

EXHIBIT 24

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2 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
3 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
4 Case No. 1:21-cv-02587-GHW/SLC

5 JOHN P. "JACK" FLYNN and LESLIE
6 A. FLYNN,

7 Plaintiffs,

8 vs.

9 CABLE NEWS NETWORK, INC.,

10 Defendant.

11 _____ /
12 450 East Las Olas Boulevard
13 Fort Lauderdale, Florida
14 May 15, 2023
15 12:08 p.m. - 2:26 p.m.

16 VIDEO DEPOSITION OF JEFFERY PEDERSEN
17 (Marked Confidential)
18 (Attorneys' Eyes Only)

19 Taken before SUZANNE VITALE, R.P.R., F.P.R.
20 and Notary Public for the State of Florida at Large,
21 pursuant to Notice of Taking Deposition filed in the
22 above cause.

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 34</p> <p>1 QAnon.</p> <p>2 Q. So you're telling me that someone who</p> <p>3 understands that followers of Q are non-violent is</p> <p>4 also someone who understands there is Q and there</p> <p>5 are Anons and there's no QAnon, correct?</p> <p>6 A. Yes.</p> <p>7 Q. Then, if you go down, at the bottom of the</p> <p>8 page, there's another tweet from you that says, "The</p> <p>9 media calls #Q a cult group that believes in satanic</p> <p>10 sex rings, vampires and inter-dimensional beings. I</p> <p>11 searched #QAnon's posts and found zero mention of</p> <p>12 any of those things, zero. The media lies to hurt."</p> <p>13 Do you see that?</p> <p>14 A. Yes, that is a quote by Grant Stinchfield</p> <p>15 from Newsmax at the time.</p> <p>16 Q. And you are putting it on your Twitter</p> <p>17 feed, right?</p> <p>18 A. Correct.</p> <p>19 Q. And you believe it was correct?</p> <p>20 A. Yes.</p> <p>21 Q. Then the last -- well, page 6 of 17,</p> <p>22 you'll see that there's -- in the middle of the</p> <p>23 page, middle of page 6, there's a tweet that says,</p> <p>24 "The bottom line is that we are all just regular</p> <p>25 people."</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 36</p> <p>1 make a new one to get the Q references out, and it</p> <p>2 took a while to get that. So maybe November,</p> <p>3 December of 2020.</p> <p>4 I don't recall the exact date. I'm so</p> <p>5 sorry.</p> <p>6 Q. You remember that you went to a place,</p> <p>7 something called QCon LIVE in Arizona, correct?</p> <p>8 A. Correct.</p> <p>9 Q. That was in October of 2021, correct?</p> <p>10 A. Yes, it was.</p> <p>11 Q. You showed that video --</p> <p>12 A. Yes.</p> <p>13 Q. -- at that meeting, right?</p> <p>14 A. So it was after that date, then, we</p> <p>15 changed it, yes, ma'am.</p> <p>16 Q. And the one in October didn't have the</p> <p>17 sound, right? You added the sound later?</p> <p>18 A. Yes, because we didn't start with Red</p> <p>19 State Talk Radio until after that.</p> <p>20 Q. Okay. So what was the word you just</p> <p>21 called it? The plug.</p> <p>22 The plug for your show that we saw was</p> <p>23 from 2020 -- yes, 2020, and it continued when you</p> <p>24 moved over to Red State Radio, it got the words,</p> <p>25 correct?</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 35</p> <p>1 Are you with me?</p> <p>2 A. "The bottom line," yes, ma'am.</p> <p>3 Q. It says, "The bottom line is that we are</p> <p>4 all just regular people who researched these drops</p> <p>5 by an entity named Q. We are not violent and</p> <p>6 certainly not what mainstream media perceives us to</p> <p>7 be. We are American citizens and we love our</p> <p>8 country."</p> <p>9 Do you see that?</p> <p>10 A. I do.</p> <p>11 Q. And you tweeted that, right?</p> <p>12 A. Yes, I did.</p> <p>13 Q. And what is the video?</p> <p>14 A. I don't recall. 42 seconds. It might be</p> <p>15 just a show plug.</p> <p>16 Q. And what do you mean by that?</p> <p>17 A. A video that just plugs our show. I'm not</p> <p>18 sure what it is, though.</p> <p>19 Q. What -- the video we watched earlier, the</p> <p>20 two videos we watched earlier, were those show</p> <p>21 plugs?</p> <p>22 A. At the time, yes. We don't use those</p> <p>23 anymore, though.</p> <p>24 Q. When did you stop using those?</p> <p>25 A. I believe around August -- so I wanted to</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 37</p> <p>1 A. Yes.</p> <p>2 Q. I think I may have gotten my dates wrong,</p> <p>3 but I think that's right.</p> <p>4 In a lot of your -- in your plug, which we</p> <p>5 saw earlier, you said boom, boom. And if you look</p> <p>6 through your tweets, you often use boom, boom or so</p> <p>7 many booms.</p> <p>8 Agreed?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. What is boom, boom?</p> <p>11 A. Just like information, like truth when it</p> <p>12 happens; boom.</p> <p>13 Q. Okay. And that phrase "boom, boom," was</p> <p>14 not unique to you, right? Other people use boom?</p> <p>15 A. Correct.</p> <p>16 Q. To mean the same thing, right?</p> <p>17 A. Yes. I think you'll see wrestlers use that</p> <p>18 term, boom, you know. You'll see football coaches</p> <p>19 use that term.</p> <p>20 Q. What is a Q proof?</p> <p>21 A. Something that Q posted and it becomes</p> <p>22 true.</p> <p>23 Q. Can you give me an example?</p> <p>24 A. For example, on 10 of '18, Michael</p> <p>25 Sussmann was mentioned. We did a lot of research on</p>

