UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Criminal No. 17-CR-_____

v. : Violations: 18 U.S.C. §§ 371; 666; 1341;

1343; 1346; 1951; 1956; 1957; 1962(c); and

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE : 2; 18 U.S.C. §§ 981(a)(1)(C); 982(a)(1);

1963 and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c)

INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY charges:

COUNT ONE

(Racketeering - 18 U.S.C. § 1962(c))

At all times relevant to this Indictment,

The Enterprise

- 1. The Massachusetts State Senate consists of 40 members, with each Senator elected to represent a district consisting of approximately 100,000 to 200,000 people. The Massachusetts Constitution requires the Senate to meet on a regular basis to consider legislation.
- 2. The Norfolk, Bristol, and Plymouth Senate district of Massachusetts consists of ten towns: the towns of Avon, Braintree (four precincts), Canton, Milton, Randolph, Sharon (two precincts), and Stoughton, in the county of Norfolk; the town of Easton (four precincts) in the county of Bristol; and the towns of East Bridgewater (one precinct) and West Bridgewater in the county of Plymouth.
- 3. From approximately 1998 to 2017, Brian Augustine Joyce, a Milton resident, was the elected State Senator for the Norfolk, Bristol, and Plymouth district (the "District"). As State Senator, Joyce represented the interests of the District, as well as the Commonwealth, on a regular

and continuing basis each year, with respect to state legislation, state and local budget matters, and certain local legislation, among other things.

- 4. In addition to being State Senator, defendant Joyce was a licensed Massachusetts attorney, who maintained a law office in Canton, known as the Joyce Law Group (the "Joyce Law Office"). In or about January 2006, defendant Joyce incorporated Brian A. Joyce, Attorney at Law, P.C. ("BAJPC") in Massachusetts. Defendant Joyce was the sole shareholder, director, and officer of BAJPC. Within the Joyce Law Office umbrella, BAJPC was a named partner in partnerships with other law partners, including a partner who specialized in insurance defense litigation ("Partner 1," with whom defendant Joyce formed "Partnership 1").
- 5. Senator Joyce maintained offices at the Massachusetts State House in Boston and at a District office in Canton ("District Office"), which was co-located at Joyce's private law office in Canton, upon which an outdoor sign was affixed: "SENATOR BRIAN A. JOYCE [-] ATTORNEY AT LAW." Senator Joyce performed his official duties with the assistance of his Senate staff, which was comprised of a chief of staff, legislative aides, a communications director, and other staff members and assistants (collectively, with Senator Joyce, the "Senate Office of Brian A. Joyce" or the "Senate Office").
- 6. The Senate Office of Brian A. Joyce constituted an "enterprise" as defined by Title 18, United States Code, Section 1961(4), that is, a group of individuals associated in fact that was engaged in, and the activities of which affected, interstate commerce. The Senate Office enterprise constituted an ongoing organization whose members functioned as a continuing unit for a common purpose of achieving the objectives of the enterprise.

7. The Senate Office's objectives included, but were not limited to, drafting, researching, advocating, proposing, and filing legislation; making recommendations and voting upon state budgets, state funding, and other legislative matters; participating in Senate and joint legislative committees; consulting with and making recommendations to other Massachusetts state officials, agencies, and departments; meeting and consulting with city and town representatives and officials; and performing constituent services.

The Defendant and related individuals and entities

- 8. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce, as State Senator, owed a duty of honest services to the District and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts that included the duty to refrain from accepting, or agreeing to accept, bribes and kickbacks offered in exchange for his official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on another official to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise another official, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by another official.
- 9. As State Senator, defendant Joyce was required, pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 268B §5, to file a statement of financial interest ("SFI") each year with the Massachusetts State Ethics Commission (the "Ethics Commission") and to publicly disclose, among other things:
 - A. Each business with which defendant Joyce, or his immediate family members, was associated as an employee, partner, sole proprietor, officer, director or in any similar managerial capacity, whether compensated or uncompensated, full-or part-time.
 - B. The name and address of, the nature of association with, the share of equity in, if applicable, and the amount of income if greater than one thousand dollars derived from each business with which he, or his immediate family members, was associated.
 - C. Any business in which defendant Joyce, and/or his immediate family members, owned more than 1% of the equity at any time (which would include any

- business in which defendant Joyce held a more than 1% equity interest through the ownership of another business, e.g., if defendant Joyce owned 20% of equity in Business A, and Business A owned 60% of Business B, defendant Joyce would be considered to own 12% of equity in Business B).
- D. Any security or investment with a fair market value above \$1,000 that was beneficially owned by defendant Joyce or his immediate family members (not including retirement plans, 401(k) plans, etc.).
- E. Any source that gave gifts whose aggregate fair market value exceeded \$100 for the calendar year if the source of such gift was a person that had direct interest in legislation, legislative action, or a matter before any governmental body.
- 10. Further, as State Senator, defendant Joyce was prohibited, pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 268A §23(b), from (a) soliciting or receiving anything of substantial value for or because of his official position; (b) using or attempting to use his official position to secure unwarranted privileges of substantial value which were not available to similarly situated individuals; and (c) acting in a manner which would cause a reasonable person to conclude that another person could improperly influence or unduly enjoy his favor in the performance of his official duties.

Objective of the Defendant

11. Defendant Joyce's objective in conducting and participating in the affairs of the Senate Office enterprise was to secretly profit from his position as State Senator by (a) carrying out a scheme and artifice to defraud the District and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of his honest services by conspiring to accept and accepting a stream of concealed bribes and kickbacks from private individuals and entities in exchange for his official action as specific opportunities arose, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official; (b) conspiring to obtain, attempting

to obtain, and obtaining property from private individuals and entities under color of official right; and (c) employing various methods of concealment, including using a shell company and other entities to launder proceeds from his bribery and kickback schemes.

