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15) Plaintiff,)	GOVERNMENT'S AND DEFENDANTS' DRAFT JOINT STATEMENT OF THE CASE
16		TO THE JURY
17	V.)	Trial Date: 8/18/09 (tentative)
18	GERALD GREEN and	Trial Time: 9:00 a.m. (tentative)
19	PATRICIA GREEN,)	
20	Defendants.)	
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The United States, by and through its counsel of record, the United States Attorney for the Central District of California, and the Fraud Section, United States Department of Justice, Criminal Division, and defendant GERALD GREEN, by and through his attorney of record, Jerome Mooney, Esq., defendant PATRICIA GREEN, through her attorney of record, Marilyn Bednarski, Esq., hereby submit the attached draft of a I

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1	proposed Joint Statement of the Case to the Jury, as to which
2	the parties have substantially agreed but a few disputes remain
3	for this Court to resolve. Accordingly, the disputed language
4	is in brackets identified with the government or with the
5	defense by different fonts.
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[DRAFT] PROPOSED JOINT STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The defendants in this case, GERALD GREEN and PATRICIA GREEN, operated entertainment and public-relations businesses in Beverly Hills, California. The indictment charges them with committing several federal crimes between 2002 and 2007.

The indictment alleges that the Greens made payments of 6 7 approximately \$1.8 million [Govt version: in bribes][defense version: 8 no addition here] for an official of the government of Thailand to secure a series of Thai government contracts, in violation of conspiracy, anti-bribery, and money laundering laws of the United States. The Thai official's daughter and a friend opened foreign bank accounts to which the Greens caused money to be sent. The indictment alleges these monies were for the benefit of the Thai official. The Greens deny these charges, maintaining that they entered into consulting agreements with the Thai official's daughter and the friend with the desire to expand their business opportunities in Thailand and that no payments made were for the benefit of the Thai official or with a corrupt purpose.

The indictment alleges that PATRICIA GREEN signed and filed United States Income Tax Returns knowing that the returns falsely claimed deductions [government version: for bribes] [defense version: for these disputed payments] to the Thai official foreign official, in violation of a criminal tax law. The indictment alleges that PATRICIA GREEN misrepresented the payments on the returns as "commissions." PATRICIA GREEN denies that the payments were improperly deducted or mis-characterized.

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1 The indictment alleges that GERALD GREEN altered and 2 falsified documents after learning of the federal investigation 3 in this case, in an effort to obstruct justice. The indictment 4 alleges that GERALD GREEN allegedly falsified documents in 5 attempting to give an innocent explanation for the [government 6 version: bribes][defense version: disputed payments]. GERALD GREEN denies 7 this charge.