From: jean.boustany

Sent: Wednesday, January 2, 2013 7:52 AM

To:

Subject: AD

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Brother,

Happy new year.

The new year AD card :-)

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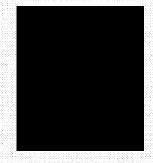
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30/12/2012

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Date & place of issue

ABU DHABI

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تناريخ ومصل الاصدار:

U.I.D. No

110013951

الرقم الموحد

الاسم الكامل:

Allowed to Enter U. A. E. to:

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موزمبيق

Full Name

Nationality

MOZANBIOIAN

Place of Birth:

MOZAMBIQUE

Date of Birth:

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Passport No. :

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Profession :

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Accompanied by

Wife

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Children:

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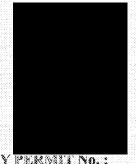


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None

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None

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الأسم الكامل:

الجنسيـــة : موزمييق

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تاريخ الميلاد :

رقسم المسواز :

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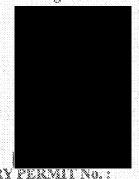
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U.I.D. No

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Accompanied by

Wife

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Children:

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تاريخ ومحل الاصدار:

الرقم الموحد

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الاسم الكامل:

محسل الميلاد موزمبيق

تاريخ الميلاد

رقسم الجسوار

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From: Jean Boustany < jean.boustany

Sent: Wednesday, February 6, 2013 7:56 AM

To:

Subject: FW: AOF for two customers.

FYI

From:

Sent: Wednesday, February 06, 2013 11:44 AM

To: Boustany Jean

Subject: Fwd: AOF for two customers.

Hi Jean,

Can you please send them the account numbers

Thanks



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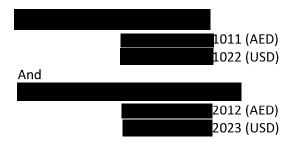
Date: 6 February 2013 09:34:06 GMT+04:00

To:

Subject: FW: AOF for two customers.

Dear

PLs find bellow the account number of the two gentlemen:



Please forward me the new account opening forms, if received and let me know when they are here to sign another document also.

Regards



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From: Jean Boustany < jean.boustany@privinvest.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2013 11:10 AM

To:

Subject: FW: FGB

From:

Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2013 12:31 PM

To: Boustany Jean **Subject:** Fwd: FGB



Begin forwarded message:

From:

Date: 19 February 2013 12:25:44 GMT+04:00

To:

Subject: RE: FGB

Dear

Thanks for sending us the forms but one more signature is needed in attached form of Mr. Bruno, please get it done....

Regards



----Original Message----

From:

Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2013 11:55 AM

To:

Subject: Fwd: FGB

Good morning,

Please find attached the scanned copied of the accounts opening forms, originals will be with you before the end of the month

Kind regards,



Begin forwarded message:

Specimen Signature Card

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Account No		
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From: Andy Pearse

Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2013 11:14 AM

To: subeva

Subject: Fw: scanned visa

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Sent using BlackBerry® from Orange

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From: Jean Boustany < jean.boustany@privinvest.com>

Date: Thu, 21 Mar 2013 05:05:16 To: <andrewjpearse@hotmail.co.uk>

Subject: FW: scanned visa

Lina's residency visa J

The original is with us.

It is very important for my people to be informed before Lina arrives (preferably to Abu Dhabi) so we put the original at the airport.

She will need an hour to complete procedures.

From:

Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2013 9:02 AM

To: 'Jean Boustany' Subject: scanned visa

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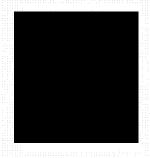
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EMPLOYMENT

اذن دخـــول رقــم :

Date & place of issue

20/03/2013 ABU DHABI

تاريخ ومحل الاصدار:

U.I.D. No

الرقم الموحد

Allowed to Enter U. A. E. to:

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أجيز بدخول دولة الامارات العربية المتحدة الى :

Full Name

Nationality BALGARIAN الاسم الكامل:

Place of Birth:

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محبل الميلاد

Date of Birth:

Passport No.: Profession :

FINANCIAL ANALYST

Accompanied by

المرافقس

Wife None

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Children:

None

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Fw: Emirates ID

Andy Pearse From:

To:

Cc:

Mon, 29 Apr 2013 09:21:49 +0000 Date:

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Attached copy of my UAE ID card. Please process credit card as soon as possible.

