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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK_

APRIL GALLOP, etal.

No. 08 CV 10881

Plaintiff vs. Wm Veale Affidavit

Exhibit E

CHENEY, RUMSFELD, MYERS, Does et al,

Summary of World Trade Center & Flight 93 Evidence Showing Conspiracy.

Defendants

I, William W. Veale, as part of my within Affidavit re Evidence regarding 9/11, affirm and submit additional information and references concerning the collapse of the World Trade Center towers, which further supports plaintiffs' conspiracy theory herein. Link references to www.911Mysteries.com are contained in a DVD available through that site. Additional material concerning Flight 93, which crashed in Pennsylvania, is found at the end of this document.

THE WORLD TRADE CENTER

- 36. The explosions at the World Trade Center can be seen on videotape footage of the Towers at the time of their collapse. www.911mysteries.com
- 37. Still photos of the Towers at the time of their destruction show the clear results of explosions, with smoke and dust billowing away from the buildings and large pieces of steel blown sideways, away from the buildings as they were destroyed. http://www.plaguepuppy.net/public_html/gallery/Explosions.htm

- 38. Still photos show enormous pieces of the outer frame of one of the Towers imbedded in 3 World Financial, a building adjacent to the World Trade Center, some four hundred feet from the collapsed Tower. http://911research.wtc7.net/wtc/evidence/photos/gzrescue2.html
- 39. Video footage of the South Tower's collapse shows the top of the building listing at approximately a thirteen degree angle at which point, instead of the top section simply falling over whole as should be expected, it disintegrates, and its exploded parts drop straight down. www.911mysteries.com
- 40. Video footage of the destruction of the North Tower shows the first movement in the collapse to be the antenna on the top and in the middle of the building where no fires burned. www.911mysteries.com
- 41. Both towers collapsed in 12-14 seconds, very near free-fall speed. www.911mysteries.com
- 42. There are many reports of molten steel in the rubble at Ground Zero, even weeks after 9/11, by rescue workers and by inspectors from Johns Hopkins University. See Videotaped interview in www.911mysteries.com
- 43. The "slurry wall" surrounding the basements of the towers and keeping the East River out, suffered substantial damage indicative of explosive force in that area, as described by employees working in that area. www.911mysteries.com
- 44. There is video footage showing damage to the lobby of the North Tower within minutes of 8:46 AM and testimony establishing the destruction of elevator doors in the lobby when the plane hit the building some ninety floors above. www.911mysteries.com

- 45. There are still photographs and videotape footage of white to yellow-hot pieces of steel in the rubble at Ground Zero that establish conclusively the existence of temperatures greater than those produced by a jet fuel, or any hydrocarbon fire. http://www.twf.org/News/Y2007/1017-moltenmetal.jpg
- 46. There are still photographs of girders or beams that have been neatly severed or cut by extreme heat. http://www.opednews.com/populum/print_friendly.php?p=New-Scientific-Study-Smok-by-Josh-Mitteldorf-090404-371.html
- 47. There are still photographs and video footage of enormous girders bent while obviously in some extremely hot condition, not obtainable from a jet fuel fire. http://911research.wtc7.net/wtc/evidence/photos/docs/hanger17/core4_s.jpg
- 48. There are still photographs that show steel columns cut in a manner consistent with controlled demolition at an approximate 45 degree angle. See http://www.opednews.com/populum/print_friendly.php?p=New-Scientific-Study-Smok-by-Josh-Mitteldorf-090404-371.html
- 49. There are satellite images of Ground Zero in the weeks following the attack which show temperatures on the ground far in excess of those created by a hydrocarbon fire. http://www.historycommons.org/context.jsp?item=a091601hotspots
- 50. Records from the Columbia Seismographic Center show an event at the World Trade Center consistent with the detonation of an explosive device approximately 10-15 seconds before Flight 11 hit the North Tower at 8:46 AM. They show a similar event some 12-14 seconds before the South Tower is hit.