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<p>1 BY MS. BOLGER:</p> <p>2 Q. What does it mean?</p> <p>3 A. I don't know what it means. It's just</p> <p>4 silly.</p> <p>5 Q. Okay. At the bottom of this page, it,</p> <p>6 says, "Conservatives flock to Parlor app, claim</p> <p>7 censorship on Facebook and Twitter NPR."</p> <p>8 Do you see that?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. And then you say, "Be strong and do not</p> <p>11 leave the battlefield."</p> <p>12 Do you see that?</p> <p>13 A. Yes.</p> <p>14 Q. What does that mean?</p> <p>15 A. "Conservatives flock to Parlor app. Claim</p> <p>16 censorship on Facebook and Twitter NPR. Be strong</p> <p>17 and do not leave the battlefield."</p> <p>18 Maybe stay on Twitter?</p> <p>19 Q. So that's obviously the headline of an</p> <p>20 article. And then you're saying, "Be strong and do</p> <p>21 not leave the battlefield."</p> <p>22 I'm wondering what you meant by "do not</p> <p>23 leave the battlefield."</p> <p>24 A. Stay on Twitter.</p> <p>25 Q. Why was it important to stay on Twitter?</p>	Page 44	<p>1 three I gave you this morning, and I'm not sure</p> <p>2 of the tab number. It's the Jeffery Pedersen</p> <p>3 a/k/a intheMatrixxx boast that he has been</p> <p>4 Q'ed. It's that one.</p> <p>5 MS. KRISHNAM: Okay. Give me one second.</p> <p>6 MR. BENIMOFF: Did we skip 402?</p> <p>7 MS. KRISHNAM: Yeah. I think -- that was</p> <p>8 the other thing I was going to say. I think</p> <p>9 we're on 402, Kate.</p> <p>10 MS. BOLGER: Sorry. I obviously can't</p> <p>11 count. I apologize.</p> <p>12 MS. KRISHNAM: Tab 67, Rob.</p> <p>13 MR. BENIMOFF: Thank you very much,</p> <p>14 Counsel.</p> <p>15 (Thereupon, the referred-to document was</p> <p>16 marked for Identification as Defendant's</p> <p>17 Exhibit 402.)</p> <p>18 BY MS. BOLGER:</p> <p>19 Q. You, again, are welcome to look at</p> <p>20 whatever aspect of the exhibit you want to look at,</p> <p>21 but I wanted to draw your attention to, I guess, the</p> <p>22 third sort of substantive page of the exhibit.</p> <p>23 You'll see there's, in the middle of the</p> <p>24 page, just on your left side, if you look at the</p> <p>25 left side, there's a picture of you, correct?</p>
<p>1 A. Information flow, freedom of speech.</p> <p>2 Q. I don't understand.</p> <p>3 A. Why is it important to stay on Twitter?</p> <p>4 Q. Why did you think it was important for</p> <p>5 patriots to stay on Twitter?</p> <p>6 A. Information flow.</p> <p>7 Q. When you mean information flow, do you</p> <p>8 mean communicating with each other or do you mean</p> <p>9 communicating to the public, or what do you mean by</p> <p>10 information flow?</p> <p>11 A. Communicating to the public, yes.</p> <p>12 Q. When you were analyzing the Q drops, was</p> <p>13 social media an important way for you to spread</p> <p>14 information about the Q drops?</p> <p>15 A. Yes.</p> <p>16 Q. Q himself actually said to use memes,</p> <p>17 right, the Q persona?</p> <p>18 A. Yes.</p> <p>19 Q. And so Anons, in response, used memes,</p> <p>20 correct?</p> <p>21 A. Yes.