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1	Q. Do you recognize this document?	1	what Mr. Adams was saying by "Great lesson how to
2	A. I do.	2	generate, create, organize and weaponize
3	Q. What do you recognize it to be?	3	narrative"?
4	A. It's an e-mail between well, among	4	A. I think he meant that this shows that
5	PILF employees and some others.	5	our promotion of the report was effective in that
6	Q. This e-mail chain is dated October 2,	6	it was or appeared on the Drudge Report.
7	2016. Is that right?	7	Q. Well, more than that, in the e-mail
8	A. Yes.	8	above Mr. Adams says: "Noel, remember our
9	Q. And it begins with an e-mail from	9	conversation on how important it was to cross the
10 11	Mr. Adams, the subject line "Congratulations	10 11	1000 mark."
11	everyone." Do you see that?	11	Do you see that?
13	A. I do.		A. I see that.
13	Q. And he says: "Great lesson how to	13 14	Q. Do you remember that conversation?
14	generate, create, organize and weaponize		A. Yes, vaguely.
16	narrative." And then there is a screenshot of	15 16	Q. And what do you recall?
17	the Drudge Report home page. Is that right? A. Right.	17	A. Discussing that when we received the
18	Q. And on the Drudge Report he linked to	18	records from Alexandria, that it put the total
19	an article reporting on the Alien Invasion I	19	of I think the total cancellations from the
20	report, right?	20	VERIS reports above 1000.
21	A. Yes.	21	Q. Why did you answer the total cancellations from the VERIS reports instead of
22	Q. It says: "Report: 1000 plus illegal	22	the total number of noncitizens?
23	voters in Virginia" Correct?	23	
24	A. I see that, yes.	24	MR. LOCKERBY: Object to the form. Argumentative and it assumes facts not in
25	Q. Do you have an understanding as to	25	evidence.
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