

CASE TITLE: United States v. McClain, et al.
CASE NUMBER: 20 CR 812
ACTIVITY: Telephone conversation between Michael McClain and
William Cousineau
DATE: April 11, 2018
TIME:
TARGET PHONE: [REDACTED]
SESSION NUMBER: [REDACTED]

SPEAKERS: McCLAIN = Michael McClain
COUSINEAU = William Cousineau

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(CLIP 1 BEGIN)

1 McCLAIN: Hello.
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3 COUSINEAU: Hey, how are you?
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5 McCLAIN: Good, good. You sound tired.
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7 COUSINEAU: Uh, it's been a long day. Nothing, nothing wrong with
8 busy days right?
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10 McCLAIN: How's the dark side?
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12 COUSINEAU: It's uh, uh it's stressful but in a different way. You
13 know?
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15 McCLAIN: Mhm.
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17 COUSINEAU: It's uh, you know, it's uh, nothing will be as stressful
18 as those campaign days though so. (Laughs.)
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20 McCLAIN: Well I can-
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22 COUSINEAU: It was, it was good training.
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24 McCLAIN: And um, as long as we always remember who our real client
25 is.
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27 COUSINEAU: Yep.
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29 McCLAIN: It's pretty, it's not easy but it mollifies it.
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31 COUSINEAU: Oh yeah. Yeah, I missed a uh, call this evening because
32 I was with, him. (Unintelligible). I just said, "Sorry
33 I'm, I can't be there," you know.
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35 McCLAIN: Right.
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37 COUSINEAU: Yep, it's easy to keep your priorities straight if you
38 remember that.
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40 McCLAIN: Yep.
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42 (CLIP 1 END)