Method and Means of the Defendant

- 12. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce conducted and participated in the conduct of the affairs of the enterprise by cultivating power and influence within the Massachusetts legislature through, among other things, his membership on various legislative committees, including the Special Senate Committee on Government Expenditures and the Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy; and his assumption of leadership roles, such as Senate Assistant Majority Leader during the 2015-2016 legislative session and Chair of the Senate Bonding Committee. Defendant Joyce also cultivated and maintained power and influence within his District as the District's long-time incumbent State Senator for legislative and other governmental matters, including state and local budget matters, state legislative action, and local legislation that required state approval, among other things.
- 13. Defendant Joyce used the power and influence of the Senate Office enterprise to extract payments from various individuals and entities in exchange for his official action as State Senator, including using defendant Joyce's official position as State Senator to exert pressure on and to advise other officials within his District and elsewhere to perform an official act, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by other officials.
- 14. Defendant Joyce concealed these payments by using various methods, including, among other things: (a) using the Joyce Law Office as a money laundering conduit for the corrupt payments; (b) falsely characterizing the bribe and kickback payments as legal referral fees, real

estate consulting fees, and other legal fees; (c) making material, false statements and omissions to the Ethics Commission and thereby using the Ethics Commission as a cloak of legitimacy for his corrupt schemes; and (d) laundering additional bribery proceeds by masking corrupt payments as the purchase of a 2014 Jeep.

The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme

- 15. The "Energy Broker Company" was an energy brokerage and consulting company that was based in New York and that did business in and affecting interstate commerce. The Energy Broker Company advised public and private entities in selecting energy providers in exchange for an energy broker commission. An individual, the "Energy Broker Executive," managed and directed the Energy Broker Company business in Massachusetts.
- Executive agreed that defendant Joyce would use his official position as State Senator to exert pressure on and advise officials within the District and elsewhere to take official action in favor of the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose. Prior to 2011, defendant Joyce had no background or experience in energy brokerage sales. In exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, the Energy Broker Executive agreed that the Energy Broker Company would secretly pay kickbacks to defendant Joyce in the form of broker commissions, which were calculated as a percentage of, and included in, the public or private entity's monthly energy payment.
- 17. Windswept, LLC ("Windswept") was a shell company that defendant Joyce created in or about April 2011 for the purpose of collecting concealed kickbacks from the Energy Broker Company that were paid in exchange for defendant Joyce's use of his official position as State

Senator to exert pressure on and advise officials within the District and elsewhere in Massachusetts to take official action in favor of the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose. According to state filings, defendant Joyce formed Windswept in Massachusetts, listed himself as Windswept's manager, and reported the business of Windswept as "brokerage services and such other activities permitted by law."

- 18. From in or about April 2011 to January 2016, defendant Joyce took several steps to conceal his involvement with the Energy Broker Company, which included, but were not limited to, the following:
 - A. Defendant Joyce formed Windswept for the purpose of entering into a broker commission agreement with the Energy Broker Company.
 - B. Defendant Joyce allocated a 50% ownership share of Windswept to BAJPC and a 50% ownership share of Windswept to a personal friend and associate of defendant Joyce (the "Associate").
 - C. Defendant Joyce had the Associate sign the broker commission agreement with the Energy Broker Company on Windswept's behalf. The broker commission agreement contained no reference to defendant Joyce.
 - D. Defendant Joyce opened a Massachusetts bank account for Windswept for the purpose of collecting and distributing his secret kickbacks from the Energy Broker Company between himself and the Associate. Defendant Joyce designated himself as the sole signatory on the account and reported Windswept's business as "Energy Brokerage."
 - E. Defendant Joyce funneled the secret kickbacks from Windswept to BAJPC in order to create the appearance that the Energy Broker Company was paying "legal" fees to defendant Joyce, which defendant Joyce then misleadingly reported as law-related income on his yearly SFI to the Ethics Commission.
- 19. In or about early 2013, defendant Joyce parted ways with the Associate. In mid-2013, defendant Joyce and the Energy Broker Executive negotiated and entered into a new broker commission agreement, pursuant to which defendant Joyce, solely, would continue to secretly

collect kickbacks that were paid in the form of energy broker commissions. In order to continue to disguise and conceal his relationship with the Energy Broker Company, defendant Joyce caused the following modifications to the new sales representation agreement:

- A. Defendant Joyce required the Energy Broker Company to agree "not to knowingly disclose the existence to this agreement."
- B. Defendant Joyce deleted the term "commissions" throughout the agreement and replaced that term with the term "referral fees," even though defendant Joyce acted as an energy sales broker for the Energy Broker Company, and not as a lawyer.
- C. Defendant Joyce entered into the broker commission agreement through his company, BAJPC, as a party to the agreement and not himself, personally.
- D. By designating BAJPC as a party to the agreement, defendant Joyce funneled all of the energy broker commissions from the Energy Broker Company to himself through the Joyce Law Office, with the purpose of disguising his energy broker commission income as law firm-related income on his yearly SFI to the Ethics Commission.
- 20. From 2011 to 2015, defendant Joyce made material false statements and omissions to the Ethics Commission to conceal his corrupt relationship with the Energy Broker Company, including, but not limited to, the following:
 - A. Defendant Joyce submitted yearly SFI's that omitted his ownership of Windswept despite the fact defendant Joyce owned 100% of BAJPC and BAJPC owned 50% of Windswept.
 - B. Defendant Joyce submitted yearly SFI's that omitted his relationship with the Energy Broker Company despite the fact that he received over \$800,000 in checks and wire payments from the Energy Broker Company via Windswept and BAJPC during that period.
 - C. In January 2015, defendant Joyce contacted the Ethics Commission asking whether he could help a client, an energy business (*i.e.*, the Energy Broker Company), by approaching public entities, such as counties, on behalf of the client. By referring to the energy business as a "client," defendant Joyce materially and falsely described his relationship with the Energy Broker Company as a lawyer-client relationship, when in reality, defendant Joyce was

a sales broker for the Energy Broker Company, and was not retained as its attorney.

