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	EVIITATE 20 0.0.10 EMBIT	471	19 A No.
21 22			20 Q Okay.
44			21 A My cell phone number now is
			22 (424) 333-6767.

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1 Q Is the cell phone number (310) 433-0334 an	1 A Correct.		
2 old cell phone number of yours?	2 Q And you've written a book on addiction?		
3 A An old cell phone number.	3 A Yes.		
4 Q Okay. And is your email address	4 Q What's the title of the book?		
5 David@Kippermd.com?	5 A The Addiction Solution.		
6 A Yes.	6 Q And by addiction do you mean addiction to		
7 Q And you've been deposed before,	7 drugs and alcohol?		
_ 1 1			
. 22	8 A Yes. 9 Q Is there any other addictions that you		
9 A Yes.10 Q So you know the general rules. I'm going	10 practice treating?		
11 to start off asking you questions. If at any time			
	11 A Well, there are behavioral addictions, but 12 those are far less common.		
12 you don't understand a question, or can't hear me			
13 because we're doing this via Zoom, please let me	13 Q And in your practice you've dealt with		
14 know. If you respond it will be assumed you	14 patients who have blacked out from drugs or		
15 understood and heard my question. Does that make	15 alcohol?		
16 sense?	16 A Yes.		
17 A Yes.	17 Q And when a person experiences a black out		
18 Q Okay. Please also be sure to answer	18 during alcohol or drug use what, if anything,		
19 verbally as you're doing. As you know, a nod or a	19 happens to the brain as to what's occurring or		
20 shake of the head isn't going to do so the court	20 understand what their understanding is		
21 reporter can accurately transcribe what you're	21 occurring around the person?		
22 saying; does that make sense?	22 MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, you've just		
10	12		
1 A Yes.	1 asked a question that requires the expert opinion		
2 Q Okay. Have you ever been deposed in any	2 of Dr. Kipper. As I wrote to you all earlier last		
3 cases involving Johnny Depp?	3 week, if you ask expert questions you're going to		
4 A No.	4 have to pay the expert fees required under		
5 Q Okay. Now, you're a doctor; correct?	5 California Evidence Code Section 994. And I will		
6 A Yes.	6 instruct him not to answer any questions calling		
7 Q And an internist?	7 for expertise unless you wish to retain him for		
8 A Yes.	8 that purpose for this deposition.		
9 Q How long have you been practicing	9 Q Do you understand that you've been listed		
10 medicine?	10 as a nonpaid expert by Mr. Depp?		
11 A Since 1977.	11 A Can you define that for me, please, Adam?		
12 Q And I noticed on your website, it says you	12 Q Do you understand that you have been		
13 provide concierge healthcare. What does that	13 identified as a potential non that there a		
14 mean?	14 fact witness that is not let me, strike that.		
15 A That means I provide healthcare on a	15 I'll come back to that.		
16 retainer-based — arrangement.	16 MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, if it helps		
17 Q What do you mean by retainer-based	17 we're not answering any questions propounded by		
18 arrangement?	18 Mr. Depp's lawyers that call for an expert opinion		
19 A Patients pay an annual fee and all	19 without being compensated under evidence code		
20 services are included. And I'm available 24/7.	20 Section 994 either.		
21 Q Now you also practice part of your	21 Q With the understanding that you've been		
22 practice is addiction treatment; is that correct?	22 identified by Mr. Depp as a potential expert?		

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1 A Are you asking me?	1 him? Otherwise we're pleased to wait but just	
2 Q Yeah, I'm asking you, Dr. Kipper?	2 trying to help out.	
3 A Again, I'm not really familiar with those	3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Right. Is it is the	
4 terms so if you could define that a little more	4 pages moving? It's just it wasn't moving on my	
5 clearly?	5 end.	
MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, I think the	6 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: My my	
7 answer is no, we have not received any designation	7 apologies, Mr. Nadlehaft, when you're in control	
8 or any notice that he's being been identified	8 of my mouse it's I can't unmute myself.	
9 as a nonretained expert.	9 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Is it on	
10 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay.	10 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: Is page 7	
11 Q Now, I'm not asking who, but in addition	11 appearing to you now?	
12 to Mr. Depp and Ms. Heard, you have been the	12 MR. NADLEHAFT: No. No.	
13 doctor for other celebrity celebrity clients;	13 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: Are you are	
14 correct?	14 you looking for page 7 of the PDF?	
15 A I can't discuss my other clients.	15 MR. NADLEHAFT: Right now I'm seeing it	
16 Q Right. But without even saying you	16 where it says engaged including person. My	
17 can't even say yes or no whether other patients	17 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: Here, let me	
18 have been what people might call celebrities?	18 re-share my screen. That I'm not. Does	
19 A Correct.	19 everyone else see documents to be produced under	
20 Q Okay. You understand you're here under a	20 this subpoena?	
21 subpoena?	21 MR. HARWELL: No.	
22 A Yes.	22 MS. MEYERS: No.	
14	16	
1 Q Okay. And and Alex, can you please put	1 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: That's strange.	
2 up Kipper 1?	2 Pardon me one moment.	
3 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 1 marked for	3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Can we go okay can	
4 identification and attached to the transcript.)	4 we go off the record while we're figuring this	
Q And just Dr. Kipper, do you understand	5 out? Thanks.	
6 that this that that this Exhibit 1 is the	6 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're off the record at	
7 subpoena for your deposition?	7 12:17.	
8 A Yes.	8 (Off the record from 12:17 p.m. to	
Q Okay. We can take that down. And	9 12:19 p.m.)	
10 Alex, can you put up Kipper 2?	10 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're back on the	
11 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 2 marked for	11 record at 12:19.	
12 identification and attached to the transcript.)	12 Q Okay, thank you, Dr. Kipper. After a a 13 short technology issue, do you see on Kipper 14 Exhibit 2, page 7, these are the documents to be	
13 Q And Dr. Kipper you understand that you		
14 received the subpoena for documents in this case?		
15 A Yes. Thank you.	15 produced one through 10?	
16 Q And going down to if I can do this	16 A Yes.	
17 Alex, can you move it down to page 7? Alex, are	17 Q And the time period is March 2014 through	
18 you able to move it to page 7?	18 the present?	

A Yes.

22 response to the subpoena?

Q Okay. And -- and you looked through these

21 categories of documents to produce documents in

PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: I'm sorry --

MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, we've --

21 we've seen this before. Is there something that

22 you would like -- a question you'd like to ask

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17	19	
1 A Yes.	1 office?	
Q Okay. And if we go down to the the	2 A She was a receptionist.	
3 next page, this is a HIPAA release form that was	Q And how long did Ms. Beane work for you?	
4 for Mr. Depp; do you see that?	4 A I don't have that specific information. I	
5 A Yes.	5 believe it was about three years.	
6 Q Okay. Did did you produce all of the	6 Q In working with Ms. Beane, did you find	
7 records of the drug tests you performed on	7 her to be honest?	
8 Mr. Depp?	8 A No, actually.	
9 A Yes.	9 Q Why was she not honest?	
10 Q Okay. From 2014 to the present?	10 A She was inappropriate with certain	
11 A Yes.	11 patients beyond what I considered to be	
12 Q Did you you didn't produce any text	12 professional. She discriminated in some regards	
13 messages with Mr. Depp, did you?	13 to some patients. She was divisive in the office	
14 A No, I don't believe so. No.	14 and created a lot of problems with the other	
15 Q Did you look at did you look at your	15 staff.	
16 phone at all for text messages with Mr. Depp?	16 Q Did you terminate her?	
17 A Well, this was a problem. The phone that	MR. HARWELL: I don't think we heard that.	
18 you had written for me, that you had documented	18 Q Did you terminate Ms. Beane?	
19 for me, is gone. And I have no records of those	19 A I'm sorry, Adam, she – what did you hear?	
20 texts. That – when that phone was destroyed, I	20 And I'll fill in what you may not have heard.	
21 lost everything on that phone.	MR. HARWELL: His question, Doctor, was 22 did you terminate her.	
22 Q What happened to the phone?		
18	20	
1 A It ended up in a pool.	1 A Oh, no, she quit.	
Q And and so you not only you didn't	2 Q And who is Debbie Lloyd?	
only get the new phone, you changed your phone	3 A Debbie Lloyd is a nurse that I have known	
4 number as well?	4 for many years who has worked with me on home care	
5 A Yes.	5 and addiction cases.	
Q Is there a reason you changed your phone	6 Q And is is Ms. Lloyd an employee or a	
7 number?	7 contractor with you?	
8 A I changed my phone number because there's	8 A She's a contractor.	
9 a certain point where everybody has my cell phone	9 Q Does she still contract with you?	
10 number and I try to keep that private. And this	10 Ms. Lloyd?	
11 was a good opportunity for me to have a more of a	11 A Yes, until recently. She now has a new	
12 private phone.	12 position, so I am not able to have her services at	
13 Q When did you change your phone number?	13 this point.	
14 A I think this was about a year and a half	14 Q What was Ms. Lloyd's role in Mr. Depp's	
15 ago, somewhere in there.	15 care?	
16 Q And and you're saying it accidentally	16 A She served as his RN, as his registered	
17 fell into a pool?	17 nurse.	
18 A Yes.	18 Q And was Ms. Lloyd paid by you for	
19 Q Okay. You can take this down, Alex. Who	19 Mr. Depp's care?	
20 is Lisa Beane?	20 A Yes.	
21 A A former employee in my office.	21 Q So would it work that Mr you would	
22 Q And what was Ms. Beane's role in your	22 bill Mr. Depp for the care that Ms that you	

Conducted on February 22, 2021 1 gave and Ms. Lloyd gave, and then she would be 1 Mr. Nadlehaft, I'm going to interpose an objection 2 to the extent that it calls for any conversations 2 paid from that? A Yes. 3 that are protected by the patient physician O And who is Erin Boerum? privilege in California. A She's an RN that was employed to help care MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. 6 for Amber. Q Do you know if Tracy -- do you know if O Was Ms. Boerum also a contract nurse? 7 Tracy Jacobs was Mr. Depp's agent? 8 A Yes. A Yes. Q And so did she -- did Ms. Boerum have any 9 MR. CHEW: Objection; leading. 10 role in Mr. Depp's care? O What was -- what did you understand that 11 -- the relationship between Ms. Jacobs and 11 A Only if - if Debbie was unavailable, Erin 12 Mr. Depp? 12 would step in and vice versa. 13 Q And -- and -- and did Ms. Boerum work with 13 MR. CHEW: Objection; leading. 14 you on anybody else besides Mr. Depp or Ms. Heard? 14 O You can answer. MR. HARWELL: You may answer, Doctor. 15 A Yes. 15 16 O Does Ms. Boerum still work with you? A I'm sorry, Adam. Could you please repeat 17 A Ms. Boerum now has two little kids so 17 the question? O What did you understand the business 18 she's not really available. 19 Q I understand. I have two kids myself. 19 relationship was between Ms. Jacobs and Mr. Depp? 20 When were you first contacted about treating 20 A That she was his agent. O And what, if anything, did Ms. Jacobs say 21 Mr. Depp? 22 A Somewhere in the spring of 2014. 22 to you about treating Mr. Depp -- about asking to 24 22 Q And do you recall how - who first 1 treat Mr. Depp? 2 referred you to Mr. Depp? 2 MS. MEYERS: Objection; hearsay. 3 Mr. Nadlehaft: You can answer. A He was referred by another patient. Q Did you talk to Tracey Jacobs at all about A Well, that was - those are private 5 Mr. Depp? 5 conversations that I had with the patient. So I 6 believe that's privileged. 6 A Yes. Q So you're -- you're saying that the Q What did Ms. Jacobs say to you about 8 conversation that you had with Ms. Jacobs about 8 Mr. Depp? 9 Mr. Depp is a privileged conversation of MR. HARWELL: I'm sorry, before you go any 10 Ms. Jacobs? 10 further, may I have an understanding of who 11 Ms. Jacobs is? A Yes, because Ms. Jacobs was a patient. So Q Let me ask, do you know who Tracy Jacobs 12 that was a privileged - I believe that's a 12 13 is? 13 privileged conversation. MR. HARWELL: The problem is that you're 14 14 A Yes, she was a patient. 15 going to -- and this is a problem with trying to 15 Q Did you also know --16 answer these questions without the physician MR. CHEW: Objection; hearsay. Objection 16

17 on the grounds of hearsay.

20 told by Tracy Jacobs.

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MR. NADLEHAFT: To which question?

MR. NADLEHAFT: Oh okay. MR. HARWELL: And I'm afraid,

MR. CHEW: To the question what he was

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17 patient waiver. If -- if she was speaking on

18 behalf of Mr. Depp asking medical questions or

20 information to Dr. Kipper authorized by him, it

21 has the same affect as if it were him speaking to

22 Dr. Kipper. And setting aside the HIPAA waivers,

19 making medical arrangements and revealing medical

1 which allow us to provide you with documents, we

- 2 have a separate California problem of the
- 3 physician patient privilege -- which we're more
- 4 than pleased to discuss but we need a waiver.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: You're saying that any 6 discussions that Mr. Kipper had with Mr. Depp,
- 7 Mr. Kipper is not going to speak about?
- MR. HARWELL: To the extent that there
- 9 were conversations in which there were other
- 10 people present that would have waived the -- the
- 11 privilege for those conversations, he is more than
- 12 pleased to chat about those. But any other
- 13 conversations -- I wrote you all about this last
- 14 week -- any other conversations that fall within
- 15 California's physician patient privilege require a
- 16 waiver. Dr. Kipper is not obliged to waive it but
- 17 he is obliged by statute to raise it.
- 18 MR. NADLEHAFT: So now I'm asking
- 19 Mr. Depp's counsel, are you -- are you asserting
- 20 the privilege to conversations Mr. Depp had with
- 21 Mr. -- with Dr. Kipper?
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- 1 maintain the privileged conversations between a 2 physician and his patient. You understand we
- don't care about answering these questions. What
- 4 we don't want to do is to have one of the parties
- get angry at us for answering a question where
- 6 there is not a waiver and for my client to get in
- trouble for doing so.
- 8 MR. NADLEHAFT: I --
- MR. HARWELL: So we're pleased to answer 10 any of the questions that you ask but we have to
- 11 protect Dr. Kipper's ability to behave according 12 to California law.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: I know. I understand
- 14 that. And I'm -- I'm asking Mr. Depp's attorneys,
- 15 is Mr. Depp not waiving the privilege as it
- 16 relates to conversations between Mr. Depp and
- 17 Dr. Kipper?
- MS. MEYERS: I think we have to discuss
- 19 that. We have not provided that waiver yet.
- 20 MR. NADLEHAFT: Well -- okay. I'm --
- MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, do you want 21
- MR, HARWELL: Yes. And we have no choice 22 to take a break and let them discuss that?

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1 under the statute but to do so.

- MR. NADLEHAFT: I'm not asking you, I'm
- 3 asking Dr. -- Mr. Depp's counsel.
- 4 MR. HARWELL: Sorry.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: So there's three of you
- 6 here, whoever wants to answer?
- MS. MEYERS: We are.
- 8 MR. CHEW: What did you say?
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Are you asserting --
- 10 doctor-patient privilege at -- between --
- 11 conversations between Mr. Depp and Dr. Kipper?
- 12 MS. MEYERS: They're -- I think we're
- 13 standing on the -- the scope of the HIPAA waiver
- 14 that we've provided.
- 15 MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, we really
- 16 don't care what the answer is, but that's not an
- 17 answer. The HIPAA waiver provides -- allows us to
- 18 provide certain documents in connection with
- 19 the -- with the protected health information that
- 20 we might have. And California has a similar,
- 21 although slightly more stringent law, that covers
- 22 the same area. But we also have an obligation to

- 1 Because that's going to make a big difference
- about what both of you do all day.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: All right. I -- sure. We
- can take a break.
- MR. HARWELL: Let us know -- send us a
- 6 note when you're ready to for us to come back and
- we'll be pleased to.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Okav.
- 9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 10 12:32.
- (Off the record from 12:32 p.m. to 11
- 12 12:46 p.m.)
- THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Back on the record at 13 14 12:46.
- MS. MEYERS: This is Jessica Meyers for
- 16 Mr. Depp. Our position on the patient physician
- 17 privilege is that we are willing to waive
- 18 communications that pertain to the three subject
- 19 matters in the HIPAA waiver -- which I believe are
- 20 on mental health treatment, substance abuse
- 21 treatment, and the physical injury, I believe it
- 22 was, treatment for (indiscernible).

29 31 MR. HARWELL: Do you understand that, MR. NADLEHAFT: I understand. 1 Q Is May 22nd, 2014, the first time that you Dr. Kipper? 3 3 met Mr. Depp? THE WITNESS: Not exactly. MR. HARWELL: You can answer any questions A No. 5 that involve communications between you and Q When did you meet Mr. Depp prior to 6 Mr. Depp or his people with respect to those three 6 May 22nd, 2014? 7 areas that were cleared for HIPAA, which is mental A I met him a couple of months before that 8 health treatments, injuries, or substance abuse 8 as just an initial introduction to discuss 9 treatments. 9 possible treatment. 10 THE WITNESS: I understand. O And where were you when you first met 11 MR. HARWELL: Okay. 11 Mr. Depp? MR. NADLEHAFT: Thank you. 12 A He met me at my home office. 12 13 Q Why don't we put up -- Alex, can you put Q And were there any -- did you have any 14 up Kipper 3, please? 14 notes of that meeting at the home office? (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 3 marked for 15 16 identification and attached to the transcript.) Q What did you discuss with Mr. Depp at that Q Dr. -- Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this 17 first meeting? 18 document? A At that meeting I discussed with him my 19 involvement in helping him with his substance 19 A Yes, I do. 20 Q And what is it? 20 issues. A This is a - an intake evaluation that I Q And what substance issues -- issues did 22 he -- did he say he had? 22 had with Mr. Depp regarding his treatment. 32 30 Q And do you keep these notes in the normal A I believe - I believe - I'm happy to 2 course of business? 2 answer this question - and John, I refer to you, 3 3 this was a private conversation that I had with A Yes. Q And the -- the notes are meant to be 4 this patient, but I'm - if I'm able to I'm happy 5 accurate? to answer that question. MR. HARWELL: Yes, Dr. Kipper, they have 6 A Yes. 6 Q Okay. And -- and did you take the notes 7 waived the patient physician privilege issue and 8 or did someone take them for you? 8 you're free to answer that question as long as you 9 keep it within the realm of mental health, A I took these notes. 10 Q The notes say Johnny Depp initial 10 substance abuse treatments and injuries. 11 consultation May 22nd, 2014. Is that --A So to answer your question, Mr. -12 Mr. Depp was seeking treatment for substance abuse MR. HARWELL: I'm sorry, Mr. Nadlehaft --13 Mr. Nadlehaft, let me just interject. This is not 13 and wanted to -- wanted to detoxify from his 14 a document we provided you. This document 14 substance abuse. 15 contains information, which in our version, was Q Did he mention -- did Mr. Depp say what 16 redacted because it involves medical information 16 substances he was trying to detox from? 17 that is not within the three HIPAA exceptions. A Yes. And as indicated in this note, it 18 was polysubstance: So there was alcohol, opiates, 18 And so into this document you tread on your own. 19 If you wanted to use ours, that -- that would be 19 benzodiazepines, and stimulants. 20 consistent with what we were prepared to disclose. Q So you reference the note, which is Kipper

21 This involves information that we thought was not

22 called for under the HIPAA waiver.

21 3, in your meeting with Mr. Depp in the months

22 before May 22nd, 2014, Mr. Depp was looking to

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1 detox from alcohol, opiates, benzo, and cocaine?

- A Those those substances were in his
- 3 history. The substance that he was at that point
- 4 concerned about and abusing were opiates.
- Q And when you say he was concerned about
- 6 the substance he was abusing was opiates, was this
- 7 in the conversation before May 22nd, 2014?
- 8 A I can't remember specifically.
- 9 Q Okay. So you had this initial
- 10 conversation with Mr. Depp and then you had this
- 11 initial consultation with him a few months later;
- 12 is that correct?
- 13 A Yes, that's correct.
- 14 Q And you met with Mr. Depp in Boston?
- 15 A Yes.
- 16 Q And Mr. Depp was filming a movie at the 17 time?
- 18 A Yes.
- 19 Q And in your notes you say he had had a
- 20 history of self-medicating behaviors involving
- 21 multiple substances of abuse. These include:
- 22 Alcohol, opiates, benzodiazepines, and stimulants,

- 1 was did Mr. Depp indicate he was addicted to a
- 2 benzodiazepine that's fine. If you wish him to
- 3 read from his expert report that's also fine.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. That's fine. Alex,
- 5 can I take control?
- Q Okay. This first -- this first paragraph
- 7 on this page, these are notes based off of your
- 8 discussion with Mr. Depp?
- 9 A Yes.
- 10 Q Okay. And then on the second page where
- 11 it says physical examination, that's just what you
- 12 conducted at the time -- on Mr. Depp?
- 13 A Yes. Yes.
- 14 Q Okay. And where it says "impression" on
- 15 the third page, that was your impression of
- 16 Mr. Depp at the time of May 22nd, 2014?
- 17 A Yes.
- 18 Q And under that, the plan, that --
- 19 that's -- that's documenting your plan for
- 20 Mr. Depp going forward?
- 21 A Correct.
 - 22 Q Did Mr. Depp pay for this visit?

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- 1 cocaine. Is that -- is that accurate what he told
- 2 you?
- 3 A Yes. That's in my that statement is in
- 4 my notes, correct.
- 5 O Okay. And in addition to opiates, was
- 6 he -- was Mr. Depp addicted to any other
- 7 prescription drugs?
- 8 A No, other than opiates, no.
- 9 Q Okay. What is -- with what is Roxicodone?
- 10 A It's an opiate.
- 11 O And what is -- what is Adderall?
- 12 A Adderall is a stimulant.
- 13 Q Okay. And was Mr. Depp addicted to
- 14 Adderall?
- 15 A No.
- 16 Q What is Xanax?
- 17 A Xanax is a benzodiazepine.
- 18 Q Okay. So was it -- was at any time
- 19 Mr. Depp addicted to Xanax?
- 20 MR. HARWELL: I'm going to object to the
- 21 form of the question in that you appear to be
- 22 asking for his expert conclusion. If the question

- 1 A Yes.
 - Q Okay. And -- and was the plan to start
 - 3 treatment for Mr. Depp after he was finished with
 - 4 his movie in Boston?
 - 5 MS. MEYERS: Objection; leading.
 - 6 Q You can answer -- well, when was the plan
 - 7 to start treatment of Mr. Depp?
 - 8 A After his after he completed his
 - 9 current film.
 - 10 Q Okay. We can take this down. Can you put
 - 11 up Kipper 4, please?
 - 12 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 4 marked for
 - 13 identification and attached to the transcript.)
 - 14 MR. HARWELL: I will raise the same
 - 15 objection as to this document. We did not produce
 - 16 it to you. It contains PHI that we excluded from
 - 17 our production.
 - 18 Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize Kipper
 - 19 Exhibit 4?
 - 20 A Yes.
 - 21 Q And what are the -- what is Kipper
 - 22 Exhibit 42

39 A It's a progress note dated June 11, '14 -1 correct? 2 2014. A You did a good job that's - that's -Q And -- and did you keep these notes in the 3 that's what it says, yes. 4 normal course of business? O Okay. What does TID mean? Or -- you see A Yes. where it says --6 Q And did you take these notes? A Three times a day. A Yes. O Three times a day. Okay. And Mr. Depp Q And the notes are meant to be accurate; 8 was also going to undergo a sobriety program; is 9 correct? 9 that correct? 10 A Yes. A Yes. 10 Q All right. What is -- you had mentioned Q And it says, "To be regularly drug tested 12 it before, but what is polysubstance abuse? 12 in my office." How regularly was he to be drug 13 A Poly is multiple, so multiple substance 13 tested -- Mr. Depp? 14 issues, multiple substance abuse. A That was dependent upon his progress and 15 Q And you were going to be treating Mr. Depp 15 my understanding of how he was doing. 16 for multisubstance abuse; correct? Q Okay. And -- and if he was progressing A I was going to be treating Mr. Depp for 17 well, how often would Mr. Depp be drug tested? 18 opiate issues. MR. HARWELL: You're getting close to the 18 19 On the bottom of the first page where it 19 expert question. 20 says "impression" that was your impression of Q You can answer. 21 Mr. Depp at the time? Where it says polysubstance A The answer is what I said, it would really 22 abuse? 22 depend, Adam, on how he was doing at the time and 38 1 how he was progressing through his treatment. Q And were these the drugs that Mr. Depp was Q Do you recall how many drug tests you gave 3 to Mr. Depp in 2014? 3 taking at the time -- which is at the bottom of 4 page 1 of Kipper 4? A No. Q Okay. You gave him at least one; correct? A I'm sorry, can you - am I relating to the A Yes. 6 first entry under impression? 6 O It says -- what does -- what does it mean Q Okay. A I believe so. I'd have to - I'd have to 8 where it says dopaminergic imbalance with lithium 9 300 MG bid to be increased to 300 MGTID? 9 check through my records. Q Okay. And -- and Deborah Lloyd was going 10 A These were medications that I had planned 11 to be Mr. Depp's nurse; correct? 11 to use upon our treatment. A Correct. 12 Q Okay. So all the medications that are on Q You can take down Kipper 4. And can you 13 Kipper 4 under impressions, those are medications 13 14 put up Kipper 5, please? 14 you planned to use with Mr. Depp; is that correct? (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 5 marked for 15 A That's correct. 15 16 identification and attached to the transcript.) 16 Q And on the next page where it talks about Q Okay. And Kipper 5 is a long document. 17 opiate dependance you write, will maintain on 18 current Norco dosage TID until the current filming 18 It came out of your files. Do you recognize the 19 document? 19 is completed in mid to late July. Mr. Depp agrees 20 to undergo detoxification with Clonidine, Robaxan 20 A Yes. Q What is Kipper 5? 21 Bentyl and something else -- anxiolytics -- I 21

22 can't pronounce it, I'm sorry. But is that

A It's a progress note dated the 12th of

Conducted on February 22, 2021 41 1 June 2014. 1 so these 6/13/14; that is -- that is your notes? Q Let me ask you this, did you -- do you A Correct. 3 understand that you produced progress notes from 3 Q Okay. And it says met with patient in his 2014 through 2016 for Mr. Depp? apartment, patient continued to be pleasant and MS. MEYERS: Objection. Assumes facts not 5 cooperative, he stated that he initially started 6 in the record. 6 taking opiates after some dental work and became Q All right. So this -- this exhibit, 7 dependent on them. Do you recall -- do you recall 8 Kipper 5, which I will refer to throughout the --8 that conversation with Mr. Depp? 9 your deposition, is a multipage document that has A Yes, those are my notes. 10 progress notes throughout -- from multiple dates Q Okay. And it's also accurate that patient 11 that you produced -- that came out of your files. 11 is fearful of coming off of opiates but knows what 12 Do you know who created these progress notes? 12 he needs to do? 13 A I created these progress notes. 13 A Yes. That reflects - that reflects the 14 Q It wasn't -- it wasn't Ms. Lloyd? 14 conversation I had. 15 A No, these are my notes. O Okay. And that patient also expressed Q Okay. All right. And you kept the notes 16 some emotional trauma which causes him depression 17 and anxiety? 17 in the normal course of business? 18 A Yes. A Also true. 19 Q And again, the notes are meant to be Q Okay. And then if you go down, it says 20 accurate? 20 when asked to turn over all medications that he 21 A Yes. 21 had in his possession, assistant gave the 22 following medications to the registered nurse. So Q Okay. We go to -- I'm going to go to --42 1 next -- excuse me for just a minute here --1 was Debbie Lloyd with you at this meeting? MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, there's some A I believe yes, but I'm not — I believe 3 chance that Dr. Kipper has misidentified this 4 document. MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Dr. Kipper, do you 5 she was with me during that meeting. want another chance to identify what this document 7 is? 7 Exhibit 5, these are the medications that 8 A I'm not sure what - which document you're 8 Mr. Depp's assistant gave to you? 9 referring to, specifically. These - these 10 reflect my notes on those days. If that answers 10 the -- the prescriptions that were -- are listed 11 your question. Q It answered my question. Your counsel

13 thought that you -- you misunderstood what the 14 documents were.