</p> <p>22 Q. I'm going to show you a document that I'm</p> <p>23 going to mark as Exhibit 403, which is another</p> <p>24 printout from Twitter.</p> <p>25 MS. BOLGER: And Meenu, this is one of the</p>	Page 43	<p>1 A. Yes.</p> <p>2 Q. It says, "Jeffery Pedersen, a/k/a</p> <p>3 intheMatrixxx, boasts that he has been Q'ed, i.e.,</p> <p>4 been linked to a Q post, 15 times."</p> <p>5 Do you see that?</p> <p>6 A. Yes.</p> <p>7 Q. Is it still 15 times or were you Q'ed</p> <p>8 thereafter?</p> <p>9 A. I could have been Q'ed after as well.</p> <p>10 There was a bunch of posts that Q made, and it was a</p> <p>11 graphic, a picture with my Twitter account in it.</p> <p>12 So I don't know the exact number.</p> <p>13 Q. Sorry. So the Q persona tweet -- or</p> <p>14 posted that image more than one time; is that right?</p> <p>15 A. Yes. I think up to 16, 14 times. I</p> <p>16 haven't been able to count because there's almost</p> <p>17 5,000 posts.</p> <p>18 Q. Okay. And you'll see your -- there's</p> <p>19 something behind you that says "The great</p> <p>20 awakening."</p> <p>21 Do you see that?</p> <p>22 A. I do.</p> <p>23 Q. What is the great awakening?</p> <p>24 A. People thinking for themselves.</p> <p>25 Q. Is the great awakening a term that you</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 50</p> <p>1 Q. Is he someone you admire?</p> <p>2 A. Yes.</p> <p>3 Q. And why is that?</p> <p>4 A. Because he became security advisor for</p> <p>5 Donald J. Trump, and I liked a lot of the things</p> <p>6 that he had to say.</p> <p>7 Q. And support for General Flynn was popular</p> <p>8 on Twitter during the latter parts of his criminal</p> <p>9 prosecution, correct?</p> <p>10 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>11 Q. And he was particularly popular among</p> <p>12 people who were looking at Q drops, right?</p> <p>13 A. I believe so, yes.</p> <p>14 Q. He was referred to in many Q drops, right?</p> <p>15 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>16 Q. What types of things did Q have to say</p> <p>17 about him?</p> <p>18 A. That he was a patriot and -- boy, I should</p> <p>19 have read all the drops again.</p> <p>20 Basically support him, saying that he,</p> <p>21 like Trump V2 Administration possibly. He knows</p> <p>22 where the bodies are buried, I think is another of</p> <p>23 the posts. But I don't know much more than that.</p> <p>24 Just that he was spoken positively.</p> <p>25 Q. Have you met General Flynn?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 52</p> <p>1 A. We have -- we got credentials for a</p> <p>2 President Trump rally in Fort Myers.</p> <p>3 Q. When was that?</p> <p>4 A. Fort Myers --</p> <p>5 Q. When was it?</p> <p>6 A. -- President Trump rally. Boy, I don't</p> <p>7 recall the date.</p> <p>8 Q. I'm not -- I can't test you. That's not</p> <p>9 my intention. It's just your best memory is all I</p> <p>10 can ask for.</p> <p>11 A. Yes. I mean, I can Google it. It was</p> <p>12 when he was in Fort Myers.</p> <p>13 Q. Before or after the 2020 election?</p> <p>14 A. After.</p> <p>15 Q. Okay. Have you met any other members of</p> <p>16 General Flynn's family?