19 A. It was -- it does look like it was picked up by UPI, yes.
- 20 Q. And this would have then been broadcast nationally; isn't
- 21 that right?
- 22 A. Newspapers could have chosen to run it, yes, sir.
- 23 Q. And I'd ask you the same question about the press release
- 24 that discussed the New York City survey. Again, New York City
- 25 was considering a local smoking ban and you conducted media

- 1 tours in New York City; isn't that right?
- 2 A. Yes, we did.
- 3 Q. But you issued a national press release; isn't that
- 4 right?
- 5 A. The press release could have been picked up by the
- 6 Associated Press so that UPI -- for national distribution.
- 7 Q. It, in fact, would have been disseminated by you to AP
- 8 and the UPI, as you testified, in the ordinary course of
- 9 business at the Tobacco Institute; isn't that right?
- 10 A. Yes, for New York City, yes, it would have gone to AP in
- 11 New York City.
- 12 Q. Well, Ms. Dawson, is it your understanding that there was
- 13 a separate AP for New York City?
- 14 A. There's an office in New York City, yes.
- 15 Q. I didn't ask if there was an office, I asked if the
- 16 Associated Press is, in fact, a national news organization?
- 17 A. They are.
- 18 Q. So you sent this news article to a national news
- 19 organization?
- 20 A. Yes.
- 21 Q. Now, while we're on the subject of the local media tours,
- 22 I think you testified yesterday that these tours were limited to
- 23 areas, or that you undertook them and sent them to places where
- 24 state or government was considering public smoking bans; isn't
- 25 that right?

- 1 A. I don't believe that I testified that they were limited
- 2 to that. Working with our state and local lobbyists we would
- 3 select the places we would send them.
- 4 Q. You also did media tours, for instance, at meetings of
- 5 the American Medical Association; isn't that right?
- 6 A. We would have -- I remember a couple of times when we had
- 7 media availabilities, that is, people there ready to respond if
- 8 necessary.
- 9 Q. Just so we're clear, the only place, and I think just so
- 10 the record is clear, the Tobacco Institute media tours were not
- 11 limited to locals where government action was being considered?
- 12 A. The action didn't have to be contemporaneous to the media
- 13 tour, it could be something where a lobbyist said I anticipate a
- 14 problem next month, put me on the schedule.
- 15 Q. It could have also been at a location where you
- 16 anticipated a problem with a Tobacco Institute program; isn't
- 17 that correct?
- 18 A. I don't recall that occasion, but it -- that may be.
- 19 Q. Well, let's look at U.S. Exhibit 62252. This is the
- 20 public affairs management plan progress report from January '89.
- 21 You were shown this yesterday. I don't know if -- with the
- 22 stack up there it's probably a lot to ask to find it.
- 23 We're going to go to TI 09911601. We discussed this page
- 24 yesterday. This is the page that identifies media relations
- 25 primary responsibility, Brennan M. Dawson. Did I read that

- 1 correctly?
- 2 A. Yes, you did.
- 3 Q. And this public affairs management plan progress report
- 4 talks about the Tobacco Institute's Enough Is Enough campaign;
- 5 is that correct?
- 6 A. Yes, it does.
- 7 Q. And on the following page, a page we didn't discuss
- 8 yesterday in Court, at the very top it reads: "The Institute,
- 9 as part of aggressive promotion to respond to charges and
- 10 proposals and news coverage of the AMA's antismoking conference,
- 11 re ran the Enough Is Enough advertisement in the Houston Post on
- 12 the opening day of the conference and set up a media operation
- 13 in Houston that included an economic and scientific witness."
- 14 Did I read that correctly?
- 15 A. Yes, you did.
- 16 Q. And the next bullet point read: "Covering the conference
- 17 were about 20 media outlets, most from Houston television and
- 18 radio stations. From larger organizations, only CNN, Newsweek,
- 19 UPI and the Los Angeles Times were in attendance. Prior to
- 20 coverage of the antismoking agenda, TI had briefed these
- 21 national reporters." Did I read that correctly?
- 22 A. Yes, you did.
- 23 Q. And the next paragraph reads: "As a result of these
- 24 activities, the industry's views were featured in the media
- 25 coverage of the conference. In addition, the briefings provided

- 1 press representatives with ammunition for some tough and
- 2 specific questions of antismoking proposals." Did I read that
- 3 correctly?
- 4 A. Yes, you did.
- 5 Q. Just so the record is clear, the media tours also
- 6 included events like American Medical Association meetings;
- 7 isn't that right?
- 8 A. This wasn't a media tour. There was a scientific witness
- 9 and an economist that were made available to reporters covering
- 10 it. It's not a big distinction, but it explains my answer
- 11 previously.
- 12 Q. And you testified that a media tour consisted of a
- 13 scientific witness, or more, being sent to a location to answer
- 14 questions or interact in some other way with the press; isn't
- 15 that right?
- 16 A. Right, the mechanics of the two are just different.
- 17 O. But the substance is the same?
- 18 A. Um, no, not necessarily, because one, you would be going
- 19 out if there were a smoking proposal, you know, a smoking in
- 20 public place proposal, and the other you've got experts
- 21 available as things come out to be on the spot to make it easier
- 22 for reporters to get the views.
- 23 Q. I guess that's the last part of your answer I just want
- 24 to make clear. In any event, the Tobacco Institute took this
- 25 approach of setting up -- sending people to locations to address

- 1 media issues, whether it was a government -- in locations that
- 2 were considering government action or in private meetings, like
- 3 the American Medical Association; isn't that right?
- 4 A. Yes.
- 5 Q. Now, Ms. Dawson, yesterday, in response to a question
- 6 from counsel, or a series of questions from counsel, you said
- 7 that when you joined the TI, it was your understanding that if
- 8 the issue of smoking and disease was raised, you should get away
- 9 from it as quickly as possible; isn't that right?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. And you said the reason that you were -- your
- 12 understanding of why that was the Tobacco Institute's guidance
- 13 to you was that because, and you used the phrase "our position"
- 14 you said "our position" was not credible; isn't that right?
- 15 A. That's right.
- 16 Q. And by "our" you mean the Tobacco Institute's position?
- 17 A. That's right.
- 18 Q. And yet, as you testified yesterday, Ms. Dawson, after
- 19 you joined the Tobacco Institute in 1986, you went on
- 20 television, various television programs, and made statements to
- 21 the effect that the relationship, the causal relationship
- 22 between smoking and disease had not been proven; isn't that
- 23 correct?
- 24 A. That is correct.
- 25 Q. And we saw a clip of an appearance you made in 1986 on

- 1 CNN in which you stated that directly, that the causal
- 2 relationship had not been established; isn't that correct?
- 3 A. That's correct.
- 4 Q. And you also made that statement in 1999 on Good Morning
- 5 America, and we saw that clip yesterday, where you made the
- 6 statement the causal relationship has not been established;
- 7 isn't that correct?
- 8 A. Correct.
- 9 Q. And Mr. Bernick has put up a couple of time lines, and
- 10 just so we're clear, why don't we talk about some of the
- 11 statements you made and locate when in time they were?
- 12 THE COURT: Well, we're not going to make any 15 minutes,
- 13 but then I didn't think we would. So, let's take our morning
- 14 recess for 15 minutes, but I do hope that by approximately 11:30
- 15 you will have completed your redirect.
- 16 MR. WISE: Okay.
- 17 THE COURT: Approximately. 15 minutes.
- 18 (Thereupon, a break was had from 11:01 a.m. until
- 19 11:18 a.m.)
- 20 THE COURT: Mr. Wise.
- 21 BY MR. WISE:
- 22 Q. Ms. Dawson, before the break, we were talking about some
- 23 of the statements you made from the period of 1986 when you
- 24 joined the Tobacco Institute up through 1994. Do you recall
- 25 that?

- 1 A. Yes.
- 2 Q. And before we address some of those statements, and
- 3 perhaps we won't need to in specifics, but just so the record is
- 4 clear, you were asked a series of questions about a conference.
- 5 We saw some sort of report from the conference. I believe it
- 6 was a conference sponsored by -- I've got one up here.
- 7 The conference was entitled "Media Strategies For Smoking
- 8 Control From a Consensus Workshop Conducted By the Advocacy
- 9 Institute For the National Cancer Institute" and it was JD
- 10 004595. Do you recall that?
- 11 A. I do recall it.
- 12 Q. And you gave testimony after being read some sections of
- 13 this document that, in fact, after this conference, after 1988,
- 14 you were asked questions about whether smoking caused disease on
- 15 your many television appearances. Do you recall that testimony?
- 16 A. I do.
- 17 Q. Now, isn't it true, Ms. Dawson, that a year later, in
- 18 1989, the Surgeon General issued another major report on smoking
- 19 and disease?
- 20 A. Do you mean the 25th anniversary report from the Surgeon
- 21 General?
- 22 Q. That's exactly what I mean. Isn't that correct?
- 23 A. That's correct.
- 24 Q. And for instance, when you appeared on "Good Morning
- 25 America," you were asked to appear or -- well, strike that.

1 You appeared on "Good Morning America" on the same day as

- 2 the release of the 25th anniversary of the 1964 Surgeon
- 3 General's Report, isn't that correct?
- 4 A. I don't recall if it was the same day, but yes, I do
- 5 recall that appearance.
- 6 Q. And so is it fair to say, for instance, in 1989 when you
- 7 appeared on "Good Morning America," you appeared on "Good
- 8 Morning America" to address the Surgeon General's Report, not
- 9 this conference that had occurred a year earlier; is that
- 10 correct?
- 11 A. That's correct.
- 12 Q. Now, Ms. Dawson, we've looked at a couple video clips of
- 13 statements you made on television to -- well, I'm going to limit
- 14 it to two of the issues up on the time line here. And I just
- 15 want to, just so we're clear, so the record is clear, just
- 16 review briefly some of those statements and when they occurred.
- 17 Now, we saw a clip from CNN's "Newsmaker Sunday" in
- 18 1986 -- I'll just abbreviate "Newsmaker Sunday" -- where you
- 19 addressed the issue of causation; isn't that correct?
- 20 A. That's correct.
- 21 Q. And we also saw a clip where you appeared on "Good
- 22 Morning America" in 1989. And I don't know where is a good
- 23 point to put that, but -- well, why don't we put it right about
- 24 here.
- 25 Appeared on "Good Morning America" and addressed the

- 1 issue of causation; isn't that correct?
- 2 A. That's correct.
- 3 Q. And you appeared on CNN's "Crossfire" in 1990 and you
- 4 again addressed issues of smoking and disease; isn't that
- 5 correct?
- 6 A. Yes. In all of those instances I was asked a question
- 7 about it, right.
- 8 Q. And you made statements in response to those questions?
- 9 A. Yes.
- 10 Q. And then you also appeared in 1990 on a program called
- 11 "Newswatch" -- "Nightwatch"; I'm sorry -- that was a CBS
- 12 program, I think?
- 13 A. Right. That was the one with Mr. Waxman -- Congressman
- 14 Waxman.
- 15 Q. And that was in 1990 and you made statements regarding
- smoking and disease on that program; isn't that correct?
- 17 A. That's correct.
- MR. BERNICK: Your Honor, I'm not sure where this is
- 19 going, but I would object. This is a reiteration of the
- 20 chronology that counsel for the government specifically went
- 21 through in his first cross-examination (sic).
- THE COURT: Where are we going, Mr. Wise?
- MR. WISE: In a moment, Your Honor, I'm going to add the
- 24 same chronology for some of the addiction statements, just to
- 25 complete -- now that we have this time line of Ms. Dawson's

- 1 activities, just to complete that.
- 2 Or I can move on, Your Honor. I mean, if --
- 3 THE COURT: I think you can move on, Mr. Wise.
- 4 BY MR. WISE:
- 5 Q. Let's talk just for a minute about a couple of the
- 6 statements you made concerning addiction. When you appeared on
- 7 "Good Morning America" in 1989 -- why don't we just look at the
- 8 transcript from that. We saw a clip from this show yesterday.
- 9 You appeared with -- you appeared with Dr. Timothy Johnson, who
- 10 was the "Good Morning America" Medical Editor; isn't that
- 11 correct?
- 12 A. That's correct.
- 13 Q. And here, I guess Dr. Johnson makes a statement: "Well,
- 14 I just can't help but smile when they talk about 50 million
- 15 smokers making an informed choice to smoke, as though they all
- 16 sat down as adults, sat down, listened to the evidence, reasoned
- 17 back and forth and then made a rational choice to start smoking.
- 18 In fact, what we know happens is that the vast majority of
- 19 smokers start as kids and teenagers. They are not making
- 20 rational, informed choices. They are making choices under the
- 21 pressure of peer pressure and led by seductive, sexy
- 22 advertising. And then when they do become adults, they spend
- 23 the rest of their life trying to kick this addictive habit. So
- 24 they're not making free choices to begin with and they don't
- 25 have a very free choice to quit even when they want to."

1 And just so the record's clear, this is U.S. Exhibit

- 2 21286 and I was reading from page TI- -- well page 2, TIMN
- 3 389475.
- 4 The next page, the host, Joan Lunden, I guess, interrupts
- 5 and it carries over from the last part of what Dr. Johnson said.
- 6 And Ms. Lunden is attributed as saying: "Most of the surveys,
- 7 you must admit, Ms. Dawson, do show that the majority of the
- 8 smokers are the poorer people, the less educated people, the
- 9 younger people, so many would say: 'Aren't you directing your
- 10 ads to this group of people who are much more likely to
- 11 succumb?'"
- 12 And then you're quoted as saying: "I can't allow the
- 13 claim that smoking is addictive to go unchallenged." And then
- 14 this is where the clip we showed yesterday picks up; isn't that
- 15 correct?
- 16 A. That's correct.
- 17 Q. So it's fair to say in this example, Ms. Dawson, you were
- 18 asked a question about, I think, directing ads at people who
- 19 were likely to succumb and you made the statement: "I can't
- 20 allow the claim that smoking is addictive to go unchallenged,"
- 21 referring to the statement Dr. Johnson had made; isn't that
- 22 right?
- 23 MR. BERNICK: I'm sorry, Your Honor. I really think that
- 24 if that's the question being asked, and I do not have an
- 25 opportunity for recross, you have to go back to the top of page

- 1 2, which preceded the thing that you were showing before.
- 2 Do you see where it says -- well, at the top of page 2,
- 3 you'll see that there's a statement regarding "addictive" there.
- 4 THE COURT: It's up to you, Mr. Wise, what you want to put
- 5 in or not.
- 6 BY MR. WISE:
- 7 Q. I'm just -- here again, this is another statement by
- 8 Dr. Johnson, if I'm reading correctly, that "smoking is a
- 9 terribly addictive problem." So if that clarifies the record
- 10 that Dr. Johnson made two statements that smoking was addictive
- 11 and then you responded with: "I can't allow the claim that
- 12 smoking is addictive to go unchallenged"; isn't that correct?
- 13 A. Yes, that's correct.
- 14 Q. And in fact, you weren't asked a question at that moment,
- 15 whether or not smoking was addictive, were you?
- 16 A. No, although it had come up repeatedly previously.
- 17 Q. Now, Ms. Dawson, you made statements on these television
- 18 programs both in response to questions or, as we just saw, in
- 19 response to things other participants on the program said; isn't
- 20 that correct?
- 21 A. That's correct.
- 22 Q. And you testified yesterday that you intended the public
- 23 to rely on statements you made on television; isn't that
- 24 correct?
- 25 A. That's correct.

- 1 Q. And is it fair to say that you intended -- and it's fair
- 2 to say, isn't it, that you intended the public to rely on
- 3 statements you made on television whether they were in response
- 4 to questions or spontaneous statements you made in reference to
- 5 statements made by others; is that fair to say?
- 6 A. That's fair.
- 7 MR. WISE: I have nothing further, Your Honor.
- 8 THE COURT: All right. Ms. Dawson, thank you. You may
- 9 step down.
- 10 THE WITNESS: Thank you.
- 11 MR. WISE: Your Honor, could we have one moment? I think
- 12 we have one additional question.
- 13 THE COURT: All right, Ms. Dawson. Just a moment.
- 14 MR. WISE: If we could, Your Honor, just one, just to
- 15 clarify -- well, two things, I think, just to clarify for the
- 16 record.
- 17 BY MR. WISE:
- 18 Q. We did reference this document "Media Strategies For
- 19 Smoking Control" and I think you made the statement that you had
- 20 seen it before. When did you see this document, Ms. Dawson?
- 21 A. After it was published in the 1980s.
- 22 Q. Did you review this document with your counsel when you
- 23 were preparing for your testimony today?
- 24 MR. BERNICK: No. "Your testimony to-" -- I'm not sure --
- 25 THE COURT: You have to ask it more clearly.

- 1 BY MR. WISE:
- 2 Q. When you were preparing your corrected written direct for
- 3 this case.
- 4 A. I'm trying to remember if I've seen it in the last week.
- 5 I may have.
- 6 Q. Well, Ms. Dawson, when I asked you if you had seen any
- 7 other documents in addition to the documents referenced in your
- 8 written direct, is it now your answer that you -- I think you
- 9 said may have seen this; is that correct?
- 10 A. That's correct.
- 11 Q. Are there any other documents that you may have seen?
- 12 A. Again, when you asked me the question yesterday, I said
- 13 "I don't think so" because I was trying to recall if there was
- 14 anything specifically that wasn't an exhibit and I didn't.
- 15 Q. I just want to make sure there is nothing else that falls
- 16 into that category.
- 17 A. Not that I can recall.
- 18 MR. WISE: And just one other minor point -- well, I won't
- 19 say minor point. One other point to clarify on the record.
- 20 Counsel has stipulated that Ms. Dawson's salary for last
- 21 year was 311,000. The uncorrected written direct now has it at
- 22 300,000. I would move to, I guess, strike that and have it
- 23 replaced with 311,000.
- 24 THE COURT: That's granted.
- 25 MR. WISE: And just so it's clear, counsel also stipulated

- 1 that an anticipated bonus of approximately 50 percent of that
- 2 base salary is expected. And just so that's in the record, that
- 3 would bring Ms. Dawson's compensation for last year, I think,
- 4 very approximately, to about \$460,000.
- 5 THE COURT: 466,000
- 6 MR. WISE: \$466,000. Thank you, Your Honor. Now I have
- 7 nothing further.
- 8 THE COURT: All right. You may step down, Ms. Dawson.
- 9 THE WITNESS: Thank you.
- 10 THE COURT: All right, everybody. We have a lot of
- 11 exhibit work to do. Let me take the two most recent witnesses
- 12 first. Are counsel working on the exhibits relating to
- 13 Dr. Biglan?
- 14 MS. BROOKER: Excuse me. What was your question, Your
- 15 Honor.
- 16 THE COURT: My question is: Are counsel working on the
- 17 exhibits relating to Dr. Biglan or have you actually completed
- 18 that work? You were going to look at them and try to resolve any
- 19 differences.
- 20 MS. BROOKER: I think we have tried to do that. And maybe
- 21 if I get my papers and whoever is going to represent defendants,
- 22 we can try to work through some of those. I think we may --
- 23 there may be -- we have resolved some and others, we have, I
- 24 think, agreed that we have not resolved.
- 25 THE COURT: All right. That's fine.

1 MR. BERNICK: We do have that one issue outstanding with

- 2 respect to Dr. Biglan, which is the --
- 3 THE COURT: Right. You'll have to do that as well. First
- 4 of all, I have to get the right folders.
- 5 MR. BERNICK: Do you want to hear that matter now?
- 6 THE COURT: Let's do the exhibits first and then I'll hear
- 7 that other matter.
- 8 MS. BROOKER: You want to do Dr. Biglan's exhibits first.
- 9 THE COURT: Yes.
- MS. BROOKER: Who's going to be handling them? Are you,
- 11 Renee?
- 12 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, Renee Honigberg on behalf of
- 13 Brown & Williamson Holdings, Inc.
- 14 And, Your Honor, the only outstanding issue memo issue for
- 15 Dr. Biglan -- I think we've resolved all the other issue memo
- 16 issues -- is what documents were or were not on Dr. Biglan's
- 17 reliance list. And I understand the government is still working
- 18 to get us information as to what is or is not on Dr. Biglan's
- 19 reliance list and we will go from there.
- 20 I believe there may be some individual defendants who have
- 21 issues with specific Dr. Biglan exhibits.
- 22 THE COURT: All right. But let's leave things clearly.
- 23 Do you believe that your client and the government can resolve
- 24 the reliance exhibit issues?
- 25 MS. HONIGBERG: I believe -- we have always been able to

- 1 work out what is really on or not on the exhibit list amicably.
- 2 And I don't know the government's position. Our position is, of
- 3 course, to the extent we agree that something is not on the
- 4 reliance list, that it does not come in. Dr. Biglan testified
- 5 about all of these documents in his direct or his demonstrative.
- 6 There can be no claim that he didn't rely or consider them.
- 7 THE COURT: Correct. Also, my understanding from his
- 8 testimony is that there were a huge number of documents on his
- 9 reliance list. So as to Brown & Williamson and the government,
- 10 you ought to be able, in a day or two or three, to submit to me
- 11 the kind of order that everybody's been submitting all along,
- 12 getting those exhibits in?
- 13 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, I can address that and maybe
- 14 move this along, even. I'm prepared today -- I'll hand here to
- 15 Ms. Honigberg -- what we had agreed to do was for the
- 16 approximately 85 exhibits that Dr. Biglan included in his direct
- 17 testimony which defendants could not locate in one of his
- 18 disclosure letters or the, you know, numerous CD-ROMs, we have
- 19 created a list of each exhibit and where that was disclosed
- 20 specifically. And we have been able to locate for every exhibit
- 21 that was questioned by defendants where Dr. Biglan disclosed
- 22 that.
- 23 So I think that, you know, of course defendants will
- 24 follow up on this, but we're going to hand right now a copy of
- 25 that to Ms. Honigberg and then we can just work this out. And

- 1 hopefully, this will resolve the matter.
- 2 THE COURT: All right. Fine.
- 3 Mr. Redgrave, do you want to proceed?
- 4 MR. REDGRAVE: Thank you, Your Honor. By way of general
- 5 background, I want to alert the Court, there are a lot of exhibit
- 6 objections that were raised by the various defendants and they're
- 7 in our omnibus submission for each of these witnesses.
- 8 We're prepared to go through those. I will say that when
- 9 we looked over this last night, we wanted to highlight a couple
- 10 of those and argue those before Your Honor where we think
- 11 additional information is necessary. Otherwise, the objections
- 12 have been made for Your Honor with respect to hearsay and other
- 13 matters like that and just can be ruled upon. And I don't know
- 14 how you want to proceed that way.
- 15 I do have one argument with respect to a document of
- 16 Reynolds that the government has asked to be admitted with
- 17 Dr. Biglan and that is U.S. Exhibit 20848. And, Your Honor, it's
- 18 up on the screen as well.
- 19 We objected to this document, Your Honor under 401, 402
- 20 and 802. The document you see up here on the screen -- this is
- 21 the cover page of it -- you can actually see that it's not
- 22 prepared for Reynolds, but it's prepared for another company,
- 23 RJR-MacDonald, Inc., and that was the Reynolds' international
- 24 subsidiary or sister corporation in Canada. And you will also
- 25 see that it's prepared for them by a company down here at the

1 bottom, Creative Research Group, Limited. And the date of this

- 2 is 1987.
- 3 The government, in responding to our objection, stated
- 4 that the document was in the Reynolds' possession since 1996 and
- 5 it's not being offered for the truth of the matter asserted, but
- 6 being offered to show that it was in Reynolds' possession and
- 7 that Reynolds thus possessed research relating to teenagers.
- 8 Your Honor, a little bit of background here that I think
- 9 proves up our objection to the document and why it should not be
- 10 admitted with Dr. Biglan.
- 11 THE COURT: Was it referred to in his direct testimony?
- 12 MR. REDGRAVE: Yes.
- 13 THE COURT: Was it referred to in any of the Findings of
- 14 Fact -- Proposed Findings of Fact?
- 15 MR. REDGRAVE: Yes, Your Honor. It's in the government's
- 16 Proposed Findings of Fact.
- 17 THE COURT: You have an uphill battle.
- MR. REDGRAVE: I know that, Your Honor, and I'm prepared
- 19 to go up that hill.
- 20 THE COURT: Go ahead.
- 21 MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, the document itself in 1987 --
- 22 the Creative Research Group is a group up in Canada that was
- 23 doing just general research. And if you look through this
- 24 document, which itself is several pages long -- and I could hand
- 25 it up to Your Honor.