MR. HARWELL: Dr. Kipper, the -- the 16 question is are these your notes or are these the 17 nurse's notes?

18 A These are my notes.

19 MR. HARWELL: Okay.

20 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay.

Q Now -- I'm sorry, let's go back up. I 21

22 made a mistake, I apologize. Going to -- the --

3 so. Can you go back up to the top of the

4 beginning of that note? Yes, I believe she was -

Q Okay. And if we go to Kipper 54 of Kipper

MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, those are

11 are those which are within the HIPAA waiver.

MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. I understand.

13 Within those listed within the HIPAA waiver and

14 that's not -- that which is not redacted, this is

15 an accurate listing of the medications that

16 Mr. Depp was on; correct?

17 A Correct.

Q Okay. And going down, it's accurate where

19 it says -- where it states that -- that patient

20 states he currently takes oxycodone 15MGBID and

21 oxycodone 30MG at bedtime?

22 A Yes, that's correct.

O Okay. And BID means what? 1 encounter with Mr. Depp from June 22nd to 2 A Twice a day. 2 June 24th of 2014. Q Okay. And is it correct that where it Q Okay. And -- and you keep these notes in 4 says patient will be given the following 4 the normal course of business; correct? 5 medications on a daily basis to self-administer, A Yes. 6 these are the lists of the medications that you Q Okay. And again, they're meant to be 6 7 were prescribing Mr. Depp to be on at the time? 7 accurate; correct? 8 A Yes, that's correct. A Yes. Q Okay. All right. Going to scroll down a O Okay. And these notes reflect that you 10 bit here. And we're going to go to Kipper 60 on 10 saw Mr. Depp in Boston again? 11 Kipper Exhibit 5, the notes for 6/22/14. This is 11 A Correct. 12 a -- this is, again, a note that you prepared? Is O Okay. And the second paragraph, you 13 this a note that you prepared, Dr. Kipper? 13 write, "We discussed the need for compliance with 14 A I'm reviewing this. 14 his medications. We also discussed his nicotine 15 Q Okay. Sorry. 15 habit and agreed we would address this when we 16 A Yes. 16 completed the opiate and benzo detoxification. 17 Q Okay. And you see where it says in the 17 Mr. Depp's filming will be completed around mid 18 middle, patient spoke about his difficult 18 July and we discussed the planned detoxification. 19 childhood and current mood swings? 19 Mr. Depp prefers to do this in his home in the 20 Caribbean Islands. The anticipated duration is 20 A Yes. 21 Q What did Mr. Depp tell you about his mood 21 between ten to 14 days and he will be completely 22 swings? 22 isolated without any professional or personal 46 A That he had evanescent changes in his mood 1 obligations." Does this reflect the discussion 2 from good to bad. 2 you had with Mr. Depp? Q And did he give any more information about A Yes, it does. 4 what a bad mood -- what a bad mood would be? O And you also discussed that, "Mr. Depp 5 understands that a nurse, Debbie Lloyd, will A No, it was implied that that would be 6 depression, sadness. 6 assist me with his program and I will initiate Q What about anger? 7 this withdrawal and supervise daily, visiting him 8 at the end of his treatment to design the next A Now, that was not - that - I don't 9 remember him saying that. 9 steps in his therapy. And this protracted therapy 10 Q And -- and this note also said that he had 10 will include 12 step private counseling and 11 been depressed for the past three days? Right 11 personal psychotherapy and couples therapy with 12 above where we just looked? 12 his fiancee Amber. Both are in agreement to this 13 A Yes. 13 plan." Does that reflect the conversation you had Q Okay. And Alex, keep this up, but -- but 14 with Mr. Depp? 15 put up Kipper Exhibit 6, please? 15 A Yes. Q And was Ms. Heard in this conversation as (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 6 marked for 16 17 identification and attached to the transcript.) 17 well?

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21 remember.

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19 Exhibit 6?

20 A Yes.

Q What is it?

Q And Dr. Kipper, do you recognize Kipper

A It's a summary of the treatment and

A I don't remember, but the last sentence

19 implies that both were in agreement, so it's very

Q And during this detoxification, who was

20 possible that she was, but I honestly can't

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1 going to be with Mr. Depp at his home in the 2 Caribbean Islands?

A His fiancee Amber, and the nurse, Debbie Llovd, and whatever staff members he had.

- Q What -- where was Ms. Lloyd going to be each day in the Caribbean Islands?
- 7 A She was going to be on his property in a 8 separate area.
- 9 Q And who was administering the medications 10 to Mr. Depp?
- 11 A Ms. Lloyd was giving these medications 12 and — and supervising that. And there were 13 periods of time at night during the evening, early 14 morning, that Ms. Heard was also helping with 15 this.
- 16 Q And would there be times where Ms. Heard 17 was administering the medications to Mr. Depp 18 without Ms. Lloyd being present?
- 19 A Correct. Under supervision but without20 being present.
- 21 Q Okay. And when you say under supervision 22 what do you mean by that?

1 A That Ms. Lloyd would give Ms. Heard the 2 direction on how to provide these medications.

Q But wasn't necessarily going to be physically present there when the medications were delivered to Mr. Depp; correct?

6 A Correct.

Q On the second page of Kipper 6 it says, "I met with Amber for 90 minutes and discussed the above and her concerns -- and her concerns that he 10 be strictly monitored and supervised. Amber has 11 been with Mr. Depp for over three years and has 12 seen him go through several episodes of binging 13 behavior with punctuated episodes of sobriety, 14 always failing to maintain his sobriety." Do you 15 recall this conversation with Ms. Heard?

16 A I recall having a conversation. These 17 notes help orient me as to what the conversation 18 was.

19 Q Okay. And -- and you recall Ms. Heard 20 telling you that Mr. Depp has had several episodes 21 of binging behavior with punctuated episodes of 22 sobriety but never -- always failing to maintain 1 his sobriety?

A Yes, if this is in my notes then it

3 reflects the conversation that I had with

4 Ms. Heard.

Q Okay. Then it says bloods were taken --

6 in the third paragraph it says, "Bloods were taken

7 for general medical evaluation. These results

8 were pending at the time of this documentation.

9 Random urine and drug testing will follow.

10 Mr. Depp understands the consequences of a failed

11 test." What were the consequences of a failed 12 test?

13 A That depends on where, again, he was in 14 his treatment.

15 Q Well, this was the beginning of treatment.
16 So what did you mean where you said -- or before
17 even treatment even began, so what did you mean
18 where you said he understands the consequences of
19 a failed test?

20 A Mr. – Mr. Depp was – we were getting 21 ready for the detoxification in July. And in June 22 – between that moment in June 22nd to 24th, when

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1 I wrote this note, any concern that I had for a

2 positive drug test would reflect on his inability

3 to comply going forward. So what we were checking

4 were things that we were not giving him.

Q And -- and Mr. Depp admitted to you that

6 there may be traces of cocaine since he'd been

7 abusing the substance prior to the initiation of

8 this program; correct?

9 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not 10 in evidence.

11 Q Is this note correct what you -- what you

12 write here in -- in Kipper 6? That Mr. Depp

13 admitted there may be traces of cocaine?

14 A Yes.

15 Q Okay. Can you -- let's just go to -- back 16 to Exhibit 5. And if we go to -- here -- you see

17 the note of 6/24/14 at 12:00?

18 A Yes.

19 O Is 12:00 the time?

20 A Yes.

21 Q Okay. And it says -- are these -- are

22 these your notes again?

Conducted on February 22, 2021 55 1 A These are my notes. 1 to his treatment. Q Okay. And it says, "RN and MD met with O And are they -- are the notes also to help 3 patient's fiancée and informed her for treatment 3 refresh your recollection? 4 fiancée. Fiancée voiced concerns of patient's A Yes. 5 behavior while using drugs and alcohol." Do you Q Okay. And -- and if we go now to the --6 see that? 6 this 7/9/14 at 19:30 note; do you see that? A Yes. A Yes. O What behavior did Ms. Heard -- what Q This is on Kipper 5. Is this another note 9 behaviors was -- concerned -- was Ms. Heard 9 of yours? 10 concerned about while Mr. Depp was using drugs and 10 A Yes. 11 alcohol? Q Okay. And it says, "Urine drug screen 12 12 completed and results given to M.D." M.D. is you; MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. Q Based on the notes you've written here, 13 13 correct? 14 what was the conversation you had with Ms. Heard? 14 A Correct. A I can't remember specifics, I just O "M.D. will discuss results with patient," 16 do you see that? 16 remember she had voiced concerns. Q "Concerns of patient's behavior." So you 17 A Yes. 17 18 don't have any -- any information about what Q All right. And then we go down. And you 19 see where it says 7/15/14 at 23:00? 19 Mr. Depp's behavior was that she was voicing 20 concerns about while using drugs and alcohol? 20 A Yes. A I cannot remember. O And it says, "RN and M.D. met with 21 22 Q You can't remember anything? 22 patient. Results of drug test were discussed." 54 56 1 Do you see that? 1 A I can't remember the specifics. Q What about general? A Yes. Q Do you recall what the results of the drug A That she was concerned about his 4 behaviors, but I cannot answer which behaviors 4 test were? 5 because I – I can't recall that. A I don't recall the specifics of the drug Q Do you recall if she said that Mr. Depp 6 test, but they would have been — they would have 7 has hallucinations? 7 been consistent with the drugs we were giving him 8 for us to have proceeded. So that - that's how 8 MS. MEYERS: Objection; asked and 9 answered, calls for hearsay. 9 we established our relationship. And so the next O You can answer. 10 sentence says the next step in treatment plan is 11 A I'm reading my note because I do not 11 for patient to finish filming. If those drug 12 recall that. 12 tests had been positive for medications or a O Do you recall if Ms. Heard said anything 13 substance he wasn't getting from us 14 about Mr. Depp becoming angry while he was using 14 professionally, we would not have proceeded. Q So are you -- are you -- are you saying 15 drugs or alcohol? 16 that if he tested positive for cocaine you would MS. MEYERS: Objection; asked and 16 17 not have proceeded? 17 answered, calls for hearsay. 18 A Correct. Q You can answer. 18 O Okay. Can you put up Kipper 7, please? A Again, I can't remember those specifics.

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Q And these - what are these notes meant

A In case other professionals need to relate

21 for? Why do you keep these notes?

(KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 7 marked for

Q Dr. Kipper, these 18 pages came from your

21 identification and attached to the transcript.)

1 production. And I'll represent to you that there

- 2 were no drug tests that I saw for 2014 or 2015 for
- 3 Mr. Depp. Do you know why that is?
- 4 A The only thing I can the answer is no.
- 5 I can't I don't understand that. We had a
- 6 flood in our office in 2014, October. The office
- 7 above us flooded our office and the basement,
- 8 which is where we kept certain records, but I'm
- 9 not sure which records relating to Mr. Depp would
- 10 have been involved in that. But other than that, 11 no.
- 12 Q Okay. Would the -- would drug tests for
- 13 Mr. Depp for 2014 and 2015, would those also be
- 14 kept electronically?
- 15 A No.
- 16 Q Who did you work with to conduct the drug 17 test of Mr. Depp?
- 18 A Yes, I ordered the drug test.
- 19 Q And -- and what company did you work with?
- 20 A It appears that it's MD Lab. That's the 21 lab we use.
- 22 Q Okay. And -- and the drug tests that we

1 do have, they came from your files; correct?

- 2 A Correct.
- 3 Q And they're meant to be accurate; correct?
- 4 A Correct.
- 5 O All right. And you would agree that drug
- 6 tests that you took of Mr. Depp in the 2016
- 7 through 2019 period showed Mr. Depp testing
- 8 positive for cocaine; correct?
- 9 A Correct.
- 10 MS. MEYERS: Objection.
- 11 Q The drug tests showed Mr. Depp being
- 12 positive for cocaine; correct?
- 13 A Yes, correct.
- 14 Q Okay. And for THC, he was -- Mr. Depp was
- 15 also positive for THC; correct?
- 16 A Correct.
- 17 Q And for benzo; is that correct?
- 18 A The answer would be yes. I'm looking for
- 19 benzo the answer would be correct because he
- 20 was maintained on benzos, benzodiazepines.
- 21 Q Okay. And how long was was Mr. Depp on 22 benzodiazepine?

- 1 A He was on benzodiazepines pretty much
- 2 throughout our relationship during this period of
- 3 time.
- 4 Q Wasn't -- wasn't one of the objectives to
- 5 get him off of benzodiazepines?
- 6 A It was, and we actually used a medication
- 7 to accomplish that initially. But he didn't
- 8 tolerate that medication very well. Not everyone
- 9 does. So he was put back on his benzos.
- 10 Q Okay. Do you believe that Mr. Depp had an 11 addiction to benzo?
- 12 A I think Mr. Depp had an anxiety -
- 13 MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for an
- 14 expert opinion.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: You're not going to answer 16 that?
- 17 MR. HARWELL: I'm instructing him not to
- 18 answer.
- 19 Q On page 3 of Exhibit 7, what's being shown
- 20 here under where it starts with cocaine
- 21 metabolites?
- 22 A This this is a listing of substances
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- 1 with reference ranges. And I think if you scroll2 down you'll see his specific analysis related to
- 3 that.

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- 4 Q Okay. And -- and on page 4, Robert Wells
- 5 was the name for Mr. Depp; is that correct? An
- 6 alias; correct?
- 7 A Yes, correct.
- 8 Q Okay. And this -- this is a drug test for
- 9 11/21/16; correct?
- 10 A Yes.
- 11 Q And it -- what is it showing Mr. Depp
- 12 positive for? What drugs?
- 13 A Positive for cocaine, amphetamines, and 14 benzodiazepines.
- 15 Q Okay. Is -- is amphetamines a drug that
- 16 you were prescribing to Mr. Depp?
- 17 A Correct.
- 18 Q What -- what drugs were that -- what drugs
- 19 were they?
- 20 A That's Adderall.
- 21 Q Adderall. Okay. Is there any -- strike
- 22 that.

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And on page 5, this is -- this is a test,

2 drug test, for November 21st, 2016; correct?

A Correct.

Q Okay. And it's showing -- what drugs is

5 it showing Mr. Depp was positive for?

A It shows cocaine, benzodiazepine,

7 cannabinoids and amphetamines.

Q Okay. And again, you did take -- the drug

9 tests were taken of Mr. Depp in 2014 and 2015; 10 correct?

11 A Correct.

12 O Now, you had mentioned before -- and the

13 notes said that the plan was for Mr. Depp to detox

14 on his island in the Bahamas; is that right?

15 A Correct.

16 Q Okay. And were you going to be going to 17 the island at any point? Were you planning to?

18 A Yes.

19 Q Was it going to be throughout Mr. Depp's

20 entire detoxification? Or -- or when were you

21 planning on being at the island?

22 A I was planning to see him, and did see

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1 him, towards the beginning as we initiated

2 treatment and towards the end when we were

3 transitioning from that treatment into the next

4 phase of his treatment.

5 Q And -- and on Exhibit 5, Kipper 69,

6 there's a note of 7/31 to 8/4/14 which says, "RN

7 and MD will meet with patient on 8/4/14 to discuss

8 detox plan for the island"; do you see that?

9 A Yes.

10 Q Okay. So were you -- did you meet with

11 Mr. Depp before he went to the island to discuss

12 the detox plan?

13 A Yes.

14 Q And that's what the next note shows at

15 8/4/14, "RN and MD met with patient in his home."

16 Do you see that?

17 A I'm seeing - yes. I'm - I'm sorry, I'm 18 reading this as we're speaking.

19 Q You and Ms. Lloyd met with Mr. Depp on

20 August 4th, 2014, in his home to talk about the

21 detox?

22 A Yes.

Q All right. Now, on 8/8/14 it says,

2 "Arrived on island today. Plan is for patient to

3 continue to take routine meds through tomorrow at

4 HS. At that time he will not take -- take his

5 oxycodone and detox medications will be

6 initiated." Do you see that?

7 A Yes.

8 Q Okay. Is that you arriving at the island

9 or -- or Ms. Lloyd arriving at the island?

10 A That's Ms. Lloyd.

11 Q Okay. So that -- so that 8/8/14 note is

12 her note; correct?

13 A Correct.

14 Q Okay. So some notes are hers and some of

15 these notes are yours?

16 A These notes going forward are her notes – 17 appear to be her notes.

18 Q Okay. What type of -- what type of system

19 were you putting these notes into?

20 A I don't understand your question.

21 Q The notes just appear to be continuous and

22 you said some are your notes, some are her notes,

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1 and I'm trying to understand how they got put

2 together?

3 A Because I put all of these treatment notes

4 together to be in one place.

5 O All right. Would Ms. Lloyd type these

6 notes or were they handwritten?

7 A She would type these notes.

8 Q Okay. And then -- and then who would put

9 them -- who put them all together?

10 A I did.

11 Q Okay. You see 8/9/14, "Patient expressed

12 fears of never feeling normal without his drugs"?

13 MS. MEYERS: Objection. Document speaks 14 for itself.

15 Q Do you see that?

16 A I see that.

17 Q Was that -- did Mr. Depp ever express that

18 to you?

19 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.

20 MR. HARWELL: You may answer, Doctor.

21 A Yes, in some form he - he discussed that

22 with me.

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1 Q Hold on one second. Sorry. Do you see at	1 15:45, "Patient's fiancée came to get MD and RN
2 Kipper 7 Kipper 71 where it says MD's flight	2 stating that patient was erratic and paranoid."
3 has been canceled. Arrangements are being made	3 Do you see that?
4 for him to arrive on the island on 8/12/14?	4 A Yes.
5 A Yes, I see that.	5 Q And was this and again, was this your
6 Q Okay. So is it is it accurate that you	6 notes or Ms. Lloyd's notes?
7 arrived at Mr. Depp's island on August 12, 2014?	7 A Ms. Lloyd.
8 Is that accurate?	8 Q Okay. And did do you recall anything
9 A Yes, that is correct.	9 else that Ms. Heard said about Mr. Depp beyond
10 Q Okay. Do you see the note on 8/15/2014,	10 being erratic and paranoid?
11 "Texts from fiancee that patient is quote	MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.
12 'paranoid' and trying to fight with fiancee.	12 A I can't remember.
13 States he is quote 'angry' and quote 'freaking	13 Q Do you recall Mr. Depp having any - being
14 out"?	14 erratic when he was on the island?
15 MS. MEYERS: Objection; hearsay.	15 MR. HARWELL: I'm going to object as it
16 Q "RN and MD went to assess patient." Do	16 calls for an expert opinion.
17 you see that?	17 MR. NADLEHAFT: I'm not asking as a doctor
18 A I do.	18 just as a person who was on the island with
	19 Mr. Depp.
20 A It's Ms. Lloyd.	20 Q Was he erratic?
21 Q Okay. And do you recall do you recall	21 A My opinion would come as a doctor, not as
22 Ms. Heard informing either you or Ms. Lloyd that	22 a nondoctor, because I am a doctor. So there were
1 Mr. Depp was paranoid and trying to fight with	1 certainly times during the course of the treatment
2 her?	2 which — which he demonstrated discomfort with his
3 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.	3 treatment.
	4 Q When you say discomfort what do you mean 5 with that?
5 A I can't recall that specific conversation.	1
6 But if it's in these notes I would assume that	6 A He was frustrated, and per the notes and
7 it's an accurate statement.	7 my memory, he was anxious to get this over with
8 Q And you and and you and you and	8 and had expressed some frustration and discomfort
9 Ms. Lloyd went to assess Mr. Depp based on the	9 when when he wasn't feeling well.
10 texts from Ms. Heard; correct?	10 Q Okay. And if we scroll down to 8/18/14,
11 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not	11 is this at 1:00 in the morning?
12 in evidence.	12 A Yes.
13 Q Did you go to assess Mr. Depp on	13 Q Okay. And this is at Kipper 77 on on
14 August 15th, 2014, according to these notes?	14 Kipper 5, "Patient is upset and irritable. M.D.
15 A That's correct.	15 and R.N. went to assess patient." Is that
16 Q All right. And by the way, fiancée is	16 accurate that you came to see Mr. Depp at 1:00 in
17 Ms. Heard in these notes; correct?	17 the morning?
18 A Yes.	18 A Yes.
19 Q And patient and patient is Mr. Depp;	19 Q And after receiving a text from Ms. Heard?
20 correct?	20 A Correct.
21 A Correct.	21 Q And Mr. Depp the note says he states
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22 he being Mr. Depp, states, "He had a fight with

Q And you see the note for August 17th at

71 1 fiancée and is questioning whether or not he can 1 you write this email to Ms. Dembrowski? 2 emotionally and -- physically handle detox." Do A We were planning to transition back to Los 3 you recall this conversation? 3 Angeles. We had completed the initial phase of MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 4 his detoxification, and I wanted to update her as A I can't remember that conversation, but I 5 to my impressions on how he was doing and how we 6 do know that he was struggling at that point. 6 would proceed going forward. Q And how was he struggling? O Okay. And you informed Ms. Dembrowski A Again, he was frustrated, he was 8 that around midnight on August 18th -- or August 9 uncomfortable physically. 9 17th Amber called asking us around midnight, 10 Q Okay. And Alex, can you put up Kipper 10 asking can we come over to the house. They 11 eight, please? 11 evidently had a fight. She claims he pushed her 12 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 8 marked for 12 and she asked him to leave the house. Do you 13 identification and attached to the transcript.) 13 recall that Ms. Heard told you that? 14 Q Dr. Kipper, this is an email -- well, do MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 14 15 you recognize this document? A Is this in my note? Because, again, I'm 16 A I do. 16 happy -- if you'll give me a minute to read this 17 Q And what is -- what is Kipper 8? 17 email. If this is included in the email, I'm 18 A This is an email that I sent to his 18 asking you -19 sister, Christi. O This is an email you wrote to 20 Q Christi Dembrowski is Mr. Depp's sister? 20 Ms. Dembrowski. 21 A Correct. A Is that statement included in the email? Q Okay. And you sent this email to 22 I need to review the email to answer your 70 72 1 Ms. Dembrowski on August 18th at 7:54 a.m.; 1 question. 2 correct? O Sure. You can review this email. That's A Correct. 3 fine. MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague. 4 A Thank you. And I have a copy -Q And is this - this email was shortly 5 Q Okay. 6 after you had met with Mr. Depp in the note we 6 A - so if you allow me a minute. 7 just discussed; correct? Q Have you read that email, Dr. Kipper? MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, I'll -- I'll A Forgive me, I'm in the process of reading 9 point that it's 7:54 Pacific Daylight Time, so I 9 this email. It's a long email. Almost done. 10 don't know what time it was in the -- in the Q Okay. 10 11 Bahamas at the time, but it was not 7:54. A Thank you for indulging me. I've now read 11 Q Well, 7:54 Pacific, so it was sometime in 12 the email. O Okay. You wrote this email to 13 the morning in the Bahamas; correct? 14 A I guess, I – I don't have that calculator 14 Ms. Dembrowski; correct? 15 in front of me. 15 A Correct. Q And you wrote, "Amber called us around 16 Q Right. It's either three or four hours 17 midnight asking that we come over to their house. 17 ahead, so either it's 10:54, maybe it's 11:54 in 18 They evidently had a fight. She claims he pushed 18 the morning; correct? 19 her and she asked him to leave the house." You MS. MEYERS: Objection; form. 20 wrote that; correct? 20 A Correct. I guess that's right. I assume A Correct. 21 that's right.

Q Okay. And you wrote this -- and why did

Q And Ms. Heard told you that; correct?

MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 1 of patience. He is driven also reflexively by his 2 Q You can answer. 2 ID. He has no patience for not getting his needs 3 3 met, has no understanding of delayed A She did - she did tell us that, yes. Q And did Ms. Heard reaching out to you gratification, and is quite childlike in his 5 cause you to visit Mr. Depp? 5 reactions when he does not get immediate 6 satisfaction." Is that accurate what you wrote? A Yes. Q And in the second paragraph on Kipper 8 it MS. MEYERS: Objection; form; document 8 says, "It's difficult for me to read too much into 8 speaks for itself. 9 the conversation that followed. He's Q You can answer. 10 uncomfortable, is pessimistic that he'll ever be 10 A That is what I wrote. 11 able to stop doing drugs, actually romanticizes Q And you wrote this to Ms. Dembrowski 12 the entire drug culture, and has no accountability 12 because you were concerned about Mr. Depp; is that 13 for his behaviors." Was that accurate when you 14 wrote it? 14 A I wrote this so that she was aware of 15 A Yes. 15 where we were in the process of his treatment. 16 MS. MEYERS: Objection. O And you wrote this after he had an 17 MR. HARWELL: I'm going to object as to 17 incident with Ms. Heard; correct? 18 whether that calls for an expert opinion. I think MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not 19 that you can have some read -- read the language 19 in evidence. 20 into the record, but not ask him the basis for his A I did not witness the incident. I wrote 21 conclusion. 21 this after we were called to see him because there MR. NADLEHAFT: I just asked if it's 22 was an alleged incident, but he clearly was 74 76 1 accurate. I didn't ask the basis. 1 uncomfortable at that time when we came to see MR. HARWELL: Is the writing accurate. 2 him. And, again, we were getting ready to 3 Dr. Kipper? 3 transition off of the island and I wanted Christi A Yes. That's what I said. That is what I 4 to have a clear understanding of where we were at 5 wrote. 5 that time. Q And in the second page you write, "He has O Okay. And you wrote on page -- from the 7 fundamental issues with anger, and when he gets 7 bottom of page 2 to page 3, "For my two cents, I 8 mad at her, meaning Amber, for her bad behavior, 8 think he needs to remain committed, endure some 9 he has tremendous ambivalence and guilt about 9 discomfort. He's actually ever had very little. 10 these feelings even being valid." Is that 10 Get neurochemically stable, seek an ongoing 11 accurate -- is it accurate that you wrote that? 11 therapeutic relationship with a doctor I know that 12 A Yes, it's accurate that I wrote that. 12 could help him, and get him into the recovery Q You also wrote, "I also think that his 13 community on whatever level he would accept. 14 need to be liked trumps his ability to actually 14 Short of this, his chances remain slim. He is 15 reach out to these guys with the vulnerability 15 discouraged and angry, but this is not unusual at 16 this phase of treatment." 16 that would ultimately give him the support he 17 needs from the community he respects." Is that 17 Is that accurate what you wrote then? 18 accurate that you wrote that? A That is what I wrote, yes. 18 Q Okay. Do you need to take a break? 19 A Yes. 19 20 MS. MEYERS: Objection; form; document 20 A I'm okay.

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21 speaks for itself.

Q And you also write, "There's also an issue

Q Okay. Fair enough.

A Pretty soon all this tea I'm drinking is

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1 going to change that opinion. 2 Q I understand. You let me know. You see 3 at 23 — at Kipper 79 at 2315, it says, "R.N. 4 received text from fiance stating, 'he's manic, 5 full-on flipping out. Give up. Not to call you 6 guys." Do you see that? 7 A Yes, I see that. 8 Q Okay. That's a note from Ms. Lloyd? 9 A Correct. 10 Q And Ms. Lloyd would only have written down 11 this note if she actually received that — a text 12 like that from Ms. Heard; correct? 13 A Yes, that's correct.	1 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 2 A Yes. 3 Q And it was you thought it was best for 4 Ms. Heard to take a few days for herself; correct? 5 MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for expert 6 opinion. 7 Q Was the plan for Ms. Heard to take a few 8 days for herself? 9 A Yes. 10 Q And Mr. Depp wanted is it true Mr. Depp 11 wanted to stop taking all the medications you were 12 providing him? 13 A Yes, that's reflected in this note.
 14 Q Were you informed at this time that 15 Mr. Depp was manic, full-on flipping out? 16 A Yes, I was - I certainly read her note, 17 and she relayed that information to me. 	14 Q Now, you mentioned you had you did text 15 with Mr. Depp on occasion; correct? 16 A I believe so, but I really can't remember 17 any specific time or message that I sent to him. 18 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Alex, can you put
19 from Ms. Heard saying, "We need help. He's at the 20 border, refusing to take his meds. Fiancee 21 informed nurse would come right over." Do you see 22 that at 8:20?	 19 up Exhibit 9, please, Kipper Exhibit 9. 20 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 9 marked for 21 identification and attached to the transcript.) 22 Q Dr. Kipper, Mr. Depp has produced a number
1 A Yes. 2 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 3 Q And then at 12:30 you and Ms. Lloyd met 4 with Mr. Depp? 5 A Yes, according to these notes, yes. 6 Q Okay. And do you know, was this now in 7 the Bahamas or was this back in Los Angeles? 8 A I need to go back to the date, not the 9 time. Can you scroll up? Thank you. 10 Q 8/20/14. 11 A And I'm just looking at my calendar. Yes, 12 we were now back in Los Angeles. 13 O And in the notes on 12:30 on August 20th	of texts in this litigation between you and him. And they're in this chart here. We're not going to go through all of them, I promise you. But I want to ask you about a few of them. And we'll do this throughout the deposition. And on 8/21/2014 it says Dr. David Kipper, this 310 phone number, was that your phone number at the time? A Yes. Q Okay. And this was a text from you that says — to Mr. Depp that says, "Glad you're better today. Respect you as much as I love you. You're making my job a pleasure, an
13 Q And in the notes on 12:30 on August 20th, 14 "Mr. Depp stated he was done with the process and 15 no longer wanted M.D. and R.N. services." Do you 16 see that? 17 A Yes. 18 Q Do you recall Mr. Depp telling you that? 19 A Yes. 20 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.	13 respect. You're making my job a pleasure, an 14 honor, and a few sleepless nights. Stop firing 15 me, I know what I'm doing." Do you recall sending 16 that text to Mr. Depp? 17 A Yes. 18 Q Okay. Now, you had been working with 19 Mr. Depp for how long at this point as of 20 August 21st, 2014, approximately?
21 Q And do you recall Mr. Depp saying there 22 was tension between him and Ms. Heard?	21 A We had started – the detox started I 22 believe on the 10th of August, and this is – I'm

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1 having a little trouble - can this be enlarged a A Again, I don't recall this specific email. 1 2 little bit? 2 So that may be - that may have been an attempt at Q Sure. That might be too much. 3 humor. A Yeah, that's a little - so this was Q Were you concerned at all that he was 4 written on - I'm looking for the date, there it having any -- Mr. Depp was having any 6 is, 8/19 -6 hallucinations? Q No, it's 8/21, the bottom one. A No. 8 A Yes, I'm sorry. I forgot your question O Okay. Were you ever concerned that 9 already. Mr. Depp was having hallucinations? 10 Q How long had you been working with MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for an 10 11 Mr. Depp at this point as of August 21st, 2014? 11 expert testimony. A And can you define by working with him? O Were you ever told that Mr. Depp was 12 13 Are you talking about specifically the detox or 13 having hallucinations? 14 are you talking about our initial meeting? MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 14 15 Q Even if you go with the initial meeting, Q You can answer that. 15 16 how many months has that been? 16 A I can't remember hearing that. 17 A So about four months. Q From anybody at any time? 17 18 O Okay. And you write, "Stop firing me." 18 A Correct. 19 In that four months, how many times had Mr. Depp 19 Q Alex, can you put up Kipper 10. 20 tried to fire you? 20 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 10 marked for A That was - I believe that was the first 21 identification and attached to the transcript.) 22 time. And again, this was in reference to him not O Dr. Kipper, Kipper 10 is an -- do you 1 wanting to proceed and not wanting our help. This 1 recognize this document? 2 is actually - I'm sorry this was the second time, A No, but I'm looking at it. Q Let me ask you this, do you recall if 3 because the first time was on the island just as 4 Arrowsarc@icloud.com was Ms. Heard's email 4 we were getting ready to leave. He did not want 5 address? 5 to proceed, he didn't think he could do it. That 6 changed after a conversation, he was back on A I assume that by looking at this document. 7 board. And this came from - I think followed Q Do you recall Ms. Heard emailing you 8 saying that she got into an argument when Johnny 8 that incident that you - we just referred to in 9 the notes when we were asked to come and visit 9 didn't come home the night before or that night? MS. MEYERS: Objection; hearsay. 10 with them and — where he didn't want to proceed 10 11 and then again at the end of that visit he was 11 Q You can answer. 12 back on board. A Until I saw this, I don't recall that 13 O Okay. Now, on August 24th, 2014, its 13 specifically, but I can see by this document that 14 shows a text -- when it shows him, that's Mr. Depp 14 that did happen. 15 to you, David Kipper, and Mr. Depp wrote, "Forgot Q Is it true that Ms. Heard informed you 16 to tell you, had a hopefully very positive and 16 then and at other times that Mr. Depp explodes? 17 free of ego squawk with Amber last night that went MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for evidence 17 18 very well... And then I shot a few Negroes in a 18 not in the record; hearsay.

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Q You can answer.

Q Okay. Exhibit 5, Kipper 101 at 9/22/14 at 22 1:25. You see it says, "R.N. received text from

A Yes.

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19 club on Sunset Boulevard. So far so good..."

Do you recall this text from Mr. Depp?

Q Was that Mr. Depp's typical language?

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A No.

- 1 patient stating that he had been in an argument
- 2 with fiancee and she had 'a nasty freak out' and
- 3 would like nurse to give him some 'fucking knock
- 4 out yum yum.' R.N. instructed patient to take prn
- 5 Neurontin 300 mg prn and Seroquel 50 mg, and that
- 6 R.N. was on her way." Do you see that?
- 7 A Yes.
- 8 Q Okay. And this is a note from Ms. Lloyd?
- 9 A Correct.
- 10 Q Okay. Now, this some other entries are
- 11 highlighted, this is how it was produced to us.
- 12 Do you know who did the highlighting?
- 13 A No.
- 14 Q Okay.
- 15 MR. HARWELL: By the way, Mr. Nadlehaft, 16 that's the way we found them.
- 17 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay.
- 18 Q Do you know if you did the highlighting,
- 19 Dr. Kipper?
- 20 MR. HARWELL: Sir, I was trying to suggest
- 21 to you that we found them that way, so I did not
- 22 do the highlighting, and Dr. Kipper already told

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- 1 you he has no idea where it came from.
- 2 MR. NADLEHAFT: I understood that you
- 3 didn't highlight it, Counsel.
- Q So, Dr. Kipper, you don't recall -- this
- 5 doesn't refresh your recollection whether you
- 6 highlighted the document; correct?
- 7 A No, I don't remember that I did, and I 8 don't remember why I would have.
- Q Okay. And then it says at 3:30, "Upon
- 10 arriving at the home, patient was sitting in
- 11 kitchen with scraped and bloody knuckles on R
- 12 hand," meaning his right hand; correct?
- 13 A Correct.
- 14 Q "Patient stated he punched white board in
- 15 kitchen after fight. Patient stated he had been
- 16 texting his friend explaining why he didn't show
- 17 up to play music and fiancee got upset he was not
- 18 giving her enough support and the fight escalated
- 19 from there. Called the M.D. at 1:45 and
- 20 instructed to give a stat order of Ambien 10 mg to
- 21 help patient get to sleep as he has an early
- 22 workday."

- 1 Do you recall Ms. Lloyd telling you about
 - 2 her visiting Mr. Depp is and him having bloody
 - 3 knuckles and a scraped hand?
 - MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.
 - A The specifics, I'm reading the note you're
 - 6 reading, and yes, I remember there was an
 - 7 incident.
 - 8 Q And an incident where Mr. Depp had scraped
 - 9 and bloody knuckles on his hand?
 - 10 A As indicated in the note, yes. I did not
 - 11 I did not see bloody knuckles. I did not see a
 - 12 punched door. This was a communication I received
 - 13 through the notes from Ms. Lloyd.
 - 14 Q And do you recall if you had -- it does
 - 15 say you recall; do you recall if you had a
 - 16 conversation with Ms. Lloyd about --
 - 17 A Yes, I recall having spoken about there
 - 18 had been an incident. I don't recall the
 - 19 specifics of that conversation.
 - 20 Q This wasn't the first incident of
 - 21 purported violence between Mr. Depp and Ms. Heard,
 - 22 correct, that --

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- 1 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes evidence
- 2 not in the record; vague and ambiguous; calls for
- 3 hearsay.
- 4 Q You can answer.
- 5 A The word violence to me is makes this
- 6 an invalid question. I would say no. I've never
- 7 observed violence between them.
- 8 Q Not that you observed it, but this wasn't
- 9 the first time you had heard of there being
- 10 violence between Ms. Heard and Mr. Depp; correct?
- 11 MS. MEYERS: Same objection.
- 12 A Can you define violence for me?
- 13 Q Scraped and bloody knuckles, someone being 14 pushed, someone being touched without wanting to
- 15 be.
- 16 A No, I can't remember another incident.
- 17 O You don't recall anything -- we saw
- 18 documents before where Ms. Heard said she was
- 19 pushed; correct?
- 20 A Correct. There have been there have
- 21 been reports, as we've discussed, that came from
- 22 Ms. Heard, but I personally have never seen any of

91 1 this. 1 O No problem. Q Right. You didn't see it, but you had 2 A Allow me to read this. I do remember this 3 been told that; correct? 3 entry, yes. A Yes, we were told that. Q Okay. And you remember being told that 5 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague. 5 Mr. Depp kicked in a door of his trailer and Q And you were told of incidents of being 6 refused to speak to his director; correct? pushed or bruises, correct, from Ms. Heard? MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague. 8 O You can answer. MR. CHEW: Argumentative. A I don't remember the specifics, but I do 10 MR. NADLEHAFT: I think we should have one 10 remember there was some disagreement between 11 person objecting. You can observe, but she's 11 Mr. Depp and the director. 12 doing a fine job objecting. One person objecting. Q And where it says, "Per M.D., patient is Q Go ahead. 13 to take Xanax, two milligrams, to reduce his 14 A I can remember that there were messages 14 agitation at that time," is that an increase of 15 his Xanax that he was to receive? 15 from Ms. Heard that there was fighting. But 16 specifically to bruising and to pushing and to 16 A Yes. 17 those things, I don't have a recollection of those Q And you see at 10/15 at 6:45 it says, 17 18 specific things. 18 "Patient awake and slept from 2200 to 4:30. 19 Q Did Ms. Boerum ever tell you that she had 19 Patient continues to be agitated about work and is 20 received pictures from Ms. Heard of bruising on 20 verbalizing having desires to escape with drugs." 21 Ms. Heard? 21 Do you recall seeing this note? 22 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 22 A I - yes. 92 Q Okay. And do you recall Ms. Lloyd telling A I can't recall. Q It could have been happened, you just 2 you this about Mr. Depp? 3 don't recall one way or the other? MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. A Correct. A I don't remember if she told me if he Q Can we put up -- no, forget that. 5 wanted to use, but I do remember her telling me THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Counsel, just to let 6 that he was upset. 7 you know, in 10 minutes or so I'm going to need a O And that -- and is that reflected in the 8 break to start a new media file. 8 note of 8:45, "M.D. informed patient's state of MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Perfect. 9 mind and continued agitated. He is on his way to 10 Q Okay. On Kipper 5 at 10 -- the date of 10 assess patient"? 11 10/14, show you there, which is on Kipper 110 of MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague; form of 11 12 Kipper 5, and then going down to 1930, it says, 12 question. 13 "Patient finished filming and was extremely O Is this notice at 8:45 accurate? 14 agitated leaving the set. Patient kicked in the A Can you show me that note? 15 door of his trailer and refused to speak to Q Yeah, it's right under -- it's right here, 15 16 director. Patient was verbally aggressive to 16 8:45. 17 another person on the set for no apparent reason. 17 A Okav. 18 Per M.D., patient is to take Xanax, two Q The note's accurate, that, "M.D. informed 19 milligrams, to reduce his agitation at this time." 19 of patient's state of mind and continued agitated. 20 Do you recall that, Dr. Kipper? 20 He is on his way to assess patient"?

A Yes.

Q And then at 12:30 says, "Patient had

21 A I'm sorry to have disappeared, I dropped a

22 paper.

19 Q You see at 10/23 at 1520, "Text patient to 20 see if R.N. would stop by and check in. When R.N.

21 arrived in the room, patient was agitated and felt

22 fiance was using the term mania to explain his

19 a few more text messages between you and Mr. Depp

20 and ask you a few more questions about those. 21 Okay. So at 11 – November 14th, 2014, there's a

22 text message from you to Mr. Depp, that says, "As

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- 1 you know, I'm scheduled to leave town tomorrow,
- 2 but it's important that I meet with you in the
- 3 morning before I leave. I would like to see you
- 4 at 10:00 a.m. at Sweetzer. I care for you deeply,
- 5 but I'm very concerned about the course you're on
- 6 and want you to help you get back to where you
- 7 have worked so hard to climb. I'll ask Debbie to
- 8 join us as we share the same concerns and
- 9 affection for you. You're too incredibly gifted
- 10 to allow yourself to destroy all you have worked
- 11 for. This comes from heart which is filled with
- 12 sadness as I write this text. Let me help you."
- 13 Do you recall sending this text to
- 14 Mr. Depp?
- 15 A No, I don't recall that specific text. If 16 you'll allow me, I'm just looking at my time line 17 to see where things were on it. It's 11/14?
- 18 Q 2014, yeah. What is it that you're
- 19 looking at, Dr. Kipper?
- 20 A I just have a timeline of my interactions 21 with him, so this will orient me as to where we 22 were in the treatment.

- Q Do you know if you produced that timeline?
- 2 A No, I just did this last night. And it's
- 3 not it's not completely filled in. So all
- 4 right. If you'll allow me to just reread this 5 quickly.
- 6 Q Sure.
- 7 A And your question, I'm very sorry,
- 8 Mr. Nadlehaft.
- 9 Q Do you recall sending this text in 10 November 14th, 2014, to Mr. Depp?
- 11 A I don't recall the sending it. I see that 12 I did, but I don't recall sending it.
- 13 Q Do you recall being concerned about
- 14 Mr. Depp in the November 2014 time frame?15 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague.
- 16 A I can't remember specifically what my 17 concern was, but I will say in general I would 18 have written this text if I was concerned about 19 his — his wanting to stay on target.
- 20 Q Right. Because you write, "I'm very
- 21 concerned about the course you're on." Do you
- 22 recall in that time frame if there was what the

1 reason was for you being concerned about the

- 2 course that Mr. Depp was on?
- 3 A No, I can't. I can speculate, but I can't
- 4 be 100 percent sure.
 - Q Well, what do you think it was?
- 6 A The -
- 7 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.
- A The only concerns that I had during -
- 9 remember now, this is relatively early in his

10 treatment. I know we started -

- 11 MR. HARWELL: Doctor, I don't want you to
- 12 offer any expert opinions. If you have
- 13 recollection of communications with Mr. Depp,
- 14 you're more than pleased to answer them. But your
- 15 thought process as a physician and -- with respect
- 16 to your patient is expert opinion.
- 17 A So as I said, I may have been concerned 18 about his staying on course.
- 19 Q Do you know if Mr. Depp had failed any
- 20 drug tests at that time?
- 21 A I can't specifically answer that question,
- 22 but I know that there were times when his drug

1 tests came up positive. 2 Q And --

- 3 A Not for the opiates.
- 4 Q Not for the opiates, is that what you
- 5 said?
- 6 A Correct.
- 7 Q Positive for cocaine, for instance?
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 O Now, you had testified before that if he
- 10 had tested positive for drugs like cocaine he
- 11 wouldn't be under your supervision anymore. So
- 12 that turned out to not be true; correct?
- 13 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not
- 14 in evidence.
 15 A To get into that answer would require me
 16 to tell you what the process is of somebody going
- 17 through drug addiction and rehabilitation, which 18 would require some expert opinion. So I will 19 simply say that at those specific times they were
- 20 signals to me to rope in compliance.
- 21 Q And you texted him again on -- again on
- 22 November 15th that said, "I need to call you when

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- 1 you're able to know how you are, good or bad.
- 2 This is when we need to connect, and without
- 3 judgment, but I'm very concerned about you and
- 4 want to right the ship." So same concerns as you
- 5 had in the text message before; correct?
- 6 A Correct.
- Q And -- and then on November 16th you
- 8 write, "I need to hear from you. Please call me."
- 9 So you were still concerned about Mr. Depp in this
- 10 November 16th, 2014, time frame; correct? 11 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague.
- 12 A Yes. Evidently, yes.
- 13 Q Now, on November 17th, 2014 -- in 2014,
- 14 Mr. Depp texted you and said, "I have been to see
- 15 Amber downtown. Yeah, yeah, interesting to say
- 16 the least. Wow. Anyway, I'm still away and don't
- 17 foresee slumber anytime soon to this broken
- 18 instrument of a squash situated atop my shoulders.
- 19 I would love to speak whenever you get a minute,
- 20 Dear David, though honestly if I were you, Debbie,
- 21 and/or Erin I would RUN for the fucking hills!!!
- 22 I love you, Doctor... Cannot thank you enough for
- 1 all you've done. Not only for me and my poor pack
- 2 of wolves and my sweet, fucking brave Mikey...
- 3 these are the things that remind us that life
- 4 should be a fucking gas. I'm waste deep in big
- 5 muddy here... Hit me when you're drunk... It'll
- 6 be far less boring. Love you long time,
- 7 brother... And of course, the beautiful and
- 8 luminous Chanelle... And by now 8'6" Sam! Mucho,
- 9 mucho... From those of us who are not as others.
- 10 X. JD."
- You recall do you recall this text from 11
- 12 Mr. Depp?
- 13 A No, I don't. But clearly I see that I 14 received that text.
- Q Do you -- okay. Do you recall in this
- 16 November -- when -- have you seen texts like this
- 17 from Mr. Depp to you?
- MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and 18
- 19 ambiguous.
- Q Let me ask you this way, when you would
- 21 receive texts from Mr. Depp, could you tell
- 22 whether he was intoxicated or not?

- MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for
- 2 speculation; lacks foundation; vague and
- 3 ambiguous.
- 4 MR. HARWELL: And expert testimony.
 - A No. The answer would be no.
- 6 Q Do you know what he means by, "Fucking
- 7 brave Mikey"?
- A He had a friend that had a serious health
- 9 issue, and this may have been the one that died.
- 10 But this was in reference to one of his friends.
- Q Do you recall if after Mr. Depp had one of 12 his friends die, if he had a relapse into drugs or
- 13 alcohol?
- 14 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague.
- Q Around this 2014 time frame? 15
- MR. HARWELL: And I'm going to object as
- 17 to calling for expert testimony. If you wish to
- 18 point him to a piece of paper and have him read it
- 19 to you, we're welcome to, otherwise you're asking
- 20 for expert testimony.
- Q Do you recall if Mr. Depp was taking drugs
- 22 or alcohol in this November 2014 time frame after
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- 1 he lost a friend?
 - 2 A No, I can't say. I can't remember.
 - 3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Okay. Alex, can
 - 4 you put up Kipper 13, please.
 - (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 13 marked for
 - identification and attached to the transcript.)
 - Q Do you recognize, Dr. Kipper, this email
 - 8 chain between you and Connell Cowan?
 - A I can't I don't remember it, but I'm
 - 10 refreshing myself with what you're showing me.
 - Q Okay. Who is Connell Cowan?
 - A He's a psychologist that I had referred 13 Amber to see.
 - Q Okay. And on January 27th, 2015, at 6:11
 - 15 p.m. you wrote to Mr. Cowan -- Dr. Cowan,
 - 16 "Connell, sorry for getting back to you late. I'm
 - 17 swamped. Amber and JD have been fighting nonstop

 - 18 since he confirmed his need for a prenup on their
 - 19 way to the airport going to Japan to promote his
 - 20 movie. She tried to push up the date of the
 - 21 wedding to avoid all this, but the reality is
 - 22 he'll need prenup. If she fails to sign, they

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1 won't get married. Both behaved like super triple

- 2 DD types, complete with thrown coffee, attempts to
- 3 storm the cockpit by him to turn the plane around,
- 4 attempts by her to leave the plane while they were
- 5 over the fucking ocean, etcetera."
- 6 Do you recall writing that to Dr. Cowan?

7 A No, I don't recall writing that, but 8 clearly I did.

- 9 Q Were you -- do you recall being in the 10 plane with Mr. Depp and Ms. Heard where he tried 11 to storm the cockpit?
- MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not 13 in evidence; calls for speculation.
- 14 Q You can answer.
- 15 A Never, no.
- 16 Q Okay. But you were somehow informed that 17 Mr. Depp tried to storm the cockpit; correct?
- 18 A Yes.
- 19 Q And there was thrown coffee; correct?
- 20 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay;
- 21 calls for speculation; assumes facts not in 22 evidence.
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1 A Again, I don't recall who gave me this 2 information that I translated to Dr. Cowan.

- 3 Q And you were concerned about the
- 4 information enough to share it with Dr. Cowan;
- 5 correct?
- 6 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and 7 ambiguous.
- 8 A Yes, I was concerned because I was I
 9 was trying to arrange for therapy for these two.
- 10 Q Okay. And Ms. Heard was your patient as 11 well as Mr. Depp at this time; correct?
- 12 A At this time, yes.
- 13 Q Were you concerned about any sort of
- 14 violence towards Ms. Heard at this time?
- 15 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and
- 16 ambiguous as to violence; assumes facts not in 17 evidence.
- 18 MR. HARWELL: And I'm afraid you're
- 19 calling for an expert opinion.
- 20 MR. NADLEHAFT: The concern about violence
- 21 you're saying is an expert opinion?
- 22 MR. HARWELL: Were you concerned about

- 1 violence? Were you asking a guy on the street it
- 2 might not be, but it would be the opinion of
- 3 someone who would be uninformed. You're asking
- 4 their physician whether he was concerned about
- 5 violence, and that in California requires expert
- 6 testimony.
- Q Is there any -- Dr. Kipper, are there any
- 8 ethical rules to report -- report the violence if
- 9 you were to be told of violence?

10 A If I were to see the violence I would be 11 obligated to — I would be obligated to make some 12 reporting. I never saw any violence.