Sent using BlackBerry® from Orange

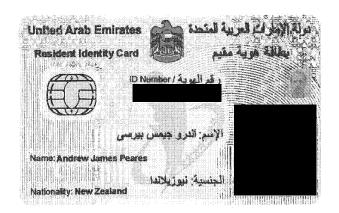
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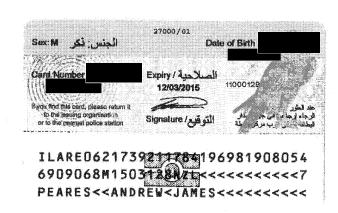
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2	EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK		
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4	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, :		
5	: 18-CR-00681 (WFK) v. :		
6	: January 2, 2019 JEAN BOUSTANI, : Brooklyn, New York		
7	Defendant. :		
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9	TRANSCRIPT OF CRIMINAL CAUSE FOR INITIAL PRESENTMENT		
10	BEFORE THE HONORABLE PEGGY KUO UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE		
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12	APPEARANCES:		
13	For the Government: UNITED STATES ATTORNEY		
14	BY: MARK BINI, ESQ. MATTHEW AMATRUDA, ESQ.		
15	ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY		
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17	For the Defendant: MICHAEL SCHACTER, ESQ. RANDALL JACKSON, ESQ.		
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    (Proceedings began at 4:16 p.m.)
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              THE CLERK: Criminal Cause for Arraignment, Case No.
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    18-CR-681, United States v. Jean Boustani.
              Counsel, your name for the record.
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              MR. BINI: Mark Bini, Matthew Amatruda and Molly
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   Maser for the United States. Good afternoon, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Good afternoon.
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              MR. SCHACTER: Good afternoon, Your Honor. Michael
    Schacter and Randall Jackson on behalf of Mr. Boustani.
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              THE COURT: All right. Mr. Boustani --
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              THE DEFENDANT: Hello, Your Honor.
              THE COURT: Hello. Mr. Boustani, you've been
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    charged in an indictment with conspiracy to commit wire fraud,
    conspiracy to commit securities fraud, conspiracy to violate
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    the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and type robbery and
    internal controls provision and conspiracy to commit money
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    laundering.
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              Have you received a copy of the indictment?
              THE DEFENDANT: Yes, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Did you have a chance to talk to your
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    lawyers about the indictment? Yes?
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              THE DEFENDANT:
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              THE COURT: And you understand what you're being
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    charged with?
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              THE DEFENDANT: Yes, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: All right. You have the right to an
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    attorney. If you can't afford one one will be appointed to
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    represent you. You also have the right to remain silent. You
    don't have to make any statements. If you've made any
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    statements in the past you don't have to make any more
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    statements. If in the future you start to make a statement
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    you can stop at any time. Any statements you do make could be
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    used against you. Do you understand?
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              THE DEFENDANT: Yes, Your Honor.
              THE COURT: As to -- yes.
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              MR. BINI: I'm so sorry. I should have made this
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           I know this is a lengthy redacted indictment.
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    clear.
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              THE COURT: Yes.
              MR. BINI: With respect to Count 3, the defendant's
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    actually not charged with that FCPA conspiracy count.
    is charged with Counts 1, 2 and 4.
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              THE COURT: 1, 2 and 4 only. Okay.
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              MR. BINI: Yes, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: So thank you for that correction.
              So as to Counts 1, 2 and 4, which are the counts
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    that you've been charged in, how do you plead, guilty or not
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    quilty?
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              THE DEFENDANT: Not quilty, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: So how do you want to proceed?
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              MR. BINI: Your Honor, the parties have discussed
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    requesting an order of excludable delay which I would ask to
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   hand up at this time between now and January 23rd of this
           The case has been assigned to Judge Kuntz.
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    checked with chambers but have not found a status date.
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   However, the parties in order to begin discovery in the case
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    and to start plea negotiations would ask for an order of
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    excludable delay between now and January 23rd of this year.
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              THE COURT: Mr. Schacter.
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              MR. SCHACTER: We consent to that, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: All right. So, Mr. Boustani, under the
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    Speedy Trial Act you're entitled to have a trial within 70
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    days. Your lawyers and the lawyer for the Government, lawyers
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    for the Government, have agreed not to count the time between
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    today and January 23rd because they need more time to talk
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    about your case and see if you can resolve it without a trial.
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    Do you want to have the time between now and January 23rd
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    excluded and not counted in those 70 days?
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              THE DEFENDANT: Yes. Yes, Your Honor.
              THE COURT: Yes. All right. So I have this
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    application.
                  It looks like you signed it. Is that your
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    signature?
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                              Yes. Yes, Your Honor.
              THE DEFENDANT:
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              THE COURT: Yes. All right. And it also looks like
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   Mr. Bini has signed it and also counsel for defendant.
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              So I find that the ends of justice are served by
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    of the Speedy Trial Act and therefore I will sign this order.
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              So is there anything else that we need to take care
   of today?
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              MR. BINI: Your Honor, the Government would ask for
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    an order of detention at this time based upon the flight risk,
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    the defendant's lack of ties to the jurisdiction outside of
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    the fraud charged and I understand that at this time defense
    counsel does not yet have a bail package that they wish to
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   present.
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              MR. SCHACTER: Actually, Your Honor, we haven't
    reached agreement with the Government with respect to a bail
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    package but we do have one that we would like to present to
    Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Right now?
              MR. SCHACTER: Right now.
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                          Okay. I don't have a Pretrial Services
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              THE COURT:
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    Report.
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                        [Pause in proceedings.]
              THE COURT: So I don't know anything about this
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              MR. SCHACTER: We'll let it fly then, Your Honor.
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    Your Honor, the Government is absolutely correct that Mr.
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    Boustani does not have ties to the United States. He is a
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    citizen of Lebanon, also resides in Abu Dhabi and was also
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6 sort of -- he was arrested yesterday in the Dominican Republic and his connections to -- the jurisdiction on nexus of this case to the United States we would submit is pretty limited and Mr. Boustani's connection to any allegations in the case that have anything to do with the United States is also pretty So he is in a bit of a conundrum because he faces charges that have with respect to him have very little to do with the United States and so it is [inaudible] that his connections to the United States would be of course limited. So we are then given the task of how do we [inaudible] together something that can provide Your Honor with some degree of comfort or sufficient comfort that he will return to respond to these charges. So understanding that, we would like Your Honor to consider the following. Mr. Boustani would during the pendency of this case maintain residency in the United States. Electronic monitoring would be acceptable. He has a wife and young child who he would have move here during the pendency of the case and he would post a very substantial collateral of \$2 million to secure the bond, whatever bond needs to be [inaudible]. We don't care about the size of the bond that would be secured by the \$2 million in cash.