1 You'll see it has a general section and a specific section

- 2 at the end. Creative Research Group went around with this
- 3 syndicated research, trying to sell it to many different
- 4 individuals, corporations, governments, and it just collected a
- 5 lot of data. They also offered specific tailoring to any
- 6 individual that wanted to purchase --
- 7 THE COURT: I did open, totally randomly, to a page that
- 8 begins: "Females are more avid readers than males." Let the
- 9 record reflect that.
- 10 Go ahead, Mr. Redgrave.
- 11 MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, two other exhibits that have
- 12 been identified by defendants really weigh in on this issue.
- 13 And, Jamey, if you could show up, first, document JD
- 14 60382, please.
- 15 This document, Your Honor, goes before the date of this
- 16 document in your hands being prepared and it shows really how
- 17 this came to be. This person at Creative Research had contacted
- 18 a person at RJR-MacDonald, the Canadian company, and asked, would
- 19 you be interested in purchasing a subscription? And
- 20 RJR-MacDonald had decided to. But importantly, you'll note, in
- 21 that second -- I'm sorry -- the third paragraph down, I'll read
- 22 this out: "As I've explained to you, our industry does not
- 23 market its products to those aged under 18. Could you,
- 24 therefore, please ensure that in your analysis and reporting, you
- 25 focus your attention on the 18 to 24 age group."

1 Now, Your Honor, in response to that, the Creative

- 2 Research Group wrote on February 20th.
- 3 And, Jamey, could you show 60029.
- 4 Now, in this document, Creative Research writes back. And
- 5 you'll see in the second paragraph that: "Not only will they be
- 6 receiving a full analysis of the values and lifestyles; we have
- 7 noted your request that we focus attention on the 18 to 24 age
- 8 group." So even with respect to the Canadian corporation, that's
- 9 what they wanted; that's what they were talking about.
- Now, this document has been proffered by the government
- 11 because it has ages under 18 in the document. And it does. But
- 12 that is not probative whatsoever to the issue of what even the
- 13 Canadian corporation might have been doing.
- 14 But more importantly, Your Honor, the government in the
- 15 Findings of Fact have tried to use this document to say that R.J.
- 16 Reynolds Tobacco Company in Winston-Salem, North Carolina had
- 17 this information in 1987 and they tried to tie it together with
- 18 the Camel campaign, the Joe Camel campaign.
- 19 This document, Your Honor, did not come into R.J. Reynolds
- 20 Tobacco Company's possession until 1996. The reason for that was
- 21 that --
- 22 THE COURT: This was after the Joe Camel campaign had
- 23 terminated or not?
- MR. REDGRAVE: That's around the same time, Your Honor.
- 25 That was with the FTC inquiry with respect to Joe Camel and I

- 1 think in '96, it was either over or pretty close -- '96 to '98,
- 2 but certainly not anywhere near the genesis of that campaign.
- 3 And importantly, Your Honor, it came to Reynolds through
- 4 the Legal Department because there was in Canada the ad ban
- 5 litigation in the mid 1990s, so Reynolds in the United States
- 6 became aware of different documents being produced by
- 7 RJR-MacDonald in Canada and this is one that certain individuals
- 8 had highlighted because it had age.
- 9 And in fact, Jamey, if you'll just pull up a screen from
- 10 the Reynolds tobacco document website, it shows the information
- 11 that the government has.
- 12 This is the index information. If you remember, in the
- 13 early case management orders, you required us to produce our
- 14 website; you required us to produce our index.
- 15 And if you look down, this is the 1987 document we were
- 16 just looking at. The author is Creative Research Group. You see
- 17 it went to RJR International, not R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.
- 18 And if you go down to the source -- that is, where did we pick it
- 19 up in the files of Reynolds -- the Law Department.
- 20 Okay. This is not something that the Marketing Research
- 21 Group was using at R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company to look at any
- 22 campaigns for any brands in the United States by R.J. Reynolds
- 23 Tobacco Company. It's not probative of anything in this case
- 24 under rule 401; it's prejudicial under Rule 403; it's been
- 25 misused by the government in the Findings of Fact. That document

- 1 should be excluded.
- 2 I will add also, Your Honor, that the document also was
- 3 submitted with Dr. Dolan, so this objection is the same as it
- 4 would be there. Your Honor, it shouldn't come in. And that's my
- 5 uphill climb.
- 6 THE COURT: All right. Ms. Brooker.
- 7 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, I think I'll just be very brief
- 8 in response. And I'm not sure, standing here now, I could
- 9 respond to all the factual assertions and arguments about the
- 10 entire context, as Mr. Redgrave just argued and portrayed it, but
- 11 I would say it's not a basis for an evidentiary objection.
- 12 All of the arguments made by Mr. Redgrave, I would -- I
- 13 believe, go to the weight of the evidence and not the
- 14 admissibility of the document.
- 15 And also, defendants had an opportunity and chose not to,
- 16 for whatever reason they so chose, to not ask Dr. Biglan about
- 17 his understanding of the context of the document that he cited
- 18 and they had that opportunity.
- 19 I would say that the document is something that Dr. Biglan
- 20 cited as something -- in a huge volume of materials that he
- 21 relied upon. And there, specific in their objection, defendants
- 22 admit that they were in -- that R.J. Reynolds tobacco was in the
- 23 possession of this document and that it was contained in the
- 24 files of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.
- 25 THE COURT: But six years after it was created, right?

- 1 MR. REDGRAVE: Nine, Your Honor.
- 2 THE COURT: Pardon?
- 3 MR. REDGRAVE: Nine years later.
- 4 MS. BROOKER: Correct. And they said after it was
- 5 written.
- 6 So I would just ask that Your Honor admit the document and
- 7 you can obviously hear argument on it at an appropriate time.
- 8 THE COURT: I'm going to sustain the objection, but I want
- 9 to be very clear with everybody why.
- 10 Because certainly, as I suggested in my initial questions
- 11 to Mr. Redgrave, it is presumptively admissible. It was cited in
- 12 the direct testimony and it was cited in the Proposed Findings of
- 13 Fact. And so, therefore, obviously the defendants have to
- 14 overcome that presumption.
- 15 The reason I think that they have overcome it in this
- 16 instance -- I don't want anybody to draw the wrong conclusions
- 17 from this ruling, which is limited to this particular exhibit --
- 18 is that Dr. Biglan's testimony used this document as part of a
- 19 great deal of other support to buttress his analysis regarding
- 20 the use of data and tracking information and all sorts of
- 21 statistical information about individuals under the age of 18.
- 22 And obviously, that was very significant.
- 23 In fact, RJR International made it clear to the producer
- 24 of this document that it didn't want information on individuals
- 25 under the age of 18 and it would appear that the creator of the

- 1 information agreed to that limitation, although in fact did not.
- 2 Second, RJR, meaning RJR in the United States, didn't
- 3 obtain the document in its files until nine years after it was
- 4 created. And obviously, that would greatly affect the
- 5 meaningfulness of its use in terms of the creation of any
- 6 advertising and media campaigns by RJR in the United States.
- 7 For those reasons, I find that the admission of this
- 8 document, again, in this very specific factual context, that
- 9 under Rule 403, its admission would be more prejudicial than
- 10 probative.
- 11 We all know that the issue of youth smoking is a very
- 12 important one in this case. There's been an enormous amount of
- 13 testimony about it. Dr. Biglan, of course, focused all of his
- 14 testimony on it.
- 15 No, not all, but virtually all of his testimony on it.
- 16 And any evidence that would support the view that defendants were
- 17 targeting through their marketing individuals under the age of 18
- 18 is clearly prejudicial. And given the reasons I've just laid
- 19 out, I do not think that that conclusion can be appropriately
- 20 drawn from this particular document.
- 21 I spent a long time on that explanation. I'm not going to
- 22 spend that kind of time most of the time, as you all know.
- 23 All right. Let's move on, please. Now, as to other
- 24 objections --
- 25 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, if I may --

1 THE COURT: No, I'm not going to take further argument on

- 2 it. I gave everybody an opportunity to argue. We'll never get
- 3 done. I cut off Mr. Bernick at times; sometimes I have to cut
- 4 off the government.
- 5 As to RJR's other objections, do you want me to just rule
- 6 on the basis of the papers that I have in front of me? I don't
- 7 even know which ones are RJR's.
- 8 MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, with respect to a number of
- 9 objections on Rule 403 grounds and Rule 901 grounds, we sent a
- 10 communication to the government last night, and I'll admit that
- 11 it was late, with respect to some of those we asked them to look
- 12 at further. And what I'm hoping through that process is, as the
- 13 agreed upon orders have come in before, that the government will
- 14  $\,$  substitute the pages to make those the right exhibits or break up
- 15 the documents to make them the right exhibits.
- 16 With respect to some of the duplication of exhibits, I
- 17 think maybe the water has just gone too far over the damn at this
- 18 point. We had objections, for instance, Your Honor, where they
- 19 have two documents that are virtually the same; the only
- 20 difference might be a fax line at the top, but they're not being
- 21 offered for the importance of that fax line, and we had asserted
- 22 the objection. We're going to see if we can get the government
- 23 to agree to have just one of those document in the massive pile.
- 24 But given that they are referenced by different experts with
- 25 different exhibit numbers, it may be just too late for that and

- 1 that's just a problem that we have to all live with.
- 2 But we'll confer with the government on that. I don't
- 3 think there's a need to go through those document by document
- 4 with Your Honor unless you see otherwise. We can do that; I'm
- 5 happy to do that, but I don't think so. So that's where we'd
- 6 like to leave those other documents.
- 7 THE COURT: At this point, I certainly don't choose to go
- 8 through them one by one while you and the government are still
- 9 trying to work it out.
- 10 MR. REDGRAVE: And I think we'll quickly come to a
- 11 conclusion on those, Your Honor.
- 12 I think Mr. Narko does have some documents for Philip
- 13 Morris.
- 14 THE COURT: All right.
- 15 MS. MOLTZEN: Your Honor, if I could just address that
- 16 briefly, the United States already, in its response to the
- 17 objections, made a lot of the changes or alterations that
- 18 Mr. Redgrave is referring to, so the issue of duplication
- 19 shouldn't be an issue that the water is too far over the damn, as
- 20 Mr. Redgrave is saying.
- 21 But I wanted to, just quickly, so don't get past this and
- 22 have confusion in the record, raise an issue which came up.
- 23 Ms. Honigberg said that there was only one remaining issue
- 24 related to Dr. Biglan's testimony and I just wanted to make sure
- 25 with Your Honor that what defendants were saying is that they are

1 withdrawing the other two issues that they raised in their issue

- 2 motion, because there are three issues raised in their issue
- 3 motion.
- 4 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, as to issue two, which I
- 5 believe was the learned treatise issue, actually the government
- 6 withdrew exhibits that we agreed were subject to that hearsay
- 7 issue. And then there were others that they pointed out to us
- 8 may have been erroneous included in that, so we came to a
- 9 resolution on that issue.
- 10 The third issue, the cumulative issue, we pointed out to
- 11 the Court that we thought portions of Dr. Biglan's testimony were
- 12 cumulative in the sense of other experts' testimony. We point
- 13 that out to the Court; there were not, you know, a whole line of
- 14 specific exhibits or specific page and lines. We just note that
- 15 for the record that that -- that we had an objection to that
- 16 basis.
- 17 THE COURT: All right. Let me hear from Philip Morris,
- 18 please.
- 19 MR. NARKO: Good morning, Your Honor. Kevin Narko for
- 20 Philip Morris.
- 21 The exhibits I would like to address are some of the
- $\,$  22  $\,$  documents that Mr. Webb used with Dr. Biglan. If this is the
- 23 right time, I would like to address those now.
- 24 THE COURT: You may do so.
- 25 MR. NARKO: And there are two sets of exhibits that I

1 would like to address and the first relates to Websites. And

- 2 there are three Websites that Mr. Webb used. The first one is JD
- 3 054530.
- 4 THE COURT: Now, is this -- or I should say, are these on
- 5 the list of objections that defendants submitted on January 6th?
- 6 MR. NARKO: No. These are documents that Mr. Webb used
- 7 during his cross-examination of Dr. Biglan.
- 8 THE COURT: That you're moving in now?
- 9 MR. NARKO: Right. Yes, Your Honor.
- 10 THE COURT: Well, first of all, let me find out: Does the
- 11 government know the list and do you have objections?
- 12 MS. BROOKER: Yes. Mr. Narko and I -- and granted, we
- 13 have all been working very late doing this, so there have been
- 14 e-mails back and forth through the evening on this. And I think
- 15 he and I both have a list and I believe we have agreed where
- 16 we're going to disagree and we don't have to bring before the
- 17 Court all of the agreements that we do have. We can work that --
- 18 we can work that out.
- 19 THE COURT: I don't need to hear agreements at all.
- MS. BROOKER: But we do have some document issues.
- 21 THE COURT: We should proceed in this fashion. The
- 22 government should go first in terms of raising what objections it
- 23 does have and then, of course, I'll hear the answer from
- 24 defendants.
- 25 MS. BROOKER: Okay, Your Honor. Let me see if I can go

- 1 about that efficiently. I would say --
- 2 THE COURT: Did you all plan to do it the other way?
- 3 MS. BROOKER: You can stay here, Kevin.
- 4 MR. NARKO: I can move over.
- 5 MS. BROOKER: No, this is perfectly fine. However Your
- 6 Honor wants to proceed, we're happy to proceed.
- 7 Now, with respect to JD 054530, I only bring it up because
- 8 Mr. Narko just brought it up and I hadn't had an opportunity to
- 9 tell him we won't object to the admission of that exhibit.
- 10 THE COURT: All right.
- 11 MS. BROOKER: There are -- let's see. There are five
- 12 advertisements; I would refer to them as "advertisement
- demonstratives" that Mr. Webb used, which we have the same
- 14 objection to all of them, so if -- how about if I read the
- 15 exhibit numbers into the record and then I can state my basis for
- 16 the objections?
- The exhibit numbers are JD 054543, JD 054544, JD
- 18 Exhibit 054541, JD Exhibit 054546 and JD Exhibit 054545. And the
- 19 objections are that these are advertising images; these were the
- 20 images that were not the ones used in Dr. Biglan's examination,
- 21 the Vantage advertisements.
- 22 THE COURT: Were these the exhibits -- and if they are, I
- 23 remember them very well -- that Mr. Webb used to attempt to show
- 24 that there was essentially no difference in terms of certain
- 25 attributes of the advertisements that Dr. Biglan referred to and

1 the advertisements by products that had virtually no appeal to

- 2 youth?
- 3 MR. NARKO: These were the cigarette ads where one ad was
- 4 masked -- the brand name was masked and then it appeared, but
- 5 they were all cigarette brands.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: The exhibits --
- 7 THE COURT: They were cigarette brands that had
- 8 virtually -- well, let me put it this way: That had an extremely
- 9 low percentage of youth smokers.
- MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, I don't mean to interrupt this,
- 11 but I have been passed a note that our live feed is not working
- 12 and I guess I should be asking the Court if that is a problem.
- 13 The live feed at our table is not working. Is that true
- 14 over on defendants' table?
- 15 THE COURT: So it's not working for anybody?
- 16 (Discussion had off the record between the court and the
- 17 court reporter.)
- 18 THE COURT: I think it's on, everybody. I think.
- 19 Okay. Now, here are your instructions, everyone. They
- 20 come from Mr. Wallace. Everybody has to slow down. Ms. Brooker,
- 21 you talk really fast, almost as fast as Mr. Redgrave. That's
- 22 number one.
- 23 Number two, everybody has to clearly identify themselves
- 24 for the record so that our court reporter knows who's talking.
- 25 All right.

1 There are five advertisements to which the government has

- 2 an objection. What's the objection, please.
- 3 MS. BROOKER: The objection -- there's two objections to
- 4 those five demonstratives or advertisements. The first one is
- 5 that there was no kind of a foundation laid for the
- 6 advertisements. And when I say "no foundation," I mean there was
- 7 no indication as Dr. Biglan had seen those previously or that we
- 8 knew where those advertisements were placed, if they ever were
- 9 placed, what the date of the advertisement was. They may not
- 10 have been advertisements that were ever placed in any media.
- 11 There was just absolutely no foundation at all for the
- 12 advertisements.
- 13 And the second objection that I would have is that, if
- 14 Your Honor will recall -- and I don't know if Mr. Narko has an
- 15 example, but there would be an advertisement on two different
- 16 demonstratives, one with the words and one without the words and
- 17 they are marked as the same number. So I think the record, if
- 18 Your Honor -- that objection would go to if Your Honor was going
- 19 to admit them, then I would say that it is not clear -- it will
- 20 not be clear to the record since it is two separate documents
- 21 with the same number.
- 22 THE COURT: I have a question for defense counsel. Are
- 23 you prepared to make a representation that each of those
- 24 advertisements were in fact run in some media outlet?
- MR. NARKO: Yes, Your Honor.

1 THE COURT: All right. There is certainly an adequate

- 2 foundation. That objection is overruled.
- 3 As to the technical problem that Ms. Brooker raises, the
- 4 advertisement as first shown, which was without words, should
- 5 keep the number it has; the advertisement with words should get
- 6 the same number and it will be "A." I think that takes care of
- 7 that issue.
- 8 MR. NARKO: Yes, Your Honor. We'll do that.
- 9 THE COURT: All right. Next government objection.
- 10 MS. BROOKER: The next government objection is -- there is
- 11 a Philip Morris website. Now, I don't know if Mr. Narko has a
- 12 document here. It might have been -- I think it was the Life
- 13 Skills Training website. And our objection is that that website
- 14 is hearsay because it is offered for the truth of the matter
- 15 asserted.
- 16 THE COURT: Wait a minute. Which website?
- 17 MR. NARKO: Kevin Narko. I have the document, it's JD
- 18 054527. It's from the Philip Morris USA Website.
- 19 THE COURT: I think you'll have to pass that up, please.
- 20 MR. NARKO: It's a portion of the Website that describes
- 21 the life skills training. We're offering it not for the truth of
- 22 the matter asserted here, but to what Philip Morris believes the
- 23 program to be, and it is a business record, and the Website, it's
- 24 part of the Website that is coming in through a number of
- 25 witnesses referenced a number of times during the Findings of

- 1 Fact.
- 2 THE COURT: It may be admitted.
- 3 (Defendant's Exhibit JD 054527 admitted into the record.)
- 4 MR. NARKO: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 5 THE COURT: You can give this back. Next.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: I'm not sure if we have a disagreement on
- 7 any other exhibits, Your Honor, because I think I've checked off
- 8 my list.
- 9 The only other question I have is that I spoke with Ms.
- 10 Honigberg last night about two documents that the United States
- 11 seeks to admit, which wasn't I believe ruled upon or that I
- 12 wasn't clear whether or not it had been admitted through the
- 13 redirect of Dr. Biglan, and I believe Ms. Honigberg said they
- 14 wouldn't have an objection to those two documents, but I will let
- 15 Ms. Honigberg -- I'm sorry, there you are. I'll let you speak
- 16 for yourself.
- MS. Honigberg: Renee Honigberg. That is correct, we
- 18 didn't have objections. One was a summary exhibit, which I'm
- 19 sure you recall. It was an issue with Dr. Biglan, and he adopted
- 20 certain things. And so consistent with Your Honor's ruling with
- 21 how that exhibit was coming in, we have no objection.
- MS. BROOKER: So I think we're finished then with
- 23 Dr. Biglan in terms of what we have to argue with you -- what we
- 24 have to argue before you today.
- 25 THE COURT: Right. And again, in two or three days I'm

- 1 going to get a final order to sign from everyone. All right.
- 2 Now, let's return to the substantive issue which was raised at
- 3 the close of Dr. Biglan's testimony.
- 4 Mr. Bernick, in two to three minutes max, restate it for
- 5 me, please, and then I'll hear from the government.
- 6 MR. BERNICK: I guess I should speak -- maybe I'll speak
- 7 as quickly as Mr. Redgrave.
- 8 THE COURT: No.
- 9 MR. BERNICK: I'm kidding. The objection is this: At
- 10 page 452 of the direct examination of Dr. Biglan, and this was an
- 11 objection that I think the record will reflect that we actually
- 12 made when the testimony first was proffered and we then
- 13 reiterated at the conclusion of Dr. Biglan's testimony.
- 14 THE COURT: And this was redirect now that you're talking
- 15 about?
- 16 MR. BERNICK: At the end of his redirect. We raised it at
- 17 the beginning when the written testimony first was proffered, and
- 18 then we raised it just at the end just to make sure we hadn't
- 19 waived it.
- 20 At the bottom of page 452, there appears a paragraph that
- 21 basically is critical of the Master Settlement Agreement for what
- 22 it does not include. It doesn't require that youth smoking
- 23 prevention activities be research-based. It says: "Nor are
- 24 there other financial or other incentives for reducing adolescent
- 25 smoking prevalence or penalties for failure to do so." This

1 paragraph goes beyond, in subject matter, the substance of what

- 2 appeared in the first expert report for Dr. Biglan, which was the
- 3 expert report that focused on historical marketing practices.
- 4 That expert report does talk about the MSA, but only as an event
- 5 that, after which, the practices that he criticizes continued.
- 6 There does not appear in the opinion on why the Master
- 7 Settlement Agreement or that the Master Settlement Agreement
- 8 permitted this to take place and in effect what could be done
- 9 maybe to give it more teeth. And the concern that I have -- and
- 10 I'll be candid with the Court, this was not raised formally in
- 11 written objection at the time, I think because it's very long and
- 12 people weren't looking at this in terms of potential evidence
- 13 regarding relief, that's my concern. To the extent that this
- 14 paragraph is proffered as expert opinion regarding what kind of
- 15 relief might be appropriate, it clearly goes beyond the scope of
- 16 the expert reports which don't get into that, and we have not had
- 17 an opportunity to conduct discovery with Dr. Biglan with respect
- 18 to those matters. So that's our objection as to that second half
- 19 of page 452.
- 20 THE COURT: Ms. Brooker.
- 21 MS. BROOKER: Briefly, Your Honor. My first response to
- 22 that is that it is inappropriate for defendants to raise the
- 23 issue after the opportunity they had to file such an objection in
- 24 their issue motion. Obviously Order 471 set forth a procedure
- 25 where a defendant should have raised it at that time, and I would

1 submit to Your Honor that you not open the floodgates to either

- 2 side, because I think we could see it happening, either side
- 3 continuing now to bring up objections that they had the
- 4 opportunity to raise under the Order 471 procedures, and it's
- 5 prejudicial to the United States that we not have an opportunity
- 6 to brief that issue if Your Honor is going to rule in that
- 7 direction.
- 8 The second substantive response I would have to this is
- 9 that perhaps the confusion is that Mr. Bernick is not aware of
- 10 the second expert report Dr. Biglan filed in this case. He filed
- 11 three expert reports on, you know, interrelated topics, but
- 12 really on different topics. They weren't supplemental to what
- 13 had come before; they were on different topics. And the second
- 14 expert report in May of 2002 addressed youth smoking prevention
- 15 and the very brief question and answer -- in fact, there is one
- 16 question and answer that Mr. Bernick is objecting to in his
- 17 direct testimony, which comes almost verbatim out of his May 2002
- 18 expert report where he very clearly outlined that one provision
- 19 of the Master Settlement Agreement which addresses arguably youth
- 20 smoking prevention activities and he identified what is not
- 21 included in the Master Settlement Agreement with respect to youth
- $\,$  22  $\,$  smoking prevention activities. So there was clearly disclosure
- 23 and more than an opportunity to take discovery on that.
- 24 MR. BERNICK: I don't find that reference in the -- I'm
- 25 totally aware of the second report. I don't find that reference,

- 1 and it's conceivable that I missed it, but if there is a part of
- 2 the second report that specifically identifies this and offers an
- 3 opinion, I would stand corrected. I'm not aware of it and I
- 4 don't think it's never been pointed out.
- 5 THE COURT: At this point can you please give a page cite
- 6 for the record.
- 7 MS. BROOKER: Sure, and I will say I was being very
- 8 narrow, but I will say both reports address repeatedly the Master
- 9 Settlement Agreement provisions and what is and is not contained
- 10 in the Master Settlement Agreement. But more specifically, and I
- 11 can point to many pages, but I can point to pages 25 through 28
- 12 where Dr. -- excuse me, where Dr. Biglan more specifically
- 13 focused what he was going to address about the Master Settlement
- 14 Agreement in his direct testimony and, frankly, Dr. Biglan could
- 15 have said 10 or 20 pages about the Master Settlement Agreement
- 16 based on his disclosure, but we kept it to a question and answer
- 17 that covers two pages.
- And as Ms. Crocker is pointing out to me, he was asked
- 19 extensively about this very topic at his second deposition which
- 20 lasted for seven hours on this report alone.
- 21 THE COURT: The objection's overruled on both procedural
- 22 and substantive grounds. Number one, it's untimely. Number 2,
- 23 it would appear that the issue was raised in at least one expert
- 24 report, possibly two, and was addressed in a deposition.
- Now, I think that takes care of everything about