- 13 Q And you didn't report either Mr. Depp or
- 14 Ms. Heard; correct? Because you didn't see --
- 15 your testimony is you didn't see any violence
- 16 between -- from Mr. Depp to Ms. Heard or Ms. Heard
- 17 to Mr. Depp; correct?

18 A We never saw violence between the two of 19 them.

- 20 Q Okay. You heard reports but never saw --
- 21 you never saw it is your testimony?
- 22 A Correct.
 - Q Okay. And there isn't -- is there -- and
 - 2 getting -- there's no ethical obligation to report
 - 3 violence if you were told about purported
 - 4 violence?
 - 5 MR. HARWELL: If you know the answer to
 - 6 that question, Doctor.
 - 7 A I don't I know that if I know that a
 - 8 patient of mine has committed a murder or has
 - 9 committed a criminal act, murder, specifically,
 - 10 then I am required to report that.
 - 11 Q But if it's not a murder, if someone is --
 - 12 if a client is reporting being beaten by their
 - 13 husband, you don't have to report that under the
 - 14 ethical code?

15 A If it's reported to me, no. If I observe 16 this and know this to be a fact, then yes.

- 17 Q And that's based on your -- and that's
- 18 based on -- and you have that -- you gave the
- 19 statement based on what you recall of the ethical
- 20 code for doctors in California; is that correct?
- 21 A Yes, that's correct.
- 22 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Can you put up

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1 Kipper 14, please.

2 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 14 marked for

3 identification and attached to the transcript.)

4 Q All right. Dr. Kipper, do you recognize

5 Kipper 14, which it looks like is an email between

6 you and Alan Blaustein?

7 A Yes, I recognize this.

8 Q Okay. And who is Alan Blaustein?

9 A Alan Blaustein is the psychiatrist that I 10 referred Mr. Depp to.

11 Q Okay. And if you look on Kipper 16, on

12 March 1st, 2015, you wrote in the second paragraph

13 to Dr. Blaustein, "J is in some trouble, and I've

14 been in touch with the camp in Australia and his

15 sister at home. Debbie is worried and somewhat

16 exhausted and he's doing what he wants since his

17 friend, Marilyn Manson, is there visiting."

18 Do you recall writing this to

19 Dr. Blaustein?

20 A Yes.

21 Q Do you recall what you understood Mr. Depp

22 was doing with Marilyn Manson?

MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for

2 speculation.

3 A I don't recall specifically, except I know

4 that he was not compliant with his professional

5 obligations and he was essentially just

6 noncompliant with his treatment at that point.

Q So Mr. Depp as of March 1st, 2015, was not compliant with your treatment of him; is that

9 correct?

10 A Correct.

11 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and

12 ambiguous.

13 Q And Mr. Depp was also not being compliant

14 as you understood with his professional

15 obligations?

16 A That was my -

17 MS. MEYERS: Vague and ambiguous.

18 A That was my understanding based on the 19 note from Ms. Lloyd.

20 Q And what did you understand were

21 Mr. Depp's professional obligations that he was

22 not compliant with?

1 A I was under the impression that he was

2 working on a film.

3 Q And was Mr. Depp not -- not going to

4 shooting of the film at the time?

5 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes evidence

6 -- facts not in evidence.

A I don't remember specifics.

Q But he was not compliant with the shooting

9 of the film at the time is what you understood?

10 A That's what I understood.

11 Q Okay. And when you wrote this email as of

12 March 1st, 2015, was it your understanding that

13 Mr. Depp was in Australia at the time?

14 A Yes.

15 Q And Marilyn Manson had been at some point

16 with Mr. Depp in Australia?

17 A According to my - what I was told, yes.

18 Q And you'd also said that Mr. Depp had not

19 been compliant with the program he was working

20 with you. How was Mr. Depp not being compliant?

21 A My understanding at the time is that he

22 was not checking in as he should have been.

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Q Do you know if Mr. Depp was drinking

2 alcohol or taking any drugs that he should not3 have been taking as part of his plan with you?

4 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and

5 ambiguous; assumes facts not in evidence; lack of

6 foundation.

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7 A I can't recall. I can't recall those

8 specifics.

Q Okay. At some point you flew to

10 Australia, is that correct, in this March 2015

11 time frame?

12 A Yes.

13 Q Was that the -- were you always planning

14 to fly to Australia to visit with Mr. Depp in

15 March of 2015?

16 A No. I hadn't planned on it.

17 Q What made you fly to Australia?

18 A. He had wanted to see me. He had just

19 wanted to check in. He wanted – he wanted my

20 company at that point.

21 Q He being Johnny Depp?

22 A Yes.

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115 Q Do you know when you arrived in Australia? 1 finger. According to patient, his assistant and A No, I don't. I can't recall. 2 security were on their way to pick him up," do you Q Okay. Going to Kipper 5, and we're going 3 see that? A Yes. 4 to be turning to Kipper 157. So this is going to take me a minute to scroll here. 5 O And whose note is this? A That would be from Ms. Lloyd. So were you also communicating with 6 O Okay. And is this note accurate? Mr. Depp's sister throughout Mr. Depp's treatment? 8 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for 9 ambiguous as to time. 9 speculation. O You can answer. 10 A Rarely. But yes, but rarely. 10 O Were you communicating with Mr. Depp's 11 A Yes, it's accurate. 11 12 sister in the March 2015 time frame? Q Okay. Now, going back to Kipper 9 - give 13 A I can't recall a specific communication 13 me a moment -- at Kipper 7 -- at Depp 7790 it 14 shows a text from Mr. Depp to you on 14 with her. 15 March 7th, 2015, at 5:00 p.m. and it says, "Hi. 15 Q Do you know where Mr. Depp's sister was --16 Fuck, man. Had another one. I cannot live like 16 well, strike that. 17 this. She's as full of shit as a Christmas goose. Was Mr. Depp's sister in Australia in 17 18 I'm done. NO MORE!!! The constant insults, the 18 March of 2015? 19 A I don't know. 19 demeaning, belittling, most heartbreaking smew 20 that is only released from a malicious, evil, and Q Okay. Ms. Lloyd had gone with Mr. Depp to 21 vindictive cunt!!!!! But you know what?? Far 21 Australia? 22 more hurtful than her venomous and degrading 22 A Yes. 116 114 1 endless 'educational' ranting...??? Is her Q She wasn't staying with Mr. Depp; correct? 2 hideously and purposefully hurtful tirades and her A No - no, she was not. 3 goddamn shocking treatment of the man she was Q Do you know how far away Ms. Lloyd was 4 meant to love above all... Here's the real deal 4 from Mr. Depp in terms of time to get from where 5 mate... Her obsession with herself?? Is far more 5 she was staying to Mr. Depp's house? 6 important... She is So fucking ambitious!!! A I would - I would guesstimate somewhere 7 She's so desperate for success and fame... That's 7 between 20 minutes to 30 minutes. 8 probably why I was acquired, mate...!! Although O And when you went to Australia, how far 9 she has Hammered me with what a sad old man 9 away were you from Mr. Depp in terms of time? 10 has-been I am... Cowan has done me the most cruel 10 A Exactly the same. 11 of favors... I'm so very sad... I cut the top of 11 Q Were you and Ms. Lloyd in the same hotel? A Yes. Actually, that isn't true. I was in 12 my middle finger off... What should I do!?? 13 Except of course go to a hospital... I'm so 13 a hotel around the corner from where the nurses 14 embarrassed for jumping into anything with her. 14 were staying. Q Okay. But it would still take you about 15 Fuck the world!!! JD." Do you recall this text from Mr. Depp? 16 25 to 30 minutes to get to Mr. Depp's house; 16 A I don't recall the text, but I do recall 17 correct? 18 him reaching out after this incident. 18 A Yes. 19 O Is this text a typical type of text you 19 Q Okay. And in Kipper 5 at Kipper 157 you 20 would receive? 20 see this note for 3/7/15 at 11:30, it says, "M.D. MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and 21 received a text message from client that he had

22 ambiguous as to typical.

22 been arguing with wife and that he had cut his

117 O You can answer. 1 that he was very clear in speaking to me. A In retrospect and in reading this, no, I O Okay. What did he -- other than his 3 think it reflected the fact that he was injured. 3 finger, what did he look like? Q Right. And Mr. Depp told you in the text, A He looked like someone who just had part 5 "I cut the top of my middle finger off"; correct? 5 of his finger taken off. Q Anything -- did he -- what did the rest of A That's what it says. Q Okay. And then -- and then you responded, 7 his hands and arms look like? 8 "Call me." Do you see that? That's the next A Nothing unusual. 9 text. 10 A Yes. Yes. 10 Q Okay. And did Mr. Depp call you? A I can't recall if he called me, but I know 12 about the house? 13 that I went to the residence. 14 Q Okay. And did you go with Ms. Lloyd? 15 A Yes. 16 Q Okay. And back to Kipper 5 at 13:00, it 16 in that house. 17 says on March 7th, 2015, "Patient was having a 17 18 hard time leaving the house, so security suggested 18 you look at in the house? 19 the M.D. and R.N. go to house to see patient. 20 Upon arrival at the house, patient was sitting in 21 car ready to leave. M.D. assessed patient's 22 finger and will spend more time with patient at 118 1 the location he's being moved to." So did you see 2 Mr. Depp in the house? 2 on the wall? A I saw Mr. Depp outside the house in the 4 car. Q Okay. So this note is accurate; correct? 6 messages? 6 A Yes. Q Was Mr. Depp intoxicated when you saw him? 8 8 A I don't -9 walls? MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for expert 10 opinion. Q Was Mr. Depp coherent? 11 11 12 A Yes, quite.

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21 saving?

A Yes.

Q He was quite coherent?

Q What do you recall him saying to you?

O Okay. And -- but you said he was quite

A I don't recall what he said. I remember

19 coherent, so it sounds like you have memories of

20 what he was saying. What do you recall him

A I don't recall the conversation

Q What did the house look like? A The house was a mess. O Can you -- anything else you can describe A There were things on the floor, there were 14 things that had been thrown around, it looked 15 like, there were just – things were out of order Q What rooms did you see? What rooms did 19 A I was in the kitchen and I believe I went 20 downstairs. I don't really remember. It was more 21 of the same, that things looked out of place. O Were -- did it look like there was 120 1 painting on the wall, someone had written things A No. I do — it did look to me like there 4 was blood on the wall. Not an actual painting. Q Or someone using their blood to write MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague; leading. Q Did you see any messages at all on the 10 A No. not that I remember. Q How long were you in the house for? 12 A Ten minutes, 15 minutes. 13 Q What were you doing in the house? A I wanted to see what happened. I was 15 trying to figure out what happened. Q Did you talk to Ms. Heard? 16 17 specifically, but part of his finger was missing. 17 A I did. Q And what did Ms. Heard say? 18 A Again, I can't recall specifics other than 20 they had a fight. And specifics beyond that, I 21 don't - I don't remember. Q Before seeing Mr. Depp that day, when was

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1 the -- when had you seen Mr. Depp previously?

- A I don't remember.
 - Q Do you know if it was the day before?
- A I can't remember.

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- Q Do you remember if this was the first time
- 6 you saw Mr. Depp since your arrival in Australia?
- MS. MEYERS: Objection; asked and 8 answered.
- A Again, I can't remember.
- 10 Q So you don't recall if this was the first
- 11 time you saw Mr. Depp in Australia or if you had
- 12 seen him previously; correct?
- 13 MS. MEYERS: Objection; asked and 14 answered.
- 15 Q You can answer.
- 16 A Correct. I don't recall.
- 17 MR. NADLEHAFT: Alex, can you put up 18 Kipper 31.
- 19 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 31 marked for 20 identification and attached to the transcript.)
- MR. HARWELL: Unless I'm having a moment,
- 22 I don't see a document.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Yeah, nothing's up right 2 now.
- Q Okay. And this is a -- and, Dr. Kipper, 4 this is a recording that is Bates-stamped
- 5 INT00737877. I'll represent to you it's an audio
- 6 from March 7th, 2015, in Australia. And it's
- 7 really long, like five hours long, but I can see
- 8 if I can do this.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Alex, do I have control? 10 Let's see if this works.
- 11 Q And I'm going to play something and my
- 12 question is -- I'm going to play about 30 seconds
- 13 to a minute, and my question is just going to be
- 14 to you, there's going to be a voice that says
- 15 "Amber is going to take care of herself, we're
- 16 going to take care of Pam." And my question is, 17 is this your voice, okay?
- 18 A Okay.
- MR. CHEW: Hello? Are we on break? 19 20 Hello?
- 21 MR. NADLEHAFT: I'm going to stop it 22 because I don't know what's happening here. I

- 1 think that might have been -- that's fine. We'll
- go back. That's fine.
- MR. HARWELL: You know, California is a
- 4 two-party state for recordings?
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Right. This was in 5
- Australia. The thing was in Australia.
- MR. HARWELL: You're in California right
- 8 now, so...
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. I'll represent to
- 10 you that it was Mr. Depp that started the
- 11 recording, that put the recording on.
- MR. HARWELL: I don't care. California is 13 a two-party state.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. I mean, I didn't 14
- 15 even ask him anything. I asked him a question and
- 16 the recording didn't come on.
- MR. HARWELL: We're disturbed that there 17
- 18 is a recording that is potentially being used for
- 19 some purpose in violation of California law.
- MR. NADLEHAFT: I don't believe there is,
- 21 but in any event -- is the recording off? Thanks.
- 22 Alex, can you turn off the recording? You can
- 122
 - 1 just close it.
 - PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: This is Alex
 - 3 speaking. It should be off, sir.
 - MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Thank you. Can you 4
 - 5 put up Kipper 15.
 - (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 15 marked for 6
 - 7 identification and attached to the transcript.)
 - MR. HARWELL: Not my dog. 8
 - MR. NADLEHAFT: And not mine.
 - MR. HARWELL: Mine weighs 200 pounds and 10
 - 11 when he barks we all know it.
 - Q Dr. Kipper, I'm showing you what's been
 - 13 marked as Kipper 15. And my question is do you
 - 14 recognize this email?
 - 15 A Yes, I do.
 - O Okay. And it's an and you told
 - 17 Ms. Lisa Beane to please print for the chart, do
 - 18 you see that at the top?
 - A Yes.
 - Q Okay. So that it's being printed for
 - 21 Mr. Depp's chart; is that correct?
 - A Correct.

Conducted on February 22, 2021 125 127 Q And Raja Sawhney emailed you, do you see 1 speculation. 2 that? MR. HARWELL: And calls for an expert 3 A Yes. opinion. Q Okay. And he writes, "Thank you for your 4 MR. NADLEHAFT: I don't believe it calls 5 time, David. Attached is a copy of my notes for for an expert opinion. 6 you to use as necessary, re Robert Wells." And 6 MR. HARWELL: You're asking him if there's 7 Robert Wells is Mr. Depp; correct? 7 any reason for that doctor to have determined he A Correct. 8 was coherent, and he did not determine he was O And this was from March 8th, 2015; 9 coherent. All you're going to get from him is 10 correct? 10 whether or not -- you asked him if it was 11 A Yes. 11 accurate; he said he doesn't think it's accurate. O Okay. And Dr. Sawhney writes to you, O Was it accurate that his hand -- that his 13 "51M, right ring finger injury and distal 13 heavily contaminated hand and fingers with dirt, 14 detipping. Right-hand dominant. Unclear history 14 grime, and paint? 15 of traumatic event and no witnesses. Patient A That's accurate. 16 under the influence and not coherent. Not sure of O Okay. Is there anything other than the 17 mechanism. Accompanied by his physician, 17 coherent here that you find that's inaccurate? 18 Dr. Kipper, who has given him Toradol and A No, the rest of that seems accurate. 19 Augmentin, 870 milligrams orally." is there Q Okay. And when you saw Ms. Heard at the 20 anything inaccurate in that email? 20 house in this March 7th, 2015, time frame, did she 21 seem like she was on -- was she coherent? 21 A If this refers to him in the emergency 22 room in Australia, I did not see him as incoherent A She was coherent. 126 128 1 nor did I see him as under the influence. He was 1 Q And did she seem like she was on any drugs 2 perfectly coherent. or alcohol? Q Okay. There was no reason for Dr. Sawhney MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for an 3 4 to lie in this email; correct? expert opinion. MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Can you put up 6 speculation. Exhibit 16. (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 16 marked for A I can't respond to what he saw or what his identification and attached to the transcript.) 8 interpretation was. I only know my own. Q Okay. And on the second page, he writes, O Dr. Kipper, do you recall seeing Kipper 16 10 from the Gold Coast University Hospital? 10 "On examination, conversant and pleasant when 11 awake, but not coherent. Heavily contaminated A Please allow me a minute to review this. 11 12 hand and fingers with dirt, grime, and paint." Do 12 O Sure. 13 you see that? 13 A And your question was do I recall that 14 A Yes. 14 note? 15 Q Is that consistent with your memory? 15 O Yeah. Do you recall seeing this document? 16 A My memory was that he was coherent A Yes, I do. 16 Q Okay. And it's from Dr. Steve -- Steve 17 throughout the time that I was with him. And I 17 18 Dr. Grant, I'm not sure. And it says, "Thanks for 18 was with him throughout that admission and 19 seeing and treating this patient. He sustained an 19 treatment in the emergency room. Q So your -- again, is there any reason for 20 injury to his right middle finger tonight after 21 accidentally cutting it with a kitchen knife." Do 21 the doctor to say that he wasn't coherent?

22 you see that?

MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for

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Q Okay. And when do you recall seeing this 3 note? At the time on March 8th, 2015, or around 4 then?

A It was around then. This was the 6 emergency room doctor that saw him, and then he 7 gave him sort of temporary care. And then he was 8 referred to - Mr. Depp was referred to the other

9 doctor that we spoke of before this who was the 10 surgeon, who was the hand surgeon, I believe.

Q Okay. And do you -- did you talk to this 12 doctor who wrote this note?

13 A Yes, I was present when Mr. Depp was being 14 examined and treated.

Q Okay. And someone told this doctor that 16 Mr. Depp had accidentally cut off - cut his 17 finger with a kitchen knife?

18 MS. MEYERS: Objection; hearsay.

19 Q You can answer.

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20 A Evidently. That's in his note.

O Okay. Now, going back to the text

22 messages, which is Kipper Exhibit 9, on March 14th

1 at 20 -- 2015, you wrote to Mr. Depp, "Johnny, I

2 have grown to love you like family. I accept that 3 we can agree to disagree with what is best now for

4 your health, but I cannot treat you optimally if

5 we aren't on the same page. I know you're hurting

6 and want to help you through this very rough

7 moment. I'll come to your Sweetzer home tomorrow

8 at 4:00 p.m. to discuss how we proceed in our

9 relationship. I cannot watch you suffer but also

10 cannot condone what we're in a disagreement over.

11 I hope we can reach an understanding on a

12 direction I believe is safe and constructive for

13 you. I respect you enough not to do what I

14 consider is not your best interest. Medications, 15 I advise, the restoration of your sleep cycle and

16 the help you deserve to get the tools to defeat

17 your demons must now be the course you take to

18 save your very amazing and special life. I'll

19 always be there for you if you make these choices.

20 I'll see you at 4:00 tomorrow to discuss. I love

21 you, Johnny."

Do you recall sending this text to

1 Mr. Depp?

2 A No, but I - my memory is refreshed upon

3 reading this.

Q And at this point you were -- as of

5 March 14th, 2015, you were telling Mr. Depp that

6 you weren't going to be able to treat Mr. Depp

anymore; is that correct?

MS. MEYERS: Objection; misstates the

9 evidence.

10 O You can answer.

A The purpose of this note was to make sure

12 that he was strictly compliant with everything

13 because he needed to have his finger

14 reconstructed, and I wanted to be sure that he was

15 following our guidelines for the drug treatment.

Q Okay. And before -- as of

17 March 1st, 2015, you were concerned that Mr. Depp

18 was not following your guidelines; correct?

19 MS. MEYERS: Objection; misstates

20 testimony.

21 MR. HARWELL: And it calls for an expert

22 opinion.

1 Q Mr. Depp was not following your protocol

as of March 1st, 2015; correct?

3 MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and

4 ambiguous.

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5 O You can answer.

6 A Yes, I had concerns.

Q Okay. And as of March 14th, 2015,

8 Mr. Depp was not following the protocols that you

9 had given to him for his treatment; correct?

MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and 10

11 ambiguous; assumes facts not in evidence.

12 MR. HARWELL: Calls for an expert opinion.

13 Q Mr. Depp was not following your protocols 14 that you were giving him as of March 14th, 2015;

15 correct?

16 A Correct.

17 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. And, Alex, could

18 you put up Kipper 17.

(KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 17 marked for

20 identification and attached to the transcript.)

21 O Dr. Kipper, do you recognize Kipper 17?

22 A Yes.

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1 Q What is it?	1 A I do upon seeing it here, yes.	
2 A Allow me to please reread this.	2 Q Okay. And Kipper 18 shows that on	
3 So my concern at this point was –	3 March 15th, 2015, you forwarded the letter we just	
4 MR. HARWELL: Doctor, wait for the	4 saw, which was Kipper 17, to Dr. Cowan and said,	
5 question.	5 "I sent this letter out to him today after another	
6 Q Doctor, I asked you what is Kipper 17?	6 night of broken promises to remain sober and	
7 MR. HARWELL: Doctor, I don't want you to	7 compliant," do you see that?	
8 offer any expert opinions.	8 A Yes.	
9 A This is a note that I wrote to him	9 Q So had had was Mr. Depp not sober	
10 indicating that I would no longer be able to care	10 and compliant as of March 14th?	
11 for him if he was not strictly compliant.	11 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not	
12 Q And now this is not only saying you won't	12 in evidence; misstates the document.	
13 care for him if he's not strictly compliant. The	13 A The answer is – the answer is yes, he was	
14 second paragraph says, "It's with a very sad heart	14 not compliant. And the problem at hand, no pun	
15 that I must withdraw my care." So you were	15 intended, was he was about to have surgery. And	
16 withdrawing your care for Mr. Depp at least as of		
17 March 15th, 2015; correct?	16 for him to have surgery on a finger, he needed to 17 be strictly compliant with what his medications	
18 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not	18 were, what his behavior was, and I did not think	
19 in evidence.	19 he was stable for surgery, and I could not clear	
20 Q You can answer.	20 him for surgery and that was what provoked the	
21 A I was withdrawing my care if he did not	21 letter.	
22 comply.	22 Q Right. And Mr. Depp was had been	
134 1 Q So when you write, "It's with a very sad	1 breaking promises to remain sober; correct?	
2 heart that I must withdraw my care," that you	2 A Correct.	
3 were saying what?	3 Q And Dr. Cowan told you that he'd asked	
4 A I was –	4 Amber to stay low "Lay low, stay away, and	
5 MR. HARWELL: Other than what he just	5 observe. Only J can decide if he's worth saving."	
6 answered?	6 Do you recall Dr. Cowan writing that to you?	
7 Q You can answer, Dr. Kipper.	7 A I can see this in the note, yes. I don't	
8 A I – that's my answer, is that without	8 recall him having the conversation. But in	
9 compliance I could no longer take care of him.	9 rereading this note, that's clearly from him.	
10 Q Okay. And at that and as of	10 Q Okay. And Dr. Cowan also wrote, "You went	
11 March 15th, 2015, Mr. Depp was not complying;	11 a hundred miles beyond what anyone else would've	
12 correct?	12 done. Why don't you take a couple pounds of your	
13 MS. MEYERS: Objection; misstates	13 Jewish guilt and bury it in some Utah snow." Do	
14 testimony; assumes facts not in evidence.	14 you see that?	
	15 A Yes.	
16 A Correct.	16 Q Do you recall Dr. Cowan writing that to	
17 MR. NADLEHAFT: Can you put up, Alex,	17 you?	
18 Kipper 18.	18 A When I look at this note, I can recall	

19 that.

21 care of Mr. Depp?

Q Okay. And then did you ever stop your

22 A There was a week, I believe, and I'm fuzzy

(KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 18 marked for

Q Dr. Kipper, Kipper 18, do you recognize

20 identification and attached to the transcript.)

22 this email between you and Connell Cowan?