</p> <p>17 A. Joe Flynn.</p> <p>18 Q. Anybody else?</p> <p>19 A. I have met Mary Flynn at a function where</p> <p>20 I was press.</p> <p>21 Q. Have you met Lori Flynn, the general's</p> <p>22 wife?</p> <p>23 A. I don't believe so.</p> <p>24 Q. What was the function you were at where</p> <p>25 you met Mary?</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 51</p> <p>1 A. Yes.</p> <p>2 Q. How many times?</p> <p>3 A. I don't know. I've been at a lot of</p> <p>4 events as press, and I've met him quite a few times.</p> <p>5 Q. You say as press.</p> <p>6 Do you carry a press pass?</p> <p>7 A. No, but I get press credentials from The</p> <p>8 Great Awakening Tour and Trump rallies.</p> <p>9 Q. What is The Great Awakening Tour?</p> <p>10 A. Clay Clark's Great ReAwaken Tour.</p> <p>11 Q. ReAwaken Tour, gotcha.</p> <p>12 A. ReAwaken Tour.</p> <p>13 Q. Gotcha. Yeah, okay.</p> <p>14 And you said you get press creds from</p> <p>15 those organizations?</p> <p>16 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>17 Q. How do you get those?</p> <p>18 A. Because I'm an independent journalist.</p> <p>19 Q. No. How do you physically get them? Do</p> <p>20 you have to apply? Do they know you? How do you</p> <p>21 physically get them?</p> <p>22 A. Oh, yes, ma'am. Yes, ma'am. You have to</p> <p>23 apply.</p> <p>24 Q. And where else do you get press</p> <p>25 credentials?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 53</p> <p>1 A. It was 2000 Mules presentation at</p> <p>2 Mar-a-Lago.</p> <p>3 Q. You and Mary were at Mar-a-Lago?</p> <p>4 A. Yes, ma'am.</p> <p>5 Q. Were there other Flynns there?</p> <p>6 A. General Flynn and Joe Flynn.</p> <p>7 Q. And all their wives?</p> <p>8 A. I don't recall meeting them if they were</p> <p>9 there.</p> <p>10 Q. I'm going to ask you to take a look at a</p> <p>11 document that is another Twitter printout. This one</p> <p>12 is from the QAnon Anonymous podcast. It's</p> <p>13 Exhibit 403.</p> <p>14 Why did you laugh?</p> <p>15 A. I was just clearing my throat.</p> <p>16 Q. No. I'm curious why you laughed. It's</p> <p>17 okay.</p> <p>18 MR. BENIMOFF: May I have the tab number,</p> <p>19 please?</p> <p>20 MS. KRISHNAN: Yeah, 68.</p> <p>21 MS. BOLGER: Thank you.</p> <p>22 BY MS. BOLGER:</p> <p>23 Q. Why did you laugh?</p> <p>24 A. I was just clearing my throat.</p> <p>25 Q. That's not quite true. You really</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 74</p> <p>1 speculation. 2 BY MS. BOLGER: 3 Q. And what did you understand take the oath 4 to mean? 5 MR. BISS: Object to the form. 6 BY MS. BOLGER: 7 Q. You can answer. 8 A. Basically, that you're, you know, taking 9 an oath of office, per se. You're not taking a 10 government office, but you're just saying that -- I 11 can't read it. My eyes are getting bad. But, 12 basically, people did take the oath of office. 13 Q. What does mission forward mean? 14 MR. BISS: Object to the form. 15 THE WITNESS: Take the oath mission 16 forward, the Q mission possibly. I don't know. 17 BY MS. BOLGER: 18 Q. The Q persona often says mission forward. 