 $\frac{http://journal of 911 studies.com/volume/200609/ExplosionInTowerBeforeJetHitByFurlongAndRo}{ss.pdf}$

- 51. Ginny Carr was working at a building across the street from the World Trade Center on the morning of 9/11. She was in charge of audio taping a meeting that she attended. On the tape, it is possible to hear the voices of the people in attendance just before the sound of a loud explosion, and then, nine seconds later, the sound of a second explosion. It is the second explosion which breaks up the meeting and appears to have been the collision of Flight 11 with the North Tower, but even if it is the first sound that is the impact of the airplane, there appears to be no explanation for the second sound other than the detonation of an explosive device. http://journalof911studies.com/volume/200609/ExplosionInTowerBeforeJetHitByFurlongAndRoss.pdf
- 52. Steven Jones, then a professor of physics at Brigham Young University, began a study of the collapse of the Twin Towers in 2004. As outlined in his study, *Why Indeed Did The World Trade Center Buildings Completely Collapse?*, published in the online Journal of 911studies.com, in September of 2006:
 - a. He was initially struck by the presence of molten steel in the rubble which would be impossible if the heat created was the result, solely, of a hydrocarbon fire.
 - b. He analyzed the events, the collapse of the Twin Towers and WTC 7, and concluded that the collapses could not have occurred as the result of a jet fuel fire.
 - c. He was unable to find a single example of a steel frame skyscraper collapsing because of fire. In contrast he was able to find many examples of fires of much greater severity and length in buildings of similar construction that remained standing after many hours of being engulfed in flame. A fire in a high rise in Madrid in 2005 burned for twenty hours; was an inferno; and did not cause the building's collapse. The North Tower of the World Trade Center itself suffered a three hour blaze over several floors in 1975, a fire twice as long as those of 9/11, but the building survived.

- d. Jones wrote a paper which he published on the internet that set out his beliefs and called for a new investigation, suggesting that there were many areas of study that should be pursued that could provide answers to the many questions that remained.
- e. He was subsequently contacted by four individuals with no knowledge of, or connection to, each other. Each had collected small quantities of dust or metal from Ground Zero. They gave him portions of what they had collected, and he tested each to determine their constituent elements.
- f. He found that each sample possessed the signature ratios of certain elements, zinc, magnesium, barrium, aluminum, copper, iron, and sulfur that define a compound known as thermate, a substance used for the cutting of steel in controlled demolitions. Thermate is capable of producing temperatures in excess of 4000 degrees.
- g. He noted the existence of phenomena on the videotape footage of the collapse of the towers which are emblematic of alumino-thermic reactions (the use of thermite or thermate, as it is known when it includes sulfur). Those phenomena included certain colored fires, flowing, molten metal, and a light gray plume of smoke rising above the area of the reaction. http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-2991254740145858863&g=cameraplanet+9%2F11
- h. Because it was suggested that the molten metal seen on the videotape could have been the aluminum from the airplane, which melts at a lower temperature than steel, he performed tests in the laboratory designed to determine if that possibility could be excluded. All of his testing led him to conclude that the characteristics seen on the video footage were consistent with the use of thermate and inconsistent with any other tendered or imagined explanation.
- i. Building 7 of the World Trade Center was central to Dr. Jones' analysis because it appeared to be a textbook example of what a controlled demolition looks like, an impression given support by the fact that Dan Rather, Peter Jennings, and Tom Brokaw all alluded to the similarity as they reported the collapse of WTC 7. http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nvx904dAw0o
- 53. WTC 7 was not hit by an airplane. Though it was damaged by falling debris and on fire, there should have been no reason, given the history of buildings of similar construction, to believe it would collapse. Even so, its collapse was predicted by city officials, just as the collapse of the South Tower was predicted just before the collapse, and too late to save those still trapped inside, or rescue workers trying to save lives.
 - 54. The leaseholder of the World Trade Center towers and owner of WTC 7, Larry

Silverstein, made statements in the years following 9/11 that suggested that WTC 7 was destroyed by controlled demolition.