- 1 Dr. Biglan; is that right?
- 2 MR. BERNICK: Yes.
- 3 THE COURT: I want to take care of one other short matter,
- 4 and that relates to the testimony of our most recent witness,
- 5 Ms. Dawson. Are counsel conferring about any issues they may
- 6 have regarding exhibits related to her testimony?
- 7 MOLTZEN: Mary Jo Moltzen.
- 8 THE COURT: How do you spell it, please.
- 9 THE WITNESS: M-O-L-T-Z-E-N.
- 10 THE COURT: Say it again.
- 11 MS. MOLTZEN: Mary Jo Moltzen for the government.
- 12 THE COURT: All right.
- 13 MS. MOLTZEN: We are ready to discuss the U.S. exhibits,
- 14 but we would like a little bit of time to look over the exhibits
- 15 that were discussed during cross, and I believe Mr. Bass has
- 16 something to say first. We have narrowed -- of the sixteen
- 17 objections, it's now down to ten.
- 18 THE COURT: All right, Mr. Bass.
- 19 MR. BASS: Your Honor, I do not believe there is an issue
- 20 as to any of the exhibits that were actually used in the
- 21 examination of Ms. Dawson.
- There were, I believe, 11, and maybe now it's down to 10,
- 23 but there were a number of exhibits that were not cited in the
- 24 Findings of Fact and not mentioned in her testimony. We objected
- 25 to those. Now, I really have a procedural issue on this, and

- 1 this should quide the parties, I think going forward on this, but
- 2 clearly under Order 471B, you indicated that if a document -- if
- 3 an exhibit that is submitted is not cited in the Findings, and
- 4 not mentioned in the testimony, it's presumptively not
- 5 admissible. It's a rebuttable presumption. But when the
- 6 government submitted their list of exhibits, they didn't submit
- 7 anything to overcome the presumption, and then they waited for us
- 8 to object, and then in their response, which of course we have no
- 9 opportunity to respond to, they came in with several pages of
- 10 saying, Well, here now is what we're going to tell you as to why
- 11 we think they're related. That's improper reply, Your Honor, and
- 12 I think it should be clear, and I think it was clear that under
- 13 Order 471B, that you intended that when a party submits their
- 14 exhibits, they know they're presumptively inadmissible, they need
- 15 to overcome that presumption. So I think that's improper.
- 16 Otherwise, you then don't have in the papers before you a full
- 17 record because you don't have their saying why they think they
- 18 overcome the presumption and then our opportunity to respond to
- 19 that.
- 20 So, other than our asking for an opportunity to file a
- 21 sur-reply and go through all of that, which seems to me to be
- 22  $\,\,$  certainly an unnecessary imposition on the Court and everybody
- 23 else, that's not the way it should go.
- 24 So, we object procedurally that the government didn't make
- 25 the showing when they should have made the showing as to the

1 documents that were not cited in her testimony and not in the

- 2 Findings of Fact.
- 3 Now, I could go through those as to why the showing they
- 4 tried to make is insufficient. I think that's -- again, that's
- 5 the problem if we don't have the written record for you on it.
- 6 THE COURT: Well, I've gone through all of this. I have a
- 7 couple questions to ask people, but I'm prepared to rule on a
- 8 number of them and then, of course, as soon as I get answers I'll
- 9 rule on the rest.
- As to U.S. Exhibit 76778 and 76780, those are newspaper
- 11 articles in which Ms. Dawson is quoted. There's absolutely no
- 12 prejudice in admitting those. They're her own statements.
- 13 (Government's Exhibits 76778 and 76780 admitted into the
- 14 record.)
- 15 THE COURT: As to four other exhibits, and they are --
- 16 actually, I'll go through them individually. But I did this a
- $17\,$  couple of nights ago, everybody, so let me look at my notes
- 18 again.
- 19 Isn't it true, Mr. Bass, that as to the next four listed
- 20 exhibits, which are for the record 62282, 87418, 65673, and
- 21 65674, that all of those four exhibits relate to topics that were
- 22 extensively discussed in Ms. Dawson's testimony, in particular
- 23 The Great American Welcome, and various media tours? Isn't that
- 24 correct?
- 25 MR. BASS: Your Honor, I do believe that they, in a very

- 1 general sense, relate to topics that were covered in her
- 2 testimony, but of course the problem for us is that when the
- 3 government submits documents that they don't discuss in her
- 4 testimony and that they aren't in the Findings of Fact, we don't
- 5 really know what part of the document they're trying to -- what
- 6 they're going to try to use it for, so it makes it very difficult
- 7 then when the witness is here to try to figure out, well, what
- 8 should we then deal with in the exhibit as opposed to if it's
- 9 discussed in the testimony and they say, Do you see this quote or
- 10 that quote and they ask questions about it or if it's in the
- 11 Findings of Fact. That's the problem with these documents that
- 12 fall in that category. Some time down the road they'll cite them
- 13 in their Finding of Fact and say, Well, these were -- you know,
- 14 nobody said anything about them. Well, we don't know what
- 15 they're going to say about them.
- 16 THE COURT: As to the four exhibits I just mentioned,
- 17 again, 62282, 87418, 65673, and 65674, even though they have
- 18 certainly some relationship to the subject matter of Ms. Dawson's
- 19 testimony, the case has not been sufficiently made to overcome
- 20 the presumption of admissibility since they weren't cited in the
- 21 Findings of Fact or proposed -- I'm sorry, they were not cited in
- 22 the direct testimony or the proposed Findings of Fact.
- 23 As to JD 80672, that exhibit was, it is my understanding,
- 24 written by Ms. Dawson herself to various members of the media.
- 25 It concerned the EPA ETS risk assessment. It clearly concerns a

- 1 subject of great centrality to this lawsuit. It was not a
- 2 particularly long document, so there won't be any confusion as to
- 3 how it's to be used.
- 4 MR. BASS: Your Honor, we don't have a problem with that
- 5 one, sorry.
- 6 THE COURT: All right, Mr. Bass, I guess you knew how I
- 7 was going to come out on that. So that's admitted.
- 8 (Exhibit JD 80672 admitted into the record.)
- 9 THE COURT: Now, there are --
- MR. BASS: I also don't have a problem with U.S. 22957.
- 11 THE COURT: All right, admitted.
- 12 (Government's Exhibit 22957 admitted into the record.)
- 13 MR. BASS: The U.S. 29853, however, it's totally
- 14 cumulative and it's just a discussion of generic activities, and
- 15 again I couldn't figure out what they would be trying to do with
- 16 that.
- 17 THE COURT: The objection is sustained as to 29853, and as
- 18 to 37322, this is a memorandum from K. Thomas. What's your
- 19 position about this?
- 20 MR. BASS: Well, there again, it was very difficult to
- 21 determine what the government thinks is significant about that
- 22 document, and so we do object to that.
- 23 THE COURT: The objection is sustained. And as to
- 24 Exhibit 61698, the government is agreeing to withdraw that?
- MR. BASS: That's right, Your Honor.

1 THE COURT: All right. I believe that completely takes

- 2 care of Ms. Dawson's exhibits -- No, the government is still
- 3 considering -- all right. And therefore I'm going to get an
- 4 order from everybody in a couple of days.
- 5 And therefore we will probably go more slowly, everybody.
- 6 I want to start with Ms. Ivey's. I hope I have the right people.
- 7 If I don't have the right people, we'll take that one right after
- 8 lunch. Do I have everybody?
- 9 MS. EUBANKS: Sharon Eubanks for the United States, Your
- 10 Honor.
- 11 MS. HONIGBERG: Yes, Your Honor, Renee Honigberg for Brown
- 12 & Williamson Holdings, Inc.
- 13 THE COURT: All right, let me just get my papers out.
- 14 Given the fact that you all have had some time to confer, let me
- 15 hear at this point from the defendant as to what objections
- 16 remain.
- 17 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, we have conferred and we've
- 18 resolved a lot of objections. Ms. Eubanks, Ms. Hahn and I have
- 19 worked diligently to do that. We still have some remaining. The
- 20 fist thing that would probably be good to address would be the
- 21 issue memorandum objections themselves, and then we have some
- $\,$  22  $\,$  additional exhibits that the defendants would like to proffer
- 23 that were used during Ms. Ivey 's live cross, and the government
- 24 has some additional exhibits they would like to proffer that were
- 25 used during Ms. Ivey's live direct that we have not been able to

- 1 resolve our objections to, if that would be okay.
- 2 THE COURT: That's fine.
- 3 MS. HONIGBERG: And the first issue that's discussed in
- 4 our issue memorandum is regarding the Morrison affidavit.
- 5 THE COURT: Let me see that. Yes.
- 6 MS. HONIGBERG: And will you be able to hear me if I go
- 7 over here or do I need --
- 8 THE COURT: I think so.
- 9 MS. HONIGBERG: I'm pretty loud. And this is an affidavit
- 10 that was submitted by the government with Ms. Ivey's testimony.
- 11 You might recall it. It's an affidavit and it attaches quite a
- 12 bit of MRI data or what purports to be MRI data attached, and we
- 13 objected to this on a few -- on the grounds that it is blatant
- 14 hearsay.
- 15 First of all, it's a declaration that is hearsay in and of
- 16 itself, and it attaches a summary chart that is also hearsay.
- 17 The government contends that this is not hearsay for a couple of
- 18 reasons. First of all, they say that the chart attached is a
- 19 summary exhibit under Rule 1006.
- 20 This chart that's attached -- and Mr. Bass can jump in if
- 21 I'm misstating what's on this chart -- this chart is not just
- 22 data that was pulled from an MRI data. This chart was compiled
- 23 based on calculations that Ms. Morrison, who is neither a witness
- 24 in this case nor has there been any testimony from any expert, I
- 25 don't believe, about this affidavit, compiled this. This was not

1 taking straight data from MRI data and placing it on the chart;

- 2 there were calculations made.
- 3 They also tried to get it in under the exception for
- 4 certain market reports, I think it's 803.17 hearsay exception.
- 5 Again, this is not straight data from MRI. Even if it
- 6 would have otherwise fit in that exception, it's not straight
- 7 data. And certainly the chart in and of itself should not be
- 8 admitted, but certainly the declaration should not be admitted.
- 9 This is not a summary exhibit. This declaration includes
- 10 statements by Ms. Morrison that, for example, some of the
- 11 magazines discussed have substantial youth readership. This is
- 12 not just some objective summary of data, this is an affidavit,
- 13 it's an out-of-court statement. Both the chart and the
- 14 declaration itself should not come in.
- 15 THE COURT: All right, Ms. Eubanks.
- 16 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, it's my understanding that this
- 17 very document with the passage of time has been agreed upon with
- 18 joint defendants through -- to be admitted through another
- 19 witness with no objection. It appeared on a list, no issues
- 20 memorandum or anything, and it's coming in through Dr. Krugman.
- 21 So, insofar as this particular issue is concerned versus
- 22 Ms. Ivey's testimony, as long as the document itself has been
- 23 agreed to and there's no objection with Dr. Krugman, I see no
- 24 reason to address this here because it's been agreed upon and
- 25 will come in with Dr. Krugman pursuant to that agreement.

1 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, could I just have a moment?

- 2 MS. EUBANKS: Well, Your Honor, just to be clear about it,
- 3 then, perhaps what I should do is present the United States'
- 4 arguments on this because I understand that --
- 5 THE COURT: Excuse me, just a minute. I don't need to
- 6 hear the argument if you're correct on your first point. Who on
- 7 the defense side is handling Dr. Krugman's exhibits? Mr. Bass,
- 8 has this been agreed to?
- 9 MR. BASS: My understanding, Your Honor, is that the --
- 10 that Dr. Krugman repackaged the data that he got from
- 11 Dr. Morrison, and he's got exhibits, and those will be fine. And
- 12 I believe that the chart that's attached to the Morrison
- 13 declaration is in Dr. Krugman's, but the declaration itself I
- 14 don't believe actually is.
- 15 THE COURT: All right, so the charts been agreed to. Is
- 16 that right?
- 17 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, I think I can clarify. I think
- 18 I have the correct story. Here's the situation. The declaration
- 19 itself is not a part of Dr. Krugman's testimony. Dr. Krugman
- 20 has -- excuse me, Dr. Morrison has attached to the declaration
- 21 two types of data, MRI data and CMR data, which are different
- $\,$  22  $\,$  types of data. One is expenditure data and the other is what we  $\,$
- 23 talked about in this courtroom quite a bit with Dr. Krugman, the
- 24 MRI data on measuring magazine readership.
- 25 What Dr. Krugman covered in his direct examination was the

- 1 MRI data charts which are in sum and substance -- and actually, I
- 2 believe the exact same charts were moved in or -- well, I guess
- 3 we haven't talked about all of his testimony, but are in through
- 4 Dr. Krugman. So, part of the charts that are in the Dr. Morrison
- 5 declaration were not discussed expressly in Dr. Krugman's
- 6 testimony, and that's the CMR data. Does that clarify it?
- 7 MS. EUBANKS: Well, Your Honor, for purposes of
- 8 completeness, then, it would seem entirely appropriate to include
- 9 the Morrison affidavit with the information that's included.
- 10 Unless I --
- 11 THE COURT: That affidavit is pure hearsay.
- 12 MS. EUBANKS: This is an affidavit that's already been
- 13 before the Court in a summary judgment motion that was submitted,
- 14 and under the ruling --
- 15 THE COURT: It may have been before the Court in summary
- 16 judgment; that doesn't mean it comes in as an exhibit at trial.
- 17 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, under the Rules of Evidence
- 18 under Rule 804, it could come in as a statement in the case where
- 19 the defendant -- where both parties are present, and they
- 20 certainly had an opportunity to proffer similar evidence or to
- 21 proffer evidence that rebutted or would tend to rebut the
- 22 testimony that was given there.
- 23 THE COURT: Summary judgment is a totally different
- 24 context than trial.
- 25 MS. EUBANKS: I understand that, Your Honor, but in terms

1 of exceptions for affidavits and for prior testimony, the rules

- 2 do provide an exception in 804 which we could rely upon here.
- 3 In any event, it gives clarity to the testimony of Dr. --
- 4 of Susan Ivey given that she offered testimony on the materials
- 5 themselves, and when the Court refers to it, would certainly have
- 6 that affidavit knowing how the information was compiled. So,
- 7 also for purposes of 807, it has substantial guarantees of
- 8 reliability and could come in under the residual exception
- 9 assuming that it is considered by the Court to be hearsay. But
- 10 it certainly has reliability in that it's been utilized in these
- 11 proceedings before, relied upon by the Court. Defendants had an
- 12 adequate opportunity to provide any rebuttal in terms of both
- 13 evidence that was submitted through Susan Ivey, as well as
- 14 evidence that would have been submitted during the course of the
- 15 summary judgment briefing.
- 16 So, given this is a bench trial and the Court could look
- 17 at the evidence all together in a package and given that Susan
- 18 Ivey has offered testimony on the basis of it, I think there is a
- 19 substantial guarantee of reliability under 807 that the Court
- 20 could receive into evidence, this document.
- 21 THE COURT: Ms. Honigberg and then Mr. Bass.
- MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, Ms. Ivey didn't offer
- 23 testimony about this document, she was shown parts of it in her
- 24 written direct and said (sic), "Does it say this?" And she said,
- 25 "Yes."

1 And, in fact, Ms. Ivey had never seen the summary chart,

- 2 the affidavit, and she's not an expert who is required to go then
- 3 and do analysis to come and rebut it; she was a fact witness. So
- 4 that absolutely should not get this in.
- 5 THE COURT: Mr. Bass.
- 6 MR. BASS: I have nothing to add to that. I don't see how
- 7 Ms. Ivey could respond to the declaration from Ms. Morrison, but
- 8 the data, the MRI data, as you know, Your Honor, Dr. Krugman
- 9 testified about that extensively and that data will be in the
- 10 record.
- 11 THE COURT: The Morrison affidavit does not come in. That
- 12 objection is sustained. The CMR data, which essentially comes
- 13 from the Morrison affidavit and the work that Dr. Morrison did,
- 14 as to that the objection is sustained. The MRI data is
- 15 essentially in, or will be coming in very shortly when we reach
- 16 Dr. Krugman.
- 17 All right. Next objection, please.
- MS. HONIGBERG: The next issue we have not resolved refer
- 19 to a Website, the National African/American Tobacco Prevention
- 20 Network, I believe, and I'll put it up there.
- 21 THE COURT: Now, wait a minute. Where --
- MS. HONIGBERG: This would be --
- 23 THE COURT: -- is that? This should be under tab B; is
- 24 that right?
- 25 MS. HONIGBERG: Yes. I apologize I believe this is under

1 tab B. I think it's the very last exhibit objection. It's

- 2 Exhibit 89170.
- 3 THE COURT: All right. Go ahead.
- 4 MS. HONIGBERG: And this exhibit relates to the Kool Mixx
- 5 Campaign, which Your Honor may or may not recall. Ms. Ivey was
- 6 asked a lot about that campaign.
- 7 THE COURT: First of all, was this an exhibit -- obviously
- 8 it was used in her direct examination, right?
- 9 MS. HONIGBERG: I believe it was used in her direct.
- 10 THE COURT: Was it also cited in proposed Findings, do you
- 11 know?
- 12 MS. HONIGBERG: I'm not sure if it was cited.
- MS. EUBANKS: It was not, Your Honor, cited in the
- 14 proposed Findings.
- 15 THE COURT: Okay.
- MS. HONIGBERG: And again, this is a document that
- 17 Ms. Ivey was asked about. She was not asked whether she had ever
- 18 seen it before. It is a Website on the great World Wide Web, and
- 19 it's clear hearsay for what it's saying about the Kool Mixx
- 20 Campaign.
- 21 The government contends that they seek to admit it for
- 22 notice to Brown & Williamson, but as you did with Sharon Smith,
- 23 simply because something is in the millions and millions and
- 24 millions of documents on the Internet, that Ms. Ivey certainly
- 25 was never asked about or testified that she saw, that that does

1 not provide notice of anything. That someone could find it out

- 2 on the Internet does not provide notice of anything.
- 3 THE COURT: All right, Ms. Eubanks.
- 4 MS. EUBANKS: Yes, Your Honor. We've been clear that
- 5 we're not offering this for the truth of the matter asserted. As
- 6 Your Honor may recall, there was a great deal of discussion about
- 7 a settlement that occurred, and this was one of the parties that
- 8 was involved in terms of moving that settlement along. The
- 9 notice issue is something that's important and that we questioned
- 10 the witness on rather extensively about her knowledge of the
- 11 events that were surrounding it.
- 12 THE COURT: Let me just interrupt you. U.S. 89170 may be
- 13 admitted.
- 14 (Government's Exhibit 89170 admitted into the record.)
- MS. EUBANKS: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 16 THE COURT: Does that cover all matters for Ms. Ivey?
- 17 MS. HONIGBERG: There is one more issue memo matter and
- 18 then we'll have some individual issues to address.
- 19 Issue 2, I believe, dealt with a series of documents
- 20 relating to Imperial Limited, which is a Canadian tobacco
- 21 company. And there are a few documents that they've attempted to
- $22\,$  admit through Ms. Ivey, again without eliciting testimony from
- 23 her about it at all. It's not cited in her direct. These were
- 24 just added at the end. They're from a Canadian tobacco company
- 25 which referred to people at times 16 years old -- They do some

- 1 studies on people 16 years old.
- 2 As the affidavit from Mr. Wells that we attached to the
- 3 issue memo shows, these documents are not Brown & Williamson
- 4 documents or the documents of other defendants in the case. The
- 5 only reason Brown & Williamson has the documents in its
- 6 possession is that its legal department got them when they were
- 7 produced in a Canadian ad ban trial.
- 8 There is no evidence these documents were used, reviewed,
- 9 held by anybody in Brown & Williamson's Marketing Department or
- 10 used for any purpose, and therefore they have no relevance, and
- 11 any potential relevance is outweighed by undue prejudice. These
- 12 are documents that are not Brown & Williamson or any other
- 13 defendants' marketing documents.
- 14 MS. EUBANKS: I should be very clear about this, Your
- 15 Honor, because counsel is relying upon an affidavit of J.
- 16 Kendrick Wells to make these assertions about the use of these
- 17 documents, an affidavit that was filed in 2000 in another
- 18 proceeding.
- 19 The information upon which counsel is relying to support
- 20 the assertion that the documents are not Brown & Williamson's --
- 21 used in Brown & Williamson's Marketing Department itself is
- 22 hearsay. It comes from a witness, someone who's on the witness
- 23 list and is expected to come and testify in these proceedings.
- 24 But insofar as reliance upon an affidavit that hasn't even been
- 25 filed, no original filing in this proceeding has indicated that.

1 We have these documents, we have them legitimately,

- 2 they're Brown & Williamson documents. How they found themselves
- 3 into their file, we nearly have a statement of counsel that's
- 4 supportive of that, but we don't have any evidence that suggests
- 5 that these documents should not be received into evidence in
- 6 these proceedings.
- 7 MR. BERNICK: Your Honor, I hesitate to stand up because
- 8 Ms. Honigberg has covered everything, but that last point I have
- 9 personal knowledge of, and I would note under Rule 104A,
- 10 questions of admissibility generally can be addressed by the
- 11 Court subject to the provisions of subsection B in making its
- 12 determination. It is not bound by the rules of evidence except
- 13 those with respect to privileges.
- 14 So when it comes to these preliminary determinations of
- 15 admissibility, the Court has the latitude to consider matters
- 16 that would not necessarily come into evidence during the course
- 17 of trial, including an affidavit. Mr. Wells' affidavit was
- 18 submitted in connection, I believe, with the Florida case. The
- 19 issue -- exactly the same issue arose in the Florida case. These
- 20 documents tend to get proffered by the plaintiffs in all the
- 21 cases, and we did get Mr. Wells' affidavit. That is his
- 22 affidavit. We submitted it to the Court there. It is a -- it's
- 23 never been questioned as being the affidavit of J. Kendrick
- 24 Wells, so it's exactly the kind of thing that we believe the
- 25 Court can consider under Rule 104A.

1 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, it's no different than the

- 2 Morrison affidavit. Indeed, if anything, the Morrison affidavit
- 3 had more guarantee of reliability in that it was an affidavit
- 4 submitted in proceedings in US v. Philip Morris before this
- 5 Court.
- 6 There was even litigation surrounding the question of
- 7 whether Ms. Morrison should have to testify in the case in order
- 8 to proffer certain information, but for counsel to make
- 9 representations, there's positively nothing in Rule 104 that
- 10 suggests that the representations of counsel regarding the use of
- 11 an affidavit give support or lend any credence to any allegations
- 12 about the use of the document or what it is. The document on its
- 13 face speaks for itself. How it came into being with Brown &
- 14 Williamson Tobacco Company is something that they're entitled to
- 15 put on evidence of themselves, but that does not guard against
- 16 admissibility here.
- 17 THE COURT: Is it correct that these documents -- I don't
- 18 even have their numbers right in front of me -- were cited in the
- 19 direct testimony?
- 20 MS. HONIGBERG: No, there was not one question elicited
- 21 from Ms. Ivey in the direct testimony about these documents. She
- 22 has never seen them before, as far as I know.
- 23 MS. EUBANKS: I can check on this, Your Honor. I don't
- 24 want to make the representation without checking, but I believe
- 25 these documents are cited in the United States' proposed

- 1 Findings.
- 2 THE COURT: And does the defense disagree with that? Or
- 3 is everybody unsure?
- 4 MR. BERNICK: I think that they probably were. The
- 5 proposed Findings, though, I think would reveal the in-Canada
- 6 smoking age at the time was 16 years of age. It may even be in
- 7 Mr. Wells' --
- 8 THE COURT: And all of that would go to the weight to be
- 9 given to the document. Acting on the assumption, now, that these
- 10 documents were used in the proposed Findings of Fact, the
- 11 presumption of admissibility attaches and I see no reason to rule
- 12 that it has been overcome. Additional evidence about the --
- 13 about why the document shouldn't be considered may of course be
- 14 proffered and will be weighed by me, but there's no reason to
- 15 exclude the documents given the presumption of admissibility
- 16 since they were cited -- since I'm going to assume they were
- 17 cited in the proposed Findings of Fact. So they may be admitted.
- Now I think that covers it for Ms. Ivey.
- 19 MS. HONIGBERG: That covers it for the issue memos, and
- 20 then we have some of the individual issues used live.
- 21 THE COURT: All right. Let's deal with all of those
- 22 before lunch break.
- 23 MS. HONIGBERG: I'll start with the one the government
- 24 wants to admits, if that's okay, Sharon.
- MS. EUBANKS: That's fine.