- 1 on the time frame, but there was a short period of
- 2 time after sending that note before he connected
- 3 back with me asking me to take care of him and
- 4 promising me compliance.
- O Okay. And after your experiences with him
- 6 up to that point, were you -- did you believe that
- 7 Mr. Depp was going to be compliant with the
- 8 program?
- MS. MEYERS: Objection; vague and 10 ambiguous.
- 11 MR. HARWELL: Calls for an expert opinion.
- Q Was Mr. Depp compliant with the program
- 13 going forward after March 15th, 2015?
- 14 A He was complaint around his surgery and 15 postoperative period.
- O And then he became uncompliant again?
- 17 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not 18 in evidence.
- 19 A I would have to refer to my notes, but I
- 20 don't remember him being I don't remember him
- 21 being out of control. I remember him being, you
- 22 know, compliant with what we needed him to do.
- 1 There were times when Mr. Depp sort of went
- 2 underground. Some of that time was when he was
- 3 out of the country and was hard to connect to.
- 4 But I do not recall him going off the reservation
- 5 as far as his drug and alcohol issues.
- Q Do you recall him testing positive for
- 7 cocaine after March of 2015?
- A I believe that I believe so. I can't 9 tell you specifically when.
- 10 Q Okay. Going back to Kipper 9. There's a
- 11 text message from Mr. Depp to you on
- 12 March 19th, 2015. And he says, "My most sincere
- 13 apologies to you, Doctor. I understand your
- 14 decision based on my immunity to do the right
- 15 thing, and I truly thank you for your concern. I
- 16 must apologize for not having had the presence of
- 17 mind to respect the man who has been the most kind
- 18 and who has done more for me than anyone ever.
- 19 There was no call for my spineless and base
- 20 behavior toward you. I honestly understand the
- 21 reasons for your concerns in your letter and can
- 22 say to you now they're no longer an issue. Thank

- 1 you for everything. I've chopped off my left
- finger as a reminder that I should never cut off
- my finger again. I love you, brother. Johnny."
- Do you recall this text from Mr. Depp?
- 5 A Yes.
- O And is this the text, do you recall, where
- 7 Mr. Depp was saying that he would be compliant
- 8 going forward?
- A Yes.
- O Okay. You're basing it off this text? 10
- 11 Was there any other conversations with Mr. Depp?
- A We did I know he had we had a
- 13 conversation at some point around that time that 14 validated this message.
- Q Can you put up Kipper 19?
- 16 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 19 marked for
- 17 identification and attached to the transcript.)
- Q And now, Dr. Kipper, Kipper 19 is an email
- 19 chain between you and Ms. Lloyd, and we'll first
- 20 start with the bottom part where on
- 21 March 15th, 2015, you write, "Letter sent today.
- 22 Love you, Deb. I hope he starts making good

- 1 decisions. I'm so sad about this." And then it
- shows Johnny Depp termination letter. So you sent
- 3 the termination of care letter to Ms. Lloyd,
- 4 correct, on March 15th, 2015?
- A Correct.
- Q Okay. And then on April 9th, 2015,
- 7 Ms. Lloyd wrote to you, "I couldn't sleep last
- 8 night. I have major concerns about leaving for
- 9 Australia with JD. I'm not saying I won't go, but
- 10 every part of my body is telling me it's a poor
- 11 decision."
- 12 Do you recall this email from Ms. Lloyd?
- 13 A No. I recognize this as what that is.
- 14 But I don't recall that specifically.
- Q Okay. Do you recall any conversations
- 16 with Ms. Lloyd about any concerns she had about
- 17 going to Australia with Johnny Depp?
- 18 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.
- 19 Q You can answer.
- A Yes. She was concerned from my
- 21 perspective. He had had I guess he had had his
- 22 surgery by then and was going back to work. And I

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- 1 take again, I'm fuzzy on this, but I think her
- 2 concerns were about his following up with his
- 3 treatments with respect to the relationship issues
- 4 that he had with Amber and the fact that that was
- 5 potentially volatile. That's that's my
- 6 recollection.
- 7 Q And do you recall anything that Ms. Lloyd
- 8 said about her concerns about -- Ms. Lloyd's
- 9 concerns about going to Australia?
- 10 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.
- 11 A I believe those were her concerns that I 12 just articulated.
- 13 O Did she have any concerns about herself?
- 14 A No, I don't believe so.
- 15 Q All right. Going back to Kipper 5, which
- 16 are again the notes. And we're going to go to
- 17 Kipper 167. And at -- for 4/13 at 1500, the note
- 18 at the bottom says, "Patient is in good spirits
- 19 and said he's not smoked marijuana in three days.
- 20 States he feels the majority of his issues with
- 21 his wife have been from him using drugs and
- 22 alcohol. Patient states he'll no longer seek/use
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- 1 and wants to enjoy clarity."
- 2 Do you see that note?
- 3 A I see that note.
- 4 O Who is that note from? You or Ms. Lloyd?
- 5 A That's from Ms. Lloyd.
- 6 Q Okay. Did Ms. Lloyd report this to you?
- 7 A In this note.
- 8 Q Okay. And there's no reason to question
- 9 the accuracy of the note; correct?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q Now, at Depp 168, 12:15, it says on
- 12 April 15th, 12:15, "Arrived at patient's home.
- 13 Assistant was in hallway. Informed R.N. that
- 14 patient was in a bad mood and told assistant he
- 15 did not need anything from him today. R.N. was
- 16 let in home by security and knocked on patient's
- 17 bedroom door to let him know that she was there.
- 18 Patient screamed, 'What?' R.N. informed patient
- 19 she was just letting him know she was there and
- 20 would be downstairs. R.N." -- a little more down
- 21 -- "R.N. left property and informed M.D. of the
- 22 events."

- 1 Do you recall Ms. Lloyd telling you about
 - these events of April 15th, 2015?
 - 3 A My memory is refreshed by looking at this
 - 4 note, yes.
 - Q And Mr. Depp had yelled at Ms. Lloyd; is
 - 6 that right?
 - MS. MEYERS: Objection calls; for hearsay.
 - 8 A I'm not sure he yelled at Ms. Lloyd, I
 - 9 think he just yelled, wants to be heard. I can't 10 say, I wasn't there.
 - 11 Q Do you recall Mr. Depp texting you about 12 the event?
 - 13 A No, but I'm hoping you'll remind me.
 - 14 Q You got me.
 - 15 MR. HARWELL: It certainly is a colorful 16 texture, isn't it?
 - 17 O You can say that. There's a text from
 - 18 Mr. Depp to you on April 15th, 2015. And he says,
 - 19 "My dear brother David, if there's a god, then I'm
 - 20 positive it's you. Thank you, darling man. I'm

1 it was Steven, who is no small cauldron of hot

- 21 fine. I didn't know it was Debbie until I'd
- 22 already thrown my voice toward the door. Thought

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- 2 water!! I'll call Debbie to apologize... My
- 3 boundless love and infinite thanks."
- 4 So you recall that he texted you and
- 5 called Ms. Lloyd to apologize?
- 6 MS. MEYERS: Objection to form; compound.
- A No. I don't recall that specifically. I'm
- 8 reminded by this note, but I don't recall that
- 9 specifically.
- 10 Q Okay. Let me show you a couple of more
- 11 texts. You never went to your phone provider and
- 12 went into the cloud to see if you could restore
- 13 the text messages that you had from your old
- 14 phone?
- 15 A No. I was actually happy that I could get 16 a new phone. So it didn't upset me that much.
- 17 Q Now, Mr. Depp sent you a text on
- 18 June 28th, 2015, that says, "Thank you my darling
- 19 Kipper. All those technical abbreviations left me
- 20 flummoxed and in the dark!!! Soon soon I must see
- 21 you and just hang out!!! My deformed finger and I
- 22 have no friends. By the way ... Amber and I have

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- 1 been absolutely perfect for three fucking months
- 2 solid!!!! I've locked my monster child away in a
- 3 cage within and it has fucking worked!!!! We're
- 4 goddamn best friends now!!! Amazing!!! Big love
- 5 to you my brother... JD" Do you see that?
- 6 A Yes.
- 7 Q Did Mr. Depp -- do you recall this text
- 8 from Mr. Depp?
- 9 A No.
- 10 Q Okay. Did Mr. Depp ever use the term
- 11 monster with you, whether it be verbally or in
- 12 messages like this?
- 13 MS. MEYERS: Objection; assumes facts not 14 in evidence.
- 15 Q You can answer.
- 16 A I can't recall.
- 17 Q He used it here though; correct?
- 18 A It appears so, yes.
- 19 Q Then on July 1st, 2015, you wrote to
- 20 Mr. Depp, "Sorry you're struggling again.
- 21 Consider two things, limit the Xanax so we don't
- 22 run out, and it might actually make you feel

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- 1 worse, and consider very low dose Seroquel while
- 2 you're comfortable and you'll regain your control
- 3 by not responding to the phone calls that upset
- 4 you. This has been the way to break the cycle, as
- 5 uncomfortable as it will feel, and you both will
- 6 benefit from this and it will precipitate you
- 7 getting back to good terms, emotional comfort, and
- 8 bury the dragon. I love you and know this will
- 9 put out the fire. Trust me on this. I want to
- 10 know you're at peace where you belong. Love you,
- 11 buddy. Call whenever you want. Kipper."
- Do you recall sending this text message to 13 Mr. Depp?
- 14 A No. But again, my my memory is
- 15 refreshed by reading this.
- 16 Q And what do you recall you were what is 17 refreshed of your memory?
- 18 A That obviously there was concern that he
- 19 was taking more Xanax than he should have been,
- 20 and I needed him to tighten that up and go back to
- 21 what he was prescribed. And also there's a
- 22 reference here to the phone calls. I had asked

- 1 him not to respond and not to engage in these
- 2 phone calls because those were that always
- 3 precipitated problems between the two of them.
- 4 What when they were in this when they were
- 5 in a bad phase.
 - Q Phone calls between Mr. Depp and
- 7 Ms. Heard?
- A Correct.
- 9 Q And what do you mean by, "Bury the
- 10 dragon," which is in your text message?
- 11 A I'm looking for it.
- 12 Q It's right there.
- 13 A The dragon being those bad feelings that 14 he had inside of him.
- 5 Q Okay. And Mr. Depp responds on
- 16 July 1st, 2015, and says, "I am and have been at
- 17 peace for the last three to four months. It's
- 18 been amazing. But she's somehow locked into this
- 19 very unpleasant and belittling mode in the last
- 20 three days. The accusations, the verbal abuse,
- 21 and insults. Stooping to one -- the most unjust.
- 22 You haven't changed. You fucking desperate

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- 1 hypocrite. You didn't -- you didn't out the
- 2 monster away. You're full of shit. You're a
- 3 pathetic fraud. Man, you know how hard I have
- 4 worked to put that motherfucker in its cage, and I
- 5 did that, me. I took all those other problems and
- 6 rid myself of them. There's a whole lot more. I
- 7 won't bore you with it. The Xanax takes the edge
- 8 off just a little. You know me, it would take
- 9 more than a few to really affect me. Seroquel
- 10 scares me for the reasons I wore off of it. If
- 11 you're worried about the Xanax, prescribe me
- 12 something different but with more potency. I
- 13 don't take them all that often, just when the
- 14 brain is inundated with this horrible badgering
- 15 and half truths from my wife by the WSY." I don't
- 16 know if you meant by the way.
- 17 Do you recall this text?
- 18 A Again, I do in looking at it, yes.
- 9 Q Okay. And Mr. Depp again used the term
- 20 monster; correct?
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 Q And Mr. Depp goes on in this text, he

Conducted on February 22, 2021 149 151 1 says, by the way, he sends another -- sorry, 1 Mr. Depp? 2 here's my -- "By the way, Cowan should be run out A Again, I do upon reading this. I don't 3 town in utter shame. He's a fucking sump who's 3 remember all the specific messages I got from him, 4 done absolutely nothing but giving her the 4 but I certainly remember the gestalt of his 5 verbosity that she uses" -- "that she uses ever, 5 feelings. 6 whatever she feels like she must explain to me the Q Okay. And do you continue to work with 7 psychology of life!!! Ludicrous!!!! Yes, sir. 7 Dr. Cowan? Do you continue to refer patients to 8 Cowan should be shot in places no one wants to be 8 Dr. Cowan, let me ask it differently? 9 shot in!!! He's a goddamn charlatan big time!!! A Yes. I have great respect for Dr. Cowan. 10 I'm not going to continue to pay the fucking yes Q And Mr. Depp sent you another text 11 man to do nothing but stare at her tits and agree 11 messages on July 24th, 2015, that says, "Hey dear 12 with everything she spews... Tell him to tell 12 pal, Amber is happy happy with Cowan... I just 13 he's leaving the business or something or I too 13 don't know what truth he gets and I don't know 14 will become a regular client whether I'm welcome 14 what his manners and strengths are... I think she 15 or not!!! Thanks, and so sorry. I lobs G you." 15 listens to him because when we argue she slathers 16 Do you recall -- do you recall Mr. Depp informing 16 me up in the most condescending psychiatric trophy 17 you that he was upset with Dr. Cowan? 17 lines like... Your fear is so visible... What 18 A Yes. 18 are you scared of...!!! Why are you letting your 19 MS. MEYERS: Objection; misstates the 19 fear and your ego control your life, etcetera... 20 evidence -- excuse me, assumes facts not in 20 Hippy shit... Makes me want to rampage against 21 evidence; misstates the document. 21 ANYONE wearing Birkenstocks!!! Love you large. A Yes, I remember clearly that he was upset 22 J." 152 1 with Dr. Cowan at a certain point. 1 I assume you recall this text message as Q And do you recall why he was upset with well? 3 Dr. Cowan? 3 A No, but I - I recall when I'm looking at A Not specifically. I can't really answer 4 it, ves. 5 that. Not specifically. Q Okay. Now, I want to go to another text Q Okay. You know, do you recall text 6 message. On August 3rd, 2015, Mr. Depp texts you, 7 message from Mr. Depp that I just read to you? 7 "You can flog me soon for waiting until now for A Yes. In reading it, I do. 8 having not to properly given my kind apparatus the Q Okay. And then Mr. Depp wrote to you 9 appropriate and adequate general cock love... 10 again on July 5th, 2015, and said, "You're a great 10 I've tried and mostly failed... Many, many 11 man and a great friend. As much as I would love 11 unpleasant things happening with my business world 12 to see you... It would be a waste of your time... 12 going on that are attempting to give me the funny 13 I've just got quite a lot going on with business 13 pain face that could render me no more and send me

22 looking at it.

14 head first straight into the bowl of minestrone or

15 worse, a green curry... So most necessary PRNs

17 whatever this magical ointment for that traitorous

16 are all headache meds, Xanax, Adderall, and

18 redness in the much valued and region of

19 significance... Thanks and love. X. JD."

Do you recall this text message?

A No. But I'm, once again, reminded by

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14 stuff, my Keith film, and some Amber issues... By

16 this... Cowan should be stripped of his license to

17 practice his supposed profession... And then he

Do you recall this text message from

15 the way, I'll try not to be too subtle about

18 should be stripped and spray painted whilst

19 handcuffed to a stop sign!!! He's at best a

20 fraudulent irresponsible turd of monumental

21 proportions!!! I love you, Johnny."

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1 Q Do you recall in this August 3rd, 2015, 2 time period Mr. Depp having any issues with his 3 business?

4 MR. HARWELL: Objection. I don't think we 5 have a physician-patient waiver that covers that 6 area.

7 MR. NADLEHAFT: Well, this wouldn't be -- 8 this is just -- how is a conversation about

9 Mr. Depp's business physician-patient?

MR. HARWELL: Any conversation that a 11 patient has to his physician with the intent of it

12 being confidential is -- comes within the

13 privilege. But you have been making a point about

14 his feelings throughout this process, and that's

15 what you're asking Dr. Kipper to opine on. And 16 that requires an expert opinion.

MR. NADLEHAFT: I'm not asking for his 18 feelings. I'm just asking if you recall him 19 sharing anything about his issues with his 20 business.

21 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay.

22 MR. HARWELL: And, I'm sorry, I'm still

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1 focused on the waiver we received at the beginning 2 of this session for patient-physician

3 communications was limited to the three areas that

4 were the subject of the waiver of the HIPAA

5 privacy. So we're not going to answer that 6 question.

7 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay.

Q On January 12th, 2016, you wrote to Mr. Depp, "Johnny, not sure how you are, but 10 concerned. We have tried all day to arrange to 11 get your medications to you, but no success. 12 Credit card rejected. Nathan not returning 13 Debbie's call. Also, your business manager has 14 not responded to our accountant, Re nursing, my

14 not responded to our accountant, Re nursing, my 15 fees, for over three months. Please let me know

16 what's up, and at the very least you are okay."Do you recall writing this text to

18 Mr. Depp?

19 A Yes.

20 Q Do you recall not being paid for three 21 months?

22 A I recall not being paid. I don't remember

1 how long and it always turned back around. But

2 specifically that issue, no, I can't give you

3 specifics.

Q Can you put up Kipper 21, please.

(KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 21 marked for

6 identification and attached to the transcript.)

Q Dr. Kipper, Kipper 21, do you recognize

8 what this is?

9 A Give me a moment. Thank you. Yes, now I 10 can remember that letter.

11 Q So this is a letter February 10th, 2016,

12 that you wrote to Mr. Depp; correct?

13 A Correct.

14 Q And in this letter you write that

15 Mr. Depp, lack of follow through with appointments 16 we've agreed upon and tried to schedule; correct?

17 A That's what it says, yes.

18 Q And you were also concerned about

19 Mr. Depp's lack of -- Mr. Depp's accountant's lack

20 of response to your, "Many attempts to secure

21 payments for our services," do you see that?

22 A Yes.

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Q So there was a period of time where

2 Mr. Depp was not paying you for your services;

3 correct?

4 A Correct.

5 Q Okay. You also write, with your mom - "I

6 know this has been a difficult period for you with

7 your mom's illness and your professional issues,

8 it appears you're under tremendous stress." What

9 are you referring to about professional issues?

10 A These would be private conversations that 11 I had with him, and I would again, vis-à-vis HIPAA

12 prefer not to go into the details of those 13 conversations.

14 Q This is about his stress, so this would be

15 related to his mental -- his mental issues. So 16 what conversation --

MR. HARWELL: We are not talking about 18 anything that is beyond the scope of the HIPAA

19 waiver. Although his mental health treatment is

20 within the waiver, that wasn't your question.

21 You're asking about his business issues, and we're

22 not talking about that.

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MR. NADLEHAFT: I'll note this -- that

objection. We disagree --

MR. HARWELL: Okay.

MR. NADLEHAFT: -- but we'll move on.

MR. HARWELL: As I told you, we're very

willing to talk about anything that we're allowed

to talk about under the terms of the waiver.

8 MR. NADLEHAFT: I got it. I'm not asking

9 -- I note your objection. Okay.

10 Q And then you said, "Add to this list any 11 personal problems that may be on your plate. And

12 I see the perfect storm for a threat to your

13 health." Do you see that?

14 A Yes.

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15 Q Okay. So as of February 10th, 2016, you 16 were very concerned about Mr. Depp's health;

17 correct?

18 MS. MEYERS: Objection; misstates the 19 document.

20 A In the document I'm also serving as his 21 internist managing some medical issues. That's

22 the nature of these concerns.

Q You weren't concerned at all about

2 Mr. Depp's continuing with his treatment plan for

3 drug and alcohol use?

A You can't separate those two issues.

5 They're not two distinct issues. But in order for

6 me to assess how he was doing in general with his

7 general health, these metrics that I identify in

8 the second paragraph were things that I needed to

9 have follow-up on. And I wasn't - I wasn't

10 getting that follow-up and I needed to know that

11 we were on the writing course medically.

Q Okay. Could you put up Kipper 22. 12

13 MS. MEYERS: Could we get a read on the 14 time on the tape, please.

15 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 22 marked for

16 identification and attached to the transcript.)

THE VIDEOGRAPHER: 3:11. And I could use

18 a break in the next 10 minutes, Counsel, if you 19 don't mind.

20 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Yep. Let's just

21 look at Kipper 22 real quick.

Q Kipper 22 is a text message chain between

1 you and Ms. Heard on February 11th, 2016, you

2 write, "Amber, can you help me get Johnny into the

3 office? Given our concerns, I must see him in

4 order to continue caring for him. I've reached

5 out to him and asked Nathan to set an appointment.

6 Otherwise, I assume he must not" -- "does not want

7 our participation in this case." Do you see that?

8 A Yes.

Q Okay. And do you see where Ms. Heard

10 writes, "Things have been bad with him. I found

11 lots of coke and have collected pill bottles for

12 you, which I need to drop off at your office as

13 well, as we talked about. I texted Erin yesterday

14 to see if she could let you know. I think we

15 might be ready for some change and have been

16 talking about it off and on, but more and more

17 lately." Do you see that?

A Yes.

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Q Do you recall Ms. Heard telling you that

20 she found lots of coke?

MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for hearsay. 21

22 A I recall this thread. As I see this

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1 thread, I recall that we had that exchange.

MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Alex, can you put 2

3 up Kipper 26.

(KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 26 marked for 4

identification and attached to the transcript.)

Q Kipper 26, do you recognize as an email

7 you wrote to Ms. Dembrowski on June 22nd, 2018?

8 A Yes, I do.

Q And you write, "I hope you and your family

10 are well and happy. I'm writing to get your pulse

11 on how your brother is doing. I was scheduled to

12 see him prior to is departure to Europe but his

13 depositions ran late and I was unable to see him.

14 I've been receiving several images of him that

15 look worrisome and I need to know how he's" -- "I

16 need to know he is doing well. I have reached out

17 to Nathan in order to connect with your brother.

18 I wanted to get your input in case there was a 19 problem."

Do you recall writing this text -- this

21 email to Ms. Dembrowski?

A Yes, I do.

Conducted on February 22, 2021 161 163 Q Do you recall being concerned about A I was concerned that that could be 2 Mr. Depp in June 2018? potentially an issue. A Yes. 3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Can you, Alex, put Q Mr. Depp had been divorced from Ms. Heard 4 up Kipper 28. 5 by this point; correct? (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 28 marked for A I'm not sure when their divorce was. identification and attached to the transcript.) 6 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Alex, can you put THE VIDEOGRAPHER: You got five more 8 up Kipper 27. 8 minutes. 9 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 27 marked for MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Until the tape run 10 identification and attached to the transcript.) 10 out; right? THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Yes. Q Kipper 27 is an email chain between you 11 12 and Steven Deuters, do you see that? Q Dr. Kipper, Kipper 28 are invoices that 13 you produced from February 2015 through -- from A Yes. 14 O And who is Steven Deuters? 14 February 20 -- February 6, 2015, to 15 A Steven is his main assistant. 15 February 1st, 2020. Do you recall producing these 16 Q Okay. And this was in the April 10, 16 documents? 17 April 11, 2019, time frame; correct? 17 A No. Q No? 18 A Yes. 18 A Those would've come from my accountant's 19 Q And you write, "I'm writing after 19 20 receiving some concerning news about our mutual 20 office. 21 friend and my patient. I'm concerned that my 21 O Okay. All right. 22 prescribing will only create problems with his MR. HARWELL: Mr. Nadlehaft, sorry, the 162 164 1 accountant's office provided them to me. I 1 health and be dangerous given this information. 2 redacted them and provided them to you. 2 I've asked that after his scan today he make an 3 appointment to see me in the office tomorrow or 3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Fair enough. 4 Q So I guess you don't know, they start on 4 Friday to review the situation and his general 5 health and scans. I'll also need to get a 5 February 6th, 2015, there would have been invoices 6 for 2014 too; correct? 6 laboratory panel to assess his wellness." Did you write that on April 11th, 2019? A I don't know. 8 A Yes. 8 Q Okay. Q And what were your concerns about A I honestly don't know. 10 Q And do you review the invoices? 10 Mr. Depp? MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for expert 11 A No. 12 testimony. Q Okay. Do you review -- do you review any 13 descriptions, like what's here, nurse supervision? 13 Q Okay. You were concerned about Mr. Depp 14 as of April 11th, 2019; correct? A Do I review those, no. I know that when 15 A Yes. 15 we set up these billings, there are nursing 16 services and there are medical – my professional 16 Q And you were concerned that -- were you

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A Yes.

17 concerned he was taking medications and drugs that

MS. MEYERS: Objection; leading.

20 Q What, if any, concerns did you have about

21 Mr. Depp taking drugs or alcohol that were not

18 were not part of the protocol?

22 part of the protocol?

17 services. So those nursing — those nursing fees

18 are submitted directly to - from our office, but

20 then sent to the accountants.

19 our - we receive them from the nurses, they are

Q Okay. Are you still working for Mr. Depp?

165 167 Q Okay. And so at the bottom here there's a 1 but --Q Dr. Kipper, you've already testified that 2 lot that just say case management fee. Do you 3 know what that refers to as opposed to nursing 3 these are invoices to Mr. Depp; correct? 4 services and doctor services? A I've testified that these are invoices. A That's - that's a retainer fee that I This is something generated from my accountant, 6 have with him on a monthly basis. MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Why don't we let Q And over your time with Mr. Depp, how much 8 the tape change, and then I just have a couple 8 have you charged Mr. Depp? MR. HARWELL: Objection. Instruct not to 9 more questions. 10 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 4:15. 10 answer. Section I. Article I. State California 11 (Off the record from 4:15 p.m. to 11 Constitution. 12 4:16 p.m.) 12 MR. NADLEHAFT: Note your objection. 13 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Back on the record at Q Have you spoken to Mr. Depp's legal 14 4:16. 14 counsel since the beginning of this year? 15 MR. NADLEHAFT: Can you put up Kipper 29. A Yes. (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 29 marked for Q Who have you spoken to? 16 16 17 identification and attached to the transcript.) A I've spoken to Camille on two occasions. Q Now, Dr. Kipper we received invoices for 18 Q Anybody else? 19 you from Mr. Depp from Fireman's Insurance Fund 19 A No. 20 for 2014. Does this look like an invoice from Q What did you speak to Camille about? 20 21 your office to Mr. Depp? A About the deposition. 21 MR. HARWELL: Dr. Kipper, I think you're 22 A It does. 168 166 Q Okay. And this is for July 14th, 2014. 1 incorrect. I think also Ms. Meyers was in one of those telephone conversations. 2 Are -- those amounts seem accurate? MR. HARWELL: You have no idea how much I A That's correct. 4 object to the production of this document as O And other than the scheduling of the 5 deposition, did they talk about the issues that 5 violating Dr. Kipper's rights of the California 6 Constitution, Article I, Section I, the right of 6 you were going to be asked about? 7 privacy of financial information. And there is A Yes, of course. 8 simply no way we're answering any questions about O Okay. How long were the conversations? 9 any of the financial matters. And I instruct him A 45 minutes, each. Q Were they over phone or by Zoom or in 10 not to answer. 10 11 11 person? MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. MR. HARWELL: And I'm going to make a 12 A The first conversation was in person and 13 request that this document be redacted in order to 13 the second was by Zoom. Q Okay. And you thought they were about two 14 comply with California law as I have objected to 15 the production of any documents that contain any 15 45-minute calls? 16 A About that. 16 financial information, and the fact that this has O Are -- are you paying for your counsel in 17 been obtained by you does not mean that the 18 this case? 18 document should ever become something that can be 19 made a part of any public record. 19 A Yes, I am. MR. NADLEHAFT: All right. Thank you. I MR. NADLEHAFT: This doesn't need to be 20 21 have no further questions at this time.

21 made part of a public record. We can take -- I

22 take note of your objection, I disagree with it,

MS. MEYERS: Could I ask that we take a

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on February 22, 20

1 break now, maybe 15, 20 minutes, and then we can

2 resume and we'll try to get this done as soon as3 possible.

4 MR. HARWELL: Could I have the exhibit 5 number for the last exhibit, Mr. Nadlehaft?

MR. NADLEHAFT: Yeah, it was Exhibit 29.

7 MR. HARWELL: That's what I thought.

8 Thank you.

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9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: And we're off the 10 record at 4:20.

11 (Off the record from 4:20 p.m. to 12 4:50 p.m.)

13 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're back on the 14 record at 4:50.

