TERABYTES OF RAT-FUCKER DATA TRAIL

We often talk details about the Mueller investigation that should make Donald Trump worry.

And I think the government's motion to declare Roger Stone's prosecution a complex case ought to do that.

According to the filing, Mueller's team has got "terabytes of electronic records and data" from Stone, including a bunch of stuff that doesn't look directly pertinent to an obstruction case, but might look more interesting given the hints of campaign finance violations in this investigation. Or worse.

I'm particularly interested in this paragraph:

It is composed of multiple hard drives containing several terabytes of information consisting of, among other things, FBI case reports, search warrant applications and results (e.g., Apple iCloud accounts and email accounts), bank and financial records, and the contents of numerous physical devices (e.g., cellular phones, computers, and hard drives). The communications contained in the iCloud accounts, email accounts, and physical devices span several years. [//] The government also intends to produce to the defense the contents of physical devices recently seized from his home, apartment, and office. Those devices are currently undergoing a filter review by the FBI for potentially privileged communications.

The implication is everything before the bracket — the multiple cell phones, computers, and hard drives, his iCloud and email accounts, and the aforementioned financial records — have already

been in Mueller's possession. It's just the things after the bracket — more physical devices — that may or may not be new to the FBI. When, in Stone's indictment, Mueller referred to all the "emails and text messages ... STONE was still in possession of" when he lied to the House Intelligence Committee about having any such documents, that's how prosecutors knew.

For most of the year during which prosecutors have been obtaining testimony from Stone's associates, one by one, they've been been sitting on a mountain of evidence, and evidence not relating exclusively to the obstruction charges against Stone.

This designation as a complex case will give Stone some time to think about that.

As I disclosed last July, I provided information to the FBI on issues related to the Mueller investigation, so I'm going to include disclosure statements on Mueller investigation posts from here on out. I will include the disclosure whether or not the stuff I shared with the FBI pertains to the subject of the post.