

# Attachment 12

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**  
**Electronic Communication**

**Title:** (U) Attempted Interview: Robert Hunter  
Biden 12/08/2020

**Date:** 12/15/2020

**From:** BALTIMORE

BA-C-11

**Contact:** Joseph P. Gordon, [REDACTED]

**Approved By:** ASAC Alfred A. Watson

**Drafted By:** Joseph P. Gordon

**Case ID #:** [REDACTED] (U//FOUO) SPORTSMAN CLUB;  
MONEY LAUNDERING - UNKNOWN;  
SENSITIVE INVESTIGATIVE MATTER

**Synopsis:** (U) To document attempt to interview Robert Hunter Biden

**Enclosure(s):** Enclosed are the following items:

1. (U) Notes with Biden's attorney

**Details:**

On 12/08/2020, SSA Joseph Gordon, FBI, and SSA Gary Shapley, IRS-CI, attempted to contact Robert Hunter Biden ("Biden") for an interview. At approximately 8:00 AM, SSAs Gordon and Shapley remained in the vicinity of Biden's residence located at [REDACTED], Venice, CA while FBI management was in contact with USSS management. Biden, a protectee of the USSS, was telephonically contacted by the USSS and provided the contact information for SSA Gordon and advised the FBI would like to speak with Biden. At approximately 8:19 AM, ASAC Alfred Watson, FBI, advised the writer that per the USSS, Biden would contact the writer via his attorney/representative. SSAs Gordon and Shapley then left the area without any contact with Biden or the USSS detail in the area.

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Re: [REDACTED], 12/15/2020

At approximately 10:27 AM, Attorneys Preston Burton (cell, [REDACTED]; office, [REDACTED]) and Ben Klubes (cell, [REDACTED]; office, [REDACTED]) of the Buckley law firm, located in Washington, DC, contacted the writer telephonically. They advised they represented Biden. The writer then provided the attorneys with the contact information for AUSA Lesley Wolf, District of Delaware.

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