1 THE WITNESS: Okay. There were a few document that the

- 2 government wants to admit that we weren't able to reach agreement
- 3 on. The first, for the record, are Exhibits 20989.
- 4 THE COURT: Are they included in the written objections?
- 5 MS. HONIGBERG: They would not have been because we
- 6 wouldn't have known about them at the time.
- 7 THE COURT: Okay. Go ahead, please.
- 8 MS. HONIGBERG: And the second is Exhibit 21431, and both
- 9 of these exhibits are exhibits regarding Kool marketing in the
- 10 1970s. And you may or may not recall, since it was a long time
- 11 ago, but when the government attempted to use these documents,
- 12 Mr. Bernick jumped up and objected and said that Ms. Ivey wasn't
- 13 even at the company in the '70s. Your Honor let her go on to see
- 14 if she had seen the documents or had any familiarity with the
- 15 documents.
- 16 When Ms. Ivey made clear she did not have familiarity with
- 17 the documents, Your Honor sustained Mr. Bernick's objections to
- 18 questioning on both of these documents. And if you would like
- 19 the trial page cite for 20989 -- there actually may be a typo or
- 20 a misstatement in the transcript where it's 20999. It is at
- 21 pages 6332 through 6337. And for U.S. Exhibit 21431, it is pages
- 22 6337 through 6338.
- 23 THE COURT: All right. Does the government have anything
- 24 to respond?
- 25 MS. EUBANKS: Yes, Your Honor, and I think I can be brief

- 1 on this. For purposes of the testimony here, these are documents
- 2 that are cited in the United States' proposed Findings of Fact.
- 3 And you may recall that the line of questioning that led to the
- 4 examination was one that had risen during the cross-examination
- 5 of the witness in particular.
- Just to put this in context, what these documents are,
- 7 21431 is one that expressly refers to a direct targeting group
- 8 being 6.3 million, 16-to-25-year-old smokers of king-size and
- 9 long-size plain filter cigarettes who consumed 35 billion
- 10 cigarettes in 1967.
- 11 The question that was raised during cross-examination of
- 12 the witness was whether, in all of the work that you've done on
- 13 these cases and all of the documents that you've looked at as the
- 14 company's CEO, have you ever seen any documents that address
- 15 targeting. In that this document is cited in the United States'
- 16 proposed Findings of Fact, and in that we don't have any
- 17 questions as to any authenticity under 470 that's been raised,
- 18 and that we've established clearly that the documents are
- 19 relevant to these proceedings, and we've established a nonhearsay
- 20 purpose, that the document isn't hearsay, it's a business record,
- 21 we believe there's sufficient evidentiary support for the
- 22 documents to be admitted.
- 23 THE COURT: Anything further?
- 24 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, just to clarify, Mr. Bernick
- 25 elicited from Ms. Ivey whether she had seen such documents either

- 1 what the government had shown her or in her work.
- 2 THE COURT: There's a presumption of admissibility because
- 3 the documents were cited in the proposed Findings of Fact, and
- 4 there's no question that the government has established their
- 5 connection nexus in relationship to this case. I certainly
- 6 understand that the basis of the objection is that the witness
- 7 wasn't allowed to be questioned on the documents, but especially
- 8 given what the documents are, there is no basis for excluding
- 9 them and they will be admitted.
- 10 (Government's Exhibits 20989 and 21431 admitted into
- 11 the record.)
- 12 THE COURT: Anything further?
- MS. HONIGBERG: Not on those documents.
- MS. EUBANKS: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 15 THE COURT: All right. That's Ms. Ivey.
- 16 MS. HONIGBERG: I'm sorry, I thought you meant on that
- 17 document, I apologize. We're getting there. The next document
- 18 is Exhibit 92040, and that is discussed in a transcript at page
- 19 6314 through probably 6318. And this document is a marketing --
- 20 not a marketing document, it's a compilation of some readership
- 21 data, maybe from MRI or Simmons, but when Ms. Ivey was asked
- 22 about this particular document, which is not in the Findings of
- 23 Fact, the first thing out of Ms. Ivey's mouth was she had not
- 24 seen this document before. There is no foundation laid with this
- 25 witness regarding this document. She did not know what it was.

1 THE COURT: And was it cited in her direct testimony?

- 2 MS. HONIGBERG: I don't believe -- no, it was not. The
- 3 first time it was brought up was in the live cross -- or the live
- 4 direct.
- 5 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, we covered this many times, that
- 6 with respect to a particular witness, that that is not the
- 7 governing force in terms of the admissibility of documents with
- 8 respect to whether a witness has ever seen it or not seen the
- 9 document.
- 10 Here, just to put this in context, what the witness was
- 11 asked about was whether the company utilized Simmons and MRI data
- 12 in its ordinary course of business. And in establishing that, we
- 13 utilized U.S. Exhibit 92040 and asked the witness a number of
- 14 questions about it. The only objection that we have here is one
- 15 of lack of foundation. So we have the fact that the document
- 16 itself is -- it's not challenged on grounds of authenticity; it's
- 17 a document that's clearly relevant to the proceedings, and it's
- 18 nonhearsay.
- 19 MS. HONIGBERG: Could I just make one final comment? I
- 20 would also question the relevancy. There is no evidence that
- 21 this document was used in the course of Brown & Williamson's
- $22\,$  marketing business, as opposed to dealing with legislation or
- 23 litigation looking at what certain regulations -- proposed
- 24 regulations from the FDA or other entities would do on their
- 25 magazines they could advertise in.

1 This is not -- there is no evidence that this document was

- 2 used in determining what magazines to advertise in at the time
- 3 that this document was in Brown & Williamson's possession. And
- 4 because Ms. Ivey has never seen this document, she was unable to
- 5 comment on what it was or was not used for, so we don't know what
- 6 this document is based on Ms. Ivey's testimony, and we don't know
- 7 what it was used for.
- 8 MS. EUBANKS: That all goes to the weight of the evidence,
- 9 Your Honor, not it's admissibility.
- 10 THE COURT: There is no presumption of admissibility,
- 11 given that it wasn't cited in the direct or proposed Findings of
- 12 Fact. There is certainly a lack of foundation. I'm going to
- 13 sustain the objection as to 92040.
- 14 MS. HONIGBERG: And the next few documents deal with some
- 15 of the affidavits, you may recall, regarding the Kool Mixx
- 16 lawsuit, and Ms. Ivey was shown a few affidavits. They were
- 17 90057, which is the affidavit of Sarah Brooks Gansheimer,
- 18 G-A-N-S-H-E-I-M-E-R; and 90056, which is the affidavit of a
- 19 Christopher Waltz; and 90059, which is the affidavit of a Milton
- 20 Branch.
- 21 And Ms. Ivey was questioned about these affidavits at
- 22 pages 6154 through 6159 and again has repeatedly said she has
- $23\,$   $\,$  never seen the affidavits. These were affidavits filed in a
- 24 lawsuit in New York. They are hearsay, and Ms. Ivey was not
- 25 familiar with them. There's no issue. Of course Ms. Ivey had

1 notice of the lawsuit, but we don't need these affidavits to

- 2 establish that she had notice of the lawsuit.
- 3 MS. EUBANKS: As Your Honor may recall -- First, I'll say
- 4 that these are not documents that were cited in the proposed
- 5 Findings; these were fairly recently created documents, but the
- 6 objections that have been raised go to hearsay.
- 7 What the witness testified to with regard to these three
- 8 particular affidavits had to do with the question that was
- 9 proposed in her written direct, and it was -- I am aware of only
- 10 one instance where someone was able to go around the protections
- 11 we set up with respect to accessing data that we set forth on the
- 12 Web and so that underage people then could get it. These
- 13 particular affidavits that are offered, if you look at the first
- 14 paragraph of each one, indicate that they are exceptions under
- 15 803.8 because they are records that are used or created in the
- 16 course of -- in this sense a law enforcement action.
- 17 And the individuals who were proffering the information
- 18 were investigators with either the state or reported to
- 19 investigators of interns who were sent out to go out and see if
- 20 they could access this information from the Web with certain
- 21 information.
- Now, these affidavits similarly were submitted in a
- 23 proceeding where Brown & Williamson was a party involving
- 24 questions of whether, under the MSA, whether it had been violated
- 25 because of issues surrounding the Kool Mixx Campaign.

1 So, insofar as an exception to the hearsay rule arises,

- 2 here under 804(b)(1), this testimony was offered in a proceeding
- 3 where Brown & Williamson was a party and had every opportunity to
- 4 provide responsive information.
- 5 So, our argument is really twofold: First, that it comes
- 6 with an exception under 803, 803.8 to be precise, and it also
- 7 comes within the exception of 804(b)(1). And it's really
- 8 appropriate and necessary to the Court because, with respect to
- 9 these affidavits, they invited Ms. Ivey to look at what had
- 10 happened, given her direct testimony which stated, No, I'm only
- 11 aware of an instance where this occurred. And here we put
- 12 forward three instances. It's entirely probative.
- 13 THE COURT: Anything further, from the defense?
- 14 MS. HONIGBERG: Yes, Your Honor. As you will recall,
- 15 Ms. Ivey said she was only aware of one instance. There's no
- 16 evidence -- these cannot be used to impeach her. There is no
- 17 evidence she had seen these affidavits and thereof was aware of
- 18 these other incidences. I'll also submit that by the time these
- 19 affidavits were filed and Ms. Ivey could have seen them, the
- 20 lawsuits had already started and the actions about which they
- 21 complained; namely, getting into the Website underage had been
- 22 completely shut down voluntarily by Brown & Williamson.
- 23 MS. EUBANKS: But I'll remind Your Honor that Ms. Ivey
- 24 testified to familiarity with the proceedings that ended in the
- 25 settlement.

1 THE COURT: These two documents -- it's two, am I right or

- 2 three?
- 3 MS. HONIGBERG: I believe it's three.
- 4 THE COURT: These three affidavits may be admitted under
- 5 804(b)(1) because Brown & Williamson was a party to the
- 6 litigation in which they were utilized and therefore had an
- 7 opportunity to respond to them, and very secondarily, as --
- 8 falling within 803.8. Next, please.
- 9 (Government's Exhibit 90056, 90057 and 90059 admitted into
- 10 the record.)
- 11 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, there's another affidavit
- 12 which you may rule the same way, and I'll just put it on the
- 13 record and say we have a couple of affidavits from that same
- 14 proceeding then that we would seek to admit. Again, if we are
- 15 able to present rebuttal evidence, we had a chance to rebut in a
- 16 proceeding, we would like those affidavits to be admitted as
- 17 well, and I can pull those out for you in a moment.
- 18 THE COURT: Did you use those with Ms. Ivey?
- MS. HONIGBERG: We used at least one of them.
- 20 THE COURT: Let's do it in an orderly fashion. You were
- 21 going to get to that issue second, I thought you --
- 22 MS. HONIGBERG: Right. There was one more affidavit,
- 23 90061, the affidavit of Michael Kamins. Again, we would -- this
- 24 was done by an expert, I believe, hired by the State of New York.
- 25 Again, we would make the same objections subject to Your Honor's

- 1 rulings.
- 2 THE COURT: All right. 90061 may be admitted.
- 3 (Government's Exhibit 90061 admitted into the record.)
- 4 THE COURT: Now, the next category are affidavits that you
- 5 wish to move in; is that right?
- 6 MS. HONIGBERG: Correct.
- 7 THE COURT: And did you ever ask Ms. Ivey about them in
- 8 your cross.
- 9 MS. HONIGBERG: There is one, Your Honor, and I apologize,
- 10 I thought it was an affidavit, but it's actually the brief Brown
- 11 & Williamson submitted in connection with the New York case, and
- 12 that is Exhibit JD 013066.
- 13 THE COURT: A brief of lawyers?
- MS. EUBANKS: Yes, and one of the lawyers has entered an
- 15 appearance in this case.
- 16 THE COURT: No. Absolutely not admitted.
- 17 MS. HONIGBERG: And then, Your Honor, this second exhibit
- is an exhibit that we -- I do not believe did use with Ms. Ivey,
- 19 which is JD 013067. It's the affidavit of Michael Russell. It
- 20 is absolute rebuttal to the affidavit of Mr. Kamins, I believe,
- 21 to present a complete record of the issue.
- 22 MS. EUBANKS: Ms. Ivey --
- 23 THE COURT: You showed it to her. I just want to be clear
- 24 on the facts. You showed it to her?
- MR. BERNICK: Let us check that.

- 1 MS. EUBANKS: I checked.
- 2 MR. BERNICK: I'm sorry. Let us check that because there
- 3 was testimony from Ms. Ivey on -- As Your Honor will recall, she
- 4 testified that hip-hop was not simply a teenage cultural
- 5 phenomenon. It's been around for a very long time. I think that
- 6 either the brief or the affidavit was used as the basis for her
- 7 belief about that, and that's how the discussions took place, but
- 8 I don't want to misspeak on this. Why don't we just use the
- 9 lunch hour. If neither one -- if this was not used, then we
- 10 won't proffer it. And with respect to the brief, Your Honor has
- 11 already ruled, but I think we should just find out what the story
- 12 is.
- 13 THE COURT: What's the government's understanding?
- 14 MS. EUBANKS: Well, I checked. JD 013067 was never even
- 15 shown to Ms. Ivey during her testimony. Certainly, if defendants
- 16 want to --
- 17 THE COURT: Let's leave it this way, everybody.
- 18 Defendants will check. I'm going to operate on the assumption
- 19 for the moment that the document wasn't used. If the defendants
- 20 disagree with that, then, of course, you should raise that issue
- 21 right after lunch, please.
- 22 MS. HONIGBERG: And I believe -- Now we're getting to the
- 23 exhibits (sic) the government wants to admit, and I believe we
- 24 just have three left and I'll let --
- 25 MS. EUBANKS: You mean the objections, and I want to make

- 1 sure because I know that you may have had communications with Ms.
- 2 Hahn last night, and the ones that I have are JD 01775, and that
- 3 was a document that was a 1998 creative plan, and it was a
- 4 document that Ms. Ivey never received because she was not even at
- 5 Brown & Williamson at the time, so our objection goes to the
- 6 foundation, Your Honor, she had never seen it before.
- 7 THE COURT: And these are documents that the defendants
- 8 are seeking to introduce. All right. Go ahead, Ms. Honigberg.
- 9 MS. HONIGBERG: Yes, Your Honor. First of all, this was
- 10 used in Ms. Ivey's cross-examination with Mr. Bernick. I believe
- 11 he established a foundation. She was familiar with Kool
- 12 targeting and the Kool campaign during that time. She was asked
- 13 about whether this document was consistent with her
- 14 understanding. This is a -- may be in the Findings of Fact,
- 15 although I'm, quite frankly, not sure, and she certainly had a
- 16 familiarity with the Kool campaigns -- Be Kool campaigns and the
- 17 Kool campaigns in the late '90s, certainly more than she would
- 18 have in the 1970s Kool documents that we talked about earlier.
- 19 She kind of went between Brown & Williamson and BATCo for a
- 20 while. So we believe there is certainly an adequate foundation
- 21 for the admission of this document.
- 22 THE COURT: The document may be admitted.
- 23 (Defendants' Exhibit JD 01775 admitted into the record.)
- 24 MS. EUBANKS: JD 013066. Again, there was no foundation
- 25 laid for that document, no indication that Ms. Ivey had ever seen

1 that document before, being asked about it on the stand, and

- 2 that -- is that --
- 3 MS. HONIGBERG: I apologize. I believe Ms. Eubanks may be
- 4 addressing the brief we already discussed.
- 5 MS. EUBANKS: I'm sorry, sorry for taking the time. Thank
- 6 you, Renee. The next one I have, JD 012971, that is an April
- 7 30th, 1999 e-mail from David Harris to Burt -- at BATES -- to
- 8 someone named Burt Kremer and others at B & W. There's no
- 9 foundation here. Ms. Ivey was not identified as a recipient on
- 10 the e-mail, and she wasn't even at Brown & Williamson in April of
- 11 1999 when that e-mail was transmitted. She didn't return to
- 12 B & W until July of 1999. There's no indication in the record
- 13 that she ever saw the document; she's not --
- 14 THE COURT: Ms. Eubanks, shows show down.
- MS. EUBANKS: Thank you, Your Honor. There's no
- 16 indication in the record that she ever saw the document prior to
- 17 being asked about it during her testimony here.
- MS. HONIGBERG: And, Your Honor, this document -- again,
- 19 Mr. Bernick laid a foundation with Ms. Ivey asking if this was
- 20 the type of document normally kept in the course of Brown &
- 21 Williamson's business. And just for the record, it's discussed
- 22 at pages 6200 through 6202 of Ms. Ivey's testimony.
- 23 Again, she certainly testified she was familiar with the
- 24 campaigns going on at the time, and this document relates
- 25 directly to the Kool Mixx Campaign and what type of target

1 audience they were targeting to, which the government questioned

- 2 Ms. Ivey extensively about, and we think it's admissible.
- 3 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, I'll note that Ms. Ivey is on
- 4 defendants' witness list, and if they want to make those
- 5 foundational proffers during her testimony, they can do that, but
- 6 it hasn't been made so far in these proceedings. This is an
- 7 e-mail between two people that we've never even heard the names
- 8 of before who are not witnesses in this case.
- 9 THE COURT: But did you question her a lot about that?
- 10 MS. EUBANKS: No.
- 11 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, we used the document in
- 12 response to them questioning Ms. Ivey about the target for the
- 13 Kool Mixx Campaign, and certainly this would fit within -- if
- 14 foundation is no longer an issue -- First of all, Mr. Bernick did
- 15 lay the foundation. Second of all, saying it was a business
- 16 record. It was established it was a business record and --
- 17 THE COURT REPORTER: Slow down, please.
- 18 MS. HONIGBERG: I'm sorry. It was established that it was
- 19 a business record, and it more importantly was established that
- 20 what this document showed was consistent with Ms. Ivey's
- 21 understanding of how they determined the target for Kool Mixx
- 22 Campaign. It's highly irrelevant to her testimony.
- 23 THE COURT: The document may be admitted.
- 24 (Defendants' Exhibit JD 012971 admitted into the record.)
- MS. EUBANKS: JD 13067 on your list of proffers.

- 1 MS. HONIGBERG: That's one --
- 2 MS. EUBANKS: All right. The last one I have, and please
- 3 correct me if this is wrong, is demonstrative, JDEM 010095. This
- 4 was a -- is this still being proffered?
- 5 MS. HONIGBERG: One moment.
- 6 MR. BERNICK: Well, Your Honor, I take responsibility for
- 7 this. This is -- remember, we had that big chart about the terms
- 8 of the settlement? And it was proffered or originally it was
- 9 used as a demonstrative. Your Honor asked for a copy of it, and
- 10 after that and kind of looking at it, it really looked to us like
- 11 it was a pretty useful summary of what is otherwise a fairly
- 12 extensive settlement. It's totally up to Your Honor in terms of
- 13 whether it would be useful. We would proffer it if Your Honor
- 14 would accept it as a summary. We don't need it. The underlying
- 15 document is in evidence, but it's kind of a handydandy way of
- 16 capturing the elements of the campaign and what was done to
- 17 resolve it. So it is what it is.
- MS. EUBANKS: We object on substantive grounds here, and
- 19 I'm sure it was unintentional. But the information that was
- 20 contained on the demonstrative, which I'm sure was hurriedly put
- 21 together, is inaccurate. It does not reflect the that are set
- 22 forth in the settlement agreement, which itself was I think a
- 23 40-something page document, so it doesn't meet the 1006
- 24 requirement of being a voluminous document.
- 25 THE COURT: If it's not accurate, I'm not going to admit

- 1 it. That's not helpful to me.
- 2 MR. BERNICK: If it's not, we wouldn't proffer it, but
- 3 there was no examination of the witness after we used it to say
- 4 that it was inaccurate. There was no --
- 5 MS. EUBANKS: I'm sorry.
- 6 MR. BERNICK: There was no impeachment, so maybe after the
- 7 lunch hour.
- 8 THE COURT: That's the way I'm going to leave it.
- 9 Certainly, if it's accurate, it was helpful. I did look at it.
- 10 If it's in accurate, I don't want it anywhere around me, so you
- 11 all figure it out --
- 12 MR. BERNICK: That's fine.
- 13 THE COURT: -- and let me know after lunch.
- MS. EUBANKS: We will, Your Honor.
- MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, with those exceptions, I
- 16 believe that -- Oh, I apologize. I forgot.
- 17 MR. WALLACE: David Wallace for BATCo. Your Honor, I just
- 18 wanted to raise one issue. I guess I'm following or trying to
- 19 follow in the long shadow cast by Jonathan Redgrave in the
- 20 presumptive -- climb up the hill of presumptive admissibility.
- 21 THE COURT: Except he happen, I think, to get to the top.
- MR. WALLACE: He did, he did. We've been chatting over
- 23 there and he's been giving me some pointers.
- In any event, my objection on behalf of BATCo relates to
- 25 approximately 15 documents that the government included on the

1 exhibit list with Ms. Ivey. She was asked only about one or two

- 2 of those documents and she was not asked any substantive
- 3 questions. She was simply, as many witnesses have been in this
- 4 case, asked if counsel for the government had read a passage
- 5 correctly. And the issue is really one of relevance. These are
- 6 brand plans, foreign brand plans, foreign market plans that the
- 7 government obtained discovery of in this case from companies
- 8 affiliated with BATCo. They pertain to the perceptions of
- 9 consumers of cigarettes in the likes of Taiwan, Hungary, Poland,
- 10 Warsaw, Russia, and so on. There is nothing in any of the
- 11 documents and there was no attempt to question Ms. Ivey to in any
- 12 way tie these documents to the U.S. market at all.
- 13 The only argument that the government made in opposition
- 14 to BATCo's written objection to this is that, well, this case is
- 15 about marketing and these documents relate to marketing. And so
- 16 what we would submit is that, you know, without any effort -- and
- 17 there has been none to tie them to the us market or to establish
- 18 that these foreign brand plans were used by BATCo or B & W in
- 19 order to market cigarettes in the United States -- they simply
- 20 have no relevance.
- 21 And notwithstanding the presumption of admissibility
- 22 because they were cited in the government's Findings of Fact,
- 23 BATCo respectfully submits that this is a case after all still
- 24 about the United States' cigarette market, and that at the end of
- 25 the day the presumption of admissibility should not necessarily

- 1 be used.
- 2 For the most part, I think the way Your Honor has
- 3 structured it, it has worked quite well, but it certainly should
- 4 not be used to pack an already amply packed record with documents
- 5 that simply have no relevance. And I submit at the end of the
- 6 day the Court will not be wanting for marketing documents to read
- 7 and rely upon in its Findings of Fact, and that's our submission
- 8 on that.
- 9 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, all of that goes to the weight,
- 10 but if I may ask Mr. Wallace a question. I don't have that in
- 11 the collection of the timely filed objections. Was it filed in
- 12 accordance with 471?
- MR. WALLACE: I believe it was, yes.
- 14 MS. EUBANKS: I would like, Your Honor, over the lunch
- 15 hour to be able to check that, if I could, because I do remember
- 16 one of the filings from BATCo coming in late. And given the
- 17 ruling that we had earlier today with respect to the timeliness
- issue, it's something that I would like the opportunity to check
- 19 because that may resolve it on procedural grounds in terms of the
- 20 objections, but I would note that these were documents that were
- 21 cited in the United States' proposed Findings of Fact, as Mr.
- 22 Wallace has acknowledged.
- 23 They'll have every opportunity during their case in chief
- 24 to be able to put on any contrary evidence, but a decision was
- 25 made early on in this case not to call every single witness live.

- 1 If we're going to exclude testimony on the bases that he's
- 2 asserted here, we don't think it would be consistent with some of
- 3 the prior rulings, but I would like the opportunity to look at
- 4 the document over the lunch hour if I could, Your Honor.
- 5 MR. WALLACE: Your Honor, if I might, I just handed Ms.
- 6 Eubanks the submission of joint defendants dated November 12th
- 7 incorporating BATCo's objections, indicating that they were
- 8 timely made and enabling us to actually have lunch at lunch.
- 9 MS. EUBANKS: I'd like the opportunity to take a look,
- 10 nonetheless, Your Honor.
- 11 THE COURT: You may take a look at it.
- MS. EUBANKS: Thank you.
- 13 THE COURT: I believe that will be the only remaining
- 14 issue about Ms. Ivey's testimony.
- 15 Then we have to deal, and we're going to finish this,
- 16 exciting as it may be to everybody, we're going to finish
- 17 Dr. Henningfield, Dr. Krugman, Dr. Chaloupka and Dr. Dolan. So
- 18 everybody needs to be prepared. Hopefully, we can be as brief as
- 19 possible. Those were a while ago, so I may have to go through
- 20 them slowly.
- 21 MR. BRODY: Your Honor, I've received a request from the
- 22 back that after we finish this remaining issue with Ms. Ivey that
- 23 we go directly to Dr. Henningfield. It sounds like you were
- 24 planning to do that anyway. I'm told that we should be able to
- 25 resolve those issues in less than five minutes, and so I've had a

1 request from Mr. Goldfarb that we take those up next, if

- 2 possible.
- 3 THE COURT: Less than five minutes, and then Mr. Goldfarb
- 4 doesn't have to come back this afternoon, right?
- 5 MR. BRODY: Exactly.
- 6 THE COURT: Okay, we'll do it now, Dr. Henningfield's.
- 7 MR. GOLDFARB: Your Honor, just one moment.
- 8 THE COURT: All right, everyone. Again, be sure to
- 9 identify yourself for the record, please.
- 10 MR. GOLDFARB: Good afternoon, Your Honor. Andrew
- 11 Goldfarb for the United States. The United States in the
- 12 five weeks since Dr. Henningfield appeared has not heard from
- 13 joint defendants as to whether or not they are going to continue
- 14 to assert any objections.
- 15 Our objections -- our responses to their objections are
- 16 stated in our responses. We've had no responses to whether any
- 17 of those are being withdrawn despite repeated requests.
- 18 As to the United States' objections to documents used on
- 19 cross-examination with Dr. Henningfield, there are five very
- 20 brief objections that I think can be done in two or
- 21 three minutes.
- 22 THE COURT: Where do you stand on your objections?
- 23 MR. NARKO: On our objections we have one issue relating
- 24 to the reliance documents, which is an issue that's coming up
- 25 with several of the experts. When that issue gets resolved, it

- 1 will apply equally to Dr. Henningfield.
- 2 THE COURT: All right. I think we probably better put
- 3 that aside. It applies, I believe, to Drs. Dolan, and Chaloupka,
- 4 and Dr. Krugman. I'm not sure, everybody. I think it does,
- 5 though. What are your five issues?
- 6 MR. GOLDFARB: Just briefly, Your Honor. One of them is
- 7 just housekeeping. And again, I had previously identified these.
- 8 One is a document that was on their -- that was identified to us
- 9 was the Philip Morris Website dealing with health effects of
- 10 smoking. They didn't use that document with Dr. Henningfield or
- 11 that Website page, they used a diction page. We have no
- 12 objection. Those can just be substituted, and that should take
- 13 care of that one, but --
- 14 THE COURT: I assume there's agreement.
- MR. NARKO: We agree.
- 16 THE COURT: All right, the second one.
- 17 MR. GOLDFARB: There were three documents that were raised
- 18 during the cross-examination, two, during Mr. Sheffler's
- 19 cross-examination that were articles that were asked about, sort
- 20 of just as a foundational matter whether Dr. Henningfield heard
- 21 of those documents or knew about them -- they were not shown to
- 22 the witness -- and it's our view that if a document is not shown
- 23 to a witness on cross-examination, the defendants should not for
- 24 these articles be able to -- or with respect to these articles,
- 25 and they are JD 011671.