21. From in or about early 2011 to in or about March 2015, in exchange for kickback payments to be made pursuant to his agreement with the Energy Broker Executive, defendant Joyce agreed to use his official position as State Senator to exert pressure on and advise officials within the District and elsewhere in Massachusetts to take official action in favor of the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, without disclosing to those officials that defendant Joyce had a financial interest in the energy contracts and projects obtained by the Energy Broker Company, including the following:

Town Official	Official Act(s) to be Obtained	Approximate	Kickbacks mailed/wired
Advised by	for the Energy Broker	Dates	to Windswept and
Defendant Joyce	Company (EBC)		BAJPC
Randolph – Town	Appoint and re-appoint EBC	2011-2016	\$20,071
Manager	exclusive energy consultant for		
	Randolph; Town approval of		
	EBC-brokered energy contract		
Easton – Town	Appoint EBC exclusive energy	2013-2016	\$14,759
Administrator	consultant of record for		
	Easton; Town approval of		
	EBC-brokered energy contract		
East Bridgewater	Appoint EBC energy	2014-2016	\$10,131
– Town	consultant for East		
Administrator	Bridgewater; Town approval of		
	EBC-brokered energy contract		
Holbrook – Town	Appoint EBC exclusive energy	2014-2016	\$3,148
Administrator	consultant of record for		
	Holbrook; Town approval of		
	EBC-brokered energy contract		
Southbridge –	Appoint EBC exclusive natural	2015	\$664
Town Manager	gas consultant for Southbridge;		
	Town approval of EBC-		
	brokered energy contract		
Total Kickbacks			\$48,773

22. On or about September 9, 2014, defendant Joyce, on his Massachusetts State Senate letterhead, filed a letter addressed to the Chair of the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities ("DPU"), which stated:

I am writing to urge the Department of Public Utilities to act swiftly in providing guidance to utility providers under Section 3 of Chapter 149 of the Acts of 2014, An Act relative to natural gas leaks.

This provision requires DPU to authorize gas companies, to design and offer programs to customers which increase the availability, affordability and feasibility of natural gas service for new customers. This is an important piece of legislation. There are many families in my communities who are eager to receive natural gas service, but the costs are currently prohibitively expensive.

I urge DPU to provide the necessary guidance to gas providers as soon as possible. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you need additional information about the importance of this program for the communities that I represent.

As an energy broker, defendant Joyce received commissions on natural gas sales to Randolph, Easton, and Southbridge. Any increase in the availability of natural gas sales afforded defendant Joyce more gas commission opportunities via the Energy Broker Company. Defendant Joyce did not disclose to the DPU in the letter that he collected natural gas commissions as an energy broker.

- 23. At least as early as January 2012, defendant Joyce assisted the Energy Broker Company in obtaining a client, a private college in Easton, Massachusetts (the "Easton College"), which was interested in installing solar panels on its campus (the "Solar Panel Project").
- 24. Defendant Joyce agreed to use his official position as State Senator to take official action in the State Senate and to exert pressure on and advise officials within the DPU to take official action in favor of the Energy Broker Company in connection with the Solar Panel Project at the Easton College as follows:

- A. From at least as early as January 2012, defendant Joyce and the Energy Broker Executive worked together to broker a deal with the Easton College and other parties to move forward with the Solar Panel Project at the Easton College. If defendant Joyce procured the Easton College as a client for the Energy Broker Company, defendant Joyce stood to receive thousands of dollars in kickbacks in the form of energy broker commissions upon completion of the Solar Panel Project.
- B. For the Solar Panel Project to succeed, however, defendant Joyce and the Energy Broker Executive needed the local utility company (the "Local Utility") to refrain from exercising so-called utility company "franchise rights" rights that would have enabled the Local Utility to limit use of its power lines to transport any solar generated electricity across a public roadway from the solar panel site to the Easton College.
- C. In or about late March 2012, defendant Joyce had a member of his Senate Office staff research state legislation that would "stop the utilities from exercising their so-called franchise rights in order to thwart projects, such as their practice of not allowing [energy] suppliers to cross the road[.]"
- D. In late March to early April 2012, defendant Joyce filed an amendment to Senate Bill number 2200 that provided that any company that was engaged in the distribution of electricity "shall not exercise its franchise rights in a way that would affect the distribution and sale of electricity by on-site combined heat and power facilities to end use customers[.]" Defendant Joyce believed that the amendment would be favorable to the Easton College's Solar Panel Project.
- E. In or about September 2012, the Easton College appointed the Energy Broker Company as its exclusive energy consultant of record in connection with the Solar Panel Project.
- F. In mid-January 2013, defendant Joyce and the Energy Broker Executive learned that the Local Utility had petitioned the DPU for a ruling regarding the Local Utility's ability to exercise its utility franchise rights, and that the DPU could possibly halt or delay the Solar Panel Project.
 - G. In January 2013, defendant Joyce disclosed to the Ethics Commission that he represented parties involved in a solar panel project at a college in Easton "in [his] private capacity as an attorney," and that he "intend[ed] to file legislation" that would be favorable to such project. (Defendant Joyce filed this legislation under Senate Bill No. 1599). Defendant Joyce never disclosed to the Ethics Commission that (i) he was working as a sales broker for the Energy Broker Company on the Solar Panel Project; (ii) he had already received commissions on the Solar Panel Project; and (iii) he had already filed favorable legislation

- eight months earlier. Moreover, in an attempt to disguise his relationship with the Energy Broker Company as an attorney-client relationship, defendant Joyce asked the Energy Broker Executive to retain defendant Joyce as an attorney for "one dollar," which the Energy Broker Executive declined.
- H. In February 2013, defendant Joyce emailed the Ethics Commission asking whether his law firm could be retained by clients to argue before the DPU on behalf of the Solar Panel Project. The Ethics Commission responded that defendant Joyce could not be compensated for appearing before the DPU. Defendant Joyce never disclosed to the Ethics Commission that he would receive energy broker commissions in connection with the Solar Panel Project, regardless of whether or not his law firm was retained.
- I. At least as early as in or about February 2013, defendant Joyce and the Energy Broker Executive agreed to use defendant Joyce's "clout" as State Senator to argue before the DPU on behalf of the Solar Panel Project.
- J. In March 2013, defendant Joyce submitted a legal brief to the DPU, urging that the "project ... should be permitted to move forward as planned without further delay." During early 2013, defendant Joyce also contacted DPU employees regarding the project as part of an effort to get a favorable DPU decision.
- K. Ultimately, the DPU decided not to halt or delay the Solar Panel Project, and from in or about 2012 to early 2016, defendant Joyce received approximately \$135,564 in secret energy broker commissions on the Solar Panel Project from the Energy Broker Company via checks and interstate electronic wires to Windswept.

The Developer Kickback Scheme

25. There was an individual (the "Developer") who purchased and developed real estate in Milton and was an owner of two Massachusetts car dealerships, both constituting activities which involved purchasing goods and services in and affecting interstate commerce. Defendant Joyce was friends with the Developer and, at least as early as in or about October 2012, approached the Developer about purchasing and redeveloping the Milton Women's Club (the "Milton Women's Club" or "MWC"), an historic Milton club that was dedicated to promoting women's issues and causes, but that had fallen into disrepair.