We think that those combination of conditions with his travel restricted just to the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York with him only being permitted to leave

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7 that residence in order to meet with his lawyers and with that [inaudible] collateral should give the Court sufficient comfort that he will respond to answer these charges. And that is our proposal. THE COURT: You said he doesn't have a residence in the United States. So where would that be? MR. SCHACTER: He would need to -- we would need to posthaste, and we did not know that this was coming and he would need posthaste bond, some kind of corporate apartment so that he could live here. THE COURT: How would he do -- I mean he doesn't have any ties here. MR. SCHACTER: That can be part of our legal services that we can provide is to find a residence for him and then he would stay there with electronic monitoring and cash. It seems unfair, Your Honor, that he -- you have a man that has very little to do with the United States that finds himself charged with what are pretty -- I'm not going to say aggressive but there -- it is a broad interpretation of these statutes that have any nexus between Mr. Boustani and the United States and then when he is whisked here to keep him detained in prison during the pendency of the trial because it turns out he's got nothing to do with the United States. That seems unfair.

So we think that there should be a combination of conditions that allows this person to answer these charges that don't have much to do with the United States in a way that doesn't result in him already serving his sentence during the pendency of these charges.

THE COURT: Well, but I have -- under the Bail

Reform Act I have to find that he does not pose a danger to

the community and that he's not a flight risk. Given his lack

of ties to this jurisdiction it seems like he's a pretty

strong flight risk.

MR. SCHACTER: I don't believe --

THE COURT: So notwithstanding the merits of your arguments I'm really not supposed to look at the merits. I'm supposed to be looking at just your client's situation and whether he poses a risk of flight and given that he seems to be a person of means, he doesn't have ties to the community and it seems like he's a pretty high flight risk --

MR. SCHACTER: I certainly understand that and I do not disagree that given his lack of ties to the United States that from the Court's perspective there's a concern that he's a flight risk. It's our job to try to persuade the Court but there can be conditions that will give the Court comfort that he is -- that that risk is sufficiently mitigated, and that's what we're trying to do.