1 THE COURT: Are the defendants moving those articles in?

- 2 MR. GOLDFARB: Yes, Your Honor, they're on the list that
- 3 was provided to us.
- 4 THE COURT: Let's be clear. That doesn't make sense to me
- 5 at all.
- 6 MR. NARKO: No, Your Honor, we're not moving those in.
- 7 That must be an error on the list we provided to the government.
- 8 THE COURT: All right. It didn't sound right to me.
- 9 MR. GOLDFARB: That takes care of, just so the record is
- 10 clear, JD 011671 and JD 061518.
- 11 The third document in this category was a document that
- 12 was again just referenced obliquely by Mr. Minton regarding a
- 13 1976 meeting of the Tobacco Working Group. And Mr. Minton
- 14 identified the exhibit number for the Court, did not show the
- 15 document to the witness. In fact, the document, which I think
- 16 Mr. Minton was using to locate just the timing of a meeting, is
- $17\,$  four or five documents for which no foundation was laid with the
- 18 witness, contains notice of meeting, meeting minutes, handwritten
- 19 notes of attendees, and again I don't think it should come in
- 20 through Dr. Henningfield.
- 21 THE COURT: Well, Mr. Minton's not here.
- MR. CASETTA: Your Honor, I'm counsel for Lorillard.
- MR. GOLDFARB: Your Honor, I do have a copy of the
- 24 document if you want to flip through it.
- 25 THE COURT: I don't need it.

1 MR. GOLDFARB: And again, so the record is clear as we're

- 2 talking about it, this is JD 041339.
- 3 THE COURT: I think counsel's going to tell me he's not
- 4 moving it in.
- 5 MR. CASETTA: Your Honor, we'll lay the foundation with
- 6 another witness.
- 7 THE COURT REPORTER: Your name, sir.
- 8 MR. CASETTA: Yes, Richard Cassetta on behalf of Lorrilard
- 9 Tobacco Company.
- 10 THE COURT: And so technically you're withdrawing your
- 11 effort to move this document in with this particular witness?
- 12 The witness: Yes, Your Honor.
- 13 THE COURT: Okay.
- MR. GOLDFARB: And just the last one, Your Honor, is JD
- 15 054454. That is the NIDA statute that Mr. Webb began to question
- 16 Dr. Henningfield about. You sustained an objection to the use of
- 17 that document or questioning Dr. Henningfield about that
- 18 document.
- 19 THE COURT: This is the statute itself?
- MR. GOLDFARB: Yes.
- 21 THE COURT: Mr. Webb's not moving that. The Court will
- 22 take judicial notice of the shaking of the head.
- Does that cover everything with Dr. Henningfield?
- 24 MR. GOLDFARB: I'm not exactly clear on what the reliance
- 25 issue is with respect to Dr. Henningfield. In our objections we

1	identified where in his reliance materials all of the documents
2	to which defendants objected had been identified in November of
3	2001, and so I'm not really sure what issue remains.
4	MR. NARKO: There was no issue. I was informed that there
5	was still an issue for some of the documents. If there's not,
6	we'll clear it up over the break. Your Honor's ruling, as it
7	comes up with the other experts, won't apply then to
8	Dr. Henningfield's reliance materials, but we'll just
9	double-check our facts over the lunch break.
10	THE COURT: All right. Counsel, did you have anything
11	further?
12	Okay.
13	MR. GOLDFARB: Thank you, Your Honor.
14	THE COURT: All right. 2:15, everybody, please.
15	(Thereupon, a luncheon recess was had.)
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2	THE COURT: We have Dr. Henningfield, Krugman,
3	Chaloupka and Doland. If there are issues as to one of those
4	witnesses that will resolve issues as to the other witnesses,
5	then obviously it makes sense to start with that person. I
6	don't know who that would be, though. So let me hear from
7	counsel.
8	And let me warn everybody, because it's getting warmer
9	outside, it will probably get less comfortable in this courtroom
10	this afternoon, although are going to try and get
11	air-conditioning. I don't know if that's evenly humanly
12	possible.
13	Mr. Wallace?
14	MR. WALLACE: Yes, Your Honor.
15	Ms. Eubanks and I were just talking about the last
16	remaining Ms. Ivey issue, and she has indicated, having reviewed
17	the papers, that the timeliness objection is withdrawn and it
18	remains as she otherwise stated it in addition to their
19	written they did make a written response to our objections.
20	And in further response to the point that she made
21	before we adjourned or moved on to the Henningfield,
22	Dr. Henningfield issue, I would just say that it's not clear to
23	me at all how an opportunity to address irrelevant documents in
24	BATCo's own case necessarily makes them relevant or somehow
25	constitutes an efficient and economic procedure.

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1 So I mean, I think with that, unless Ms. Eubanks has
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- 2 anything else to add, that issue is ripe.
- 3 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, I do have something to add,
- 4 and I think it might be helpful if I just summarized for the
- 5 court in this proceeding what our arguments are with respect to
- 6 the documents.
- 7 First, this collection of documents that Mr. Wallace is
- 8 discussing are all cited both in Ms. Ivey's written direct
- 9 examination as well as in the United States' proposed findings
- 10 of fact.
- 11 They are all documents that are dealing with questions
- 12 of light low tar research, issues that the witness indicated a
- 13 familiarity with on the stand as well as in her written direct
- 14 testimony in discussing these documents.
- 15 With the exception of one of the documents, they all
- 16 came from BATCo's files and, in fact, that is the ultimate
- 17 parent Brown & Williamson, and the witness herself worked for
- 18 BAT for a period of time.
- 19 But the documents are all relevant consuming consumer
- 20 research which was shared between and among the BAT entities,
- 21 one of which Brown & Williamson was, so they certainly are
- 22 relevant to the proceedings here.
- MR. WALLACE: Just one more point, Your Honor.
- 24 It may well be that within the BAT group of families
- 25 that documents of this sort are shared with one another

- 1 periodically.
- 2 There certainly hasn't been any attempt through
- 3 Ms. Ivey to establish that any of the 15 brand plans and
- 4 marketing plans at issue here that clearly pertain to other
- 5 countries were used by either BATCo or B&W to develop any
- 6 marketing plans or brand plans for the sale of cigarettes in the
- 7 United States' cigarette market. That's our submission.
- 8 THE COURT: I'm going to allow the documents in.
- 9 All right. Now we are done with Ms. Ivey.
- 10 Do counsel have a view on what witness it would be most
- 11 efficient to address first?
- MS. HONIGBERG: Rene Honigberg for the record.
- 13 Really briefly on Ms. Ivey. We provided over the lunch
- 14 hour a revised copy of the summary exhibit regarding the KOOL
- 15 Mixx settlement. I don't know if Ms. Eubanks has had a chance
- 16 to review it yet, but there was one issue that they had a
- 17 concern over accuracy.
- We believe that issue is now taken care of. We tried
- 19 to put in almost the exact quote from the document, which made
- 20 it a little longer.
- 21 And as Your Honor said, this would be a helpful exhibit
- 22 to Your Honor. I could hand up a revised copy if you would
- 23 like.
- 24 MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, we oppose this exhibit for
- 25 the reasons, in addition to the error that was set forth. The

- 1 error was rather significant because it actually suggested that
- 2 you could put the logo on certain materials.
- 3 THE COURT: Since it's been corrected, I don't really
- 4 have to get off into that issue.
- 5 MS. EUBANKS: It's not a proper summary because it
- doesn't adequately summarize the document. It has a few key
- 7 points that counsel wish to point out with the court.
- 8 If we're going to revise the document, the United
- 9 States would like an opportunity to create, with respect to the
- 10 elements that are important to the settlement, elements that it
- 11 believes are important.
- 12 The settlement agreement itself, Your Honor, is only --
- 13 when I said it was 43 pages, I was wrong, it's 17 pages counting
- 14 the signatures. It's just not a 1006 summary because it's not
- even a lengthy document. It's the best evidence.
- 16 THE COURT: The document is not going to be admitted.
- 17 And, obviously, the settlement itself is the best evidence. And
- 18 let me hand this back to Ms. Honigberg, please.
- 19 MS. CROCKER: For the record, Elizabeth Crocker on
- 20 behalf of the United States.
- 21 Your Honor, I think that Ms. Honigberg and I have
- agreement that there are global issues with regards to Dr. Dolan
- 23 and Dr. Krugman which we can address first which may clear up a
- 24 number of issues.
- 25 I understand that some of those issues may also relate

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1 to only a few, I think nine exhibits for Dr. Henningfield, and
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- 2 so then Andrew Goldfarb is still here, we can also get to those.
- 3 THE COURT: Dr. Dolan.
- 4 MS. CROCKER: Dr. Dolan and Dr. Krugman.
- 5 We want to cover the global issues first, Your Honor.
- 6 THE COURT: Just a minute now, everybody.
- 7 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, I can point you to the dates
- 8 of filings if that would be helpful because I know there have
- 9 been a number of filings for these experts.
- 10 THE COURT: Just a minute.
- 11 All right. Let me hear first about the global issues.
- 12 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, before we begin on the
- 13 global issues, how would you like us to proceed? Would you like
- 14 us to do the global issue for Dr. Dolan and then just stay with
- 15 Dr. Dolan?
- 16 THE COURT: I think that makes sense and then -- and
- you're going to start with Dr. Dolan?
- 18 MS. HONIGBERG: Correct.
- 19 And the first issue, the main issue with Dr. Dolan is
- going to be the reliance issue, which I think you are well
- 21 familiar with.
- 22 Since the beginning of this case and since we had our
- very first expert on the stand, Dr. Brandt, the court has made
- 24 very, very clear: If documents were not properly and timely
- 25 disclosed in an expert's reliance materials, those documents do

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1 not come in through that expert. And that's under rule 26, and
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- of course the court's own disclosures requirements.
- 3 And again even when we argued this issue with
- 4 Dr. Dolan, Your Honor said -- and I'm quoting from the
- 5 December 1, 2004, transcript at page 7616 -- "Even if documents
- 6 are mentioned in the direct testimony and/or in the findings of
- 7 fact, if they are also legitimately reliance documents that were
- 8 not disclosed as reliance documents, then they cannot be
- 9 admitted under Rule 26."
- 10 And you had a similar statement with Dr. Brandt. This
- is page 983 and 984 of the transcript.
- 12 THE COURT: And the policy, the reason for that is very
- 13 clear; that if the other side, whoever it is, doesn't have those
- 14 reliance documents, then they are obviously limited in terms of
- 15 the adequacy and completeness of their cross-examination on
- 16 depositions.
- 17 MS. HONIGBERG: And, Your Honor, the government has now
- 18 raised an issue.
- 19 If the document was cited in either parties' proposed
- 20 findings of fact, does Rule 471(b)'s presumption of
- 21 admissibility mean that somehow these documents, that even
- 22 though they weren't disclosed, can now come in if they are
- 23 submitted with the expert's witness testimony?
- 24 And our position, and we believe the clear rulings of
- 25 the court are, that they don't come in through that expert

- 1 unless they were properly disclosed.
- 2 THE COURT: Let me hear from the government.
- 3 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, I think we can really resolve
- 4 this easily, and that is because the United States has been very
- 5 clear from the first exhibit list that was filed with Dr. Dolan
- 6 and Dr. Krugman and in the amended exhibit lists that were filed
- 7 with Dr. Dolan and Dr. Krugman, that this category of exhibits
- 8 are not reliance materials. They are not materials considered
- 9 by the expert. And the expert --
- 10 THE COURT: Why are they not reliance materials?
- 11 MS. CROCKER: They are materials which are not
- 12 discussed in the expert's testimony. They are materials that
- 13 the United States is submitting with that expert testimony
- 14 because they are materials relevant to the expert's testimony.
- 15 So the United States clearly made two categories of
- 16 exhibits that would be submitted with Dr. Doland and Dr. Krugman
- and this may apply also to Dr. Henningfield, although I'll let
- 18 Mr. Goldfarb address that.
- 19 The first category of materials were materials cited in
- 20 or discussed in that expert's written direct testimony. Those
- 21 materials, of course, were materials that were considered and
- 22 disclosed to defendants.
- 23 The second category of materials were those which were
- 24 not cited in the expert's direct testimony, which were not on
- 25 the expert's list, but which were in the United States' opinion,

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1 relevant to that expert, and so therefore we submitted them with
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- 2 that expert so that the court would be able to consider those
- 3 materials -- for example, marketing plans -- at the same time
- 4 that it considered those exhibits and the testimony of Dr. Dolan
- 5 that gave context and relevance to marketing plans.
- 6 And I would just briefly --
- 7 THE COURT: Are you saying, for example, that Dr. Dolan
- 8 didn't consider marketing plans?
- 9 MS. CROCKER: No, Your Honor.
- 10 I would briefly remind Your Honor, and it's set out in
- 11 our filing of December 8th, that we had a ruling from the bench,
- 12 from Your Honor on specifically this point, and you very clearly
- gave us guidance and you said that -- I'm just quoting here --
- "If they are documents that are in the proposed findings of fact
- 15 and they are not reliance documents in that the witness didn't
- 16 consider them or rely upon them in any way or they are mentioned
- 17 in his direct, and it sounds like they wouldn't be, then you
- 18 make a separate justification exhibit by exhibit as we talked
- 19 about for this category of exhibits as to why there is a nexus
- of any kind between this witness and the document you're seeking
- 21 to admit."
- 22 THE COURT: It sounds to me as if the issue at this
- 23 point is: Are these documents or are they not reliance
- 24 materials?
- 25 MS. CROCKER: And the United States has never asserted

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1 that they were materials considered. That is why this issue
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- 2 that is before Your Honor is very different from the issue that
- 3 was before Your Honor when you heard argument about Dr. Brandt,
- 4 because the documents in Dr. Brandt's testimony were actually in
- 5 his testimony.
- 6 And so Your Honor's ruling was an expert witness
- 7 cannot, of course, in their own testimony, include discussion of
- 8 documents which they had never before disclosed.
- 9 The United States has been very careful, of course, not
- 10 to do that with Doctors Dolan and Krugman, and so what we did is
- 11 we provided -- we provided two clear categories of exhibits on
- 12 the exhibit lists: those which were cited in the testimony and
- 13 were materials considered and disclosed, and there been no
- 14 dispute that those were properly disclosed materials, and then
- 15 we also provided a separate list of finding of fact documents
- 16 presumptively admissible.
- 17 And then after Your Honor's ruling from the bench we
- 18 provided yet another list in which we provided a nexus for each
- document, document by document, which was over 20 pages long for
- 20 Dr. Dolan and about 10 pages or so for Dr. Krugman's exhibits.
- MS. HONIGBERG: Two responses, Your Honor.
- 22 First of all, even if an expert is not testifying about
- 23 a document, why it is submitted with an expert who is not going
- 24 to opine about it, testify about it, or to be part of or related
- 25 to that expert testimony when Your Honor's clearly said reliance

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1 materials don't come in with that expert, that is inconsistent
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- 2 with, we believe, the spirit and statement of your -- that Your
- 3 Honor has made.
- 4 THE COURT: I didn't say reliance materials don't come
- 5 in with the expert.
- 6 MS. HONIGBERG: No, no. I'm sorry. Undisclosed
- 7 materials. If they weren't disclosed.
- 8 So by appending to Dr. Dolan's list, for example, a
- 9 hundred -- and I'm just pulling that out -- a hundred documents
- 10 that were not in his reliance materials; by appending that to
- 11 his testimony so the court can consider it with his testimony
- when Dr. Dolan is not prepared to say a word about these
- documents, presumably, then it seems like we are just inflating
- 14 the record for no reason.
- 15 And I want to raise -- excuse me -- I just want to get
- 16 over here for a second. I want to raise an important issue with
- 17 Dr. Dolan. Forty-four of the documents that are supposedly not
- 18 reliance materials -- meaning not considered by Dr. Dolan in any
- 19 way, shape or form -- are on Demonstrative 9, which you may or
- 20 may not recall from Dr. Dolan is a 40-some-odd page document
- 21 that Ms. Brooker and Mr. Dolan repeatedly stated Dr. Dolan
- 22 personally created.
- 23 How he personally created a demonstrative with exhibits
- 24 he's never considered or doesn't rely on, that reads as a bigger
- 25 issue of -- just because you're not calling it reliance

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1 materials, does that mean he can get up there and testify about
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- 2 it or have a demonstrative that he made? It seems that that
- 3 certainly is improper.
- 4 THE COURT: Does the government have anything further?
- 5 And then I want to look over again my papers that you all
- 6 submitted way back in December on this issue.
- 7 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, if I could just make
- 8 two points briefly. And then I do think the papers are really
- 9 very full and we do have two rounds of briefing on this, so the
- 10 United States would be happy for you to talk -- to rule upon the
- 11 papers.
- 12 First of all, we are -- if we go down the path that
- 13 defendants are suggesting here, we would be making a completely
- 14 different rule for expert witnesses than for fact witnesses.
- 15 With fact witnesses, Your Honor has clearly ruled --
- and I'm quoting again from the transcript -- "There's no
- 17 requirement that every exhibit must be referred to or must be
- 18 essentially introduced by a particular witness." And of course,
- 19 you said, "The exhibit must be relevant. It must be authentic
- 20 and not be hearsay."
- 21 So with fact witnesses, Your Honor, the United States
- 22 has been following your order, 471, and submitting along with
- 23 the fact witness testimony findings of fact documents.
- 24 And so with the expert witnesses, again, we have been
- 25 perfectly clear. These are not reliance materials or considered

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1 materials. They are materials that are in the United States'
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- 2 findings of fact so there should not be a concern about an
- 3 inflated record. It's a limited number of documents, only 30 so
- for Dr. Krugman, about a hundred for Dr. Dolan. These are
- 5 relevant documents that there should be no dispute about.
- 6 And defendants have not objected on the grounds of
- 7 relevance, authenticity or hearsay to those documents, but are
- 8 simply raising this issue of reliance.
- 9 And with the issue that Ms. Honigberg raised related to
- 10 Dr. Dolan's testimony, I do not think that that's an accurate
- 11 characterization of his testimony, and our papers do clearly set
- 12 out that he in his -- in one of his demonstratives, documents
- 13 were included.
- 14 As Ms. Honigberg notes and as noted in our papers as
- 15 well, finding of fact documents were listed in that
- demonstrative, a long list of documents, along with other
- 17 considered documents.
- 18 And what the United States did to try to be very clear
- is we put on our list of exhibits the ones that were the finding
- of fact documents not considered by Dr. Dolan. Those were in
- 21 that second set of exhibits which the United States said these
- 22 are finding of fact documents, not considered by the expert.
- 23 And so we are, you know, asking for those to be moved in under
- the presumption of admissibility and 471.
- 25 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, if I may just address

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- 2 record.
- 3 THE COURT: All right.
- 4 MS. BROOKER: And my recollection of Dr. Dolan's
- 5 testimony is that when he was asked about -- just for the
- 6 record, it's Demonstrative 9, which contained all the false
- 7 public statements, but again the record will -- you know, the
- 8 record will reflect what the testimony was -- but all of the
- 9 documents in Demonstrative 9 are false public statements in the
- 10 youth section of the government's final findings of fact, except
- 11 for website statements, public website statements and those were
- 12 removed as a result of Your Honor's -- I believe it's Order 622
- 13 expressly prohibiting Dr. Dolan from referring to website
- 14 statements.
- 15 So when Dr. Dolan was asked on cross-examination if he
- 16 had seen these documents, some of the documents in here, while
- 17 all of them are in the findings of fact, some of the documents
- in here are also in his original expert report and other
- 19 disclosures, some are not.
- 20 But Dr. Dolan, along with the other youth experts,
- 21 also reviewed at different points in time the government's
- 22 findings of fact, and many of the documents underlying the
- 23 findings of fact, and disclosed to the defendants that, prior to
- 24 their depositions, that they had reviewed those findings of
- 25 fact.

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       treat it that way, the point is that when Dr. Dolan was on the
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       question and one uncertain answer by Dr. Dolan. And I just, you
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       Dr. Dolan represented because I do believe it was a bit of an
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       overstatement as Ms. Honigberg had put it, and I just want that
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       to be clear.
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                MS. HONIGBERG: May I briefly respond?
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                Your Honor, in Dr. Dolan's written direct, at page 59
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       and 56, Dr. Dolan asked, "Did you have a chart created that
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       shows many of the defendants' public statements?" And he
       answers "Yes" on the next page.
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       the page cite so the record is completely accurate --
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       Ms. Brooker represented -- as you might recall, Mr. Dolan was
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       asked about a series of demonstratives that were used in opening
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- 2 Ms. Brooker made clear on the record that the one we
- 3 should really be looking at is Demonstrative 9 because, quote,
- 4 Dr. Dolan himself put together Demonstrative 9 that is attached
- 5 to his direct testimony. And that's at page 7765.
- 6 At page 7766 Ms. Brooker says that the errors in the
- 7 opening statement demonstratives were corrected by Dr. Dolan in
- 8 Demonstrative 9.
- 9 To somehow say now that the documents on Demonstrative
- 10 9, that Dr. Dolan, it was represented, put together himself, it
- 11 just cannot be the case.
- 12 You may not call them reliance materials, but they are
- 13 reliance materials. They are documents he considered and relied
- 14 if it was correct that he put together this chart, and that was
- 15 what was stated.
- And I believe there was further testimony from
- 17 Dr. Dolan that any quote -- he selected -- the quotes from all
- 18 these documents he selected, and if that's all true, these were
- 19 documents he reviewed.
- 20 And if an expert can simply say that they've looked at
- 21 the findings of fact and then any of the thousands and thousands
- of documents in the findings of fact are now considered reliance
- 23 materials, then anything is going to come in.
- 24 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, just in response to that last
- 25 point. When the government -- as a result of the prior lists

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       government did not necessarily, as maybe this is the case with
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       Dr. Brandt -- and I don't know if this was a case with another
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       about this distinction between documents admitted through the
       expert versus documents that were clearly documents that were
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       realizing this confusion, the United States decided, Let's be
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       that we're making misrepresentations or confusing the record
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       about what is considered and what is not.
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                So the documents on Demonstrative 9, those that, as I
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       said, were in his expert report or other disclosures were put
       under the list clearly headed Documents Considered and Disclosed
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       by Dr. Dolan.
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       were in the findings of fact but that were not considered, you
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       know, individually by Dr. Dolan, were put on a separate list
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       sent out along with the original direct testimony filing that
       expressly informed the defendants and the court that these were
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       not documents the government was putting forth as documents
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filing to be honest so that we wouldn't get to this point where

there was confusion about which document was considered and

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- 1 which was a finding of fact document.
- 2 THE COURT: I want to look at a couple of things,
- 3 everybody.
- 4 (Pause)
- 5 I thought the government indicated that it filed some
- 6 lengthy justifications to each of the separate documents. What
- 7 date was that filed?
- 8 MS. CROCKER: I'll just pull that up for you, Your
- 9 Honor. It looks as if Ms. Honigberg hopefully has a copy for
- 10 the court. And I can tell you the date of it as well.
- 11 THE COURT: And I don't think that it was your
- 12 November 24th filing, I don't think.
- 13 MS. CROCKER: No, Your Honor. That was our response to
- 14 the first round of objections, and after that we had Your
- 15 Honor's ruling from the bench that we should put together the
- 16 nexus.
- 17 So we then put together an amended list of exhibits for
- both Dr. Krugman and Dr. Dolan, and we filed that on December
- 19 3rd. And there's one for Dr. Krugman and one for Dr. Dolan.
- Dr. Dolan's is 32 pages long, and Dr. Krugman's is 16 pages
- 21 long, Your Honor, and goes document by document explaining the
- 22 nexus, as you had asked.
- 23 THE COURT: Counsel, I think that I am just going to
- 24 have to pull together these documents. I usually have
- 25 everything organized well, but I don't see those documents. I

- 1 may have them for Dr. Krugman, but I certainly don't seem to
- 2 have them for Dr. Dolan. And, in any event, I would want to
- 3 look through them.
- 4 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, if you looked at those you
- 5 might also want to consider that defendants then filed
- 6 objections, separate objections, to those amended lists both for
- 7 Dr. Krugman and for Dr. Dolan on December 6th, and then the
- 8 United States filed a consolidated reply -- a consolidated
- 9 response on December 8th to those two different set of
- 10 objections.
- 11 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, we have a set here of all
- 12 the Doland ones kind of in order, if that would be helpful. We
- 13 can provide that to Ms. Hightower.
- 14 THE COURT: I think we will probably pull it
- 15 altogether.
- 16 I say this with great hesitation, but I'm going to make
- 17 a commitment that this issue gets ruled upon by the close of
- 18 business tomorrow. I've got matters in court, but I also have a
- 19 little bit more time, and I do want to look at all the documents
- 20 together. I have a final question for the government, however.
- 21 How can you say that Dr. Dolan put together
- 22 Demonstrative Exhibit, I think it's Number 9, that he chose the
- 23 false statements for that exhibit, that he obviously made
- 24 intentional decisions as to what was to be used and what not to
- 25 be used, and that he didn't consider those documents?