- 26. To maximize profits on redeveloping the MWC, defendant Joyce and the Developer agreed that the Developer's purchase of the MWC property had to be contingent upon the Developer's ability to tear down the MWC and subdivide the MWC property into four lots, which would require Milton Planning Board approval. The Milton Planning Board had five voting members, including a Chairman. On or about October 15, 2012, defendant Joyce emailed the Developer regarding the purchase of the MWC property, writing: "I suggest that we try for \$600k, no inspection, finance contingencies but a 90 day due diligence period. ... We would make money even if four lots."
- 27. From at least as early as October 2012 through 2014, defendant Joyce and the Developer conspired to use defendant Joyce's official position as State Senator to take official acts, including exerting pressure on and advising the Milton Planning Board members to take official action in favor of the Developer, as specific opportunities arose. In exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, the Developer agreed to pay a concealed kickback to defendant Joyce, which was ultimately paid to defendant Joyce in the form of a 2014 Jeep from one of the Developer's car dealerships. Defendant Joyce and the Developer furthered their corrupt scheme as follows:
 - A. On or about April 15, 2013, defendant Joyce emailed the Chairman of the Milton Planning Board (the "Planning Board Chair"), to advise the Planning Board Chair to approve the Developer's request for a four-lot subdivision waiver telling the Chair that the MWC development project "falls apart" if the Planning Board did not approve the waiver.
 - B. On or about April 18, 2013, defendant Joyce again emailed the Planning Board Chair to advise the Planning Board Chair to approve the waiver asking the Chair whether it was likely the "Planning Board would waive the 50' [roadway width] requirement[.]"
 - C. On or about August 7, 2013, in response to the Developer's email complaining

- about the Planning Board Chair's interference with the MWC project, defendant Joyce emailed the Developer: "He [the Planning Board Chair] can be very reasonable. We just need to talk to him. I can set up meeting upon my return."
- D. From in or about August 2013 to early September 2013, with the purpose of advising the Planning Board Chair to act favorably on the Developer's waiver request, defendant Joyce asked the Planning Board Chair to meet with the Developer at the MWC property.
- E. On or about September 15, 2013, defendant Joyce met with the Planning Board Chair and the Developer at the MWC site, at which meeting defendant Joyce advised the Planning Board Chair that waivers to permit four lots would be beneficial for the development.
- F. On or about September 25, 2013, in an attempt to curry official influence with the Planning Board Chair, defendant Joyce directed his Senate Chief of Staff in an email to "prioritize [funding for the Broderick Stable] in the upcoming bond bills and/or budget." The Planning Board Chair had earlier sought defendant Joyce's support in a request for state aid for the Broderick Stable in the Blue Hills Reservation in Milton, a structure that had fallen into disrepair. (The Planning Board Chair was a member of a non-profit organization that sought to preserve and restore the Blue Hills Reservation. Defendant Joyce's efforts culminated in an additional line item to the 2013-2014 state budget providing for \$1,000,000 in state funding for the renovation of the Broderick Stables.)
- G. On or about September 26, 2013 the Milton Planning Board held a public hearing on the proposed development of the MWC, including the decision on whether to grant waivers to the project to permit the subdivision into four lots. According to Planning Board minutes: "[The Planning Board Chair] stated that he would be ready to vote for the plan at the next meeting. The Board voted to generally approve waivers [The Planning Board Chair] stated that he will draft a proposed decision."
- H. On or about October 3, 2013, defendant Joyce emailed the Developer: "... [the Planning Board Chair] came through as I said he would."
- I. On or about October 7, 2013, defendant Joyce emailed the Developer: "I spoke with [the Planning Board Chair] this morning. I will speak with ["Planning Board member X"] to try to get his votes even without the peer review being finished. We shouldn't need him as we have three votes, but better safe than sorry."
- J. On or about October 9, 2013, a new problem arose regarding drainage issues

for the MWC project, when defendant Joyce emailed the Developer: "I had [Planning Board member X's] votes, except for the driveway. [Planning Board member X] now says he can't vote favorably if the DPW director says the drainage doesn't work. Asking for a continuance [of the upcoming Planning Board meeting] makes sense."

- K. After a continuance, on or about October 24, 2013, the Milton Planning Board, including the Planning Board Chair and Planning Board member X, voted 4-to-1 in the Developer's favor, granting the necessary waivers for the MWC proposed subdivision into four lots.
- 28. To conceal their scheme, from in or about October 2012 to early 2014, defendant Joyce and the Developer agreed to take and did take several steps to keep secret defendant Joyce's financial involvement with the Developer and the Milton Women's Club, which included, but was not limited to, the following:
 - A. In an April 15, 2013 email to the Planning Board Chair, defendant Joyce falsely represented himself to the Planning Board Chair as "the pro bono broker" on the proposed sale of the Milton Women's Club, stating: "Please take a look at this. [The Milton Planning Director] had told women's club officers that five homes, possibly six could be built. Buyer would be happy with four now. Otherwise it falls apart. I'm the pro bono broker." Defendant Joyce falsely described himself to the Planning Board Chair as the "pro bono broker" in order to conceal defendant Joyce's private financial motive in having the waiver approved.
 - B. On or about September 19, 2013, the Developer scheduled a meeting at the Milton Women's Club to garner local support from neighbors abutting the MWC property. Regarding this meeting, on September 19, 2013, defendant Joyce emailed the Developer: "Please keep my name out of this." The Developer responded via email: "I have never mentioned your name other than to say that you were trying to help the Women's club find a buyer."
 - C. On or about September 27, 2013, the Boston Globe contacted defendant Joyce's Senate office regarding defendant Joyce's role in the MWC project. In response to the Globe's query, defendant Joyce and the Developer emailed each other that same date to coordinate their false statements if approached by the Globe. The Developer emailed defendant Joyce: "If anyone ever asks me I will say that you [defendant Joyce] asked me to preserve the building but it was impossible." Defendant Joyce responded via email to the Developer: "And that I was asked to help by women's club members and wouldn't take any fee."

