

(U//~~FOUO~~) In July 2014, to initiate the review of Clinton's e-mails for production to State, Mills arranged for [redacted] to export from the PRN Server all of Clinton's e-mails sent to or received from a .gov e-mail address during Clinton's tenure as Secretary of State.^{288,289,290} Once [redacted] completed this export from the PRN Server, he remotely transferred a .PST file containing the e-mails onto Mills's and Samuelson's laptops via ScreenConnect.^{rr,291,292,293} In late September 2014, Mills and Samuelson asked [redacted] to provide a full export of all of Clinton's e-mails from her tenure, to include e-mails sent to and received from non-.gov e-mail addresses.^{294,295,296} Mills and Samuelson explained that this follow-up request was made to ensure their review captured all of the relevant e-mails from Clinton's tenure.^{297,298} [redacted] completed this export and transfer in the same manner as the July 2014 request.^{ss} Mills and Samuelson did not know from what location on the server [redacted] extracted Clinton's e-mails.^{299,300} [redacted] gave the FBI inconsistent statements over the course of three interviews regarding from where on the server he extracted Clinton's e-mails, and FBI investigation and forensic analysis have been unable to specifically identify the location and composition of the repository [redacted] used to create the export of Clinton's e-mails from her tenure.^{301,302,303}

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(U//~~FOUO~~) The FBI interviewed Samuelson on May 24, 2016 about her review of the PRN-provided e-mails. Samuelson indicated she conducted the review of these e-mails over the course of several months and completed it just prior to December 5, 2014, when hard copies of the work-related e-mails were turned over to State.³⁰⁴ Using her laptop to conduct the review, Samuelson placed any work-related e-mails into a folder that she had created in Microsoft Outlook.³⁰⁵ Samuelson first added to this folder all e-mails sent to or from Clinton's personal e-mail account with .gov and .mil e-mail addresses.³⁰⁶ Samuelson then searched the remaining e-mails for the names of State senior leadership, as well as any members of Congress, foreign leaders, or other official contacts.³⁰⁷ Finally, Samuelson conducted a key word search of terms such as "Afghanistan," "Libya," and "Benghazi."^{tt,308} Samuelson reviewed the "To," "From," and "Subject" fields of every e-mail during this review; however, she did not read the content of each individual e-mail, indicating that, in some instances, she made a determination as to whether it was one of Clinton's work or personal e-mails by only reviewing the "To," "From," and "Subject" fields of the e-mail.³⁰⁹

(U//~~FOUO~~) As she completed the review, Samuelson printed all of the e-mails to be turned over to State using a printer in Mills's office.³¹⁰ According to Samuelson, Mills and Kendall subsequently reviewed e-mails that Samuelson printed, and any hard copy of an e-mail Mills and Kendall deemed not to be work-related was shredded, and the digital copy of the e-mail was not included in the folder Samuelson created in Microsoft Outlook to contain all of the work-related e-mails.³¹¹ Mills stated that, other than instances where Samuelson requested Mills's guidance, Mills did not review the e-mails Samuelson identified as work-related, and once the review was complete, Samuelson printed the work-related e-mails.³¹² After the review was completed, Samuelson created a .PST file containing all of the work-related e-mails and ensured that all work-related e-mails were printed.³¹³ This .PST file was provided to Kendall on a USB thumb

^{rr} (U) ScreenConnect is a remote support administration tool that allows technicians to remotely connect to customers via a central web application to control and view end users' machines. According to product specifications, ScreenConnect encrypts data transmitted from one machine to another, to include screen data, file transfers, key strokes, and chat messages.

^{ss} (U//~~FOUO~~) Mills did not recall if this second .PST file was transferred to her computer.

^{tt} (U//~~FOUO~~) The FBI was unable to obtain a complete list of keywords or named officials searched from Samuelson, Mills, or Clinton's other attorneys due to an assertion of privilege.