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Otherwise, how could he have done what he did?
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- 2 MS. BROOKER: If I understand your question, Your
- 3 Honor, you are asking about the demonstrative and the testimony
- 4 that Dr. Dolan gave in his written direct examination.
- 5 THE COURT: Yes.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: Okay. The testimony that -- could we
- 7 take a look at that testimony again? Did you want to put it
- 8 back up there.
- 9 The testimony -- I believe Dr. Dolan was asked the
- 10 question, "Did you have Demonstrative 9 prepared?" And he did
- 11 have Demonstrative 9 prepared, based in part on the set of
- 12 public statements that were in his expert report and/or the set
- of statements that were in... excuse me.
- "Did you have a chart created that shows many of
- 15 defendants' public statements?"
- 16 And he did have a demonstrative that was created that
- 17 included, again, the statements that were in his expert report
- as well as the findings of fact statements, which again we then
- 19 set out as a separate list notifying the defendants and the
- 20 court which ones are the specific ones that he considered and
- 21 disclosed and which ones that he had not disclosed prior to his
- 22 written direct. So we were entirely forthcoming with that. And
- 23 again, it was very similar to Dr. Brandt who considered --
- 24 THE COURT: That's not the issue, Ms. Brooker.
- 25 The issue is did he disclose all of his reliance

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1 materials? How do you define reliance materials?
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- And how can you conclude that exhibits, which he used
- 3 or which he considered in putting together Demonstrative Number
- 4 9 do not constitute reliance materials which should have been
- 5 disclosed?
- 6 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, when Dr. Dolan in his written
- 7 direct testimony said he had a chart prepared for him, he was
- 8 being completely accurate.
- 9 He indicated which public statements that he had
- 10 considered he wanted to include, and the United States also
- 11 included public statements from the findings of fact which it
- 12 considered relevant and then put on its second list.
- Dr. Dolan didn't impermissibly consider documents that
- 14 were outside of his set of materials considered. He didn't go
- 15 through documents that he had not considered before and put that
- 16 chart together. He did not testify he put the chart together.
- 17 He had the chart prepared.
- 18 MS. BROOKER: And again, Dr. Dolan had, pursuant to his
- 19 review, as did many of the experts, review all of the findings
- of fact and consider or look at many of the documents that
- 21 underlie that.
- 22 But to the extent the documents were and were not
- 23 disclosed, the government was careful to only include in that
- 24 testimony, particularly of Dr. Dolan, those public statements
- 25 that he disclosed and either defendants deposed him about or had

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- 2 I don't know if that is answering Your Honor's
- 3 question.
- 4 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, very briefly.
- 5 Again, Ms. Brooker represented to this court Dr. Dolan
- 6 himself put together Demonstrative 9. She also said errors were
- 7 corrected by Dr. Dolan and, quote, It was accurately put
- 8 together and Dr. Dolan had reviewed it.
- 9 How could he not have reviewed the documents in this
- demonstrative that he put together. Even if he selected them
- 11 and had the government type them up, he stands by the quotes
- 12 from these documents since he selected these things.
- 13 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, I would say in response to
- 14 that, that Dr. Dolan did look at, and I believe he testified
- 15 that he could not recall -- I can't -- we have his testimony
- 16 there and we should look at it, but I believe that Dr. Dolan
- 17 said he was not sure all of the documents that he looked at.
- 18 But Dr. Dolan did, at the time of reviewing the
- 19 findings of fact, look at a lot of these documents and have
- $20\,$   $\,$  these demonstratives prepared and did look at the underlying
- 21 documents.
- 22 But again, since they were not disclosed as reliance
- documents, we clearly set them out so that we would not create
- 24 an impression that all of those were on his disclosure set
- 25 because all of them were not; only some of them from his

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- 2 actually included.
- 3 THE COURT: But the concern and the question is not
- 4 whether the government clearly and honestly delineated these
- 5 different kinds of documents, the real question is: Did the
- 6 government disclose those documents which actually constitute
- 7 reliance documents?
- 8 That was the government's obligation, and that, of
- 9 course, was an obligation that kicked in at a very early point
- or a fairly early point in the litigation.
- 11 And then the question is: How could Dr. Dolan have put
- 12 together at least one exhibit with documents that don't
- constitute, in the government's view, reliance documents?
- 14 Now, the government isn't clear as to whether Dr. Dolan
- 15 did or did not put together this particular demonstrative. It
- 16 seems to me that you've both presented somewhat conflicting
- 17 statements from the transcripts.
- 18 My sense in listening to Dr. Dolan -- and this doesn't
- 19 apply to Demonstrative Number 9 -- but my overall sense in
- 20 listening to him is that he had a lot of people do a lot of work
- on his presentation and he didn't do it all.
- MS. BROOKER: Well, Your Honor, if I could just say in
- 23 response. What is accurate is what Dr. Dolan stated in his
- testimony, which is, "Dr. Dolan, you know, did you have a chart
- 25 created that shows many of defendants' public statements?"

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       statements.
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                MS. BROOKER: No, I understand that is your question,
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                No, Dr. Dolan, as he testified, he worked alone. He
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       had no consultant or anyone work. So to the extent that any of
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       the demonstratives were put together, as I elicited on redirect
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       documents were the findings of fact document which the
       government had a paralegal put together, which Dr. Dolan
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       reviewed several times and Dr. Dolan looked at several times,
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       and, you know, that's where the demonstrative comes from.
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                THE COURT: That supports the defendants' argument.
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1 question that's been posed by Ms. Honigberg.
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- 2 MS. BROOKER: You mean the admissibility of some of the
- 3 documents on the demonstrative?
- 4 THE COURT: The question is: How could he have
- 5 composed that exhibit and made the decisions as to what should
- 6 be included or not included in that exhibit without having
- 7 considered all the documents? And if he considered them, then
- 8 they constituted reliance materials which should have been
- 9 disclosed at a much earlier point.
- 10 Am I misstating defense counsel's argument?
- 11 MS. HONIGBERG: No, Your Honor, that's correct. That's
- 12 our position.
- MS. BROOKER: I guess -- I'm not trying to be unclear
- or to not understand the court. I guess my response is just,
- 15 again, is that Dr. Dolan, having looked at all the findings of
- 16 fact included in the demonstrative, all the findings of fact
- 17 public statements, except the public website statements, and
- 18 then we set forth so that we were clear which of those documents
- were documents we would readily be able to get admitted into
- 20 evidence through him because they are consideration documents
- 21 and they are in his testimony.
- 22 So those were documents we could get in versus
- documents we knew we had to make a separate argument for, so we
- 24 set them out separately because they were findings of fact
- 25 documents which then Your Honor ruled for those we would create

- 1 a nexus for.
- So... I guess what I'm just saying is that the United
- 3 States was just trying to be clear for the first time through
- 4 Dr. Dolan's filing which of the documents were findings of fact
- 5 documents that were not disclosed and which ones were disclosed
- 6 by Dr. Dolan.
- 7 THE COURT: I'm certainly not raising any ethical
- 8 issues about how the government presented the material.
- 9 I think, unless there's something final to be added,
- 10 that we will just have to put this issue aside for now.
- 11 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, could I say one last thing?
- 12 THE COURT: Yes.
- MS. CROCKER: Very briefly, Your Honor.
- I just want to note that the issue that Ms. Honigberg
- 15 has raise and we spent about 15 minutes discussing really only
- applies to a subset of materials in Dr. Dolan's -- in the
- objection to Dr. Dolan's exhibits.
- 18 It doesn't apply at all to Dr. Krugman and it doesn't
- apply to I think 55 of the documents or exhibits that were
- 20 submitted with Dr. Dolan. Those, there is no dispute they were
- 21 finding of fact documents. There's no dispute they are reliance
- 22 documents. So I just wanted to make that clear for the record,
- 23 Your Honor.
- 24 THE COURT: Okay. All right. Second issue, and is
- 25 this as to Dr. Dolan now? We are staying on him?

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1 MS. HONIGBERG: This is as to Dr. Dolan. And for
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- 2 Dr. Dolan I believe the only remaining issues are individual
- 3 defendants' exhibit issues, I believe.
- 4 And I know we had used -- the defendants had used three
- 5 exhibits in their cross -- well, I should say Brown & Williamson
- 6 used three exhibits in its cross of Dr. Dolan. Philip Morris
- 7 had some additional documents they would like to get in.
- 8 There are three exhibits the government objects to the
- 9 admission of, and we could do those; I'm not sure who is arguing
- 10 those.
- 11 THE COURT: Let's deal with those three exhibits now,
- 12 please, and then we will come back to the other defendants.
- 13 MS. BROOKER: If you have the list, why don't you -- I
- mean, I have the list, too.
- 15 MS. HONIGBERG: The three documents that B&W used, the
- 16 first is JD 2696. The next one is JD 65994.
- 17 THE COURT: Are you sure you used the proper numbers on
- 18 the first one? 2696?
- 19 MS. HONIGBERG: Oh, I probably -- yes, I apologize. I
- left out some zeroes. It should be JD 002696.
- THE COURT: The next one is 65994?
- MS. HONIGBERG: Correct.
- 23 And the next one is JD 047664.
- 24 MS. BROOKER: Now, let me just state for the record
- 25 that yesterday I thought that -- have you withdrawn some other

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1 exhibits, because we didn't have agreement on more than three?
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- 2 MS. HONIGBERG: Some of them Philip Morris we'll be
- 3 addressing.
- 4 MS. BROOKER: I see.
- 5 THE COURT: I thought these are the three you disagree
- 6 on.
- 7 MS. BROOKER: Yes.
- 8 THE COURT: Then let's just focus on these three.
- 9 MS. BROOKER: If I could just try to pull the exhibits.
- 10 I don't remember them.
- 11 The first one is JD 002696, and the United States
- 12 objects for two reasons. One, it's hearsay.
- 13 THE COURT: Tell me what the document is, please,
- 14 because I don't have any of these listed.
- 15 MS. BROOKER: Specifically -- I can put this up here.
- 16 The document is an interrogatory response, and Ms. Honigberg can
- 17 correct me if I'm wrong. This an interrogatory response by R.J.
- 18 Reynolds in the FTC proceeding in 1990. It's hearsay. And, in
- 19 addition, Dr. Dolan had not seen it before. I believe when he
- 20 was asked about it on cross-examination he was not familiar with
- 21 the document. So, in addition to it being hearsay, it is not --
- 22 a foundation was not laid for the document.
- 23 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, this document, we are not
- 24 seeking to admit it for the truth of the matter. This document
- 25 came in the context of questioning Dr. Dolan regarding our

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- 2 the matter of what was said, it is that it was said. It is not
- 3 for hearsay purpose.
- 4 The question was what representations were we making
- 5 to -- and I believe in this case it was the FTC. What
- 6 representations were we making to the FTC about our marketing
- 7 practices to say whether or not that was consistent with what we
- 8 were doing. This was not used to establish what our marketing
- 9 practices were, merely what our representations to the
- 10 government were. And I will also add it's in the proposed
- 11 findings.
- 12 THE COURT: This document may be admitted.
- 13 (Exhibit No. JD 002696 was received into evidence.)
- 14 THE COURT: 65994, what is this?
- 15 MS. BROOKER: JD 065994 is a 1990 letter from RJR to
- 16 Thomas Luken, then Chairman of the Subcommittee on
- 17 Transportation.
- 18 Again, Dr. Dolan testified that he was not sure he had
- ever seen this document, he wasn't sure whether or not he had
- 20 seen this particular document, and there was no -- there was no
- 21 foundation as a result laid. And it's also hearsay.
- MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, the same issue with this
- 23 document.
- 24 This is a document to the Honorable Thomas A. Luken in
- 25 the Congress, and it was specifically to show what were we

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1 saying to the government. Not to say it was true, but what were
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- 2 our representations.
- 3 Dr. Dolan had opined that our representations were
- 4 false. This was to say what was our representations. If he
- 5 hadn't considered this document, we were able to say "You didn't
- 6 consider this document." But we believe it should be admitted.
- 7 It's not for hearsay purpose.
- 8 MS. BROOKER: I don't see --
- 9 THE COURT: This document may be admitted.
- 10 (Exhibit No. JD 065994 was received into evidence.)
- 11 THE COURT: And now 047664.
- 12 MS. BROOKER: Okay. This was another document, JD
- 13 047664 was another document which I believe I objected and the
- 14 court sustained the objection to Dr. Dolan being asked questions
- 15 about this because it's entitled, Five Ways to Reduce the Risk
- of Smoking, and it clearly fell outside his area of expertise.
- 17 It's hearsay. It is a partial document and there was
- 18 no foundation laid for asking this witness to lay a foundation
- 19 for the admissibility of the document.
- 20 MS. HONIGBERG: Your Honor, briefly, if I may respond.
- 21 First of all, this document is in the proposed findings
- 22 and it's presumptively admissible.
- 23 Secondly, the issue was whether this related to
- 24 Dr. Dolan's testimony. And Dr. Dolan -- question at Dr. Dolan's
- 25 direct, page 118 was, "Could you explain why this was one of

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- 2 cigarettes?"
- 3 Answer by Dr. Dolan, "Yes. In reality, low tar and
- 4 nicotine cigarettes offered smokers no differential health
- 5 impact as compared to regular cigarettes" and goes on to talk
- 6 about the low tar deception.
- 7 This is not for the truth of the matter asserted. This
- 8 is for what was the government saying about it. And even if
- 9 Dr. Dolan may not have -- even if we may not have been permitted
- 10 to ask Dr. Dolan further about it, certainly it related to his
- 11 opinions and his testimony and it is in the findings of fact.
- 12 THE COURT: It does have a presumption of
- 13 admissibility. There's certainly a clear nexus between the
- 14 testimony of Dr. Dolan and this document.
- 15 And there was a third reason I was going to allow it
- in, but the third reason escapes me for the minute. So I've
- 17 stated two, and that's sufficient. It may be admitted.
- 18 (Exhibit No. JD 047664 was received into evidence.)
- 19 THE COURT: All right. Does that take care of Brown &
- 20 Williamson's documents?
- MS. HONIGBERG: That is correct, Your Honor.
- 22 THE COURT: Now we will go to individual defendants.
- Mr. Redgrave.
- MR. REDGRAVE: For the record, this is Jonathan
- 25 Redgrave.

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I only have one document I wanted to raise. It's
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- 2 Exhibit 22121.
- Jamie, if I could have the next yellow.
- 4 Your Honor, this document we objected on hearsay
- 5 grounds. And in response to our objection, the government
- 6 argued, quote, This exhibit is not hearsay, it's both the e-mail
- 7 and the attached survey were made in the course of RJ Reynolds'
- 8 business and kept as a business record under Federal Rule of
- 9 Evidence 803(6).
- 10 I'll note also, Your Honor, this document was not in
- 11 the reliance materials, so subject to that objection as well and
- 12 it was not in Dr. Dolan's written direct.
- 13 The government, in their response, went on to say that
- 14 this exhibit is cited in the United States' findings of fact and
- is therefore presumptively admissible under the orders of the
- 16 court.
- Now, of course, that means I've got a hill to climb,
- Your Honor, and I did the stairs in between our breaks, so I
- 19 think I'm prepared on this document.
- 20 If you look at the document, you will see there's an
- 21 e-mail at the top within Reynolds, and there's a very short note
- from one employee to another about the attached Gallup survey,
- and then you will see this line, right here, which marks a
- 24 break, and then you will see that on this page it looks like the
- 25 author of this e-mail is just cut and pasted from something and

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1 that something looks like a press release or news release.
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- 2 You can see, here, it comes from a PR Newswire and we
- 3 can read down through it, it talks about -- kind of a release
- 4 about this survey, attitudes and behaviors related to smoking
- 5 cessation. A survey of current and former smokers. And that
- 6 was sponsored by SmithKlein Beacham, Consumer Health Care. And
- 7 then you will see there's a media brieflying in New York.
- 8 If we go to the next page -- Jamie -- you will see it
- 9 goes through with a number of quotes from different people. In
- 10 fact, one of our experts in this case is quoted in the middle,
- 11 Jack Henningfield, and so it's got a double hearsay problem in
- 12 there.
- 13 You will also remember Dr. Henningfield was a
- 14 consultant with SmithKlein Beacham, although you wouldn't be
- able to tell from this document.
- Jamie, if you can go to the last page, please.
- 17 You will see on the bottom here it talks about
- 18 SmithKlein Beacham, like this. And those types of documents, it
- 19 looks like this is really a press release kind of put out on the
- 20 PR Newswire by SmithKlein Beacham itself.
- 21 So with respect to the government's argument that this
- document, all this text here was somehow created by Reynolds in
- 23 the regular course of business, that's just wrong.
- Just because you have an e-mail within a company
- doesn't make an e-mail a business record. It has to be

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1 something under 803(6) that is created in the regular course of
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- 2 business that has the indicia of reliability.
- 3 There's some business process. There's something
- 4 within the company that says this is a reliable record. And to
- 5 the extent we are looking at all the content here, the quotes
- 6 within a press release from some other organization, this can't
- 7 come in for the truth of the matter asserted.
- 8 Now, I suppose if the government wants to change its
- 9 argument and just say notice that Reynolds saw this and attached
- 10 to an e-mail, that's a different thing. But the representation
- 11 to the court was -- and I think perhaps the use in the findings
- of fact -- is going to the actual substance of this, and that's
- 13 just not right.
- The response they provided, 803(6) exception, is not
- 15 applicable. This document can only come in for a limited
- 16 purpose, if the government even wants it to come in for that
- 17 purpose, and even as to that, I question the relevance of it.
- 18 THE COURT: Ms. Brooker.
- 19 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, I guess I would say a few
- 20 things in response.
- 21 One, I would just note to the court that I and Rene
- 22 Honigberg and Kevin Narko have been working for a couple of days
- 23 now trying to know in advance what issues we were going to argue
- so we could work this out.
- 25 And I have to say I didn't know that we were going to

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1 argue this issue, I would have been more prepared on it, so I
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- 2 can only look at what our brief response is here in our papers.
- 3 And I will say that Mr. Brody just noted to me that RJR
- 4 asserted Order Number 7 confidentiality over this document,
- 5 which is a relevant piece of evidence that I think contradicts
- 6 what Mr. Redgrave is saying about the document.
- 7 And the second thing is the document is no doubt -- and
- 8 I don't think they dispute that it is kept in the regular course
- 9 of Reynolds' business. So as for its creation, that is not a
- 10 relevant point.
- 11 Other than that, I would -- you know, as Ms. Eubanks is
- 12 passing up to me Rule 803(6), memorandum, as Your Honor knows,
- 13 from information transmitted by a person with knowledge if kept
- in the course of a regular-conducted business activity, and if
- 15 it was a regular practice of that business activity to make the
- 16 memorandum, the document can be admitted into evidence.
- 17 So I would say that it has indicia over liability and
- should be admitted. And, also, as with some other objections
- 19 that we've heard here today, I think that the document should be
- 20 admitted and it should go -- arguments by counsel should not be
- 21 considered facts for purposes of admissibility of a document.
- 22 And to the extent that they want to make admissibility or weight
- of the admissibility arguments at a later time it would be more
- 24 appropriate. So we would just stand on our --
- 25 THE COURT: I want to see that brief sentence or so at

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1 the very beginning of the e-mail.
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- 2 The issue of e-mails is a very complicated one and
- 3 there's a great -- a growing body of judicial opinions on that
- 4 subject, some of which I've contributed to I think in this
- 5 case -- no, some other case. Sorry, everybody.
- But the essence of the government's argument is that
- 7 this e-mail should be accepted into evidence for the truth of
- 8 what's contained in it because it is a business record.
- 9 The reason that we consider business records admissible
- 10 is because there are certain requirements for establishing them,
- 11 as you all know, and that is they have to be made
- 12 contemporaneously, they have to be made in the ordinary course
- of business, et cetera.
- 14 Those requirements probably are satisfied for the first
- 15 sentence of that e-mail, namely the e-mail to everybody on the
- list saying, "Thought the attached Gallup survey had an
- interesting omission," et cetera.
- 18 But certainly those requirements do not apply to the
- 19 attachment to the e-mail, and I think we have to differentiate
- 20 between the substance of an e-mail, i.e., "We had a meeting on
- 21 such and such a date, why weren't you there," and any attachment
- 22 to the e-mail, such as "This is a document that was distributed
- 23 at that meeting."
- 24 There are very different reliability and policy issues
- 25 attached to -- or I should say applicable to the actual e-mail

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- And so after that long introduction, my ruling on this
- 3 one is that, that first sentence, "thought the attached had an
- 4 interesting omission" and what comes after the semicolon, which
- 5 is also part of the first sentence, that certainly is admissible
- 6 as a regular business record and, therefore, can be admitted for
- 7 the truth of it, for whatever that significance is.
- 8 But the attachment of that Gallup survey is not made in
- 9 the ordinary course of business. It is not a business record.
- 10 It does not have indicia of reliability. Certainly not to
- 11 criticize the Gallup surveys, but that's a whole separate issue
- 12 and therefore it doesn't come in.
- MS. BROOKER: May I make another basis for
- 14 admissibility?
- 15 THE COURT: Go ahead.
- 16 MS. BROOKER: All right. Your Honor, the document
- 17 is -- the United States offers the document to show that the
- 18 company had access to this information, the attached Gallup
- 19 survey, and that it was circulating that information internally.
- 20 So the actual underlying facts of the Gallup survey,
- 21 it's not -- you know, that survey is not offered for the truth
- of the matter asserted, it's offered to show the practices of
- 23 the company and that the company had access to this kind of
- 24 information, circulated internally this kind of information, and
- 25 used this kind of information.