- D. On or about October 9, 2013, at a public Milton Planning Board hearing on the MWC project, a member of the Milton Women's Club asked the Board whether Senator Joyce was the Developer's attorney for the project and whether Joyce introduced the MWC property to the Developer. In response, the Developer stated to the Planning Board: "I have not paid him [Senator Joyce] one dollar and ... he said he would not accept any payment from any party.... He's just doing this because he was trying to help out the Women's Club. And as our state senator that's an appropriate thing for him to do to help people in the town and be responsive to their needs...."
- 29. On or about November 21, 2013, after obtaining Milton Planning Board approval, the Developer purchased the MWC property for approximately \$625,000. From in or about December 2013 to January 2014, defendant Joyce instructed the Developer that defendant Joyce wanted to receive his payment for the MWC project in the form of a Jeep from one of the Developer's car dealerships.
- 30. In order to coordinate defendant Joyce's kickback payment from the Developer, defendant Joyce and the Developer took the following steps to launder the corrupt proceeds:
 - A. Defendant Joyce and the Developer agreed that defendant Joyce would receive a 2014 Jeep Cherokee, which was valued at approximately \$34,700.
 - B. Against the \$34,700 price tag, defendant Joyce would trade in another of defendant Joyce's vehicles for \$12,000, leaving an outstanding balance of approximately \$24,500 (which included additional sales tax, registry costs, and other fees).
 - C. On December 31, 2013, the Developer issued defendant Joyce a check for \$4000 for defendant Joyce's assistance with the Developer's prior development of another property located in Milton, MA.
 - D. On or about January 10, 2014, the Developer issued defendant Joyce a check for \$20,500 (equal to the outstanding approximate balance of the 2014 Jeep), with the entry, "consulting" on the memo line.

- E. On or about January 10, 2014, the same date that the Developer gave defendant Joyce the \$20,500 check, defendant Joyce took title and possession of the 2014 Jeep from the Developer's car dealership.
- F. On or about January 17, 2014, defendant Joyce issued a \$15,000 check payable to the Developer's car dealership.
- G. On or about January 31, 2014, defendant Joyce issued a \$5,000 check payable to the Developer's car dealership.
- H. On or about February 13, 2014, defendant Joyce issued a \$4,500 check payable to the Developer's car dealership to satisfy the balance owed on the 2014 Jeep.
- 31. Thereafter, in 2014, defendant Joyce continued to use his official position and Senate Office to assist the Developer on the MWC project by, among other things, directing his Senate staff to pressure a Massachusetts utility company to expedite the provision of electricity to the newly constructed lots on the MWC property. For example, on or about September 4, 2014, defendant Joyce emailed the Developer: "Are you looking for any action on our end (from my State House office),?" to which the Developer responded: "Yes. ... [We] need [power] done in 30 days at the outside." With the understanding that defendant Joyce's spouse a residential real estate broker would be a sales broker for the newly developed homes on the MWC property, defendant Joyce then used his Senate staff to contact the Massachusetts utility company to expedite delivery of power to the MWC lots without disclosing to his staff his relationship with the Developer or the MWC project.

The Energy Insurance Brokerage Company Bribery Scheme

32. There was an individual (the "EIB CEO") who was the founder and chief executive officer of a Delaware energy insurance brokerage holding company (the "EIB Company"), which owned, among other entities, a Massachusetts energy industry insurance agency that did business in and affecting interstate commerce. As an insurance agency, the EIB Company was required

to comply with Massachusetts insurance rules and regulations that were enforced by the Massachusetts Division of Insurance (the "DOI"), and dealt regularly with the DOI with respect to licensing and other insurance regulatory issues.

- 33. At least as early as in or about 2010, the EIB CEO was interested in promoting property-assessed-clean-energy ("PACE") legislation in Massachusetts. PACE was an alternative energy financing program that required state legislation because its funding was derived from issuing bonds that were secured by increased property tax assessments. To incentivize PACE projects, alternative energy companies (for example, a solar panel company) would guarantee that the value of the energy savings would equal or surpass the cost of the property tax assessment that was used to fund the solar panel installation. The solar panel company would then obtain insurance to fulfill the guarantee in the event that the energy savings did not match the costs of the solar panel installation. The EIB CEO sought to increase and expand the EIB Company's business by selling an insurance product for the energy savings guarantees on PACE projects.
- 34. In or about 2010, after meeting defendant Joyce and Partner 1, the EIB CEO hired defendant Joyce, Partner 1, and Partnership 1 to do legal work, including appearing before the DOI and performing insurance defense litigation for EIB Company and EIB Company's insurance partners. From in or about February 2010 to in or about December 2015, the EIB Company paid and caused to be paid to defendant Joyce, through the Joyce Law Office, including Partnership 1, approximately \$377,169 in fees.
- 35. Although the EIB Company had already paid and caused to be paid thousands of dollars to defendant Joyce and Partner 1 to provide legal work on behalf of the EIB Company and

its insurance partners, defendant Joyce and the EIB CEO agreed that defendant Joyce would be given purported additional legal business and fees in return for: (i) defendant Joyce's official action and assistance with respect to PACE legislation; and (ii) defendant Joyce's ongoing official action and assistance in obtaining favorable official action from the DOI.

36. From at least as early as in or about 2010 to 2015, defendant Joyce and the EIB CEO conspired to use defendant Joyce's official position as State Senator to (i) promote, sponsor, and file PACE legislation and (ii) exert pressure on and advise DOI officials to take official action in favor of the EIB Company, as specific opportunities arose, in exchange for a stream of corrupt payments and other benefits, as noted above, and as follows:

PACE Legislation

- A. On or about July 24, 2010, the EIB CEO texted defendant Joyce: "Brian I want to come see you sometime tommorow [sic] ... I have an idea as it relates to financing energy efficiency projects that I would like to brain storm with you. It would probably need to be something that comes through the administration or legslature [sic]."
- B. On or about May 9, 2011, the EIB CEO emailed defendant Joyce: "I wanted to see if you had anytime this week to have a meeting as respect to PACE. We need to retain the Joyce Law Firm in regard to providing legal work in respect to establishing a program that would be marketed by our independent insurance agents and brokers."
- C. In or about June 2011, the EIB CEO hired defendant Joyce's relative as a summer intern at the EIB Company, explaining to the EIB Company human resources department in an email: "[His/her relative, defendant Joyce] does a lot for the company." During the internship, defendant Joyce's relative wrote a summary of then-existing Massachusetts PACE law. From June through August 2011, the EIB Company paid defendant Joyce's relative approximately \$2,796 in salary.
- D. On or about September 9, 2011, the EIB CEO emailed defendant Joyce a copy of legislation, writing: "Please note [on] page 23 Renewable Energy Revolving Fund (PACE Enabling Legislation)." That same month, EIB Company joined the PACE Commercial Consortium, a group of private companies seeking to

promote PACE.

