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June 19, 2015

BY HAND

The Honorable Gabriel W. Gorenstein United States Magistrate Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

> Re: In Re Grand Jury Subpoena to Reason.com Dated June 2, 2015

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Dear Judge Gorenstein:

On June 4, 2015, the Honorable Frank Maas entered the enclosed Non-Disclosure Order (the "Order") in the above-referenced matter. Since that time, the Government has learned that the Grand Jury subpoena dated June 2, 2015 to which the Order applies (the "Subpoena") was disclosed to third parties prior to the entry of the Order and posted on a publicly available website on or about June 8. 2015. Accordingly, because the Subpoena is now effectively in the public domain, the Government respectfully requests that the Order be vacated.

Respectfully submitted,

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In Re Grand Jury Subpoena to Reason.com Dated June 2, 2015, USAO Reference No. 2015R00284

2705(b)	Non-Disclosure	Order
	SE	ALED

Docket No.	

Upon the application of the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2705(b):

1. The Court hereby determines that there is reason to believe that notification of the existence of the attached subpoena will result in one or more of the following consequences, namely, endangering the life or physical safety of an individual; flight from prosecution: destruction of or tampering with evidence; intimidation of potential witnesses; or otherwise seriously jeopardizing an investigation or unduly delaying a trial.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED:

- 2. Reason.com ("Service Provider") shall not, for a period of 180 days from the date of this Order (and any extensions thereof), disclose the existence of this Order or the attached subpoena, to the listed subscriber of the account referenced in the subpoena, or to any other person, except that Service Provider may disclose the attached subpoena to an attorney for Service Provider for the purpose of receiving legal advice.
- 3. This Order and the Application upon which it was granted are to be filed under seal until otherwise ordered by the Court, except that the Government may without further order provide copies of the Application and Order as need be to personnel assisting the Government in the investigation and prosecution of this matter, and disclose these materials as necessary to comply with discovery and disclosure obligations in any prosecutions related to this matter.

Dated: New York, New York

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United States District Court SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

TO:

Reason.com

5737 Mesmer Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90230

GREETINGS:

WE COMMAND YOU that all and singular business and excuses being laid aside, you appear and attend before the GRAND JURY of the people of the United States for the Southern District of New York, at the United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, Room 480 (via North elevators), in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, New York, in the Southern District of New York, at the following date, time and place:

Appearance Date:

June 9, 2015

Appearance Time: 10:00 a.m.

to testify and give evidence in regard to an alleged violation of:

Title 18, United States Code, Section 875

and not to depart the Grand Jury without leave thereof, or of the United States Attorney, and that you bring with you and produce at the above time and place the following:

See Attached Rider.

NB: Personal appearance is not required if the requested documents are (1) produced on or before the return date to Maxime Vales, Deputy U.S. Marshal, 500 Pearl Street, Suite 400, New York, NY 10007, tel: 646-294-0154, e-mail: Maxime.Vales@usdoj.gov; and (2) accompanied by an executed copy of the attached Declaration of Custodian of Records. Please provide the information in electronic format if available.

Failure to attend and produce any items hereby demanded will constitute contempt of court and will subject you to civil sanctions and criminal penalties, in addition to other penalties of the Law.

DATED: New York, New York

June 2, 2015

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RIDER

(Grand Jury Subpoena to Reason, dated June 2, 2015)

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• <u>Agammamon</u>|5.31.15 @ 10:47AM|#

Its judges like these that should be taken out back and shot.

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• <u>Alan</u> | 5.31.15 @ 12:09PM |

It's judges like these that will be taken out back and shot.

FTFY.

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Why waste ammunition? Wood chippers get the message across clearly. Especially if you feed them in feet first.

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Why do it out back? Shoot them out front, on the steps of the courthouse.

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• Rhywun|5.31.15 @ 11:35AM|#

I hope there is a special place in hell reserved for that horrible woman.

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• <u>Alan</u>|5.31.15 @ 12:11PM|#

There is.

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I'd prefer a hellish place on Earth be reserved for her as well.

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Fuck that. I don't want to oay for that cunt's food, housing, and medical. Send her through the wood chipper.

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