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I,	Brian	Paszamant,	hereby	certify	under	penalty	of	perjury,	that	the
following is true and correct and within my personal knowledge:										

- 1. I am over the age of 18, have personal knowledge of all facts contained in this declaration, and am competent to testify as a witness to those facts.
- 2. I am one of the attorneys representing Defendants James Elmer Mitchell and John "Bruce" Jessen in this action.
- 3. On May 18, 2017, I asked Plaintiffs, through their counsel, Lawrence S. Lustberg, to stipulate to the following facts:
 - a. A terrorist attack occurred on September 11, 2001 at the World Trade Center in New York City, New York, the Pentagon in Arlington, Virginia and on Flight 93, which crashed near Shanksville, Pennsylvania (the "9/11 Attacks");
 - b. The 9/11 Attacks were planned and carried out by the terrorist group al-Qaeda; and
 - c. 2,996 people were killed and over 5,000 people were injured as a result of the 9/11 Attacks.
- 4. On May 19, 2017, attorney Lustberg responded to my request that his clients so stipulate, refusing to so stipulate.
 - 5. No further correspondence on this matter has occurred.

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Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury under the 1 2 laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct. 3 s/Brian S. Paszamant Brian S. Paszamant 4 5 Executed this 22nd day of May, 2017 6 at Philadelphia, PA. 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 DECLARATION BRIAN S. PASZAMANT Betts 27 **Patterson** IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' Mines - 3 -MOTION TO TAKE JUDICIAL NOTICE 701 Pike Street, Suite 1400 28 Seattle, Washington 98101-3927 NO. 2:15-CV-286-JLQ (206) 292-9988

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 22nd day of May, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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