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                THE COURT: I think Mr. Redgrave suggested that the
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       government might make that argument. That's a very different
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       argument.
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               MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, I said with respect to that
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       if they chose so to say -- I mean, just notice purposes that
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       Reynolds had this, it is what it is. The e-mail is there. They
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       circulated that.
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       end of this trial, so I'm not going to argue against that. It's
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       just not a business record as they tried to make it out to be.
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                And I will point out one of the reasons I raised this
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       particular objection, Your Honor, is in that mountain of priors
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       you have back there, there are a number of arguments that the
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       government raised with respect to e-mails, attachments, other
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       documents which really just say outright that this is a business
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       record because it was -- it's got their Bates number. It's a
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       business record because it's in their files. And that's just
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       not right.
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               As I think Your Honor is completely correct in the way
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       in which you stated the law, there's got to be a little bit more
       analysis on that. And so with respect to this, for the notice
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       part and the others, not for the truth of matter asserted, I
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MS. EUBANKS: Your Honor, there is a significant
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       difference that hasn't been addressed by Mr. Redgrave here with
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       respect to this document.
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       about the business records' exception, its intent and the case
       law that interprets it. But here we have special proceedings in
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       place including Order Number 7, wherein in a party could make
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       confidentiality claims. Before making those confidentiality
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       claims --
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                THE COURT: I don't think the claim is one of
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       confidentiality.
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                MS. EUBANKS: Yes, it is, Your Honor, on the side of
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       the document.
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                My point goes to the question of whether this is
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       hearsay and a business record. If defendants took the position
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       early on in this litigation that this came within Order Number 7
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       and they were entitled to assert confidentiality, not over part
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       of it but the document in its entirety, it seems to me that they
       indeed were treating it as an 803(6) business record.
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                And despite the arguments of counsel that only that
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       first part is something that was in the ordinary course of
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       business and the rest of it was simply circulated, they stamped
       this as confidential, used it as such.
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1 their own practice, their own documents, as something that the
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- 2 company itself needed to protect, not Gallup survey research
- 3 itself, but something that became a part of the company, and
- 4 they utilized that process under Order Number 7 to do that.
- 5 So with respect, Your Honor, this particular indication
- 6 that they were claiming Order 7 confidentiality with respect to
- 7 this document indicates the use that the defendants made of it
- 8 in the ordinary course of business.
- 9 MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, first of all, from a
- 10 substantive standpoint, the rules of evidence are the rules of
- 11 evidence, and Order Number 7 wouldn't change that in the
- 12 reliability of any of the information in there with respect to
- 13 Your Honor's reliance upon them and any fact finding in this
- 14 case.
- 15 Secondly, with respect to confidentiality. Obviously,
- 16 we didn't claim that at trial with respect to this document in
- 17 terms of any of the procedures set up for handling of the trial
- 18 exhibits.
- 19 With respect to the original confidentiality claim, I
- 20 haven't gone back to look at that. There were a number of
- 21 documents produced in the case, as you know. With respect to
- $\,$  22  $\,$  this, I imagine that it was done on the document basis for that
- 23 first part, but that really shouldn't change the analysis.
- I mean, that was the e-mail from our files and the
- 25 people reviewing it probably looked at it, and it was dated 1998

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when we were producing it a while ago in this case in discovery,
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- 2 they would have attached a confidentiality claim to the document
- 3 as a whole. It wasn't one of those that was challenged in the
- 4 Order 7 process. But that really doesn't change the evidentiary
- 5 analysis, Your Honor, with respect to it.
- THE COURT: Here's my ruling, everybody. We've spent
- 7 too much time on this issue.
- 8 The entire document comes in. The first complete
- 9 sentence comes in for the truth of it. The remainder of it
- 10 comes in on the notice issue, period.
- MR. REDGRAVE: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 12 (Exhibit No. JD 22121 was received into evidence.)
- 13 THE COURT: Now, are we done with R.J. Reynolds, at
- least for the moment?
- 15 MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, you're done with me for the
- 16 entirety of the day.
- 17 THE COURT: Good. All right, counsel.
- 18 MR. NARKO: Good afternoon, Kevin Narko for Philip
- 19 Morris.
- I have on my list of exhibits that the government is
- 21 objecting to five. These are exhibits that Mr. Frederick used
- during the cross-examination of Dr. Dolan. JD 052969.
- 23 THE COURT: 052969.
- 24 MR. NARKO: JD 041096. JD 050791.
- 25 THE COURT: I'm sorry. 050 --

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1 MR. NARKO: -- 791.
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- MS. BROOKER: Excuse me, Mr. Narko. That last one, I
- 3 think we had an e-mail exchange about it. The United States is
- 4 not objecting to JD 050791.
- 5 THE COURT: All right.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: I think that's also one that you're
- 7 seeking to admit through Dr. Biglan. So I would just indicate
- 8 if you would just try not to duplicate for the record. But
- 9 we're not objecting to it.
- 10 THE COURT: So I have two so far.
- 11 MR. NARKO: JD 054423.
- 12 THE COURT: 054 --
- 13 MR. NARKO: -- 423. And the last one is JD 051645.
- 14 THE COURT: And these -- I just want to be clear at
- 15 this point, these are exhibits that defendants are objecting to.
- 16 Is that correct?
- MS. BROOKER: That the United States is objecting to
- 18 and defendants are seeking to admit.
- 19 And the only thing that I have to say, Mr. Narko and I
- 20 did not discuss because Your Honor has just put a big focus on
- 21 it, today as we were going through these is -- and maybe
- 22 Mr. Narko ought to say whether any of these are findings of fact
- 23 documents.
- MR. NARKO: Yes, three are in the findings of fact.
- THE COURT: Which ones?

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1 MR. NARKO: JD 052969. I'm sorry, one of those
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- 2 withdrawn, so there are two. The first one I just read and the
- 3 last one. JD 051645.
- 4 THE COURT: What are the government's objections?
- 5 MS. BROOKER: Okay. So JD 051 --
- 6 THE COURT: No.
- 7 MS. BROOKER: -- 645.
- 8 THE COURT: Let's start with the beginning. 052969 is
- 9 the first one.
- 10 MS. BROOKER: Is that not one you just said you were
- 11 withdrawing?
- 12 THE COURT: No.
- MS. BROOKER: Sorry.
- 14 THE COURT: Wait a minute. I shouldn't answer for
- 15 counsel.
- MS. BROOKER: That last one.
- 17 MR. NARKO: No, we are not withdrawing them. They are
- 18 within the findings of fact. We are moving to admit them at
- 19 this time.
- THE COURT: That's what I understood.
- 21 Ms. Brooker, don't confuse me further. Go ahead.
- MS. BROOKER: JD 052969, the United States' objection
- is lack of foundation because Dr. Dolan did not really give a
- 24 response. He was not really asked whether he was familiar with
- 25 the document. And it is hearsay.

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1 And if you want to state for the record what the
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- 2 document is.
- 3 MR. NARKO: JD 052969 is what's called the freestanding
- 4 insert. Your Honor has heard some testimony about and some
- 5 argument about this. It's a brochure that was placed inside
- 6 newspapers.
- 7 THE COURT: And it's in the findings of fact.
- 8 MR. NARKO: It's in the findings of fact, Your Honor.
- 9 THE COURT: That may be admitted.
- 10 (Exhibit No. JD 052969 was received into evidence.)
- 11 THE COURT: 041096, not in the findings of fact.
- 12 What's the government's objection?
- MS. BROOKER: The same objections, Your Honor. Hearsay
- and no foundation was laid through Dr. Dolan.
- 15 MR. NARKO: Your Honor, JD 041096 is the insert that
- 16 related to low tar and light cigarettes. Again, Your Honor has
- 17 heard an awful lot about this thus far in the trial.
- 18 It is not being offered for the truth of the matter
- 19 asserted, but for the fact that this is something that Philip
- 20 Morris communicated. Further it's a business record.
- 21 THE COURT: And you certainly questioned him about it;
- is that correct?
- MR. NARKO: Yes, Your Honor.
- 24 THE COURT: That may be admitted.
- 25 (Exhibit No. JD 041096 was received into evidence.)

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THE COURT: 054423.
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                MS. BROOKER: That is, I do believe, a Philip Morris'
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       website statement, which has not been previously admitted and
       which the United States objects to because Dr. Dolan, you know,
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       obviously was not permitted to testify about the website
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       statements, and we objected to questioning Dr. Dolan on any of
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       the website statements, and also because it is hearsay.
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                MR. NARKO: Your Honor, JD 054423 is that portion of
       the Philip Morris USA website that relates to quitting smoking.
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                Again, Your Honor has heard some testimony about this,
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       some argument about this. He was questioned about it. Again,
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       it's a business record. It's not being offered for the truth of
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       the matter asserted, but for the fact that this is information
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       that Philip Morris communicated.
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                THE COURT: Well, this is a close issue, but it wasn't
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       in the findings of fact, he wasn't allowed to be questioned
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       about it because of a prior ruling of mine, and, therefore, at
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       least through Dr. Dolan, it's not going to be admitted. I would
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       not be at all surprised that it comes in through somebody else.
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       findings of fact.
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                MS. BROOKER: And the objection to that would be that
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       was the document that the government objected to, which was the
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THE COURT: What was it again?
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                MS. BROOKER: It was the retail leaders 2003 Philip
       Morris' document, which I don't know if Your Honor recalls it,
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       but there was a lot of objection and discussion about that
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       document because it was voluntarily produced and not something
       that Dr. Dolan had seen or had considered by virtue of the fact
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       that it was voluntarily produced, and the cross-examination
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       suggested that it was just something he hadn't taken the time to
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       look at when, in fact, it was a late produced document.
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                And again it is -- our basis is that it is hearsay and
       there was no foundation laid through this witness.
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                THE COURT: Counsel.
               MR. NARKO: Your Honor, JD 051645 is the retail
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       agreement Philip Morris has with many of the customers for its
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       cigarettes.
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       at least on the final exhibit list, and then cited in the
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       findings of fact, and it is clearly a business record.
                THE COURT: As being included in the findings of fact,
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       it has a presumption of admissibility. Certainly there's a
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       nexus established in terms of its relevance, number one, to the
       case, number two to Dr. Dolan's testimony. There was nothing
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       improper about the voluntary submission of it, and it will be
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       admitted.
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(Exhibit No. JD 051645 was received into evidence.)

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1 THE COURT: Anything else for Philip Morris?
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- 2 MR. NARKO: No, Your Honor.
- 3 THE COURT: Who else do I need to hear from, if
- 4 anybody, on Dr. Dolan? Last person, is that correct, I hope.
- 5 MR. CASSETTA: I believe, Your Honor. Richard Cassetta
- on behalf of Lorillard Tobacco Company.
- 7 Your Honor, there were six Lorillard documents that
- 8 fall within what's under consideration by you now, namely they
- 9 were not disclosed on the reliance list. And then there were
- 10 two --
- 11 THE COURT: But those six are going to be decided in
- 12 terms of the decision that you all get by the close of business
- 13 tomorrow which will be probably a two- or three-sentence ruling.
- MR. CASSETTA: Yes, Your Honor.
- 15 MS. BROOKER: If I may, are these separately objected
- 16 to in your issues motion as part of the separate objections?
- MR. CASSETTA: As part of the issues motion.
- MS. BROOKER: As part the global issue. I'm sorry,
- 19 okay.
- 20 MR. CASSETTA: And then there are two objections that
- 21 we made to documents that were -- one was duplicative of another
- 22 exhibit that had been admitted, and the other a joint exhibit
- 23 should have been used, and I can work that out with Ms. Brooker.
- I don't think that will be an issue.
- 25 THE COURT: All right.

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1 MR. CASSETTA: And I can read for the record, it's
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- 2 Exhibit U.S. 21523 is duplicative, and then U.S. 46454, there
- 3 was a joint exhibit that, the procedures the parties should use
- 4 that, and I'm sure we can work that out.
- 5 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, our response to both of those
- 6 already has, I think, worked that out. For the first, 21523,
- 7 the defendants' claim is duplicative of 21524 --
- 8 THE COURT: Counsel, move that mic a little bit.
- 9 MS. CROCKER: 21524 had not been admitted into evidence
- and so the duplication issue didn't seem applicable to us.
- 11 For the second one, in its response the United States
- 12 already agreed that it would use the joint exhibit.
- 13 THE COURT: All right. So as to the first one, that
- 14 exhibit will be admitted because it's not duplicative.
- 15 And as to the second one, that exhibit will not be
- 16 admitted because the government is going to use something else.
- 17 Is that correct?
- MS. CROCKER: That's correct.
- MR. CASSETTA: That's correct, Your Honor.
- 20 (Exhibit No. U.S. 21523 was received into evidence.)
- 21 THE COURT: Anything else for Dr. Dolan? Seeing nobody
- 22 rise.
- 23 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, I'm the bearer of bad news, I
- 24 think, today. Your Honor, there are 22 documents to which
- 25 defendants made individual objections at the back of this set of

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1 objections, and I understand from Ms. Honigberg -- I just want
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- 2 to get it on the record so that we can.
- 3 MS. HONIGBERG: I believe Mr. Redgrave may have pointed
- 4 this out earlier this morning, but we didn't want to take Your
- 5 Honor through each and every authenticity and duplicate
- 6 objection.
- 7 We've worked out or are working out what we can. To
- 8 the extent we can't, our objections are on the record, and if
- 9 they are included, they are not -- there will be hundreds of
- documents you will be sitting here listening to if we do this.
- 11 So we will work out what we can. The rest of our objections are
- 12 preserved for the record and they will come in without argument.
- 13 MS. CROCKER: I just wanted to have that on the record,
- 14 Your Honor.
- 15 THE COURT: Now, we're going to turn to Dr. Krugman,
- 16 and with him there's also, I think, a global issue regarding
- 17 reliance questions; is that right?
- MS. CROCKER: Yes, Your Honor.
- 19 THE COURT: If so, it's a different one.
- 20 MS. CROCKER: No, it's exactly the same one. The only
- 21 difference, which I don't think we need further discussion of,
- 22 is that with Dr. Krugman, there is no debate that Dr. Krugman
- 23 did not anywhere in his direct testimony or in any demonstrative
- 24 include any of the findings of fact documents which defendants
- 25 object to. He simply had on his exhibit list a set of finding

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1 of fact documents which were not considered documents and which
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- 2 are not discussed anywhere in his testimony or in any
- 3 demonstrative. And then there are several other issue motions
- 4 and, of course, objections to individual exhibits.
- 5 MR. BASS: Your Honor, just for the record, Ken Bass.
- 6 That's right, counsel's statement. We do object to
- 7 those, but they are covered by the same argument that was made
- 8 with respect to Dr. Dolan.
- 9 THE COURT: All right. I have defendants' legal issues
- 10 memoranda.
- 11 MR. BASS: Let me -- I'm sorry.
- 12 THE COURT: Is that what we are ready to work on?
- 13 MR. BASS: Yes. And, Your Honor, on that -- actually,
- 14 I think some of this kind of got taken care of as we went
- 15 through Dr. Krugman's testimony.
- 16 THE COURT: Issue number one is the reliance issue; is
- 17 that right?
- 18 MR. BASS: Right. Issue number one was the reliance
- issue, and I think that that -- no, that actually came up later.
- 20 But the first issue I have is -- well, it was an
- 21 opinion that was not previously disclosed, and that one I think
- 22 that we're -- we dealt with him on that in terms of
- 23 cross-examination to the extent it was even relevant, and so --
- 24 THE COURT: So that issue is no longer alive?
- 25 MR. BASS: Right. You can accept that for whatever

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- But the second one, Dr. Krugman's unsupported opinions
- 3 as to the youth appeal of particular marketing campaigns is a
- 4 not insignificant issue.
- 5 However -- and just to step back for a second -- that
- 6 is the issue where Dr. Krugman gave opinions about certain
- 7 advertising and he said, "In my opinion, this ad appeals to
- 8 youth."
- 9 In cross-examination we established further that he had
- done nothing to establish that, other than essentially give his
- 11 raw opinion.
- 12 But I think that the court -- if this was a jury trial,
- 13 obviously, this would be a significant issue as to whether it
- goes to the jury -- but I think the court has got everything
- 15 both before Your Honor with respect to what he did and didn't do
- on that and you will assign it the appropriate weight as to
- whether his opinion is entitled to anything at all.
- 18 So I don't think there's anything else on that. I
- don't think that it requires the court to make a ruling of
- 20 exclusion or not in a bench trial.
- 21 THE COURT: It will be basically a subject of argument.
- MR. BASS: That's right, Your Honor.
- 23 THE COURT: All right.
- 24 MR. BASS: The third one, we will withdraw that. It's
- 25 a very -- I think it turns out to be a very minor issue. That's

- 1 whether he disclosed his method for calculating inflation.
- 2 And then the fourth one had to do with the relevance of
- 3 opinions as to warning labels.
- 4 Now, certainly for the record, Your Honor, we don't
- 5 believe that it's relevant. However, I did cross him on that,
- and to the extent that we had points to make about it in terms
- 7 of whether there was the quality of his research and whether it
- 8 establishes anything, even if it is relevant, that's also all in
- 9 the record and can be argued. So, I actually don't think that
- 10 we need to do anything further on those four issues.
- 11 The last issue is the documents that we talked about
- 12 first. So I think that takes care of all the issue memos.
- 13 THE COURT: All right. Now what about specific
- 14 objections? What remains?
- 15 MR. BASS: On specific objections, defendants have a
- 16 number of objections, Your Honor, to the documents that were
- 17 used by the government. They were set forward. But I don't
- 18 know whether there's any defendant who has one that they
- 19 specifically want to argue as opposed to they are just there.
- 20 The objections are in there.
- 21 Oh, Ms. Honigberg reminds me of one other thing. There
- 22 were a number of exhibits, a handful, that were cited in
- Dr. Krugman's testimony, his written testimony, that were then
- 24 withdrawn by the government.
- Now, ordinarily, I would -- we would request that that

- 1 testimony be stricken since it relates to withdrawing an
- 2 exhibit.
- 3 However, we think that the appropriate thing is Your
- 4 Honor simply indicates that parties cannot rely on -- where
- they've withdrawn exhibits, they can't rely on something that
- 6 was in the written direct later on to circumvent their
- 7 withdrawal of the exhibit.
- 8 And I think that takes care of that issue. I
- 9 think this may come up in a couple of other instances with
- 10 witnesses, but I don't see a need to go back and amend the
- 11 record.
- 12 But I think the parties must understand that if they've
- 13 withdrawn an exhibit they can't then go to testimony where
- 14 somebody quoted that exhibit and get around the withdrawal.
- 15 THE COURT: Well, certainly if the testimony quoted an
- 16 exhibit, no, that testimony can't be used.
- 17 If the testimony is simply a statement of, "I believe
- such and such," and then there's an exhibit cited and the
- 19 exhibit is withdrawn, the testimony remains in the record, the
- 20 support for the testimony is gone.
- 21 MR. BASS: Right.
- 22 THE COURT: And, therefore, there's not going to be
- very much weight given to the testimony.
- MR. BASS: That's what I would expect, Your Honor. I
- don't see a need to go back and start amending what's in there.

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1 So, that would be our understanding of how it would be treated.
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- 2 THE COURT: Correct.
- 3 MR. BASS: Now, as to the individual exhibits, I don't
- 4 have any Brown & Williamson ones.
- 5 There are actually, I think, three that we objected to
- 6 that related to Brown & Williamson, and I don't -- actually, I
- 7 don't have a problem with any of those coming in at this point,
- 8 having looked at them again.
- 9 And those for the record are U.S. Exhibit 20999, U.S.
- 10 78732, which is I think the same thing as 20999, and
- 11 Exhibit 87735.
- 12 And there was an objection that we had made to a, I
- 13 think a summary chart, which was U.S. 89175, but it was sort of
- 14 a contingent objection depending on the use of it, and based on
- 15 how it was used by Dr. Krugman and the statements that were made
- in the record at the time, we don't have any further issue with
- 17 respect to that exhibit.
- I don't know if any of the other defendants have in
- 19 particular Dr. Krugman exhibit that they wanted to argue.
- 20 THE COURT: Does anyone else have issues regarding
- 21 Dr. Krugman's exhibits?
- 22 MR. NARKO: Yes. Philip Morris again. We have some
- documents that were used during the cross-examination of
- 24 Dr. Krugman to which the government is objecting.
- 25 THE COURT: All right.

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1 MR. BASS: Well, I --
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- 2 MS. BROOKER: That's different. We are still talking
- 3 about the U.S.'s admission of exhibits; correct, Ken?
- 4 THE COURT: Any other defendant have anything on
- 5 objections to government exhibits as to Dr. Krugman?
- 6 MS. BROOKER: The only other thing I will add is that
- 7 we do have, and maybe you don't want to jump ahead to redirect.
- 8 Do you want to wait on that?
- 9 MR. BASS: Let's do it one --
- 10 MS. BROOKER: Okay.
- 11 MR. CASSETTA: Your Honor, just for the record, there
- 12 are two --
- 13 THE COURT: Counsel, identify yourself.
- 14 MR. CASSETTA: I'm sorry, Your Honor. Richard Cassetta
- on behalf of Lorillard Tobacco Company.
- 16 There are two exhibits, U.S. Exhibits, that we feel
- 17 should have been joint exhibits. Again, I'm sure we can, if
- 18 they are not taken care of already, we can resolve those.
- 19 I'll identify those so the court doesn't have to
- 20 concern itself with this, and they are U.S. Exhibit 21604, and
- 21 U.S. Exhibit 67506.
- 22 THE COURT: Are we ready for government objections to
- 23 defense exhibits used during their cross?
- MR. BASS: I believe we are, Your Honor.
- 25 MS. CROCKER: Could I respond to what Mr. Cassetta has

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- 2 THE COURT: All right.
- 3 MS. CROCKER: The United States has already agreed in
- 4 its response that rather than 21604, it will replace with the
- 5 joint exhibit suggested.
- 6 However, with 67506 the United States is not agreeing
- 7 to use that exhibit, the joint exhibit, that defendants suggest,
- 8 is missing a page, and so it's incomplete.
- 9 MR. CASSETTA: Your Honor, we will withdraw our
- objection, so there's no objection to that, 67506.
- 11 THE COURT: All right. Now, we are on exhibits that
- 12 defendants want admitted that were used during their cross.
- 13 Government's objections, please.
- 14 MS. BROOKER: Okay. The first is, I believe, the ones
- 15 that -- I think these are the ones -- well, here is the thing.
- Mr. Narko has sent me some, which he and I have tried to work
- out, and then I guess could go through Mr. Bass's first.
- The first one is JD 013094, and I don't know if you
- 19 have all of these documents to tell the court, but I have a note
- 20 here that it's the MRI 2004 Teenage Survey. Is that a
- 21 demonstrative?
- 22 MR. BASS: No. Your Honor will probably remember that
- one. That's the one I handed up to you that was the 65-page
- 24 questionnaire that teenagers get in the mail from MRI.
- 25 THE COURT: And you're seeking to get that admitted?

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MR. BASS: That's right, Your Honor, but I don't know

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       what the government's objection is to it.
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                THE COURT: What is the government's objection?
                MS. BROOKER: The government's objection is lack of
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       foundation because I believe that Dr. Krugman had testified that
       he had not studied that document and that would be our
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       objection.
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                I don't believe a proper foundation was laid for his
       testimony about that document, and I think that defendants could
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       lay a foundation with one of their own experts about that.
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                THE COURT: Mr. Bass.
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                MR. BASS: Your Honor, Dr. Krugman, of course,
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       testified at length about the MRI survey and what teens had
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       read, and we submitted the document which is -- and it's not
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       being submitted for the truth of the matter, it's being
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       submitted for the obvious purpose it was submitted at the time,
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       which was the difficulty of getting teens, a significant number
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       of teens, to send back such an extensive lengthy survey.
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                And Dr. Krugman, having testified about that, I believe
       he did say that he was aware of the teen survey and of course
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       what is done with it. And he certainly should be if he's going
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       to offer evidence with respect to the percentage of teens it's
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       reached.
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                THE COURT: That document may be admitted.
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(Exhibit No. JD 013094 was received into evidence.)

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1 THE COURT: Next.
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- MS. BROOKER: The next one is JD 013105, Brand Week
- $3\,$  from June 21, 2004. And we would object to the document as
- 4 being hearsay, and there was no foundation laid through
- 5 Dr. Krugman for the admissibility of that document.
- 6 THE COURT: What was it again?
- 7 MS. BROOKER: It is Brand Week.
- 8 We should show the court. I don't know if you recall,
- 9 but it was a document, A special report, Brand Week, Super
- 10 Brands Americans, Top 2000 Brands. And Dr. Krugman, there was
- 11 no foundation laid for his knowledge or understanding or he was
- 12 not able to testify, he was cross-examined about the document.
- 13 But primarily lack of foundation and its hearsay.
- 14 THE COURT: And your response?
- 15 MR. BASS: Your Honor, it would come in under Rule
- 16 803(17), which is exception for hearsay for market compilation
- that are relied upon by people in their field.
- 18 And I did ask Dr. Krugman if this is the type of thing
- 19 that he's seen rankings of brands, and he said yes, he had seen
- 20 them.
- 21 And, in fact, the government submitted a number of
- 22 these with Dr. Krugman's testimony showing where these brands
- 23 ranked at earlier periods of time, including the 50s and 60s,
- 24 there were from very similar times of publications. So it comes
- in really on the same basis as they submitted.