We think if he has a -- we would propose, and it

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doesn't even need to be today, Your Honor, that if -- that the
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monitoring with a bond of -- pick a number, $5 million, $10
million secured by $2 million in cash, the minute that is
deposited with the Court that that should give the Court at
that point that -- that those -- once those conditions are met
that that should be the conditions that should permit his
release.
          THE COURT: And normally the residence has to be
approved by Pretrial Services and at the moment no one knows
where that exactly would be and whether it would be
appropriate for him to be there at all --
          MR. SCHACTER: That would be our job. It would be
our job to find a residence that would be sufficient to
satisfy Pretrial that they can set up electronic monitoring
there and that would be one of the conditions and upon our
satisfaction of those conditions that he secure his residence
that is satisfactory to Pretrial, to set up electronic
monitoring, travel restricted then to the Southern and Eastern
Districts of New York, surrender of all travel documents.
hadn't mentioned that earlier but of course that would be part
of the conditions, as well as the transfer of $2 million to
the Court. It is our hope that would be sufficient.
          THE COURT: Let me hear from the Government.
          MR. BINI: Your Honor --
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10 MR. SCHACTER: I'm sorry, Your Honor. Let me just 1 2 add one thing. While this courthouse is very familiar with 3 very similar circumstances in the Fifa case there were the arrests of probably a dozen foreign nationals and from -- from 4 all over and every single one was released on different 5 amounts of cash bail. I can go through those circumstances 6 7 with Your Honor if I can reach for -- I have it with my 8 briefcase. THE COURT: Well, I don't know if I'm ready to hear 9 10 that. Were they released on the promise that they would get 11 this -- a residence and all those other things or after that was secured? 12 13 MR. SCHACTER: I'm not asking for Mr. Boustani to be 14 released on the promise. I'm asking that those conditions be 15 set today and that upon our satisfaction of those conditions that he would be released upon the satisfaction of those 16 17 conditions. 18 THE COURT: I understand. So let me hear from the Government. 19 Thank you, Your Honor. First let me just 20 MR. BINI: 21 say that the reason why we're here is because the defendant is 22 charged as a central figure in a \$2 billion fraud scheme, the 23 defrauding of United States investors. 24 With respect to the flight risk, Your Honor, the Government believes that the offer or the release conditions 25

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11 set out by the defendant are not even concrete release They are the promise of it's [inaudible] developing release conditions and that is certainly not sufficient in this case where the Government believes first the seriousness of the offense and the overwhelming evidence. Second, the defendant's vast financial resources. much of which is proceeds of the charged crime. He's actually charged in the indictment with having received more than \$15 million from this fraud scheme. And third, as defense counsel readily admits, he does not have other than this fraud connections to the Eastern District of New York. In fact, he has extensive ties. He's a citizen of Lebanon and the company from which he was working at Priv Invest or Priv Invest as I pronounce it, is based in the United Arab Emirates. Neither Lebanon or the United Arab Emirates have extradition treaties with the United States, Your Honor. In addition, he is closely connected to individuals at Priv Invest, including uncharged co-conspirators, and the head of Priv Invest is a billionaire. So the defendant has

In addition, he is closely connected to individuals at Priv Invest, including uncharged co-conspirators, and the head of Priv Invest is a billionaire. So the defendant has access potentially not only to the resources in this case that he stole from investors including U.S. investors but the resources of a billionaire and to get to places from which he cannot be extradited.

For those reasons, Your Honor, and the lack of his

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   having any ties other than having stolen from investors in the
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   United States the Government believes that he should be
    detained and at minimum there should be some extensive package
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   put before you that you can vet before you ever consider
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    releasing him.
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              THE COURT: Okay. So I don't think I'm ready to
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    release the defendant in this case. If you do put together a
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   bail package that's very specific about where he'll be living,
    who he'll be living with, the financial arrangements.
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    want to put in case law or precedent in the Fifa case you can
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    feel free to do that but -- and the opportunity for Pretrial
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    Services to weigh in. Certainly you can do that in the future
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    but today I don't think there's enough for me to release Mr.
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              So I'll put in a permanent order of detention but
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    with leave to reopen it once you put together a more concrete
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    package.
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              MR. SCHACTER: Your Honor, we would return to Your
    Honor with that package?
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              THE COURT: Normally it goes to whoever is on duty.
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    So I'm here until Friday and then next week there will be
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    someone else and we rotate whoever is on criminal duty at that
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    point.
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              So is there anything else?
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              MR. BINI: Your Honor, I would just note that
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    consular notification was made to Antigua and Barbuda because
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    the defendant holds a passport to that country and the
    defendant indicated that he did not -- he indicated to the
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    agents that he did not want notification to Lebanon. So no
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   notification was made to their consular.
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              THE COURT: All right. Thank you. Is there
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    anything from the defense?
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              MR. SCHACTER: Nothing further for today, Your
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                          All right. Thank you very much.
              THE COURT:
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    (Proceedings concluded at 4:31 p.m.)
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