15 MR. NADLEHAFT: Counsel for -- this is 16 Adam Nadlehaft, counsel for Ms. Heard. I spoke 17 with counsel for Mr. Depp, and we agree to a 18 waiver of the doctor-patient privilege at the same 19 scope that Mr. Depp agreed to in the beginning of 20 this deposition as to -- the same scope of waiver 21 as to mental condition, physical injuries, and I

21 as to mental condition, physical injuries, and 1 22 believe that was the scope. But we agree to the

n 1 marked, my apologies.

MS. MEYERS: Yeah. I'm going to do my

3 best to use the exhibits that have already been

4 marked. Thank you. Can you give me control or?

5 Is this me having control of the document? Yes.

6 Okay. All right.

Q First of all, Dr. Kipper, do you remember

8 seeing this document earlier?

9 A Yes, I do.

10 Q And you recognize it as your initial

11 consultation notes with Mr. Depp?

12 A Yes.

13 Q I'd like to direct your attention to the

14 third page. Excuse me one moment. Do you see

15 here where it says impressions?

16 A Yes.

17 Q Could you describe what the items listed

18 under this heading are?

19 A So the first one, primary dopamine
20 imbalance. This in general terms, I don't know -

21 MR. HARWELL: Doctor, objection. I'm not

22 going to let you answer that question. It calls

1 for an expert opinion. You can read the words.

2 A Primary dopamine imbalance, ADHD, which is

3 attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, Bipolar

4 I, depression secondary to above, insomnia,

5 chronic substance abuse disorder, chronic reflux.

6 MR. HARWELL: Doctor, I'd rather you do

7 not read that part out loud. We do not have a

8 waiver for that part.

9 THE WITNESS: All right. Sorry.

10 MR. HARWELL: In fact, for the bottom

11 three we do not have a waiver.

12 Q So with respect to these items, are these

13 an official diagnosis of Mr. Depp?

14 A These are my impressions, yes.

15 Q When you say impression, is that

16 considered a -- would you consider that a

17 diagnosis?

18 A Yes, Ms. Meyers, that's my diagnostic

19 impression.

20 Q And you list Bipolar I here. Is this also

21 an official diagnosis?

22 A Yes.

1 same scope as what Mr. Depp agreed to. And I'm

2 also going -- we're also going to -- we did

3 discuss there was a HIPAA release that was signed

4 by Ms. Heard that Dr. Kipper doesn't appear to

5 have that both sides are looking to find and will

6 provide to counsel for Dr. Kipper.

7 MR. HARWELL: Thank you.

8 MS. MEYERS: Thank you.

9 EXAMINATION BY COUNSEL FOR THE PLAINTIFF

10 BY MS. MEYERS:

11 Q Good afternoon, Dr. Kipper. Jessica

12 Meyers, Brown Rudnick for Mr. Depp. I'd like to

13 talk with you first about the document that's been

14 marked as Kipper Exhibit 3.

MS. MEYERS: Alex, could you please bringthat up.

17 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: This is Alex,

18 the tech speaking. Are you referring to

19 Exhibit C, Ms. Meyers?

20 MS. MEYERS: I'm going by what I believe

21 Adam already marked as Exhibit 3.

22 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: Previously

Transcript of David Kipper, M.D. Conducted on February 22, 2021

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1 Q Do you have a background in psychology?	1 Q From what you observed, did it stabilize
2 A Yes. Actually, I have a background in	2 his mood?
3 mental health, in addiction, and as a general	3 A Unfortunately it was hard to dissect that
4 internist.	4 out. Because this was again, he was in the
5 Q So you're qualified to make a diagnosis of	5 middle of a maintenance program on medication when
6 Bipolar I?	6 we started at that time to transition to an actual
7 A Yes.	7 detox. So during that period of time it's hard to
8 Q And did this diagnosis impact your	8 say what was what, which medicines were creating
9 treatment of Mr. Depp in any way?	9 what effects.
10 MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for expert	10 Q I see here you say maintain current dosing
11 opinion.	11 of Roxicodone and Klonopin. How did so am I
12 Q I'd like to direct your attention now to	12 correct this was medication that Mr. Depp was
13 the heading "Plan." Do you see this?	13 already taking when you started treating him?
14 A Yes.	14 A Yes.
15 Q Okay. I'm going to go through the	15 Q And how did maintaining this medication
16 medication listed under the heading re-establish	16 affect Mr. Depp?
17 dopamine balance, do you see that?	17 A It kept him from going into withdrawal
18 A Yes.	18 from these two different medicines.
19 Q Okay. So first of all, I see Adderall	19 Q Okay. I'd like to go on to the next page
20 listed. Was Mr. Depp taking Adderall at the time	20 here. I see trial of Ambien here. Is this is
21 you started treating him?	21 this also medication that you prescribed to
22 A Not at the time, no.	22 Mr. Depp?
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1 Q Adderall is something that you prescribed	1 A Yes.
2 to him when you started treating him?	2 Q And he was not previously taking Ambien?
3 A Yes.	3 A Not – not recently when I first met him,
4 Q And what was the purpose of prescribing	4 no.
5 him Adderall?	5 Q And how did the Ambien affect Mr. Depp?
6 MR. HARWELL: Objection. Calls for expert	6 A It allowed him to sleep.
7 opinion.	7 Q And I see here maintain current Lexapro
8 Q How did Adderall affect Mr. Depp?	8 but wean off gradually. Was this a medication
9 A Adderall increased his ability to focus.	9 that Mr. Depp was already on when you started
10 Q Okay. And I see trial lithium here, is	10 treating him?
11 this another medication you prescribed to	11 A Yes.
12 Mr. Depp?	12 Q And how did this medication affect
13 A Yes.	13 Mr. Depp?
14 Q And he wasn't already taking it at the	14 A It also contributed to adjusting his mood,
15 time that you started treating him?	15 depression, and anxiety.
16 A Correct.	16 Q Of the medications that we've just
17 Q And how did lithium affect Mr. Depp?	17 discussed, taking them together, how did that
18 A Lithium ultimately was not a good choice	18 affect Mr. Depp?
19 because it created some fatigue for him. And	19 A These medications did not – as a
20 lithium is a mood stabilizing medication. And the	20 combination did not negatively impact him.
21 prescription – the prescribing was to stabilize	21 Q When you say negative what do you mean

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1	A These medications were synergistic, they
2	did not oppose each other and there was no
3	interaction of these medications that would've
4	created adverse effects because of those
5	interactions.
6	MR. NADLEHAFT: I'm going to object.
7	Isn't this the expert testimony that I was
8	prevented from asking about?
9	MR. HARWELL: The question was phrased for
10	that of a percipient witness of how did it affect
11	him, and so I've been allowing him to answer as a
12	percipient witness would as to how it affected
13	him. But we've gotten awfully close to the expert
14	level, and we will not be answering expert
15	questions no matter who asks them without being
16	retained.
17	MS. MEYERS: Understood.
18	Q Dr. Kipper, did you observe Mr. Depp
19	experience any side effects from these
20	medications?
21	A Yes.
22	Q And what were those side effects?
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1	A The lithium created some sedation in him.
2	And that was ultimately withdrawn.
3	Q And were there any other side effects from
4	these medications that you observed?
5	A No.
6	MS. MEYERS: I'd like to pull up what's
7	already been marked as Kipper Exhibit 4, please.
8	Q And, Dr. Kipper, I believe we've already
9	established, but can you confirm that you
10	recognize these documents this document?
11	A Yes.
12	Q And these are also notes of a consultation
13	you had with Mr. Depp?
14	A Correct.
15	Q And it appears from these notes that
16	Ms. Debbie Lloyd was at the meeting; correct?
1	7 A Yes.
18	Q And she's a registered nurse?
19	A Yes.
20	Q And did Mr. Depp's treatment plan
21	contemplate Ms. Lloyd remaining with Mr. Depp
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22 during his therapy?

179 A Yes. O And was it contemplated that Ms. Lloyd 3 would personally distribute his medications to 4 him? 5 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 6 Q Did Ms. Lloyd provide personally dispensed 8 medications to Mr. Depp? MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 10 A Yes, she did. Q And how -- how regular was Ms. Lloyd's 12 contact with Mr. Depp? 13 A She had contact with him daily, either 14 physically or by phone. Q How often would you estimate that she was 16 physically in contact with him? MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; speculation. 17 A I would say 80 percent, 90 percent of the 19 time, somewhere in there. Q And Mr. Depp agreed to this supervision by 21 Ms. Lloyd? MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 180

1 A Yes.

O At this meeting that you had with 2 3 Mr. Depp, which appears to have been on

4 June 11th, 2014, was Ms. Heard present at that

5 consultation?

A No, not at that consultation.

Q Had you met her at that point?

A I can't remember.

MS. MEYERS: Alex, can we please pull up 10 what's been marked as Kipper Exhibit 6.

Q Dr. Kipper, can you please confirm these 12 are your notes from a consultation you had with

13 Mr. Depp in Boston in June of 2014?

A Yes, this is a summary from June 22nd to 15 June 24th of that consult - of that time with 16 him.

Q And if we scroll down, I guess I have 18 control here. The notes reflect here that you met 19 with Ms. Heard at that time; correct?

A Yes. 20

O Would this have been the first time that 22 you met Ms. Heard?

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181 183 1 A I'm not certain of that. 1 behaviors? Q How many times would you have met her A Having grown up in that environment, she's 3 before this point? 3 used to seeing the trauma that it inflicts and is A Again, I can't answer that. For sure I 4 not only able to recognize it, but also it affects 5 would - I can't answer that. 5 her – she has the ability to understand what that Q Would you have met Ms. Heard outside of 6 looks like. 7 your consultations with Mr. Depp prior to this Q And was this your observation of her or 8 point? 8 something she told you? A I might have, I just can't recall how many A This is something she told me. 10 MS. MEYERS: Alex, can you please pull up Q In your notes you state that you discuss 11 what's been marked as Kipper Exhibit 5, please. 12 with Ms. Heard her concerns that Mr. Depp be O Dr. Kipper, you recognize these as, I 13 strictly monitored and supervised; is that 13 believe you testified a combination of your own 14 accurate? 14 patient notes and Ms. Lloyd's patient notes for 15 A I'm hesitating only because I'm reading my 15 Mr. Depp; correct? 16 note. 16 A Yes. 17 Q Okay. Q And you - I believe you testified you 18 A Yes. 18 compiled them together; is that right? 19 Q Did Ms. Heard's concerns factor into your A Yes. 20 treatment plan at all --Q Did you -- for the notes that were taken 21 by Ms. Lloyd, did you specifically request that MR. HARWELL: Objection. Objection; 21 22 she maintain these notes? 22 expert testimony. 182 184 MR. NADLEHAFT: Same objection. A Yes, that's part of her responsibility. Q And did you advise her on what type of Q Did Ms. Heard tell you that she was 3 concerned about Mr. Depp being violent with her at 3 information she should include in those notes? 4 this consultation? A No. A No. Q Is there anything in particular that you 6 asked to include in the notes? O If she had told you that, is that 7 something you would've documented in these notes? A No. She was trained in this and she -8 MR, NADLEHAFT: Objection; vague as to the 8 she knew what the important metrics were in 9 term violent. 9 notation. 10 A Yes. Q And I believe you testified that you have Q You can answer. 11 reviewed these notes in their entirety before; 11 12 correct? 12 A Yes. Q Your note here states that, "Amber has a 13 A Yes. 13 14 strong family history of drug and alcohol abuse Q How many times would you say you've 15 and is particularly sensitive to his behaviors and 15 reviewed these notes? 16 potential for abuse." The phrase potential for 16 A I reviewed them at the time they were 17 abuse, is that referring to substance abuse? 17 written, and I reviewed them probably a couple of 18 A Yes. 18 weeks ago, so twice. O Would you review them periodically as she 19 Q It's not referring to physical abuse? 20 provided them to you? 20 A No. Q And what do you mean when you say that A No.

22 Ms. Heard is particularly sensitive to Mr. Depp's

O If we could turn to the last page - oh, I

185 187 1 have control. I'm going to turn to the last page 1 you traveled down to attend to Mr. Depp during 2 of these notes. Dr. Kipper, do you see the note 2 this time: correct? 3 marked June 29, 2015? A Yes. A Yes. O And when you arrived on the island, who Q I'm going to turn to the last page now. 5 was present? 6 And do you see this note marked June 30th? A Mr. Depp, Ms. Heard, Ms. Lloyd, and A Yes. 7 assistants for Mr. Depp. But I can't recall which Q And so do you understand that to be 8 assistants. 9 June 30th, 2015? Q Do you recall how many? 10 A Yes. A No. There were people that I think lived 11 Q Did Ms. Lloyd stop attending to Mr. Depp 11 or serviced that island when he was there. There 12 around this time? 12 were probably four of those people. And I'm not 13 A I'm going to refer to my timetable just 13 sure if he had one or two of his own assistants. 14 because I'll have a better sense of where the 14 And I'm going to unfortunately have to excuse 15 treatment was. 15 myself for just a moment. MR. NADLEHAFT: And, John, can we have a 16 Q Certainly. We can go off the record. 17 copy of this note that he's looking at since he's A I'm so sorry. I'll be right back. 17 18 now referred to it a couple of times and is 18 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 5:15. 19 reviewing the notes? 19 (Off the record from 5:15 p.m. to MR. HARWELL: It seems to me you have a 20 20 5:18 p.m.) 21 right, yes. We'll arrange to have it sent over. THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Back on the record at MR. NADLEHAFT: Thank you. 22 5:18. 186 188 A Again, I'm assuming that you're correct, MR. HARWELL: Let me just say I've just 2 but I – I certainly couldn't tell you that this 2 reviewed a letter to Dr. Kipper from Ms. Heard's 3 is the year '15. I'll have to read this, if lawyers that contains a note on it apparently 4 signed by Ms. Heard that suggests an intention to 4 you'll give me a second. Q Would you like me to scroll up a bit for 5 waive HIPAA patient protection rights as to any 6 you? 6 psychological or medical care rendered in response 7 to any abuse caused by Mr. Heard -- sorry, A No, the next note confirms that, the 8 neurologist's involvement. 8 Mr. Depp. So to that narrow extent, Doctor, you Q Sorry. When you say confirms this, what 9 can talk about any matters involving Ms. Heard. 10 are you referring to? MS. MEYERS: Thank you. 10 11 A I'm on the same page with you, that this Q Dr. Kipper, when you arrived on the island 12 is the year 2015. 12 in August 2014, did you see where Mr. Depp was 13 Q Okay. And so you can't recall whether 13 staying during that time? 14 Ms. Lloyd continued supervising Mr. Depp after 14 A Yes. 15 this point? Q And what did these accommodations look 15 16 like? 16 A No, I can't recall. 17 Q You continued to treat Mr. Depp after this A He had a little home structure, it was a 17 18 point? 18 small structure, a bedroom and a kitchen and a A Yes. 19 19 sitting area.

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A Yes.

Q All right. I'd like to talk to you

21 briefly about the detox process on Mr. Depp's

22 island in August 2014. I believe you said that

Q And was Ms. Heard staying there with him?

Q And relative to where Mr. Depp was

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Conducted on February 22, 2021 189 1 staying, where was Ms. Lloyd staying? A She was staying on another part of the 3 island in a structure called a yurt, which is like 3 4 a tent.

Q And how far away -- how long would it take 6 Ms. Lloyd to get to where Mr. Depp was staying?

A Five minutes.

8 O Five minutes?

A Five minutes.

10 Q Would that be walking?

11 A No, that would be on a motorized vehicle.

12 Q And relative to where Mr. Depp was

13 staying, where did you stay when you were on the 14 island?

A I stayed on the other side of that yurt. 15

16 Q Okay. Also in a yurt?

17 A Yes.

18 Q Had Mr. Depp's detoxification process

19 already started when you arrived on the island?

20 A Yes.

21 Q And had Ms. Lloyd been overseeing that 22 process?

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A Yes.

Q Did she report any issues to you upon your 3 arrival?

MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.

A She certainly updated – I was updated –

6 he started on the 10th. I arrived on the 12th, so 7 I was in full communication with her from the

8 beginning of that.

Q When you arrived on the island, did you 10 see Ms. Heard?

11 A Yes.

12 Q And how did she seem at that point?

13 A She seemed fine.

Q And at that time how long had you known

15 Ms. Heard, approximately?

A Probably a couple months.

Q And at this time how many times had you 17

18 met in person with Ms. Heard?

19 A I can't remember, but I would say it was

20 less than five.

Q And at this time had you ever provided

22 medical treatment to Ms. Heard?

A At this time when Mr. Depp was going

2 through his detox?

Q That's correct.

A I began treating Ms. Heard after that

5 period of time, after his detoxification.

Q So Ms. Heard was not a patient at the time

7 -- of yours at the time you were on the island

8 treating Mr. Depp --

A Yes.

Q -- in August 2014? After you arrived on

11 the island, did you personally oversee Mr. Depp's

12 detoxification process?

13 A Yes.

14 Q And how often would you check in on him?

15 A Several times a day.

16 Q And was this physically going to see him?

A No, this would be seeing him physically

18 once a day and then checking on his progress 19 throughout the day.

Q So during the detoxification process you

21 did see Mr. Depp at least once a day?

A Yes.

Q And was Ms. Lloyd checking on Mr. Depp

2 daily?

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3 A Yes.

Q And she was seeing him in person daily as 4

5 well?

A Yes.

Q I believe earlier in your examination you

8 were asked some questions about a message you

9 received from Ms. Heard stating that Mr. Depp was

10 having a challenging time on August 17th, do you

11 remember that?

A I remember vaguely - you mean in the -

13 earlier today?

14 Q Yes.

15 A Yes.

Q And I believe you testified that you had

17 received a message from Ms. Heard stating that

18 Mr. Depp was acting erratically and had pushed

19 her, do you remember that?

A I don't remember.

Q And you went and saw Mr. Depp after

22 receiving that message; correct?

A Yes. 1 1 of August 17th? 2 Q And did Ms. Lloyd go with you? A On that particular evening, that I can't 3 A Yes. 3 remember. But I did see Ms. Heard pretty much Q And where did you see Mr. Depp after daily during the time - my time on the island. 5 receiving that message? Q So did you see her at some point perhaps A I believe I saw him outside of his little 6 -- did you see her the next day? 7 home. It was either in the – across from this A Yes. 8 little home was a little cantina where one would Q And did you observe any injuries to 9 eat, and it was I think around the cantina. 9 Ms. Heard at that time? MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. Q And what was his physical condition at 11 that time? 11 A No. 12 MR. HARWELL: I'm going to ask that you MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; calls for 13 limit your answer to what you might have been able 13 expert testimony. 14 to physically observe, not make an expert opinion Q She didn't have any bruises that you 15 as to his physical condition. 15 observed? 16 A He was frustrated. He was uncomfortable. MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 17 O How was his demeanor? 17 A No. 18 A One of being frustrated and uncomfortable. Q Did you -- after you met with Mr. Depp 19 Q And was Ms. Heard with him at that time? 19 that evening of August 17th, did you go back to 20 his accommodations at some point? A When I saw Mr. Depp at that point, no, she 21 was not. A No. No, I think we resolved the issues Q And at this time, this was in the middle 22 where we were outside of his little hut, his home. 194 1 of his detoxification process; correct? Q So you didn't go and attend to him again in his home after that time? A Yes. 3 Q Did you see Ms. Heard that evening? A No. A I can't remember. MS. MEYERS: Alex, could you please pull up what's been marked as Kipper Exhibit 8. Q Do you recall Ms. Heard seeking medical 6 treatment from you for any physical injuries while Q Dr. Kipper, I think you -- do you remember 7 this email from earlier in your deposition? 7 you were on the island in August 2014? A No. A Yes, I do. MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. Q And I believe you testified that you 10 10 recall sending this email to Ms. Dembrowski on Q If you had - go ahead. A No, I don't. 11 August 18th, 2014; correct? 11 Q If Ms. Heard had sought treatment from you A Yes. 12 13 for injuries, is that something you would've Q At the time you wrote this email how long 14 documented? 14 had you known Mr. Depp? 15 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. A Approximately four months. 16 A Yes, I would have. Q And in those four months how much time had 17 Q Is that something you would have 17 you spent with Mr. Depp in person? 18 remembered her telling you? A I couldn't give you a cumulative number of MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading; 19 hours, but I would say - I would estimate that

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20 including up until August 18th, I would

Q Is it fair to say that when you wrote this

21 guesstimate 20 hours.

20 speculation.

A Yes.

Q Did you see Ms. Heard after this evening

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1 email, most of the time you had known Mr. Depp or

2 spent with Mr. Depp was while he was in detox?

MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.

4 A Yes.

Q Turning to the content of the email, I'd

6 like to direct your attention to this sentence

7 right here that starts, "As we discussed in my

8 office at our first meeting." If you need to take

9 a minute to read the remainder of that paragraph,

10 please go ahead and just let me know when you're 11 done.

12 A Yes.

13 Q In this part of the email, is it fair to

14 say you identified three steps to Mr. Depp's

15 treatment?

16 A Yes.

17 Q The first is stabilizing medication?

18 A This is what I wrote, yes.

19 Q And then the second was to detoxify from

20 substances?

21 A Yes, that's what I wrote.

22 Q And that was what was going on on the

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1 island in August 2014; correct?

2 MR. HARWELL: Objection; calls for an

3 expert testimony. You can ask what it says but

4 you can't ask what it means.

5 Q The third phase that you identify here is

6 to rebalance Mr. Depp's brain chemistry; is that

7 correct?

8 A Yes, that's what I wrote.

9 Q When you wrote this email, how far into

10 this treatment was Mr. Depp?

11 A This was written on the 18th and we

12 started treatment on the island on the 10th. We

13 maintained him starting in those - as you see in

14 the June notes, to make sure that he was taking

15 the prescribed amount and scheduling of the

16 medications.

17 Q Had you started this third phase with

18 Mr. Depp and his treatment?

19 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; vague; time

20 frame.

21 O At the time you wrote this email had you

22 started the third phase of Mr. Depp's treatment

1 that you identify here?

2 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.

3 O You can answer.

4 A Not completely, no.

5 Q I'm going to direct your attention to this

6 next paragraph which starts on the first page and

7 goes on to the second page of the exhibit. Do you

8 need a minute to read through it before I ask you

9 any questions?

10 A No, go ahead. If I do, I'll ask for some 11 time.

12 Q Okay. Would you characterize this

13 paragraph as summarizing a conversation you had

14 with Mr. Depp on August 17th?

15 A I would say that statement is from a 16 series of conversations that I'd had with him from 17 the beginning of his detoxification.

18 Q And that detoxification had started on

19 August 10th?

20 A Correct.

21 Q All right. I'm going to direct you to

22 this last paragraph here. It reads, "He agreed to

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1 sleeping on all this last night. He did not sound

2 at all committed to continuing the care once we

3 arrived in Los Angeles, but he did waiver a bit

4 when we suggested that he and Amber take a few

5 days apart once we landed." Now, at the time you

6 wrote this email, had you spoken to Mr. Depp since

7 the night before?

8 A No, I wrote this email after having met

9 with him the night before.

10 Q So you hadn't spoken to him since he

11 agreed to sleep on your conversation?

12 A Correct.

13 Q You go on to say, "For my two cents, I

14 think he needs to remain committed and bear some

15 discomfort. He has actually had very little. Get

16 neurochemically stable, seek an ongoing

17 therapeutic relationship with a doctor I know that

18 could help him, and get into the recovery

19 community on whatever level he would expect.

20 Short of this, his chances remain slim, he is

21 discouraged and angry, but this is not unusual at

22 this phase of the treatment. Our best course now

201 203 1 is to get him back to Los Angeles, get his A Yes. 1 2 pharmacological fine-tuning initiated and add in 2 Q During the time that you were with 3 the therapist while we have his attention." Do 3 Mr. Depp on the island for his detox process, did 4 you see that you wrote that? you ever witness him physically abuse Ms. Heard? A Yes. MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. Q After you wrote this email did Mr. Depp 6 A No, never. 7 continue with his treatment plan with you? Q Did you ever see any physical evidence A Yes. 8 that Mr. Depp had abused Ms. Heard? Q And after you sent this email did Mr. Depp MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading; calls 10 seek a therapeutic relationship with the doctor 10 for expert testimony. 11 you mentioned? MR. HARWELL: That's asking as a 11 12 A Yes. 12 percipient witness. You may answer, Doctor. 13 O And who was that doctor? A No. Same answer. Never. 14 A Dr. Alan Blaustein. Q And during your time on the island, did 14 15 Q And what is his discipline? 15 you observe Ms. Heard abuse Mr. Depp in any way? 16 A He's a psychiatrist. MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. Q With respect to what you wrote, that, 17 A No. 18 "Mr. Depp is discouraged and angry, but this is Q If I could take you back to Exhibit --19 not unusual in this phase of the treatment," why 19 what's already been marked as Kipper Exhibit 5, 20 is this -- why would that -- strike that. 20 please. And just bear with me for a moment while 21 I find that. Why were you expressing concern to 22 Mr. Depp's sister his behavior was not unusual at Dr. Kipper, I'm showing you an entry that 204 202 1 is from August 10th, 2014. Is this an entry that 1 that phase of the treatment? 2 2 you made or is this an entry by Ms. Lloyd? A This does call for some expert input. 3 MR. HARWELL: Then don't give it. A That would be Ms. Lloyd. Q And if we go on to the next page under the A So I'm not comfortable addressing that, 5 I'm sorry. 5 heading 1650, which I believe is the time --Q That's okay. Did your impression of there's a list, it says, "Detox orders for today," 7 do you see that? 7 Mr. Depp change after you wrote this email? MR. NADLEHAFT: Vague. May call for A Yes. 8 9 expert testimony. Q And under here there's a list for MR. HARWELL: I don't know. It would 10 medications; correct? 11 depend on -- I can't even work out what -- I'm 11 A Yes. 12 sorry. It's a little bit too vague for him to be O Were these all medications that were 13 able to answer that question in a comfortable 13 prescribed to Mr. Depp on -- while he was in 14 manner to me. 14 detox? 15 Q After you wrote this email you continued 15 A Yes. Not all at one time, but that was 16 to treat Mr. Depp; correct? 16 the composite of his medications. Q Were any of these medications part of 17 A Correct. 18 Mr. Depp's regimen prior to the detox process? Q And you treated him for many -- a couple 19 of years after this; right? A No. 20 A Yes. Q And from your observations, how did these

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21 medications affect Mr. Depp?

MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection.

Q And would you say that you got to know

22 Mr. Depp better as a person after that time?

Conducted on February 22, 2021 205 207 A That would be expert testimony that I'm THE WITNESS: No, I think I'm close here. 1 2 not comfortable giving an answer. 2 MR. HARWELL: You need a 12-year-old kid. Q Did you observe Mr. Depp experience any 3 THE WITNESS: Give me one more second 4 side effects from this combination of medications? 4 here. I don't know what happened, but why would I 5 MR. NADLEHAFT: Same objection to expert. know what happened? I don't understand these 6 MR. HARWELL: Yeah, I'm afraid we're going computers. 7 to be in the same place. MR. NADLEHAFT: We can see and hear you, 8 Q After the detox process on the island you Dr. Kipper. 9 and Mr. Depp returned to Los Angeles to continue THE WITNESS: Okay. I'm sorry I can't see 10 his treatment; correct? 10 all of you, but as long as you know I'm here. 11 A Yes. Correct. 11 MS. MEYERS: Can you see the document? Q And what medications were prescribed to THE WITNESS: No, I can't see anything. 12 13 Mr. Depp during this time period? 13 Do you want me to close out and go back in? 14 A The time period upon immediate return? 14 MS. MEYERS: I think that might be best 15 O Yes. 15 given that we're going to have to look at some 16 A I would like to refer to my notes, if you 16 additional documents. 17 have them in front of you. That would be on the 17 THE WITNESS: See you later. 18 19th of August. MS. MEYERS: Can we go off the record 18 19 Q We can come back to that. I don't want to 19 while he revolves this? Thank you. THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 5:46. 20 waste any of your time, Dr. Kipper. 20 MS. MEYERS: Alex, can you please pull up 21 (Off the record from 5:46 p.m. to 5:54 22 what's been marked as Kipper Exhibit 14. 22 p.m.) 206 208 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're back on the Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this email 2 from March 1st, 2015? record at 5:54. 3 A Yes. 3 Q Okay. Thank you. (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 32 marked for Q And this is an email to Dr. Blaustein that 4 5 I believe you looked at earlier in your identification and attached to the transcript.) deposition; correct? 6 MS. MEYERS: Alex, I think right before we 7 went off the record I asked if you could pull up A Correct. 8 the document that I marked as G. Thank you. And O Now -- I apologize, I'm going to come back 9 to this email in a moment. 9 this will be marked as Kipper Exhibit 30 is my --10 or 32. Thank you. MS. MEYERS: Alex, could you please pull Q Dr. Kipper, scrolling down to this email 11 up what I designated as document G. 12 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit G marked for 12 here on September 14th -- excuse me, 13 September 18th, 2014, do you recognize this as an 13 identification and attached to the transcript.) 14 email from you to Dr. Blaustein? 14 THE WITNESS: I don't know if you can 15 A Yes. 15 still hear me. Can you hear me? 16 MS. MEYERS: Yes. Q And at this time had Mr. Depp started 17 seeing Dr. Blaustein as a therapist? 17 THE WITNESS: Okay. I've lost the video. A No, I believe this - I believe this was 18 I'm now back into launch meeting so I'm --

22 connected.

MR. HARWELL: That's funny because we can

MS. MEYERS: Do you want to go off the

22 video briefly so you can try to reconnect?

20 see you still.

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19 the beginning of that. I'm not sure. I had given

20 him — I had given Mr. Depp Dr. Blaustein's 21 information, but I'm not sure if they had formally

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1 Q Okay. Do you see at the bottom here you	1 A I did.
2 say, "He is doing remarkably well"?	2 Q Okay. In this paragraph, fair to say
3 A Yes.	3 Ms. Heard is describing Mr. Depp?
4 Q Is that a reference to Mr. Depp?	4 A Yes.
5 A Yes.	5 Q And would it also be fair to say that she
6 Q And is this consistent with your	6 generally states that he's doing well?
7 recollection that at the time Mr. Depp was doing	7 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection.
8 well?	8 A Yes.
9 A Yes.	9 Q Is this consistent with your recollection
10 Q And when you say he was doing well, does	10 of how Mr. Depp was doing with his treatment in
11 that refer to his progress and the treatment you	11 October of 2014?
12 were providing?	12 MR. HARWELL: I'm going to have to object
13 A Yes.	13 because it calls for expert testimony.
14 MS. MEYERS: Alex, can you please bring up	14 Q Have you observed any of the positive
15 document M, which I believe will be marked as	15 behavioral changes that Ms. Heard is describing in
16 Kipper Exhibit 33.	16 this paragraph, in Mr. Depp?
17 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 33 marked for	17 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.
18 identification and attached to the transcript.)	
19 Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this	19 Q And I'm going to direct you to the
20 document?	20 paragraph that begins on the third page and just
21 A Yes.	21 ask that you read the first three sentences
22 Q And what is it?	22 starting off with, "And me?"
1 A It's a letter from Amber, I believe I'm	1 A Yes, I've read that.
2 correct, to me.	2 Q Okay. This is Ms. Heard referring to
3 Q And you recall receiving this letter from	3 treatment your treatment of her; correct?
4 Amber?	4 A Yes.
5 A Yes.	5 Q She references you taking great care of me
6 Q And the letter appears to be dated	6 physically; right?
7 October 2014; right?	7 A Yes.
	8 Q And so Ms. Heard was your patient by this
8 A Yes.9 Q And that's when you recall receiving it?	9 time; is that correct?
10 A Yes.	
11 Q Okay. Turning to the second page	11 Q Fair to say that Ms. Heard is
12 excuse me. Starting with the paragraph that	12 complimentary in this paragraph of you?
13 starts, "The other day." Would you please take a	13 A Yes.
14 moment to read through this?	14 Q And was this the impression that you got
15 A Yes. Can you bring it down a little bit?	15 from her when you were treating her at this time,
16 Q Yes, I'm sorry.	16 that she was appreciative and complimentary of
17 A Thank you. Okay. Now you can go up a	17 you?
18 little bit. Good. You can move up a little,	18 A Yes.
19 please.	19 Q And did her attitude towards you that's in
20 Q Certainly. My questions don't pertain to	20 this letter persist through the entire time that
2) the latter part of the paragraph if you've read	21 you treated her?
22 the first couple sentences.	22 A I believe so.

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1 Q Did her behavior towards you change in any	1 Ms. Boerum is a contractor for you?	
2 way during the course of your treatment of her?	2 A Yes.	
3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	3 Q But she reports to you with respect to	
4 A Not that I'm aware of. I did stop seeing	4 your patients that she covers?	
5 Amber at a certain point or Amber stopped seeing	5 A Correct.	
6 me at a certain point.	6 Q And how closely did Mr. Boerum monitor	
7 Q Do you recall when that was?	7 Ms. Heard?	
8 A No.	8 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; vague.	
9 Q Do you recall when Ms. Heard first became	9 MS. MEYERS: I'm sorry. Did you get an	
10 your patient?	10 instruction not to answer from Mr. Harwell?	
11 A No, I couldn't give you a definitive date.	11 MR. HARWELL: I was unable to understand	
12 Q It was it would have been before	12 the period of time you were discussing.	
13 October 2014, though; correct?	13 MR. NADLEHAFT: And I said objection;	
14 A Yes.	14 vague. This is Adam.	
15 Q And it would have been after Mr. Depp's	15 MS. MEYERS: Apologies.	
16 detox on the island in August 2014; is that right?	16 Q During the time that Ms. Heard was your	
17 A That's correct.	17 patient and she had a Ms. Boerum was assigned	
18 Q When you started treating Ms. Heard, did	18 to her, how regular was Ms. Boerum checking in	
19 you assign a nurse to her?	19 with Ms. Heard?	
20 MR. HARWELL: I didn't hear the question,	20 A Very regular. Very regularly she saw her,	
21 I'm sorry.	21 yes.	
22 Q When when you started treating	22 Q Would she have seen her on a daily basis?	
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1 Ms. Heard, was there a nurse that you assigned to	1 A I don't believe -	
2 her?	2 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection.	
3 MR. HARWELL: Thank you.	3 You can answer.	
4 A I can't recall where it was - whether,	4 A I don't believe it was a daily basis, but	
5 Ms. Meyers, it was when I started to treat her.	5 she, I know, had daily contact with her in some	
6 At some point I did assign a nurse to her. But I	6 way.	
7 can't tell you which came first. I believe I was	7 Q Would Ms. Boerum have seen Ms. Heard in	
8 treating her before I recommended a nurse for her.	8 person on at least a weekly basis?	
9 Q So your recollection is that you started	9 A Yes.	
10 treating her and after that a nurse was assigned?	10 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection.	
11 A That's my memory, yes.	11 Q Were there times that Ms. Boerum traveled	
12 Q Do you have a sense of how close in time	12 with Ms. Heard?	
13 to you beginning your treatment the nurse was	13 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	
14 assigned to Ms. Heard?	14 A Yes.	
15 A It couldn't have been too long. But I	15 Q And as a registered nurse does Ms. Boerum	
16 honestly can't give you a specific reference to	16 have an obligation to report any suspected abuse	
17 time.	17 of her patient to you?	
18 Q Do you remember that nurse's name?	18 A Yes.	
19 A Erin Boerum.	19 Q And did she ever report any suspected	
	20 abuse to you of Ms. Heard?	
21 A Yes.	21 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	

A No.

Q And I believe you covered this earlier,

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1 MS. MEYERS: Alex, could you please pull	1 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; speculation.
2 up document H. Alex, is this Kipper Exhibit 34?	2 A Yes, I do.
3 A Yes.	3 Q You weren't telling her what to include in
4 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 34 marked for	4 these notes, she was drafting them on her own; is
5 identification and attached to the transcript.)	5 that correct?
6 Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this	6 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.
7 document?	7 A That's correct.
8 A Yes.	8 Q Have you reviewed these notes before?
9 Q And what is it?	9 A I have reviewed these notes.
10 A It's an initial intake of that care.	10 Q Have you reviewed them in their entirety?
11 Q I'm going to scroll down a bit and show	11 A Yes, but not recently.
12 you there are future entries on this document as	12 Q And how often would you review
13 well. Do you see these?	13 Ms. Boerum's notes on Ms. Heard?
14 A I do. I'm - I'm assuming - I don't want	14 A I review my nurse's notes as they come in,
15 to make an assumption, but I would believe these	15 so that would be on a real time basis.
16 notes are from Erin Boerum. But if you give me a	16 Q Okay. And going back to the first page,
17 second to look at this, I can be more specific.	17 you see this first entry is dated
18 Q Certainly. Let me know if you'd like me	18 August 27th, 2014?
19 to scroll through the document a bit more, I can	19 A Yes.
20 do that for you.	20 Q Does this refresh your recollection as to
21 A Yes. These are notes from Erin Boerum.	21 when Ms. Boerum would have been assigned to
22 Q Does this document reflect any of your	22 Ms. Heard?
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1 note on Ms. Heard?	1 A Yes.
2 A This reflects my treatment	2 Q And does this at all refresh your
3 recommendations.	3 recollection as to when you started treating
4 Q But these are Ms. Boerum's notes	4 Ms. Heard?
5 A Yes.	5 A Yes, this would – this would be about the
6 Q you believe?	6 time.
7 A Yes.	7 Q I'm going to turn to the last page of the
8 Q Did you ask Ms. Boerum to retain those	8 note quickly. Do you see the last entry is dated
9 notes?	9 May 26, 2016?
10 A Yes.	10 A Yes.
11 Q And for what purpose?	11 Q Did Ms. Boerum start stop treating
12 A Because she was monitoring a patient and I	12 Ms. Heard at this time?
13 needed to be informed of how the patient was doing	13 A I don't believe so.
14 and for any adjustments of treatment.	14 Q You believe that Ms. Boerum treated
15 Q Did you tell Ms. Boerum what type of	15 Ms. Heard after May of 2016?
16 information should be documented in the notes?	16 A I believe so. Can I - can I see the end
17 A No.	17 of that note before you move it? Thank you. No,
18 Q And would there be anything that you	18 my recollection is that Ms. Boerum [sic] continued
19 expressly asked her not to document?	19 to see Erin.
20 A No.	20 Q Ms. Heard continued to see Erin?
21 Q Do you understand that Ms. Boerum used her	21 A Ms. Heard continued to see Ms. Boerum,
	22 yes.
 14 and for any adjustments of treatment. 15 Q Did you tell Ms. Boerum what type of 16 information should be documented in the notes? 17 A No. 18 Q And would there be anything that you 19 expressly asked her not to document? 20 A No. 	14 Q You believe that Ms. Boerum treated 15 Ms. Heard after May of 2016? 16 A I believe so. Can I – can I see the end 17 of that note before you move it? Thank you. N 18 my recollection is that Ms. Boerum [sic] continuation of the see Erin. 20 Q Ms. Heard continued to see Erin?

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1 Q Did you continue to treat Ms. Heard after	1 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.
2 this time, after May 2016?	2 A No.
3 A Yes.	 Q And did Ms. Boerum ever report to you that Ms. Heard had injuries that she claimed were
4 Q In your time do you recall when you	4 Ms. Heard had injuries that she claimed were 5 caused by Mr. Depp?
5 stopped treating Ms. Heard?6 A No.	A MANAGEMENT OF THE STATE OF TH
6 A No.7 Q Fair to say you treated her for at least	
8 two years? 9 A I would – I would need to refer to her	
10 chart in order to give you a specific answer, but	10 Ms. Heard had injuries, physical injuries, that
11 that is my recollection, that it — it may have	11 she claimed were caused by Mr. Depp?
12 been longer than that, it may have been a few	12 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading;
13 years, but I have not treated Ms. Heard for at	13 hearsay.
14 least a couple years, maybe three years.	14 A No, not that I can remember.
15 Q During your treatment of Ms. Heard, did	15 Q Did Ms. Boerum ever report to you that she
16 she ever miss any appointments with you?	16 witnessed Mr. Depp physically abuse Ms. Heard?
17 A Not that I remember.	17 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.
18 Q Did she ever ignore any of your attempts	18 A Never.
19 to contact her for medical treatment?	19 Q If Ms. Heard had reported an injury to
20 A Not that I can remember.	20 Ms. Boerum, is this something that Ms. Boerum
21 Q During the time you treated Ms. Heard, did	21 would've documented in her patient notes for
22 she ever seek treatment from you for injuries that	22 Ms. Heard?
1 appeared to be the result of domestic abuse?	1 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading;
2 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	2 speculation.
3 A No, she did not.	3 A Yes, I believe so.
4 Q Did she ever seek treatment from you for	4 Q If Ms. Boerum observed that Ms. Heard had
5 injuries that she told you were caused by	5 any physical injuries, is this something that
6 Mr. Depp?	6 would have been documented in her patient notes
7 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	7 for Ms. Heard?
	8 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading;
8 A No, she did not. 9 Q Did Ms. Heard ever tell you that Mr. Depp	9 speculation.
10 abused her?	10 A Yes, absolutely.
11 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading and	11 Q Did Ms. Lloyd were report to you that she
12 vague.	12 witnessed Mr. Depp physically abuse Ms. Heard?
13 A No, she did not.	13 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading;
14 Q And you you never witnessed any	14 hearsay.
15 physical abuse by Mr. Depp against Ms. Heard	15 A No, never.
16 during the time you treated both of them?	16 Q In March 2015, you traveled down to
17 A No.	17 Australia to attend to Mr. Depp; is that right?
18 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection.	18 A Yes.
	19 Q And at the time Mr. Depp was already in
19 A No, never. 20 Q Did Ms. Boerum ever report to you that she	20 Australia; correct?
20 Q Did Ms. Boerum ever report to you that she	ZU Australia, Collect:

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A Correct.

Q And was Ms. Lloyd with him?

21 suspected Ms. Heard was the victim of domestic

22 abuse?

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1 A Yes.	1 A I believe it was the day after I arrived.	
2 Q And was Ms. Heard with him?	2 Q And where did you see him?	
3 A Yes.	3 A I saw him at his home in Australia.	
4 MS. MEYERS: Alex, can you please bring up	4 Q And how long did you meet with him during	
5 Kipper Exhibit 14.	5 that time?	
6 Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this	6 A Probably an hour.	
7 March 1st, 2015, email as an email to	7 Q How from what you observed, how did he	
8 Dr. Blaustein?	8 how was he physically?	
9 A Yes, I do.	9 MR. HARWELL: I'm going to object except	
10 Q And you saw this email earlier in your	10 to anything he might have observed by watching.	
11 deposition; correct?	11 Otherwise it's expert opinion.	
12 A Correct.	12 A Ms. Meyers, could you ask me that question	
13 Q Do you do you see right here where you	13 again in a way I can answer? I'm happy to answer.	
14 say the big problem has been his sleep issue?	14 Q Sure. When you saw Mr. Depp after first	
15 A Yes.	15 arriving in Australia you know what, strike	
16 Q Was this something that had been reported	16 that.	
17 to you?	Did you perform a medical assessment of	
MS. MEYERS: Objection; leading; hearsay.	18 Mr. Depp when you first arrived?	
19 A Yes. My understanding was that -	19 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	
20 MR. HARWELL: Doctor, you answered the	20 A Yes, I created a medical opinion, yes.	
21 question, had it been reported to you. I don't	21 Q Did you provide any medical treatment to	
22 want you to explain it. That would be expert	22 Mr. Depp when you arrived?	
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1 testimony.	MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	
2 Q Who had reported that to you?	2 A He was already under treatment at my	
3 A Ms. Lloyd.	3 direction.	
4 Q And so at the time that was reported to	Q Fair to say that you continued your	
5 you, you weren't in Australia yet; correct?	5 treatment when you first saw him in Australia?	
6 A That I can't remember, but I believe that	6 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	
7 is correct.	7 A That's correct.	
8 Q I'm going to turn to the next page and	8 Q When you first met with Mr. Depp in	
9 direct you to the first full sentence. It says,	9 Australia, did you see the home that he was	
10 "If he doesn't come home, I am planning to go out	10 staying in?	
11 there tomorrow night for a few days to get him	11 A Yes.	
12 back on track." Do you recall whether you	12 Q And was it a standalone house?	
13 traveled to Australia the day after sending this	13 A Yes.	
14 email on March 1st?	14 Q Was there a fence around the house?	
15 A I believe so, yes, but I –	15 A I'm sorry?	
16 Q When	16 Q Was there a fence around the house?	
17 A - can't give you a specific travel date.	17 A That I can't recall.	
18 Q When you arrived in Australia was	18 Q Do you recall whether Mr. Depp's security	
19 Ms. Heard already there with Mr. Depp?	19 security team was at the property?	
20 A Yes.	20 A Yes, they were.	
21 Q When you arrived in Australia when did you	21 Q Where did you see them?	
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22 A I saw them in and around the house.

22 first see Mr. Depp?

Conducted on February 22, 2021 229 231 Q Do you recall how many security personnel 1 his security team present? 2 there were? MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. A Two to three. 3 A Yes. I saw him seated in the car when I Q What do you recall about the home's 4 arrived. 5 appearance? Q Did Mr. Depp tell you what had happened to A It was a large home. It was a very 6 his finger at that time? 7 beautiful home. And it had a lot of surrounding A Yes. 8 property. And I saw a kangaroo on that property. Q And what did he tell you? Q Did the house have large windows? MS. MEYERS: Objection; leading; hearsay. 10 A Yes. A He told me that - that Ms. Heard had Q Did the house have balconies? 11 thrown a vodka bottle at him, that he raised his 12 A I can't - that I can't remember. 12 hand to cover his face, and the bottle shattered 13 Q And Ms. Heard was staying at this house 13 and lacerated his finger. 14 with Mr. Depp when you first arrived? Q How long did you attend to Mr. Depp 15 A Yes. 15 outside of the house? Q And where -- where were you staying 16 A Not long. Probably a half hour because I 17 relative to where Mr. Depp was staying? 17 needed to get him to the emergency room. 18 A I was at a hotel in Brisbane probably Q So immediately after meeting him at the 19 20 minutes away, 15, 20 minutes away. 19 house you went with him to the emergency room? Q And Ms. Lloyd was staying with -- at that A Yes. I cleaned his wound to the best that 21 same location? 21 I could with the supplies that we had and then A She was staying around the corner at a 22 took him. So it was within a half hour that we 230 232 1 different hotel. 1 left. Q Now, after you arrived in Australia at Q Did you return to the house after bringing 3 some point you were notified that Mr. Depp had 3 Mr. Depp to the hospital? 4 been injured; correct? A No. I was taken back to my hotel. A Yes. Q After you attended to Mr. Depp and before Q And I believe this was covered earlier in 6 you went to the hospital with him, did you go 7 your deposition, you were actually -- you actually 7 inside the house? 8 received a text message from Mr. Depp; correct? A No. A Yes. Q So you did not go inside the property the 10 Q And after you received that message, did 10 day that Mr. Depp contacted you about his injured 11 you go directly to Mr. Depp? 11 finger? 12 A Yes. A No, I did go into the house. As I stated, 13 Q And Ms. Lloyd came with you? 13 that after I saw him initially I went into the 14 A Yes. 14 home to see the home. I had -Q And I believe you said that Mr. Depp was Q That was before you went to the hospital 16 outside the property in his -- in a car at that 16 with him?

Q And you examined Mr. Depp in the car with 22

20 back.

A Yes. I - I went in to instruct one of

18 the people with him to look for the tip of the

19 finger, hoping that we would be able to put it

Q Was the tip of the finger found?

A It was found.

17 time; right?

20 him?

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18 A That's correct.

19 Q Was Mr. Depp's security team there with

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1 Q Who found it?	1 injured, is this something that you would've	
A I believe this man was their chef.	2 documented?	
Q And do you know where he found it or where	3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading;	
4 he told you he found it?	4 speculation.	
5 A He said he found it in the kitchen area.	5 A Yes.	
6 Q When you went into the house did you see	6 Q Did you observe any broken glass in the	
7 Ms. Heard?	7 house?	
8 A Yes.	8 A Yes.	
9 Q And how did she appear?	9 Q Could you tell what the glass was from?	
10 A She was certainly upset.	10 A No.	
11 Q Did Ms. Heard seek any medical attention	11 Q Was there blood around the broken glass?	
12 from you for any injuries at that time?	12 A There was blood around the home, as I had	
13 A No.	13 previously mentioned, but I didn't specifically	
14 Q Did Ms. Heard seek any medical attention	14 see blood on glass.	
15 from Ms. Lloyd at that time?	15 Q Where did you see the broken glass?	
16 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	16 A In the kitchen area.	
17 A No.	17 Q And that's where the finger the top	
18 Q Did you observe any physical injuries to	18 part of the finger was found as well?	
19 Ms. Heard when you saw her that on	19 A Yes.	
20 March 7th, 2015?	20 MS. MEYERS: Alex, can you please bring up	
21 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	21 what I believe was marked as Kipper Exhibit 17.	
22 A No.	22 Q Dr. Kipper, you recognize this document	
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1 Q So Ms. Heard did not have any observable	1 from earlier in the deposition?	
2 bruises that you saw?	2 A Yes.	
3 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	3 Q It's a letter dated March 15th, 2015, from	
4 A That's correct.	4 you to Mr. Depp; correct?	
5 Q And did Ms. Heard appear to have a broken	5 A Correct.	
6 nose?	6 Q And you did send this letter to Mr. Depp;	
7 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	7 correct?	
8 Objection; calls for medical calls for expert	8 A Correct.	
9 testimony.	9 Q This this sentence that begins,	
10 Q Was Ms. Heard's face swollen at all when	10 "Further," it says, "Further, the nurse	
11 you saw her?	11 supervision has also broken down, and this places	
12 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	12 you at great risk for medical interactions that	
13 A Not that I was aware of, no.	13 could prove harmful." Is this consistent with	
14 Q Did Ms. Heard have any cuts on her arm	14 your recollection that nurse supervision had	
15 when you saw her?	15 broken down with respect to Mr. Depp?	
16 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	16 A Yes.	
17 A Not that I can recall.	17 Q When do you recall how long it had been	
18 Q Do you recall seeing any cuts on her feet	18 since a nurse had seen Mr. Depp at this point?	
19 or any other part of her body?	19 A You're talking about from the very	
20 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	20 beginning of their relationship?	
21 A I can't recall.	21 Q I mean going back from this letter where	
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Q If Ms. Heard had appeared to have been

22 you're indicating your concern about the breakdown

Conducted on February 22, 2021 237 239 1 of nurse supervision. When was the last time a A I'm sorry, can you restate that question? 2 nurse had seen Mr. Depp at this point? 2 I'm confused by that. A It was shortly after our return to Los Q You write here, "Without" -- "What I 4 Angeles. 4 believe you need is a clear system without any Q You go on to state, "I also believe that 5 substances that could interfere with your 6 re-engaging with Amber without a professional 6 medications and jeopardize your surgical 7 third party to help guide you both through your 7 procedure. Without this assurance, based on 8 issues will not be productive. The last time you 8 behaviors and not promises, I am putting you at 9 both addressed the issues ended in disaster." 9 risk." My question is, did Mr. Depp ever provide 10 What disaster are you referring to here? 10 the behavioral assurances that you state are 11 A I'm sorry, I need to see that sentence 11 needed here? 12 again. MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 13 Q It's two sentences, and the first one A Yes. I'm sorry? Yes, that was a few days 13 14 starts with, "I also." 14 later, four or five days later. 15 A Okay. And I'm sorry, Ms. Meyers, your Q And what type of assurances did he provide 16 question was? Q What was the disaster that you're 17 A That he would realign with a program and 17 18 referring to here? 18 the monitoring from the nurses and me. 19 A I believe that was - again, I may have my Q And did he follow through on that? 20 times a little bit fuzzy, but I believe that's 20 A Yes. 21 when they both saw Dr. Cowan. And Amber saw O And ultimately did you end up terminating 22 Dr. Cowan for her care, and then I believe 22 your care for Mr. Depp? 240 1 Mr. Depp came in with her to a session or two, and 1 I'm sorry, did you answer that? 2 that I was told did not go well. A I answered that no. I answered it, the Q When you use the term disaster, you're not 3 answer was no. 4 referring to any physical abuse by either party, Q Okay. Thank you. 5 are you? MS. MEYERS: Alex, could you please pull up what I marked as Document K. And I believe A No. I know what this is. No, I'm not 7 referring to physical abuse. But I think this will be Kipper Exhibit 35. 8 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 35 marked for 8 from the timeline, this represents – this 9 represents the two of them trying to resolve their 9 identification and attached to the transcript.) Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this 10 issues and to be able to have a productive 11 document? 11 relationship. That never went well. 12 Q I'd like to direct to this sentence right A Yes. Q And what is it? 13 here that states -- that starts off with, "What I 13 14 believe you need is a clear system without any A If you could just for my verification, can 15 substances that could interfere with your 15 you scroll down to the bottom, please? 16 medications and jeopardize your surgery procedure. Q Sure. It goes on for two pages. 17 Without this assurance based on behaviors and not 17 A Yes. I'm familiar with this document, 18 promises, I am putting you at risk." 18 yes. Did Mr. Depp and Ms. Heard end up 19 O Did you prepare this document?