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1 MS. BROOKER: Also --
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- 2 THE COURT: Do you really want this long document in
- 3 the record, Mr. Bass?
- 4 MS. BROOKER: Mr. Brody is also pointing out that the
- 5 document, it appears -- and Mr. Bass can verify this for us --
- 6 it appears that it is not complete and does not include the
- 7 chapter or category as they call it on tobacco.
- 8 MR. BASS: I believe it actually does, on page 65. But
- 9 it's not being submitted for that, it's submitted for the
- 10 ranking.
- 11 And Your Honor, it's submitted because Dr. Krugman has
- 12 similar rankings of these brands going back to the 50s and 60s,
- 13 so it's bringing it up to the present to show because he says
- 14 these are ubiquitous and we say, Where are they today.
- 15 THE COURT: It may be admitted.
- 16 (Exhibit No. JD 013105 was received into evidence.)
- 17 MS. BROOKER: The next one is a Time Magazine -- I'm
- 18 sorry, JD 013112. It's a Time Magazine article regarding
- 19 Emerson Foote, who is a person, if you recall, was someone who
- 20 Dr. Krugman referred to in his direct testimony.
- 21 The document is clearly hearsay, and there was no
- 22 foundation laid for the admission of this. But our primary
- 23 argument is that it is hearsay and is not admissible through
- 24 Dr. Krugman.
- 25 MR. BASS: Your Honor, that one was -- that was the

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1 Time Magazine article that referred to Mr. Foote when he left
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- 2 his advertising agency, and he said he was going to become an
- 3 antitobacco propagandist, and it was submitted for the purpose
- 4 of showing the declarant's state of mind when he made his
- 5 declaration with, that was quoted by Dr. Krugman.
- 6 THE COURT: No, not admitted.
- 7 MS. BROOKER: The next one is JDEM 0 -- I'm sorry, let
- 8 me just say for the record, J-DEM 0101 --
- 9 THE COURT: Wait.
- 10 MS. BROOKER: -- 35.
- 11 THE COURT: Too fast. 01?
- MS. BROOKER: 010135. There is no objection to that
- 13 document.
- 14 The next one is J-DEM 010144. The United States
- 15 objects to this document because it is a demonstrative created
- 16 by defendants that compares Simmons and MRI data.
- 17 Dr. Krugman was not provided the Simmons' data, which
- is a similar service to MRI, their competitors, if you will.
- 19 They basically provide commercial data of the same nature to
- 20 companies, and again they are just competitors of the same
- 21 variety.
- 22 And Dr. Krugman did not review the underlying data in
- 23 that demonstrative. There was no foundation laid. He was not
- 24 showed the underlying data, and he did not review Simmons' data,
- 25 although he's generally familiar with Simmons' data because he's

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1 an expert who would be knowledgeable about it.
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- 2 It's clearly no foundation was laid to admit that
- 3 demonstrative for demonstrative purposes or any other purpose
- 4 through Dr. Krugman. That would be something defendants would
- 5 have to have one of their experts testify about.
- 6 THE COURT: Mr. Bass.
- 7 MR. BASS: Your Honor, I believe there's a number of
- 8 demonstrative exhibits that I think the government may have
- 9 objections to, but of course, as you've indicated a number of
- 10 times, they are not coming into evidence other than for
- 11 demonstrative purposes, which is a pretty limited purpose.
- 12 Of course, if we want to cite to any of the data in
- 13 them, there's going to have to be underlying evidence and we
- indicated that at the time. So, unless there's some --
- 15 THE COURT: Mr. Bass, wait a minute. There's an
- 16 assumption that I want to be clear about.
- 17 Demonstrative exhibits are used during the course of
- 18 trial. They don't automatically come in. Now, one of you may
- 19 move a particular demonstrative exhibit in, and if you do, then
- 20 it has to meet all of the standard requirements, but they don't
- 21 ordinarily come in.
- Now, on this one the government is arguing that it
- 23 shouldn't come in under the applicable evidentiary standards
- 24 because it's a comparison, and Dr. Krugman didn't have access to
- one of the comparators. So I think you have to address that

1 argument, if you can. And it may be that you're going to get it

- 2 in, in a completely different way.
- 3 MR. BASS: That's fine, Your Honor. We won't offer it
- 4 here.
- 5 THE COURT: All right.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: The next one is J-DEM 010145 and if I'm
- 7 not mistaken, Mr. Bass, this is one I think either you've
- 8 withdrawn or I asked you for a copy of because we did not have
- 9 one. So I'm not sure what this is.
- 10 MR. BASS: We have not withdrawn it, but this is what
- 11 it was.
- 12 MS. BROOKER: And, Your Honor, the objection I just
- 13 made to the last exhibit would be the same objection that I
- 14 would have to this exhibit.
- 15 It is a demonstrative which is entitled Children's
- 16 Youth and Teen Magazines appearing in SRDS 1992 to 2000, and it
- 17 is based on commercial data referred to as SDRS data, consumer
- 18 magazine advertising source.
- 19 Again, it's exactly the same bases I just stated.
- 20 Dr. Krugman did not have this data for purposes of this case,
- 21 could not testify about this underlying data.
- 22 THE COURT: Let me hear Mr. Bass.
- 23 MR. BASS: We will seek to offer that one, Your Honor,
- 24 at a later time.
- 25 THE COURT: That's five. Actually, that's six. I

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1 thought you had five objections.
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- 2 MS. BROOKER: I don't believe I said five objections.
- 3 THE COURT: All right. Maybe I misunderstood.
- 4 MS. BROOKER: J-DEM 010149 and J-DEM 010150, and I'm
- 5 happy to be more specific, but those are also demonstratives
- 6 that I would have the same objection.
- 7 One is based upon household cleaning products data
- 8 according to the demonstrative, and the other is TNS, or I
- 9 believe it's CMRTNS data, both data that again for the same
- 10 reasons Dr. Krugman didn't have access to it, didn't testify
- about it, and I'm happy to take a look at them again.
- 12 MR. BASS: One of those is, we will offer at a later
- time, that's J-DEM 010149. The other one --
- 14 THE COURT: So that's withdrawn at this time?
- MR. BASS: Right.
- 16 The other one we will also offer at another time.
- 17 That's not from the data that you have.
- MS. BROOKER: Just for the record, withdrawing J-DEM
- 19 010150.
- 20 I would have the same objections to J-DEM 010188, which
- is another demonstrative. I won't repeat my objections.
- 22 THE COURT: Did you all go over these together?
- 23 MS. BROOKER: Yes, we did, Your Honor. We had an
- 24 exchange about this, and I informed Mr. Bass we would have
- 25 objections.

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THE COURT: All right.
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                MR. BASS: That one is a demonstrative that is based on
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       the Brand Week survey that was just admitted and I think should
       come in, because again he was familiar with that type of
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       information and he had a chance to take a look at that. He had
       the material in front of him, unlike with some of these others
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       where he couldn't have verified what was in there.
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                MS. BROOKER: Your Honor --
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               MR. BASS: So I do think that's in a different
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       category.
                MS. BROOKER: Dr. Krugman was not given the opportunity
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       data that you have to pull out of this in order to create this
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       chart, and Dr. Krugman was not given the opportunity to do that.
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       he had not reviewed and had not been able to verify the
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       demonstrative.
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                THE COURT: 010188 is not admitted. Next one.
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                MS. BROOKER: The same objections to J-DEM 010192.
                Now, while that demonstrative is based on MRI data, I
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       redirected Dr. Krugman to ask him if he had had the information
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       available to look at the standard deviation, which I believe was
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1 MR. BASS: Your Honor, with respect to this one, which
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- 2 was -- this was a demonstrative on the standard deviations.
- 3 While certainly it's surprising that Dr. Krugman didn't
- 4 submit with his MRI data the standard deviations and never
- 5 disclosed them to defendants, but nonetheless, we'll have
- 6 someone put that in. So we will withdraw that for now.
- 7 MS. BROOKER: Now, I believe the last note I have here
- 8 for documents Mr. Bass is seeking to admit is J-DEM 010190, and
- 9 I believe I have a note that I didn't have that document either.
- 10 Here it is, 190. I'm sorry. I apologize.
- 11 MR. BASS: That one we will withdraw and submit that
- 12 through another witness.
- 13 MS. BROOKER: Then that resolves all of the -- and,
- 14 Your Honor, Mr. Bass and I did work out a goodly number of other
- 15 ones. It was just that there a lot more through Dr. Krugman
- 16 that Mr. Bass used.
- 17 And then I believe that there are some that we have not
- worked out with Philip Morris, if I'm not mistaken.
- 19 Mr. Narko.
- 20 MR. CASSETTA: Your Honor, if we could ask your
- 21 indulgence, we would also -- Mr. Redgrave and I would like to --
- I don't know if we're going to take a break to consult with
- 23 Mr. Bass to make sure that some the nonlead lawyers' exhibits
- used on cross were, you know, considered in what he said.
- 25 MS. BROOKER: I will say that I have not been notified

- of any, so I'm happy to address them here. But I worked out
- 2 with everyone who e-mailed me -- you know, I worked out issues
- 3 with everyone who sent me an e-mail or gave me a phone call
- 4 about them.
- 5 THE COURT: So you two need to consult.
- 6 MR. CASSETTA: Yes, Your Honor.
- 7 THE COURT: Does that conclude the objections to
- 8 Dr. Chaloupka?
- 9 MS. BROOKER: We have the ones that Mr. Narko and I
- 10 consulted on.
- MR. NARKO: For Dr. Krugman.
- 12 THE COURT: I'm sorry. I meant Dr. Krugman, you're
- 13 right. How many do you have?
- MS. BROOKER: Let me just count them here.
- 15 I think there's six of them. One I have a note that I
- 16 asked Mr. Narko for an exhibit that I don't recall receiving a
- 17 copy of. So, I believe that there are one, two, three, four,
- 18 five, six, and possibly a seventh one. And some of these can be
- 19 categorized which may make it go quickly.
- 20 THE COURT: This is what I want to do, everybody. I
- 21 want to conclude these with Dr. Krugman. And then, quite
- frankly, given the hour, even though we still have two
- 23 remaining, I think I'm going to break for the day. But the ones
- remaining will be Dr. Chaloupka and Dr. Henningfield.
- 25 MR. BROCHIN: May I speak to Dr. Henningfield briefly,

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- 2 Jim Brochin for Philip Morris.
- 3 There's no additional issue to deal with with respect
- 4 to Dr. Henningfield beyond one of the issues that Your Honor has
- 5 said you will resolve tomorrow with respect to Dr. Dolan.
- 6 Mr. Goldfarb and I have spoken. There are nine documents at
- 7 issue. They are covered by that same issue, so there's no
- 8 additional work.
- 9 THE COURT: So then there's only Dr. Chaloupka left.
- MS. CROCKER: Yes, Your Honor, and I have some good
- 11 news as respect Dr. Chaloupka.
- 12 Although defendants did raise a number of issue motions
- in their objections, most of those have already been resolved.
- 14 As far as I can tell, there is one limited half of an issue
- 15 motion left that has not been either resolved by Your Honor or
- 16 withdrawn, and there are only nine specific document exhibit
- 17 objections, which defendants for the most part have not been
- going through those one by one and perhaps it would not be
- 19 necessary to do that either. So I think we could really resolve
- 20 Dr. Chaloupka in just two to three minutes if we just look at
- 21 the one --
- 22 THE COURT: No, that doesn't sound right. That doesn't
- 23 sound right. And I see other counsel shaking their head.
- 24 What I'm trying to avoid is wasting, if you will, a
- 25 15-minute recess. At the same time, for our court reporter we

- 1 can't go forever.
- 2 So I want to come back, and unless someone can give me
- a very good reason, I want to finish up what we were doing and
- 4 that will leave, not Dr. Henningfield, because he's going to be
- 5 included in the group I consider, but it will leave
- 6 Dr. Chaloupka for Monday and I definitely will do that on Monday
- 7 morning. Monday -- Tuesday.
- 8 MR. REDGRAVE: Your Honor, Jonathan Redgrave for the
- 9 record.
- 10 In conferring with Mr. Bass and Mr. Cassetta, we appear
- 11 to have had a miscommunication on our side. And I also need to
- 12 apologize because I said I've wasn't going to be up here again,
- 13 so a double apology.
- 14 For Reynolds, there were seven documents that Mr. Beach
- 15 used in his examination of Dr. Krugman that we were going to
- 16 seek to admit. They were not in the list that was provided to
- 17 the government before this hearing.
- 18 So I think in fairness, rather than have the government
- 19 have to respond on the spot to it, I'll give them the
- 20 identification of these right now, and I think they would either
- 21 agree or we will have very short arguments on those.
- 22 But given the hour and what Your Honor wants to do,
- let's get through the things that we are prepared to talk about.
- I apologize for that, Your Honor, but it is what it is.
- 25 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor I'm happy if Mr. Redgrave

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1 wants to appear after a short break --
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- 2 THE COURT: No, I don't want to take a break.
- 3 MS. BROOKER: Oh, I'm sorry.
- 4 THE COURT: I want to finish as soon as we can, and
- 5 then everybody can go and then some of us can get back to some
- 6 other work.
- 7 All right. Let's proceed, please. I think it's only
- 8 with Philip Morris.
- 9 MR. CASSETTA: Your Honor, Richard Cassetta for
- 10 Lorillard.
- 11 Similar to Mr. Redgrave, for Dr. Krugman, perhaps
- 12 Dr. Biglan and Dr. Dolan, I just need to confirm that exhibits
- 13 that Mr. Minton may have used in the cross-examination were
- 14 included in the list that the lead cross-examiner sent over, and
- 15 I will confirm that.
- 16 If there are some that Mr. Minton used that were not in
- 17 that list, I will confer with Ms. Brooker and, you know, we can
- 18 be prepared to deal with it Tuesday morning when court resumes.
- MR. REDGRAVE: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 20 THE COURT: Now, we will come back to I think seven is
- 21 the number I heard.
- MS. BROOKER: I believe that's correct.
- 23 MR. NARKO: It should actually be shorter. For the
- 24 record, Kevin Narko. It should actually be shorter. Some of
- 25 those are ads again, the ads for the other products, so those

- can all be addressed at the same time.
- 2 THE COURT: Now, these are government objections to
- 3 Philip Morris' exhibits; is that right?
- 4 MR. NARKO: Yes.
- 5 THE COURT: Ms. Brooker.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: The first one is JD 012276, it is a New
- 7 Yorker article. It is hearsay, Your Honor. It's just pure and
- 8 simple hearsay.
- 9 THE COURT: What's the article again?
- 10 MS. BROOKER: It is a magazine, a New Yorker and it's
- 11 an article.
- 12 THE COURT: Wait. I know it's a New Yorker, everybody.
- 13 What's the article?
- MS. BROOKER: Oh, the title of the article?
- 15 MR. NARKO: Your Honor, it's the article written by Leo
- 16 Burnett, a 1958 article.
- 17 THE COURT: And why are the defendants seeking to get
- 18 this in?
- 19 MR. NARKO: We are seeking to get it in because
- 20 Mr. Webb did ask Dr. Krugman a number of questions about it.
- 21 Dr. Krugman was familiar with the article, was familiar with the
- 22 story. It's an ancient document. And we would seek its
- 23 admission, Your Honor.
- 24 THE COURT: I will admit it. I wish I had an
- 25 evidentiary category of just totally unnecessary because I can

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1 just see the Court of Appeals' response when it takes a look at
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- this record. But I'll follow the rules of evidence, everybody.
- 3 (Exhibit No. JD 012276 was received into evidence.)
- 4 MS. BROOKER: JD 054508. Excuse me, I apologize.
- 5 Correction. JD 040553, which is a 1979 internal document which
- 6 the testimony of Dr. Krugman -- I don't know if this is in the
- 7 defendants' findings of fact, so maybe that's an issue and I'll
- 9 just briefly state that.
- 9 It is a document of their own from their own files that
- 10 they are seeking to admit, and they did not lay a foundation
- 11 through Dr. Krugman, and it is hearsay.
- MR. NARKO: Your Honor, JD 040553 is not in the
- findings of fact. It is a cigarette tracking study from 1979.
- Mr. Webb asked Dr. Krugman a number of questions about
- 15 it. It relates to the age range that Philip Morris tracks. So
- it was directly relevant to Dr. Krugman's testimony.
- 17 It's not being offered for a hearsay purpose, not for
- 18 the truth of the matter asserted, not for the statistics that
- 19 are in it, but for what Philip Morris was doing and it is a
- 20 business record as Ms. Brooker knows.
- 21 THE COURT: That will be admitted.
- 22 (Exhibit No. JD 040553 was received into evidence.)
- 23 MS. BROOKER: The next set of documents, I will read
- 24 off the numbers as a group, and I will just identify what type
- of advertisement it is because they are all advertisements.

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1 JD 054509 is an Alamo advertisement, that's right.
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- 2 JD 054510 is an advertisement that had the picture of
- 3 Ralph Lauren on it.
- 4 JD 054511 is a Chevy truck advertisement.
- 5 MR. NARKO: You skipped 054508.
- 6 MS. BROOKER: I do not have any objection to JD 054508.
- 7 No objection to that.
- 8 THE COURT: So far you listed three to which you do
- 9 have objections; is that right?
- 10 MS. BROOKER: That's correct, Your Honor.
- 11 And then there is another Chevy truck's advertisement
- 12 which is JD 054517.
- 13 MR. NARKO: We will withdraw that, Your Honor. We did
- 14 not display that.
- 15 MS. BROOKER: So my objection is to those three.
- 16 THE COURT: What's the basis of it?
- 17 MS. BROOKER: If we would look at those again, I do --
- I haven't looked at these in a couple of days, but there was no
- 19 foundation laid for Dr. Krugman having seen the advertisements,
- 20 the same objections I stated early with respect to other
- 21 advertisements.
- 22 There was no testimony underlying these advertisements
- for when or where they were placed, and there was no testimony
- from Dr. Krugman about his familiarity to lay a proper
- 25 foundation for those exhibits.

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THE COURT: And your response?
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                MR. NARKO: Your Honor, as with the ads we discussed
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       this morning, these were ads used to compare Marlboro ads.
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       ad, and 511 was a Chevy -- Chevrolet Blazer, I guess it is, ad.
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       are strictly for comparison purposes. It's very relevant to the
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       witness's testimony.
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                THE COURT: 054509, 510, and 511 may be admitted.
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           (Exhibit No. JD 054509 was received into evidence.)
           (Exhibit No. JD 054510 was received into evidence.)
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           (Exhibit No. JD 054511 was received into evidence.)
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                MS. BROOKER: If I am correct, that is -- oh, the
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       remainder of the exhibits with Dr. Krugman, I do believe I had a
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       few exhibits that I would like to admit from redirect.
                THE COURT: All right.
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                MS. BROOKER: That's right, they are advertisements.
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                Mr. Bass and I have agreed on, there were eight
       exhibits the United States sought to admit through redirect and
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       we have agreed to five of them. I don't need to repeat that
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       here.
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                Here are the three to which Mr. Bass has an objection:
       U.S. Exhibit 13585, U.S. Exhibit 14473, U.S. Exhibit 14474. And
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       Your Honor may recall that all three of those were Lorillard
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advertisements placed in ESPN magazine which were disclosed to

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1 the defendants, and there should be no objection to their -- no
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- 2 evidentiary objection to their admissibility.
- 3 MR. BASS: Your Honor, I believe these were -- I don't
- 4 believe that these were in Dr. Krugman's reliance materials and
- 5 I don't believe that they are in the findings of fact. I'm not
- 6 positive about that.
- 7 THE COURT: This was on redirect, though.
- 8 MR. BASS: This was on redirect. But the issue for
- 9 which they were being presented was Dr. Krugman was trying to
- 10 claim -- or the government was really trying to claim that these
- 11 were ads that were put into ESPN magazine at a time that MRI
- 12 reflected that ESPN had 20 percent, quote, youth readership, end
- 13 quote, the way they define it, but there was no foundation that
- 14 the MRI numbers had come out at the time that these ads were
- 15 placed.
- The fact of of the matter is, and there's
- 17 correspondence with the Attorneys General, those numbers from
- MRI came out during the year in 2002.
- 19 THE COURT: That's your testimony.
- 20 MR. BASS: That is -- well, there is no -- there was no
- 21 testimony from Dr. Krugman that -- as to when the MRI numbers
- 22 came out.
- 23 THE COURT: Did you object on the grounds of lack of
- 24 foundation?
- MR. BASS: Yes, Your Honor.

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1 MS. BROOKER: Your Honor, that was not the purpose for
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- 2 which the United States used those documents in redirect. And I
- 3 will just say as an evidentiary matter, that's not an
- 4 evidentiary objection. That goes to the weight -- goes to the
- 5 weight of the document, not its admissibility.
- 6 And on cross-examination, if I recall, it was -- I
- 7 believe it was Mr. Minton who asked a question about -- of
- 8 Dr. Krugman, I don't believe it was related to the MRI data, but
- 9 it was a question related to Do you know whether Lorillard
- 10 placed advertisements in a particular year. It might have been
- 11 1996. I'm kind of forgetting right now what the year was.
- 12 And the response from Dr. Krugman was he wasn't sure, I
- 13 believe. And we used this to show that in fact in that year --
- 14 in that year -- and Mr. Minton was not specific with respect to
- 15 a month in that year, he just said that that year and it was
- 16 rehabilitation.
- 17 I'm sorry. We used it for rehabilitation purposes, but
- 18 there's -- and I will also just respond and say again it doesn't
- 19 go to the evidentiary -- an evidentiary objection. But all of
- these magazine advertisements were, in ESPN, were disclosed by
- 21 Dr. Krugman, not used in his direct testimony because all --
- 22 because all of them weren't put in in that manner, but they were
- 23 disclosed.
- 24 THE COURT: Anything final, Mr. Bass?
- 25 MR. BASS: No, Your Honor, other than when the

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1 government says it wasn't being offered for the purpose of
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- 2 showing the defendants had advertised in a magazine with youth
- 3 readership as measured by one of these, I don't know what it was
- 4 put in for, and I think they ought to proffer what the purpose
- 5 is that it's being used for so that we can determine later what
- 6 argument needs to be made with respect to it.
- 7 THE COURT: What was the purpose?
- 8 MS. BROOKER: Well, if -- Ms. Crocker, she will recall.
- 9 MS. CROCKER: Your Honor, the question specifically to
- 10 Dr. Krugman was: Did Lorillard place advertisements in ESPN
- 11 magazine in 2002?
- 12 And Dr. Krugman simply said, "Sitting here, I can't
- 13 remember one way or the other."
- 14 On redirect, we provided him with three advertisements
- 15 that were placed in 2002. I think they were something like
- June, July, or in the spring of 2002.
- 17 I remember there being some objection from Lorillard
- counsel, and simply they were asserting, as Mr. Bass has now
- 19 asserted again, that MRI data wasn't available to Lorillard
- 20 until September of 2002, and they wanted to dispute the months.
- 21 But that's what I recall, Your Honor.
- 22 MR. BASS: If it's simply being offered, Your Honor,
- 23 for purposes of showing that there were ads placed by Lorillard
- 24 in ESPN in those months in 2002 in which these ads appeared, so
- 25 be it. They can come in for that purpose. I mean, we could

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stipulate to when they came in, but --
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               MS. BROOKER: I think that's reserved for argument,
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       Your Honor. It's just a question of what the evidentiary
       objection is.
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                THE COURT: The -- I'm sorry. The exhibits: 13585,
       14473, 14474 may be admitted.
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           (Exhibit No. U.S. 13585 was received into evidence.)
           (Exhibit No. U.S. 14473 was received into evidence.)
           (Exhibit No. U.S. 14474 was received into evidence.)
                THE COURT: Counsel, we're about to break.
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               Mr. Brody, did you have something?
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                MR. BRODY: Just because we are about to break, Your
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       Honor, I wanted to let you know for planning purposes that we
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       anticipate submitting a slightly revised order of live
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       witnesses. We will probably do that tomorrow. It just switches
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       a couple around here and there, and in particular moves David
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       Schechter up to testify after Dr. Eriksen.
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                So that on Monday we will be filing, or submitting to
       defendants, because three of the witnesses are adverse -- or,
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it to his counsel -- but testimony of Mr. Schindler,

Mr. Parrish, Dr. Eriksen, and Mr. Schechter to come up in the

actually, Mr. Schechter is a nonparty, so we will be submitting

23 week of the 24th.

- 24 THE COURT: Schindler. Who else?
- 25 MR. BRODY: Schindler, Parrish, Eriksen, who is an

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1 expert, and Mr. Schechter. And then obviously next week we have
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- 2 Dr. Slovic, followed by Ms. Keane in the 2-day week.
- 3 As to Dr. Eriksen, there are really two aspects to his
- 4 testimony. One goes to the youth marketing, the advertising
- 5 literature, the other aspect goes to remedies.
- 6 What we're going to do with Dr. Eriksen is he will be
- 7 submitting the advertising, youth marketing prong of the case,
- 8 testimony on Monday, and then his remedies testimony, which is
- 9 distinct and separate, we expect to submit in the remedies
- 10 portion of our case.
- 11 MR. BASS: Your Honor, I certainly don't want to be the
- one to prolong things here, but there are two things.
- 13 Number one, we think it's inappropriate to break up
- 14 Dr. Eriksen into two pieces. And that's certainly the first we
- 15 heard about it. So I think the government should have at least
- 16 told us.
- 17 But there was an issue that got left hanging back
- 18 there. The procedural issue as to the timing of when a party
- 19 who is submitting documents that are not cited in the findings
- 20 or in the testimony should make the proffer under 471(b) to
- 21 establish why they are related to the testimony.
- 22 Our view -- and, of course, the shoe will be on the
- 23 other foot when it gets to our case -- but our view is that when
- 24 the exhibits are are submitted with the testimony is when that
- 25 proffer should be made, not in response to the objections.

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                 So, it would be helpful to have the court's guidance on
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       that issue. And obviously it helps if that happens, because
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       then the other party can consider whether they have a problem
       with that or not.
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                 THE COURT: I will address that issue in the ruling
       this week, even though it's totally unrelated to the reliance
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       issue.
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                 All right, everybody, Tuesday at 9:30, please.
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