

Legend

Dear Paul: This is so I will not forget. It appears that Epstein has fled to Europe for two months. Like the advice offered E. Howard Hunt. Jim has been too busy to note any depositions but he asked Jerry to get him Epstein's address so we could subpoena him. Jerry reported back that according to Sylvia Epstein had gone to Europe for two months. We do not know when he left but it appears not to be to promote his book and to be connected with our filing for a "new trial" in the transcripts case. If he is in Europe we can't very well subpoena him and the government will claim that all else is hearsay.

I've never heard of anything like this with a book to promote- a book that has so much money to make back. With reprint latched to hardback promotion and sales, etc.

It will make the tapes more important. If the government can't cross-examine a tape. (As it can't cross-examine an affidavit.)

Jim's introduction to breaking the new to me this evening was accurate: "You are going to love this!"

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