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A No.

22 someone who works for you?

Q Is this a document that was prepared by

20 providing you with the behavioral assurances that

MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.

21 you're referring to here?

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A This was prepared by Monroe Tinker, who was a nurse practitioner who worked for me at that time. Q Is this a record that's ordinarily prepared and maintained in the course of your business? A Yes. Q And have you reviewed this document before? A Yes. Q When would you have reviewed it? A I reviewed it immediately after the visit, probably the next day. And I also reviewed this a couple weeks ago. Q I'd just like to direct your attention to the last page. Is this your signature here? A Yes. Q And when would you have signed this? A That was confirming that I reviewed Mr. Tinker's notes.	Q And it states — the third sentence 2 states, "Today the patient reports a headache 3 after she bumped her head while standing up two 4 days ago;" correct? 5 A Yes. 6 Q And a couple of sentences below that it 7 says, "Last seen in the office on 12/23/2015." Is 8 that an error or did she come back in later? 9 A No, I think that's got to be an error. 10 Q So based on this document, it's your 11 understanding that Ms. Heard called the office on 12 December 17th? 13 A Yes. 14 Q Scrolling down to the bottom here. It 15 says, "Objective data, physical exam." Do you see 16 that? 17 A Yes. 18 Q Does that mean that Ms. Heard came into 19 the office for a physical examination? 20 A That's what it signifies, yes.
Q Going back to the top. This is a patient 22 record for Ms. Heard; correct?	21 Q And would that have also been on 22 December 17th, 2015?
1 A Yes. 2 Q And where it says date 3 December 17th, 2015, is that the date of this 4 that's the date of this document? 5 A Yes. 6 Q And the document states, "Phone call 7 consultation, headache;" correct? 8 A Yes. 9 Q So does that mean that on 10 December 17th, 2015, Ms. Heard called the offices 11 to report a headache? 12 A Yes. 13 Q And right below this there's a paragraph 14 that starts out with, "HPI." What does that stand	1 A Yes. 2 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; speculation. 3 A This note reflects that visit. Everything 4 in this note reflects that visit. 5 Q And so Monroe would have also performed 6 that physical examination? 7 A Monroe did perform that physical 8 examination. I did not see Ms. Heard. Monroe saw 9 Ms. Heard. 10 Q And the information below this heading of 11 physical exam, which goes on to the next page, are 12 these the findings from Ms. Heard's physical exam 13 on December 17th? 14 A Correct.
15 for? 16 A History of present illness. 17 Q And is the information in this paragraph 18 what Ms. Heard reported during her phone 19 consultation? 20 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection. 21 A That's what was written. I was not there,	15 Q And if Ms. Heard had any physical 16 injuries, would those have been noted in this 17 portion of the document? 18 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; speculation. 19 A Yes. 20 Q And there are some medical terms in here, 21 so if you could let me know, does any of this

22 indicate that there were physical injuries that

22 but that's what's written.

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1 were documented?	1 Q Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this		
2 A No.	2 document?		
3 Q Does this document indicate that a	3 A Yes, I recognize it upon looking at it,		
4 concussion check was performed?	4 yes.		
5 A Yes.	5 Q What do you recognize this document as?		
6 Q And what were the results of that?	6 A As an email from Ms. Heard to me		
7 A Under the assessment and plan as written	7 requesting medical records for that month of		
8 - as written, Mr. Tinker did not indicate	8 December.		
9 concussion under his assessment.	9 Q December 2015?		
10 Q Where in the document can you tell that a	10 A Yes.		
11 concussion evaluation was performed?	11 Q And do you recall receiving this email?		
12 A Again, this speaks to expert input. Not	12 A I don't recall receiving it, but I'm sure		
13 comfortable answering that.	13 I did, and I'm sure I reviewed it, yes.		
14 Q Understood.	14 Q And you see that the email is dated		
15 A I'd like to, but I can't.	15 August 8th, 2016; correct?		
16 Q If Mr. Monroe had - or, excuse me, if	16 A Yes.		
17 Monroe had suspected that Ms. Heard's injuries	17 Q And you have no reason to doubt that you		
18 were the result of domestic abuse, would that have	18 received the email on or around that date?		
19 been documented in this report?	19 A Correct.		
20 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; speculation.	20 Q On August 8th, 2016, was Ms. Heard still		
21 A Yes, he would've.	21 your patient?		
22 Q And does this report indicate any concern	22 A I believe so, but I can't be sure.		
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1 about domestic abuse?	1 Q Now, I'm going to read from this email		
2 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading.	2 here. Ms. Heard writes to you, "As per our		
3 A No, it's not indicated in this note.	3 conversation earlier, is it possible to get my		
4 Q Under assessment and plan, Item 4 says	4 medical records from the month of December,		
5 that Dr. Kipper is aware of the medical plan and	5 please? [kriow I saw Monroe during one of my		
6 is in agreement. That's consistent with your	6 office visits, if it makes it easier for you to		
7 recollection?	7 find. I'm not sure. Anyway, it was great talking		
8 A Yes.	8 to you earlier." Ms. Heard references speaking to		
9 Q And I believe you testified you didn't see	9 you earlier in this email; correct?		
10 Ms. Heard on December 17th; correct?	10 A Yes.		
11 A That's correct.	11 Q Do you recall having spoken to Ms. Heard		
12 Q How were you informed of the medical plan?	12 before receiving this email?		
13 A I spoke to Mr. Tinker by telephone.	13 A I can't remember.		
14 Q And would that conversation have happened	14 Q You don't remember anything about a		
15 on the 17th as well?	15 conversation that you might have had with		
16 A Yes.	16 Ms. Heard prior to receiving this email?		
17 Q Okay.	17 A No, I can't recall that.		
18 MS. MEYERS: Alex, could you please pull	18 Q And I believe you already stated this, but		
19 up Document L? And I believe this is what will be	19 you understand Ms. Heard to be requesting medical		
20 marked as Kipper Exhibit 36.	20 records from December 2015; correct?		
	21 A Correct.		
21 (KIPPER Deposition Exhibit 36 marked for 22 identification and attached to the transcript.)	22 Q And Ms. Heard mentions Monroe in this		
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Conducted on February 22, 2021 249 251 1 email as well; correct? Q So was he taking multiple doses of certain A Correct. 2 medications during the day? Q And Monroe is the nurse practitioner that 4 Ms. Heard saw on December 17, 2015; right? Q And during that time did Mr. Depp ever 5 tell you that Ms. Heard was withholding A Yes. Q Did you provide Ms. Heard with her medical 6 medications from him? 7 records for December 2015? A No. A I believe so. Q And did Ms. Lloyd ever report to you that Q And do you recall what those records 9 Ms. Heard was withholding medications from 10 consisted of? 10 Mr. Depp? 11 A The one we just reviewed. A No. 11 12 Q Was that the only one for December 2015? MS. MEYERS: Alex, I'm going to ask you to 13 A Again, I would have to research her chart 13 bring up an exhibit that was previously marked. 14 for that information, but I know at least it was 14 And I apologize, I don't have the number. It was 15 that note. 15 the email from Dr. Kipper to Lisa Beane asking for Q Did Ms. Heard ever ask you for any other 16 a certain -- an email to be included in Mr. Depp's 17 medical records? 17 medical record. 18 A No. Adam, do you know what exhibit that was? 19 MS. MEYERS: If everyone -- would this be 19 MR. NADLEHAFT: Sorry, I don't. 20 a good time for a quick break? I'm going to 20 MS. MEYERS: I think it was one of the 21 collect my thoughts and see how much more I have 21 later ones, I hope. 22 to go. Is that okay with you, Adam? 22 MR. NADLEHAFT: I agree with that. 252 250 MR. NADLEHAFT: Yeah, it's fine with me. MS. MEYERS: Could you try bringing up 1 Kipper Exhibit 26? MS. MEYERS: Oh, sorry. Dr. Kipper does 3 that work for you? 3 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: This is Alex, THE WITNESS: It does, but I'm not the tech speaking, I think I may have found it. It appears to be Exhibit 15. punching any buttons. I'm going to sit right here until you're back. MR. NADLEHAFT: There's a couple of 7 MR. HARWELL: Yeah, don't touch anything. 7 documents where I think he asked that. 8 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 6:49. MS. MEYERS: Okay. Let's try that one. PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: Very well. (Off the record from 6:49 p.m. to 10 6:59 p.m.) O Dr. Kipper, do you recognize this email THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're back on the 11 11 from March 8th, 2015, from --12 record at 6:59. A I recognize this email from about two 13 Q Dr. Kipper, I'd like to go back and ask 13 hours ago, yes. 14 you a couple of questions about Mr. Depp's detox Q You recall you discussed this document 15 on the island in August 2014. During that time 15 with Ms. Heard's counsel, yes? 16 you were prescribing Mr. Depp a number of A Yes. 17 medications as part of the detox process; right? Q And this is an email to you from 18 Mr. Depp's surgeon in Australia; is that right? 18 A Yes. Q And how often was Mr. Depp taking these A Correct. Q And this statement where it says, "Patient 20 medications during that time?

A On a continuum. He was taking medications

22 on a continuum.

21 under the influence and not coherent, not sure of

22 mechanism." Is that statement accurate based on

Conducted on February 22, 2021 253 255 your recollection of Mr. Depp on that day? 1 A Yes. 2 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; asked and Q In the over six years that you've known 3 3 Mr. Depp, have you ever witnessed him be answered. A I had a different understanding of physically abusive to any person? MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 5 Mr. Depp in the emergency facility. But I'm not 6 sure whether that doctor saw him - I'm trying to 6 A Never. 7 remember if that doctor saw him at the same time. Q And you've never witnessed him being 8 Because there was -- if you scroll down, I think 8 physically abusive to Ms. Heard; correct? 9 there's a note from the emergency room doctor that MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 10 stabilized him, and I think that if you can go 10 A Correct. 11 down a little bit further, so - there we go. So Q In those over six years that Mr. Depp's 12 March 8th was the date of the injury, and now, 12 been your patient, has anyone that works for you 13 Ms. Meyers, if you don't mind scrolling up, I want 13 or reports to you ever told you that they 14 to see the date that that doctor wrote the note. 14 witnessed Mr. Depp be abusive to Ms. Heard? 15 That was at 4:05, so no, I guess that was the same MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 15 16 day, but that is not my recollection of Mr. Depp's 16 A No. never. 17 status. O You've also known Ms. Heard for over six Q You don't recall Mr. Depp appearing to be 18 years at this point; correct? 19 under the influence? A Yes. Although I've not seen Ms. Heard for A No, Mr. Depp was - remember what happened 20 a least a couple years, perhaps three years. 21 to him, he had some fractured - fractures in his O In the six years that you treated -- or in 22 finger and he lost part of his finger. He was 22 the over six years you've treated Mr. Depp, has 254 256 1 given pain medication. And he may have been a 1 Mr. Depp ever complained to you that Ms. Heard has 2 little bit sedated from the pain medicine he got. physically abused him? 3 But I didn't find him to be under the influence. MR NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading, 4 He was maybe under the influence of some narcotic A No, not that I can recall. 5 pain medicine that he got. Q Have you ever witnessed Ms. Heard be Q Did you provide any pain medication to physically abusive to Mr. Depp? 7 Mr. Depp when you arrived at the house before you MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; leading. 8 went to the hospital? A No. A No. No. Q Has anyone that works for you or reports 10 to you ever reported to you that they witnessed 10 Q And this statement here that Mr. Depp was 11 not coherent, I believe you already testified that 11 Ms. Depp -- or excuse me, Ms. Heard, be physically 12 that was inconsistent with what you recalled; 12 abusive to Mr. Depp? 13 correct? 13 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection; heading; 14 MR. NADLEHAFT: Objection --14 hearsay. 15 A Yes. A No, not that I can recall. 15 MS. MEYERS: If you'll just bear with me 16 MR. NADLEHAFT: -- asked and answered.

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17 one moment, please. I don't have any further

20 have -- I just have a few. Thank you for your

MR. NADLEHAFT: Okay. Dr. Kipper, I just

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18 questions at this time.

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A Sorry. Yes.

22 over six years at this point; right?

A Yes.

Q All right. Dr. Kipper, as you sit here

Q And so Mr. Depp has been your patient for

19 today, Mr. Depp is still your patient; correct?

Conducted on February 22, 2021 257 259 1 BY MR. NADLEHAFT: 1 emergency room doctor. O You testified -- you testified earlier on Q Okay. So Mr. Depp told the emergency room 3 questions from Ms. Meyers that the tip of 3 doctor that he had cut his finger with a knife; 4 Mr. Depp's finger was found in the kitchen --4 correct? 5 found on the floor of the kitchen in the home in A Yes. 6 Australia; correct? Q Okay. And he didn't say anything A Correct. 7 different; correct? O Where - do you know where the kitchen A Mr. Depp told me that he did not want to 9 was? Was it on -- what floor the kitchen was? 9 tell the emergency room doctor that he was — that 10 A There was a downstairs below the kitchen 10 someone threw a bottle at him, so that's what he 11 area, I think those - I'm not really sure, I 11 told - because I asked him, you told me the this, 12 think those were bedrooms, but I'm not positive. 12 and he said I did not want to reveal that to the 13 So this would be on the main floor, the kitchen 13 doctor. 14 was on the main floor as you went into the home. O Now, again though, Mr. Depp, when texted 15 Q And that's where the tip of the finger was 15 you, he didn't say a bottle was thrown at him; 16 found, in the kitchen on the main floor? 16 correct? 17 A Yes. 17 A No. 18 O You testified that Mr. Depp told you when Q Okay. And you didn't put that in any of 19 your notes, that a bottle was thrown at Mr. Depp; 19 you arrived in Australia that his finger had been 20 lacerated by Ms. Heard throwing a bottle at 20 correct? 21 Mr. Depp? That's correct, that's what you 21 A Correct. 22 testified to? Q And Ms. Lloyd didn't put in her notes that 258 260 A Yes, that's what he said. 1 a bottle was thrown at Mr. Depp; correct? 1 Q Okay. You would agree that that's not in MS. MEYERS: Objection; lacks foundation. 3 writing anywhere; correct, as best as you know? A I did not see that in any of the notes, A As best as I know. 4 nurse's notes. O Mr. Depp -- when we went through a text O Did Mr. Depp have any glass anywhere on 6 with you and Mr. Depp where Mr. Depp said that he 6 his body when you found him? 7 sliced his finger; correct? A I saw him in the car when I arrived and he 8 had - he had a lot of debris in there, and I MS. MEYERS: Objection: mischaracterizes 9 the document or text that you're referring to. 9 could not tell - I could not differentiate glass 10 O Do you want me to go back to the text? 10 from anything else in there. It was - it was a 11 A That was the - I think that was a 11 mess. So I could not differentiate a piece of 12 glass from anything else. 12 direction from the emergency room. Q No, there was a text message where you got MR. NADLEHAFT: And, Alex, if you could 14 a text message from Mr. Depp? 14 put back up Kipper 15. Q This is the email we've seen a couple of 15 A Yes. 16 Q And he said he cut his finger; correct? 16 times now from Dr. Sawhney. And on the second 17 page, if I can get down to it, he says, "Heavily 17 A I think that's what it said, yes. 18 contaminated hand and fingers with dirt, grime, O Okay. And the reference from the 19 and paint." He doesn't mention glass anywhere; 19 emergency room said that Mr. Depp had sliced his

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20 correct?

A He does not mention glass.

Q Did Mr. Depp have any cuts anywhere else

20 finger with a knife; correct?

21 A Yes, that's what he told – because I was

22 present for that, that's what he told the

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261 263 1 on his face or anywhere else that would've come 1 7:18 p.m.) 2 from glass? THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Back on the record at 3 7:18. A I don't remember seeing any of that. Q Did Mr. Depp tell you that he had taken 4 O Okay. I just -- I wanted to just make 5 shot of vodka that day? 5 sure that the testimony was consistent and I 6 understand what you're saying. When you were 6 A No. 7 asked some questions by Ms. Meyers, I understood Q Would that have been something important 8 to know? 8 you to be saying that if Ms. Heard had reported A Not relative to his finger, I don't think. 9 abuse to Ms. Boerum, you would have expected her 10 to report it to you and that Ms. Boerum would have 10 Q What about relative to the drugs that he'd 11 be getting when he went to the hospital? 11 had an expectation to document it and report it, 12 but that seems different from what you were saying 12 A Possibly. 13 before about what you -- if someone reported abuse 13 Q Now, if Ms. Heard told Ms. Boerum that 14 to you, you didn't have to report it unless you 14 Mr. Depp had hit her in the face several times and 15 saw it. So I'm trying to understand which way --15 sent her pictures of bruises, would you expect 16 which -- what your testimony is. 16 Ms. Boerum to report that in her notes? 17 A I would have expected Ms. Boerum to send A If somebody — if somebody complains to 18 you as the doctor of that person that they're 18 me those pictures. 19 being - that they are beating somebody, that they Q Okay. So you would have expected to see 20 those pictures from Ms. Boerum; is that correct? 20 are inflicting harm on to that person, it's my 21 A Yes. 21 obligation to investigate that and determine 22 whether that is a reportable incident. Without 22 Q And you had testified before that it was 262 1 your duty to report abuse if you saw it; correct? 1 viewing this, without seeing this, without having 2 this come from a third party, then it's to me and A Correct. O But not -- there was no -- did Ms. Boerum 3 knowing that that alleged injured party did not 4 or you or anyone working for you have the duty to 4 show me any evidence of that or complain directly 5 to me of those injuries, then I have no reason to 5 report abuse that was reported to you and not seen 6 by you? 6 report that. MR. HARWELL: You actually explored that Q And you would have expected -- and you 8 question earlier. I'm going to ask that you not 8 would've wanted Ms. Boerum to -- if she seen a 9 ask the same question twice. 9 text that said, "I was hit in the face by MR. NADLEHAFT: Well, I will say that he 10 Ms. Heard," and received pictures of bruises, that 11 testified that Ms. Boerum had a responsibility to 11 Ms. Boerum would report that to you; correct? 12 report abuse if it was reported to her, and that's A Yes. 13 different from the testimony he said earlier that Q Is that an instruction that you gave to 14 he needed to see it. So that's what I'm trying to 14 your nurses, to report to you any abuse that they 15 saw or reported to them? 15 explore. 16 A Excuse me one second. I'm happy to answer A Yes, if they saw that as valid. 17 Ms. Heard, for example, if somebody hurt Ms. Heard 17 or not answer. I have this problem here. Be 18 while she was under the care - direct care of 18 right back. 19 MR. NADLEHAFT: Go off the record. 19 Ms. Boerum, and Ms. Boerum documented that 20 Ms. Heard had been injured, she certainly would 20 MR. HARWELL: Are we off the record?

THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 7:16.

(Off the record from 7:16 p.m. to

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21 have reported that to me.

Q That's what your expectation would be,

Conducted on February 22, 2021 265 267 1 that she would report it? 1 somewhere towards the end of 2019. Now, whether 2 A Yes. 2 he was with him months before that, I can't say. Q Okay. Let's see here. Have you -- have Q Mr. Mathias doesn't work for you; correct? 4 you given Mr. Depp any drug tests this year, in A No. 5 2021? Q Okay. And, Mr. Mathias, is there any A No. 6 agreement to report anything to you between you Q Did you give Mr. Depp any drug test in 7 and Mr. Mathias? 8 2020? A As I said, when I visited Mr. Depp, A No. I have not left my home since the 9 Mr. Mathias was there, and I had that conversation 10 beginning of 2020. 10 with Mathias, and he promised to let me know if Q And you didn't have anybody give Mr. Depp 11 things were problematic or he had some questions. 12 drug tests, not personally, but you didn't direct Q Okay. And that was kind of a verbal 13 anyone to give Mr. Depp drug tests? 13 promise that Mr. Mathias made to you? 14 A No. 14 A Yes. 15 Q So do you know if -- so you don't know for MR. NADLEHAFT: All right. Thank you. I 16 sure if Mr. Depp is -- what type of drugs he may 16 have no further questions. 17 or may not be taking in 2020 and 2021; is that 17 THE WITNESS: Thank you for not having 18 correct? 18 further questions. 19 MS. MEYERS: Objection; calls for MS. MEYERS: Unfortunately, I have a 20 speculation. 20 couple of additional questions just to follow-up 21 A My understanding, Mr. Nadlehaft, is that 21 what Adam was just asking about. And I'll try to 22 - and I know this to be true, that Mr. Depp has a 22 be very quick, because I know it's getting late 268 1 gentleman with him named Mathias, who is a drug 1 for everyone. 2 and alcohol person who's been religious in caring EXAMINATION BY COUNSEL FOR THE PLAINTIFF 3 for Mr. Depp and monitoring him and watching him. 3 BY MS. MEYERS: 4 And Mr. Mathias, who I met before the pandemic Q Dr. Kipper, did you keep any notes on --5 when I met with Mr. Depp at some point, 5 of your treatment of Mr. Depp while he was in 6 Mr. Mathias was there. I had a good feeling about 6 Australia? 7 Mr. Mathias. I asked him to please let me know if A Other than the summary notes, no. 8 there were any issues that I need to be aware of, Q And was Ms. Lloyd with you when Mr. Depp 9 and to date I haven't had any concerns from 9 told you what had happened to his finger before 10 you brought him to the hospital? 11 A I believe, yes. I'm not positive, but I II O Is Mr. Mathias, what is he? Is he a 12 doctor? A nurse? What is he? 12 believe, yes. Because she was helping me at the 13 A No, he's one of these drug and alcohol 13 car to try to clean out that finger, which is when 14 counseling people. I don't know if he's 14 he explained what happened. 15 credentialed officially, but it's a sober person Q So you believe that -- that Mr. Lloyd 16 who's committed to sobriety. And according to 16 would have heard Mr. Depp's explanation? 17 A I believe so. 17 Mr. Depp's inner circle, he's been really

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19 C-O-L-C-O-U-G-H?

20 A I don't know.

18 Q And who is CG Colclough. I apologize,

O You've never interacted with that

22 individual on behalf of Mr. Depp?

18 wonderful for him.

20 Mr. Mathias?

19 O And when did Mr. Depp start working with

A Well, it was before the pandemic because I 22 met him so I was out of my house, so it had to be

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1 A Say the name again. The answer, I	1 reporter has done a fantastic job of getting
2 believe, is no because I don't think I've ever	2 everything 100 percent correct, but if you need to
3 heard that name before.	3 go passed the page of the errata sheet, you're
4 MS. MEYERS: Okay. I have no other	4 more than welcome to.
5 questions. Thank you.	5 MR. HARWELL: I only ask, because as I
6 MR. NADLEHAFT: Thank you, Dr. Kipper.	6 said, California changed its rules last year about
7 THE WITNESS: Thank you both.	7 how we handle these things. When I was a baby
8 MR. HARWELL: Not being a Virginia lawyer,	8 lawyer
9 I do not know the mechanism for handling	9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Should I go off the
10 depositions in Virginia. Can you please let me	10 video record?
11 know what they are?	11 MR. HARWELL: Sure, if you wish.
12 MR. NADLEHAFT: You can read and sign the	12 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Off the record at 7:27
13 transcript — you have the opportunity to read and	13 (Off the record at 7:27 p.m.)
14 sign, Dr. Kipper and you to read, and I think it's	14
15 generally 30 days or something after you get the	15
16 depo after you get the transcript.	16
17 MR. HARWELL: And any corrections, do you	17
18 have an errata page or do you like people to write	18
19 in on in alese (phonetic) or what?	19
20 MR. NADLEHAFT: There's an errata	20
21 there's an errata sheet generally at the end of	21
22 the deposition transcript.	22
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MR. HARWELL: And then after it has been	1 ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF DEPONENT
2 read and sign, to whom is it delivered?	2 I, DAVID KIPPER, M.D., do hereby
3 MR. NADLEHAFT: I believe you deliver it	3 acknowledge that I have read and examined the
4 to Planet Depos, directly to Planet Depos.	4 foregoing testimony and the same is a true,
5 MR. HARWELL: Will Planet Depos let me	5 correct and complete transcription of the
6 know how to do that or will it be in the	6 testimony given by me and any corrections appear
7 deposition transcript?	7 on the attached errata sheet signed by me.
8 PLANET DEPOS TECHNICIAN: I'm certain	8
9 I'm certain the office has will be happy to	9
10 give you explicit instructions, sir.	10 (SIGNATURE) (DATE)
11 MR. HARWELL: I just don't want to screw	11
12 this up. We California has recently changed	12
13 its rules and people can sometimes get testy, and	13
14 so I just want to make sure we understood what you	14
15 had expected of us. We're pleased to cooperate	15
16 and do it, but I just need to know what it is.	16
17 MR. NADLEHAFT: I believe you'll get I	17
18 believe you'll get a you'll get the transcript	18
19 from Planet Depos and in those instructions it	19
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20 will say that you can read and sign. And I know 21 there's an errata sheet at the end of the 22 transcript. And obviously I'm sure our court	20 21 22

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