- E. At least as early as December 21, 2011, defendant Joyce agreed to speak at a public symposium, dubbed, "Mobilize New England," which was sponsored by EIB Company and geared toward promoting PACE legislation.
- F. On or about December 30, 2011, defendant Joyce and the EIB CEO agreed in an email that "Effective January 1, 2012, [defendant Joyce] will serve as [EIB Company's] outside general counsel, for a fee of \$5000 per month payable in advance on the first of each month. *** We agreed that while I am also a Massachusetts State Senator, my actions on behalf of [EIB Company] will be as an attorney and not as a public official. We agreed that at all times we will act within the confines of state ethics and other legal requirements." Despite defendant Joyce's acknowledgement of the appearance of a conflict of interest, and agreement to "act within the confines of state ethics," defendant Joyce never filed a "Disclosure of Appearance of Conflict of Interest" with respect to his new monthly \$5,000 payment from EIB Company, as required by M.G.L, Ch. 268A, § 23(b).
- G. On or about January 9, 2012, defendant Joyce spoke at the "Mobilize New England" conference at the Boston Convention Center with the purpose of promoting PACE legislation.
- H. Beginning on or about January 17, 2012, the EIB Company began making \$5,000 payments to defendant Joyce on a monthly basis through in or about January 2016, totaling approximately \$240,000. Throughout this period from January 2012 through 2016, the EIB CEO and, at the EIB CEO's direction, the EIB CEO's relative (the "EIB CEO's relative"), also an EIB Company employee, corresponded and met with defendant Joyce and defendant Joyce's Senate Office to coordinate the passage of PACE legislation in Massachusetts.
- I. On or about July 11, 2012, defendant Joyce emailed the EIB CEO with the subject line, "PACE," "FYI I'm working on a \$1 billion Mass Development bond offering. It may not be ready for passage by July 31st, but there will be a lot of discussion generated and it should help accelerate activity on energy efficiency projects for commercial and industrial properties in Massachusetts next year." Defendant Joyce was referring to House Bill No. 4119, which was before the Senate Committee on Bonding, Capital Expenditures and State Assets (the "Senate Bonding Committee"). Defendant Joyce was the Chair of the Senate Bonding Committee in 2012.
- J. On or about July 13, 2012, as Chair of the Senate Bonding Committee, defendant Joyce amended House Bill No. 4119 to include loan programs for municipal PACE projects. House Bill No. 4119 was then forwarded to the

Senate Ways and Means Committee.

- K. On or about July 13, 2012, at approximately 1:59 p.m., defendant Joyce called the EIB CEO to discuss how to amend the pending bill to include language that was favorable to the EIB Company.
- L. On or about July 13, 2012, at approximately 3:24 p.m., the EIB CEO emailed the EIB CEO's relative, asking the relative to provide defendant Joyce additional PACE language that was favorable to the EIB Company for inclusion in House Bill No. 4119. The EIB CEO wrote: "Brian Joyce needs us to pull the language out of the California bill as it relates to guarantees and how they need to have collateral including one option being insurance. Needs to make sure it is in this bill."
- M. On or about July 13, 2012, at approximately 4:49 p.m., the EIB CEO's relative emailed defendant Joyce and the EIB CEO additional PACE language that was favorable to the EIB Company for inclusion in House Bill No. 4119, which included: "For energy efficiency improvements that exceed five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the contractor installing the improvements or the property owner shall obtain a guarantee on the energy and water cost savings.

 . . by obtaining a security in the full amount of the cost savings. The security shall be in any of the following forms ... Energy savings insurance issued by an A.M. Best 'A' or better rated carrier" (hereinafter, the "PACE insurance language").
- N. On or about July 16, 2012, defendant Joyce's Senate Office Legislative Director emailed counsel for the Senate Ways and Means Committee: "Senator Joyce would like to request that the following language be added to subsection 2," which included the PACE insurance language. The email further stated: "Unfortunately this change came to our attention a little too late!"
- O. On or about July 17, 2012, at defendant Joyce's request, House Bill No. 4119 was amended to include the PACE insurance language.
- P. On or about July 19, 2012, during a State Senate Session, defendant Joyce spoke in support of the PACE amendments to House Bill No. 4119. Defendant Joyce's PACE amendments to House Bill No. 4119 were not approved in the 2012 legislative session, but were submitted to the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources ("DOER") for further study.
- Q. On or about December 21, 2012, the EIB CEO's relative emailed defendant Joyce, defendant Joyce's Chief of Staff, and the EIB CEO to discuss how the EIB Company could "potentially collaborate and or provide assistance" on PACE legislation. On December 21, 2012, defendant Joyce emailed the EIB

- CEO, the EIB CEO's relative, and his Chief of Staff, directing the EIB CEO's relative to coordinate with his Chief of Staff.
- R. On or about January 4, 2013, the EIB CEO's relative recommended to defendant Joyce's Chief of Staff that insurance guarantees be part of any PACE legislation enacted in Massachusetts.
- S. On or about January 8, 2013, the EIB CEO's relative emailed defendant Joyce's Chief of Staff recommending that the DOER include the PACE insurance language in legislation for statewide PACE programs. The EIB CEO's relative added that if the PACE insurance language was not included in legislation, an acceptable alternative would be "specifications within the underwriting guidelines set forth by the DOER[.]" The DOER ultimately did not recommend including the PACE insurance language.
- T. On or about January 14, 2013, the EIB CEO's relative proposed to defendant Joyce's Chief of Staff that the phrase "fueling jobs" should be used in the title of proposed PACE legislation.
- U. On or about January 17, 2013, defendant Joyce filed PACE legislation as a stand-alone bill under Senate Bill No. 177, titled "An Act fueling job creation through energy efficiency" ("S.B. 177" or the "Commercial PACE Bill"). The Commercial PACE Bill did not contain the PACE insurance language, but it included the alternative language, which required that any PACE project be evaluated for "compliance with financial underwriting guidelines established by the agency."
- V. On or about July 26, 2013, defendant Joyce emailed the EIB CEO regarding the Commercial PACE Bill: "I had dinner with the Majority Leader last night, and we discussed the legislation. I will begin pushing it to the forefront of the legislative agenda after Labor Day."
- W. On or about September 10, 2013, defendant Joyce testified in support of the Commercial PACE Bill at a joint legislative committee hearing in Springfield, Massachusetts. Defendant Joyce's Senate Office also issued a press release promoting PACE legislation. That same day, defendant Joyce sent the EIB CEO an email that stated, "Tell [the EIB CEO's relative] that I'm in Springfield testifying on behalf of our clean jobs bill (Commercial PACE Bill)."
- X. On or about November 11, 2013, the EIB CEO's relative emailed defendant Joyce's Chief of Staff, inviting the Chief of Staff to promote the Commercial PACE Bill at a meeting before the City of Cambridge Climate Protection Action Committee ("Cambridge CPAC"), an advisory committee to the Cambridge City Manager.

