

DECLARATION OF RICHARD J. TAPPAN

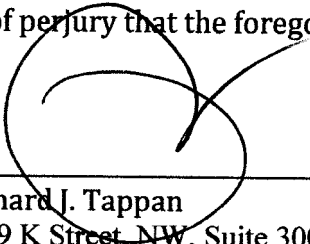
I, Richard J. Tappan, declare and say as follows:

1. I am a lawyer practicing in Washington, DC.
2. On February 8, 2015, I searched online at LexisNexis Advance research service, using the "News" filter, for the term "Benghazi," for the periods of (A) September 11, 2012, through February 8, 2015, (B) September 11, 2012, through December 31, 2012, (C) the calendar year 2013, (D) the calendar year 2014, and (E) January 1, 2015, through February 8, 2015. The results:

A. September 11, 2012, through February 8, 2015:		
(a)	Newspapers	52,404
(b)	Newswires & Press Releases	32,185
(c)	News Transcripts	14,698
(d)	Web-based Publications	10,053
(e)	Blogs	33,359
B. September 11, 2012, through December 31, 2012:		
(a)	Newspapers	16,015
(b)	Newswires & Press Releases	10,026
(c)	News Transcripts	4,778
(d)	Web-based Publications	3,152
(e)	Blogs	3,729
C. Calendar year 2013:		
(a)	Newspapers	19,744
(b)	Newswires & Press Releases	11,594
(c)	News Transcripts	5,170
(d)	News	4,419
D. Calendar year 2014:		
(a)	Newspapers	15,957
(b)	Newswires & Press Releases	10,018
(c)	News Transcripts	4,565
(d)	News	3,551
(e)	Blogs	12,467

- E. January 1, 2015, through February 8, 2015:
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| (a) | Newspapers | 688 |
| (b) | Newswires & Press Releases | 547 |
| (c) | News Transcripts | 188 |
| (d) | News | 47 |
| (e) | Blogs | 458 |
| (d) | Web-based Publications | 147 |

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 8th of February, 2015.



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