19 I wondered if, in your research, you had come to an 20 understanding of what mission forward means? 21 A. I have not. 22 Q. So after this Q post on June 24th, you 23 noted there was a lot of posts on Twitter of people 24 taking this oath, right? 25 A. I did.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 76</p> <p>1 A. Yes. 2 Q. Where did you attend Q Con LIVE? 3 A. Was it Arizona? Scottsdale. 4 Q. Was there also one in Fort Lauderdale? 5 A. The one I went to was in Jacksonville. 6 No, wait. 7 Q Con? Was there one in Fort Lauderdale? 8 I don't recall. I don't know if I was there or not. 9 I don't think I was. I think I only did the one. 10 Q. And what was Q Con LIVE? 11 A. It's another production -- what's the 12 gentleman's name? Chris Jacobson, I believe, was 13 the organizer of that. 14 Q. And what did you talk about at Q Con LIVE? 15 A. We basically did a live show. 16 Q. So were you the MC, for lack of a better 17 term, of the show? 18 A. Yes, but we didn't have control over all 19 the guests. 20 Q. Okay. I'm going to -- Exhibit 411 is 21 Tab 38. It's a printout of the Q Con LIVE flyer, Q 22 Con LIVE website. 23 (Thereupon, the referred-to document was 24 marked for Identification as Defendant's 25 Exhibit 411.)</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 75</p> <p>1 MR. BISS: Object to the form. 2 BY MS. BOLGER: 3 Q. Do you recall seeing General Flynn, and 4 whether he took the post -- the oath? 5 A. I've seen it, yes. 6 Q. Where did you see it? 7 A. Twitter. 8 Q. What was your reaction to seeing it? 9 A. I thought it was great. 10 Q. Why was it great? 11 A. Because it's an oath of office, and I 12 agree with it. 13 Well, he was in office, I guess, too, on 14 that. I just thought it was pretty neat. The 15 timing was interesting. 16 Q. Why was the timing interesting? 17 A. I don't know exactly when he did the oath. 18 Q. But it was close in time to this Q drop? 19 A. Yes. 20 Q. And you were -- when you say the timing is 21 interesting, you mean that you wondered if his 22 taking the oath was caused by the Q drop, right? 23 A. Yes. 24 Q. There came a time when you attended Q Con 25 LIVE, right?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 77</p> <p>1 BY MS. BOLGER: 2 Q. So I'm going to ask you to take a look. 3 Have you ever seen the Q Con LIVE 4 conference website? 5 A. I have a long time ago, yes. 6 Q. If you turn to the second page, you'll 7 see -- which is -- 8 A. This page here? 9 Q. Yes. 10 You'll see that there is -- there are 11 actually two pictures of you and it reads, "Jeff 12 Pedersen a/k/a @InTheMatrixxx, cohost of The 13 Matrixxx Groove Show. Jeff has been researching 14 bloodlines, monetary system and symbolism for 15 decades. He's developed a large Twitter following 16 by being a conduit and a good steward of information 17 from the boards to Twitter. InTheMatrixxx has been 18 Q'd fifteen times through his research for truth." 19 Do you see that? 20 A. I do. 21 Q. Did you write that? 22 A. No. 23 Q. What does it mean to be researching 24 bloodlines? 25 MR. BISS: Object to the form.</p>

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