- Y. On or about November 14, 2013, defendant Joyce's Chief of Staff and an EIB Company representative promoted the Commercial PACE Bill before the Cambridge CPAC at its committee meeting.
- Z. In or about December 2013, the EIB CEO's relative continued to advise and collaborate with defendant Joyce's Senate Office on re-drafting the Commercial PACE Bill to include language on "building resiliency" improvements in order to garner additional statewide support for PACE legislation.
- AA. In or about July 2014, the Commercial Pace Bill was amended under Senate Bill No. 2255 ("S.B. 2255" or the "Amended Commercial Pace Bill") to include this language: "The department … may promulgate regulations to include eligibility for resiliency improvements in the commercial sustainable energy program."
- BB. On or about July 10, 2014, during a State Senate Session, defendant Joyce spoke in support of PACE legislation in the Amended Commercial Pace Bill and asked that the State Senate take a vote upon the proposed legislation. On or about that date, defendant Joyce voted in favor of S.B. 2255 and the State Senate passed S.B. 2255, but the proposed bill did not pass the State House of Representatives that year.
- CC. From at least as early as in or about August 2014 to December 2014, the EIB CEO permitted defendant Joyce to participate in EIB Company's private offering of its common stock ("EIB Common Stock"), which was not open to the public. During this period, defendant Joyce purchased 65,000 shares of EIB Common Stock for approximately \$471,250.
- DD. On or about January 8, 2015, defendant Joyce requested, as his first choice, to sit on the Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy, a joint Senate and House committee that considered legislation involving alternative energy, including PACE legislation.
- EE. On or about January 15, 2015, defendant Joyce re-filed the Amended Commercial Pace Bill, under Senate Bill No. 1774 ("S.B. 1774").
- FF. On or about January 21, 2015, defendant Joyce gained appointment to the Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy and became one of three Senate Assistant Majority Leaders.
- GG. On or about March 30, 2015, a Boston Globe reporter called the EIB Company to request an interview with the EIB CEO to discuss EIB Company's

- relationship with defendant Joyce. The EIB CEO then told defendant Joyce about the Boston Globe phone call.
- HH. On or about March 30, 2015, defendant Joyce emailed the EIB CEO: "Suggest you not return call please."
- II. On or about April 1, 2015, defendant Joyce emailed the EIB CEO's relative a progress report on the Amended Commercial Pace Bill.
- JJ. On or about April 7, 2015, the Boston Globe asked defendant Joyce about defendant Joyce's relationship with the EIB Company.
- KK. On or about April 17, 2015, defendant Joyce resigned from the Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.
- LL. On or about June 25, 2015, defendant Joyce wrote and filed a letter with the Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy, in support of S.B. 1774: "I write today in support of S. 1774, An Act fueling job creation through energy efficiency, which I filed. This bill will be heard by the Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy on June 30, 2015. I respectfully request your prompt and favorable consideration."

Massachusetts Division of Insurance Official Action

- A. From in or about June 2010 through December 2011, at the EIB CEO's direction, defendant Joyce used his official position to advise DOI officials to assist the EIB Company in obtaining DOI approval to sell a certain insurance product to oil dealers. By in or about December 2011, the DOI took no adverse action with respect to EIB Company's oil dealer insurance product.
- B. Prior to June 3, 2013, an out-of-state insurance company ("Ins. Co. A") filed a complaint with the DOI against EIB Company. Because Ins. Co. A's complaint with the DOI had the potential to result in license suspension, fine, or other administrative action by the DOI against the EIB Company, the EIB CEO determined that obtaining favorable DOI action was vital to EIB Company's business. Defendant Joyce and the EIB CEO agreed that defendant Joyce would use his official position to advise the Commissioner of the DOI (the "Commissioner") to refrain from taking official action adverse (e.g., fine, license suspension, or administrative action) to the EIB Company.
- C. On or about June 3, 2013 at the Department of Insurance, defendant Joyce, the EIB CEO, and other EIB Company representatives met with the Commissioner to obtain favorable DOI action on Ins. Co. A's complaint against the EIB Company. In recounting the meeting, defendant Joyce emailed the

Commissioner on or about July 11, 2013:

[Commissioner], You'll recall that we met on June 3 to discuss the [EIB Company/Ins. Co. A] situation wherein we detailed the dispute between the parties and addressed the issues contained in [Ins. Co. A's] letter to the Insurance Division. I have a conference call with [EIB Company] tomorrow morning. Is it fair to say that no further action is required of them at this time from the Division? Thanks, Brian

The Commissioner responded that no further action was required and, ultimately, with respect to Ins. Co. A's complaint, the DOI took no action (e.g., license suspension, fine, or other administrative action) that was adverse to the EIB Company, and terminated its investigation of the matter.

- D. Prior to September 17, 2014, at the EIB CEO's direction, defendant Joyce used his official position to obtain a certification letter from the DOI to permit the EIB Company to secure managing general agent ("MGA") insurance licenses in other states. On or about September 17, 2014, the DOI issued the MGA certification letter to the EIB Company.
- 37. In order to promote, facilitate, and prevent detection of this corrupt scheme, defendant Joyce took numerous steps to conceal the extent of his relationship with the EIB Company, which included, but was not limited to, the following:
 - A. Defendant Joyce did not disclose to Partner 1 the \$5,000 monthly payment from EIB Company to defendant Joyce, and began to use Partner 1's law associate to do work pursuant to the \$5,000 payment. Only after Partner 1 discovered that defendant Joyce was using Partner 1's law associate did defendant Joyce disclose the monthly \$5,000 payment and begin to share a portion of it.
 - B. Defendant Joyce did not disclose his monthly receipt of \$5,000 from the EIB Company to his Senate Chief of Staff.
 - C. During the time that defendant Joyce performed official acts in support of PACE legislation (e.g., House Bill No. 4119, S.B. 177, S.B. 2255, and S.B. 1774), defendant Joyce did not disclose to the Ethics Commission: (i) his monthly receipt of \$5,000 from the EIB Company; (ii) his beneficial ownership of approximately \$471,250 in EIB Common Stock; and (iii) the fact that Defendant Joyce was using the Senate Office to promote, draft, and file legislation at the EIB CEO's and the EIB CEO's relative's direction.
 - D. On or about April 3, 2015, in response to a Globe reporter's inquiry, defendant