- a. On the television program Frontline he told of having conversations with fire officials during the day on 9/11 during which the tremendous loss of life was discussed, and Silverstein suggested, 'maybe the smartest thing is to pull it.' He said that the decision was then made to "pull it" http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7WYdAJQV100
- b. The building subsequently came down at 5:20 PM. Some people watching the show took note of the use of the words,"pull it" and claimed that those were terms of art used in the demolition industry to refer to the controlled demolition of a building. The claim was made that Silverstein had admitted to participating in the decision to demolish WTC 7.
- c. Because it takes a matter of weeks to prepare a building for controlled demolition, it then seemed clear that the attacks and the destruction of the buildings had to have been arranged in advance and planned by forces in control of the World Trade Center.
- d. It was noted that among the tenants of WTC 7 was the CIA, the Department of Defense, the Secret Service, and the SEC, making it unlikely that some non-governmental entity could have planted the necessary explosives without the government's knowledge and acquiescence.
- e. Destroyed in WTC 7 were records of corporate fraud kept by the SEC, including that involving Enron.
- f. When the accusations concerning Silverstein and his statements surfaced, a refutation was offered by Silverstein that he had been referring to the FDNY battalion that had been in WTC 7. He claimed that the decision referred to was to pull the battalion out of the building. Further, it was claimed that "pull it" is not a term of art in the industry.
 - g. Critics of the Silverstein response made two key points in rebuttal:
- (1). The battalion that had been fighting the fire was actually pulled out of the building around 11:30 that morning. There was no firefighting going on in WTC 7 when Silverstein claims the decision was made.
- (2). Proponents of the governmental complicity theory were then able to obtain an audiotape of a phone conversation during which a demolition worker was heard saying that they were about to "pull building six", referring to the cleanup efforts at Ground Zero that involved demolishing the building known as WTC 6. www.911mysteries.com
- h. Within the last year, a Brooklyn College student demanded in a public forum that Silverstein explain his comments about WTC 7. He avoided the question, gave the accepted,"official "explanation for WTC 7's collapse that had nothing to do with explosives, and then, when pressed, told the moderator to take another question, refusing subsequently to address the issues raised by the student. http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EtPCOW4HII8

- 55. Silverstein leased the World Trade Center from the Port Authority in the last six months before 9/11. The insurance policy that he took out on the towers specifically included acts of terrorism. He collected over \$8 billion dollars on the policies.
- 56. The World Trade Center was not financially viable at the time of its destruction. There was asbestos clean-up that was needed which was to cost at least \$1 billion. In addition, occupancy was falling in the towers leading to declining revenues.
- 57. A number of prominent structural engineers, including Hugo Bachmann, emeritus professor of structural analysis and construction at Swiss Federal Institute of Technology have said that WTC 7 was a controlled demolition. Others, including Jorg Schneider of the same institution and Jack Keller, emeritus professor of engineering at Utah State University, have concluded as well that the demise of WTC 7 was the result of controlled demolition.
 - 58. As stated in Prof. Griffin's *The New Pearl Harbor Revisited*,

"The most dramatic demonstration of this obviousness [that the destruction of WTC 7 was a controlled demolition] was provided when Danny Jowenko, a controlled demolition expert in the Netherlands, was asked to comment on a video of the collapse of WTC 7, without knowing what it was---he had not realized that a third building had collapsed on 9/11. After viewing it, he said: 'They simply blew up columns, and the rest caved in afterwards....This is controlled demolition." When he was asked if he was certain, he replied: 'Absolutely, it's been imploded. This was a hired job. A team of experts did this.' When he was told that this happened on September 11, he was at first incredulous, repeatedly asking, 'Are you sure?' When he was finally convinced, Jowenko said: 'Then they've worked very hard.' When asked in 2007 whether he stood by his original statement, he replied: 'Absolutely....I looked at the drawings, the construction and it couldn't be done by fire...absolutely not.' "(p. 44-45).

59. The collapse of WTC 7 was preceded by the signature "crimp" in the roof of the building indicative of controlled demolitions. The "crimp" is the result of the destruction of the middle or interior of the building first so that the remains of the building fall in, as opposed to out, where damage might be caused to surrounding structures. www.911mysteries.com

60. The penthouse of WTC 7 collapsed first, when there was no fire anywhere near that part of the building.

61. Richard Siegal set up a camera on a tripod in Hoboken, New Jersey after the World Trade Center towers were hit. An analysis of the videotape taken from his camera, the pictures and the sound, shows that there were multiple explosions just before and as the towers came down. www.911mysteries.com

62. There was smoke at the bottom of the towers just before their collapse consistent with the detonation of an explosive device at the bottom of the building allowing gravity to achieve total collapse.

