

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	CRIMINAL NO.: _____
v.	:	
JAMES E. CARTWRIGHT,	:	VIOLATION:
Defendant.	:	
	:	18 U.S.C. § 1001
	:	(False Statements to Federal Investigators)
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INFORMATION

The Special Attorney to the Attorney General charges that:

COUNT ONE

1. On or about November 2, 2012, in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, the defendant,
JAMES E. CARTWRIGHT,
in a matter within the jurisdiction of the executive branch of the Government of the
United States, namely the United States Department of Justice's Federal Bureau of
Investigation, did knowingly and willfully make a materially false, fictitious, and
fraudulent statement and representation, to wit,
 - a. After investigators showed Cartwright a list of quotes and statements from David
Sanger's book, a number of which contained classified information, Cartwright
falsely told investigators that he was not the source of any of the quotes and
statements. Cartwright also falsely told investigators that he did not provide or
confirm classified information to David Sanger.

- b. Cartwright falsely told investigators that he never discussed Country 1 with Daniel Klaidman when in truth Cartwright had confirmed certain classified information relating to Country 1 in an email he sent to Daniel Klaidman.

(False Statements to Federal Investigators, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1001(a)(2).)

Respectfully submitted,

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