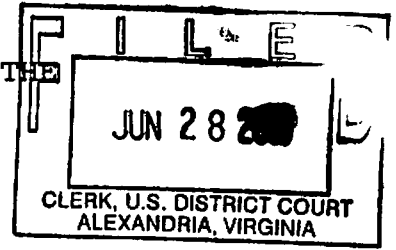


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
Alexandria Division



In re: )  
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Grand Jury Subpoena to ) 1:08dm61 (LMB)  
James Risen )  
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and )  
)  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
)  
v. ) 1:10cr485 (LMB)  
)  
JEFFREY ALEXANDER STERLING, )  
)  
Defendant. )

ORDER

In the Government's Response to James Risen's Motion to Unseal Portions of the Court's November 30, 2010 Opinion [Dkt. No. 86], the government does not object to unsealing the opinion, subject to a few additional redactions which the Court finds reasonable at this time. Accordingly, Risen's Motion Seeking the Unsealing of Portions of the Court's November 30, 2010 Opinion [Dkt. No. 83] is GRANTED, and it is hereby

ORDERED that the government's version of the redacted memorandum opinion filed in 1:08dm61 (attached to Dkt. No. 88) be publicly docketed in 1:10cr485 as the opinion granting James Risen's Motion to Quash the grand jury subpoena, and it is further

ORDERED that the government review Risen's Motion to Quash the grand jury subpoena and all pleadings responding to that


motion and promptly advise the Court, Sterling's counsel, and Risen's counsel as to whether it is willing to agree to these pleadings being unsealed, subject to appropriate redaction of classified information.

Given the significant legal issues raised in these pleadings and their relevance to the publicly filed case against Jeffrey Sterling, the public interest in access is strong and any further sealing should be kept to a minimum.

The Clerk is instructed to forward copies of this Order to counsel of record, including counsel for James Risen, and the Classified Information Security Officer.

Entered this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2011.

Alexandria, Virginia

  
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Leonie M. Brinkema  
United States District Judge