63. In August of 2008, NIST concluded its report concerning WTC 7 finding that it collapsed as a result of the damage done to the building from falling debris and the fires that occurred as a result: a. NIST did not explain the molten steel and iron in the rubble of WTC 7; b. NIST did not explain the presence of sulfidation in metal in the ruins of WTC 7 as noted by scholars at Worcester Polytechnic Institute; c. There were no tests for thermate conducted by NIST; d. The eyewitness experience of Barry Jennings, Deputy Director of the Emergency Services Department of New York City Housing Authority, who survived explosions in WTC 7 in the morning of 9/11, many hours before its collapse, was not accounted for in The NIST report.

64. Brian Clarke was in the South Tower when it was hit at 9:03 am. He was located on the 84th floor, above the impact of the airplane. He managed to rescue a person on the floor below him, and climb down the stairs to safety through the floors that were on fire. Videotaped interview on DVD: Zero:9/11

- 65. Kevin McPadden was in a position to give assistance to the injured on 9/11 and at 5:20 PM was close enough to a Red Cross representative's radio to hear the last three counts of a countdown that preceded the demolition of WTC 7. Just before that he was told that "they" were thinking about bringing a building down.
- 66. A firefighter was caught on videotape saying that the building(WTC 7) was coming down. 911mysteries.com
- 67. There were bone fragments found on the roof of the Deutsche Bank building hundreds of feet from the Towers, none of which was larger than one centimeter in length. http://www.nytimes.com/2006/04/06/nyregion/06remains.html, http://blogs.usatoday.com/ondeadline/2006/04/more_wtc_bone_f.html
- 68. At least one rescue worker remarked on the absence of items such as telephones, computers, desks, or chairs in the rubble at Ground Zero. 911mysteries.com
- 69. Ben Fountain and Scott Forbes, two people who worked in the World Trade Center towers, have stated that there was an unusual power down the weekend before 9/11 and that there was unusual construction going on in the building in the weeks before the attack. 911mysteries.com
- 70. The company Securacom/Stratasec, whose director from 1996 to 2000 was Marvin Bush, the younger brother of the President, was responsible for updating the security system at the World Trade Center in those years. Wirt D. Walker III, cousin of the President, was the CEO of Securacom/Stratasec from 1999 to 2002. 911mysteries.com
 - 71. The government denies that the "black boxes" from American Flight 11 and United

Flight 175 have been recovered.

- 72. Three of the four "black boxes" from the two flights were found by New York City firefighter Nicholas DeMasi who escorted federal agents to the site of their recovery on an all-terrain vehicle. Witnessing the recovery of the boxes was Mike Bellone, chronicled hero of the Ground Zero rescue efforts. *Philadelphia Daily News*, October 28, 2004
- 73. General Mahmoud Ahmad, head of Pakistan's ISI, had \$100,000 sent to Mohammed Atta just before 9/11. Sunday London Times, January 6, 2008
- 74. General Mahmoud Ahmad met with the National Security Council during the week of 9/11, a fact which then National Security Advisor Condoleeza Rice has denied. (Response to a 2008 FOIA request)

FLIGHT 93

- 75. The site of the supposed crash of United Flight 93 does not agree with general idea of what an airliner crash site looks like, as there are no substantial pieces of plane visible. http://911research.wtc7.net/planes/evidence/photos/pacrater.html
- 76. The pattern of damage to the surrounding vegetation contradicts the official version's flight path. *Chapter Three, Pandora's Black Box, Flight of United 93* by Pilotsfor911truth.org
 - 77. There is debris from Flight 93, including the engine, spread over a large area.
- 78. Susan McIlwain witnessed a low-flying plane, or missile, as she was driving her car near the crash site outside of Shanksville, PA. The object, solid white and without rivets, came

from her right, in front and just above her, ascended over a stand of trees, banked right out of

sight, at which point there was an explosion at what is known as the Flight 93 crash site.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=An_nXpr5K0A

79. Secretary Rumsfeld, on December 24, 2004, at a press conference in Iraq, referred to

Al Qaeda as "the people who shot down the plane in Pennsylvania."

80. Air Force officers have stated that it was an Air Force mission to shoot down Flight

93, and there is a hearsay account from the pilot who carried out the mission.

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Signed : ___/S/___

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