

**IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA**

CASE NO.: 15-cv-20782-Martinez/Goodman

DENNIS MONTGOMERY,

Plaintiff,

v.

RISEN, ET AL.

Defendants.

**SUPPLEMENT TO PLAINTIFF'S OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS' BLANKET
PROTECTIVE ORDER**

On July 8, 2015 Plaintiff submitted his opposition to Defendants' Blanket Protective Order. Within footnote 2 of this opposition, Plaintiff indicated that he would be supplementing the opposition with a transcript from a recent hearing within the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida, which underscores the principle that the court systems are meant to be open and transparent. Attached as Exhibit 1 to this supplement is the transcript that was indicated in Plaintiff's Opposition, and on page 6 of this transcript is where Magistrate Judge Dave Lee Brannon describes the policy of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida towards transparency. The Magistrate Judge described as follows: "Our next topic deals with the sealing of documents. As you know, that is the exception and not the rule. Every Court requires substantial reasons to support any request to seal." *Id.* at p. 6.

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Respectfully submitted,

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