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Deanna

Coleman: Hi Tom.

Tom

Petters: Hi.

Coleman: How are you?

Petters: Good. Say, this call at 10 o'clock with Larry was scheduled right on top of another call that I have and I'm already behind schedule. So, what do we got scheduled with him?

Coleman: Well, we were ah, we were going to call him um just go over some stuff.

Petters: 'kay.

Coleman: Um. Figure out what to tell some of these people.

Petters: Can we do that tomorrow morning or not?

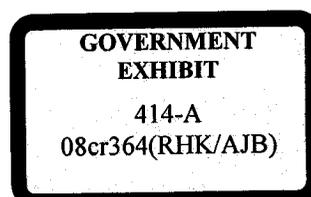
Coleman: It, it's up to you. There's um you know Ark Royal, Jim Granat's been calling.

Petters: Right, I know. I've seen those.

Coleman: Yeah. Well I guess the sooner the better I think. Um.

Petters: Well, I need to get, you know some money. There's nothing to tell them right now, so. Um, I need to get some money and I don't, I can't deal with every one of these people so what I will do is, if you just send Jim Granat an e-mail that I'll call him later this afternoon or um. And, and, and, um, just got out of a meeting with these other people here trying to figure out where we're getting money and so, but with Larry, uh, he's not going to help with that. What is Larry going to help with, the stuff that we were talking about yesterday?

Coleman: Right, well I thought you wanted Larry to possibly take some phone calls.



Petters: I do, I do. But I, I'm saying, I'm, I don't know if you saw my schedule today, but it's packed. So tomorrow, it's not. That's why I'm saying tomorrow will be a better day.

Coleman: Okay.

Petters: If we can do that. We can make more efficient use of the time.

Coleman: Yeah. No. That's that's fine. Whatever works, yeah. That's fine.

Petters: I mean I'm just saying I can, I just have a clearer schedule tomorrow. Today is like just...

Coleman: Okay.

Petters: And that way, as you'd say one right after another and ah...

Coleman: Um, can....

Petters: And I do want to talk to Larry before he comes. Tomorrow would be great.

Coleman: Okay.

Petters: Also Greg Bell wants to know if I'm coming to Chicago. He and Thane Ritchie are in a big fight.

Coleman: Speaking of Greg Bell, he called um Bob White um and I don't know if the three of us can get together for five, ten minutes and try to figure out what we're going to do with that. He wants shipping documents, letters from the retailers and all that stuff.

Petters: Mm-hm.

Coleman: Um, Bob took the phone call so I don't. Do you have like five, ten minutes for Bob. We can just quick go to your office to and talk about it.

Petters: Yeah. I don't right now. So I mean if I don't call Girard we won't have any money at all.

Coleman: Okay. So call Girard and then um.

Petters: I'm late calling Girard, so.

Coleman: Then how about right after that, can we get together?

Petters: Well. Okay. So. Yeah, um. Yeah. I don't, I don't know. I have something else scheduled, but I don't, I just won't do it. I don't, I don't know, so. I wish people wouldn't put things on my schedule right on top of other things.

Coleman: Boy, that was, what was that?

Petters: I have one meeting that's scheduled after another meeting with another meeting scheduled on top of another meeting. So.

Coleman: No, I'm, I, that's...

Petters: I'm not complaining. I'm saying to you that uh, that's what's going on in (UI) right now.

Coleman: Right. That's, that's fine. I'm just. Okay.

Petters: I'll come and see you as soon as I get a break, the minute I get a break I'll, I'll come and see you as soon as I get off the phone. Kay? How's that for an answer, so you don't have to sit there and get disappointed in me over and over and over and over.

Coleman: That is just fine. Just give me

Petters: Okay. I will.

Coleman: ...two minutes notice, I can get Bob White down here.

Petters: Okay, that's the other thing. Uh, Larry. I didn't, I didn't tell Larry one fucking word yesterday about anything that wasn't like set up to tell Deanna you don't want Bob around because I know that. He called me up and said, I got off the phone call after talking to Greg Bell and Thane's people. If you are going to keep him there, I can't help you. And I said, "Well Larry, I've got issues and things like that," and he said "Tom, it's not a negotiable thing. I'll help, I can really help us get out of this." He goes, "I'm telling you something..."

Coleman: Yeah.

Petters: He goes, "This is a must." So the best thing for us to do is figure out what we're going to do with Larry next week, but I think that the best thing for us to do too is to get Bob working on your solar stuff or tell him you gotta move your office out of here, because we're going to get killed. He's going to get killed.

Coleman: Right.

Petters: You know what I mean. I don't know what else to say.

Coleman: No. I, no one wants to deal with Bob. I realize that.

Petters: Fine. You have that office in Excelsior still, right?

Coleman: Yep.

Petters: So. You've helped me with this for the time being so that, so Bob (UI) you guys can meet in the mornings out there for a little bit (UI). I don't know the answers for everything right now, but I do know one thing that. If we lose Larry we've lost. Because he knows how bad it is and he knows he can help us. And I've got a plan to fix it. But, every time I turn around, um, and I don't think. I think the real answer is to quit making this shit up and we can't do it yet. So like Larry said yesterday he knows what is going on. But you know, it's like when we were on that phone call yesterday he hung up and he goes, "So always in the purchase orders do you tell them what stuff to put on 'em?" I said, "No." "Then why did Deanna keep bringing up that you told her to put this, these TVs on there?" And I said, "Cuz she's scared."

Coleman: Tom, you did tell me on the, on the...

Petters: I know I did, I know I did. I said, he asked me, "Did I ask you, do I tell you what merchandise to put on all the other purchase orders?"

Coleman: Right.

Petters: I said, no. He goes then why is she even say anything making a point that you put on this. Who cares who put it on there? He goes, I know the situation.

Coleman: Well, because we were talking about the Sony PlayStations.

Petters: I know. Anyway, he, he just got scared. He goes, he goes, I don't, he goes when I was listening to that, he goes, "She kept saying that you told me to put that on there."

Coleman: Well because we were talking about those two deals, the Sony PlayStations and the....

Petters: Yeah, I know, I know, I know, I know. Look it.

Coleman: And that you did. Yeah.

Petters: Anyway. I never. I said. I said, yeah, I did. You know. I said I don't remember the models or (UI) If I picked the models whatever we do we gotta get a bunch of TVs.

Coleman: No, you, you gave me that. Yeah, you told me that one.

Petters: You know what, I said Larry, she's scared. He said I understand totally. I said that's fine. He said at the end of the day. You know, she feels like she's alone on an island and everyone feels like they're alone on an island. Sometimes you just gotta get this done.

Coleman: Well no, the reason why Larry asked me that was because he would ask me all kinds of questions about it and I'm going, I don't, I didn't really do the deal. And I didn't Tom. It was, you told me it was a Sony PlayStations and I pulled it up on the internet.

Petters: They did a financing deal and all of a sudden we've got to come up with some merchandise and that's the real truth. You know what I mean? It's not your fault. We needed money.

Coleman: Ohhh...

Petters: Right?

Coleman: We need the money.

Petters: That's it. And we needed it then.

Coleman: Right.

Petters: Okay. All right. Listen let me get on the call Girard (UI).

Coleman: Okay.

Petters: Okay. Bye.

Coleman: Bye.