- Joyce falsely claimed, through his counsel: "Senator Joyce has not filed <u>any</u> legislation to benefit [the EIB Company]" (underline in original).
- E. From in or about October 2015 to January 2016, defendant Joyce, through an attorney, made materially false and misleading statements to the Ethics Commission, which included, but were not limited to, defendant Joyce's claim that: (i) because such PACE bills did not contain an insurance provision, he "did not believe that his bill [S.B. 177; S.B. 1774], either directly or indirectly, could reasonably be viewed as benefitting [EIB Company];" and (ii) defendant Joyce understood and believed that his role in the June 3, 2013 meeting with the DOI Commissioner "was simply to provide notice to [the DOI of Ins. Co. A's complaint against EIB Company]" and that defendant Joyce "believed that his attendance at the meeting was ministerial in nature."
- F. Defendant Joyce did not disclose to the Ethics Commission as required on his 2011 SFI that his relative received over \$2,000 in compensation from EIB Company.

The EIB Common Stock - IRS Wire Fraud Scheme

- 38. In 2014, EIB Company sought to raise additional capital by selling shares of its common stock. In or about the summer and fall of 2014, defendant Joyce learned from the EIB Company's Director of Finance that EIB Company planned to issue stock as part of its plan to go public and/or be acquired by another company. EIB Common Stock, however, was not publicly traded and EIB Company was permitted only to sell its stock privately via a "private placement" to certain individuals and entities, and during a certain time window.
- 39. Defendant Joyce, however, wanted to obtain EIB Common Stock from the private placement so that defendant Joyce could become one of the larger and more influential shareholders of EIB Company, and also reap a greater profit from his corrupt relationship with the EIB CEO by obtaining the EIB Common Stock prior to any public offering of EIB Common Stock. The EIB CEO agreed to offer defendant Joyce the privately held EIB Common Stock in exchange for defendant Joyce's continued official action with respect to PACE and DOI matters.

- 40. To ensure that potential investors were qualified to purchase EIB Common Stock, EIB Company required each investor to enter into an agreement ("Subscription Agreement") with the EIB Company and to fill out a questionnaire ("Accredited Investor Questionnaire" or "Questionnaire"). The Subscription Agreement required each investor to represent and warrant that the information provided by the investor in the Accredited Investor Questionnaire was true and accurate. The Questionnaire also required each investor to declare whether the investor would hold EIB Common Stock as an individual, through a trust, or through a corporation, partnership, or limited liability company.
- 41. With EIB Company's assistance, however, defendant Joyce concealed his ownership of EIB Common Stock from the public and the Ethics Commission by doing the following:
 - A. Defendant Joyce did not complete any Accredited Investor Questionnaires, which would have required defendant Joyce to truthfully disclose the capacity in which defendant Joyce owned and beneficially held EIB Common Stock.
 - B. Defendant Joyce created a fictitious individual retirement account ("IRA") to disguise defendant Joyce's ownership of EIB Common Stock as a retirement plan, which did not require disclosure on the SFI to the Ethics Commission.
 - C. In October 2015, defendant Joyce, through an attorney, falsely declared to the Ethics Commission that defendant Joyce "did direct his retirement account 'Brian A. Joyce SEP IRA' to purchase stock in late 2014 and again in 2015," when in fact, no third party purchased the stock on the defendant Joyce's behalf, and defendant Joyce personally orchestrated the purchase of EIB Common Stock.
- 42. From August 2014 to December 2014, defendant Joyce coordinated the purchase of EIB Common Stock through the use of a home equity line of credit and the liquidation of his and his spouse's simplified employee pension IRA ("SEP-IRA") funds, which were held by qualified IRA custodians, as follows:

Check	SEP-IRA Liquidation	EIB	JOYCE Personal Memo on		
Date	(or Line of Credit	Common	Check (or Line of	Check	
	Withdrawal indicated	Stock	Credit Check *)	İ	
	with *)	Purchase	Issued to EIB		
		Date	Company		
8/30/2014	\$50,750*	9/5/2014	\$50,750*	7,000 Shares	
				SEP IRA	
8/30/2014	\$25,375*	9/5/2014	\$25,375* 3,500 Shares		
				SEP IRA	
10/4/2014	\$105,125	10/4/2014	\$105,125	14,500	
1	(Spouse SEP IRA)			Shares	
				[Spouse]	
				SEP IRA	
12/8/2014	\$72,500	12/10/2014	\$72,500	10,000	
	(Spouse SEP IRA)			Shares	
				[Spouse]	
				SEP IRA	
12/8/2014	\$250,000	12/10/2014	\$217,500	30,000	
	(Defendant Joyce SEP			Shares SEP	
	IRA)			IRA	
Totals	\$503,750 withdrawn		\$471,250 paid to	65,000	
			EIB Company	oany shares of	
				EIB	
				Common	
				Stock	

43. Defendant Joyce's creation of fictitious retirement accounts for himself ("Brian A. Joyce SEP-IRA") and his spouse ("[Spouse] SEP-IRA") furthered the bribery scheme with the EIB CEO in that: (a) it permitted defendant Joyce to conceal his significant beneficial ownership of EIB Common Stock from the public and the Ethics Commission, while he actively pushed PACE legislation at the direction of the EIB CEO; and (b) it served as a vehicle for defendant Joyce to utilize retirement funds to purchase EIB Common Stock by defrauding the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") in claiming that his purchase of EIB Common Stock was a tax-free IRA rollover, when, in fact, it was an early liquidation subject to additional taxation and early withdrawal penalties.

- 44. To qualify as a non-taxable IRA rollover, IRA assets must be withdrawn from one qualified custodian and be received by another qualified custodian within a 60-day period. Prior to August 2014, defendant Joyce and his spouse held over half a million dollars in SEP-IRA accounts that were maintained with qualified IRA custodians for several years. Also, prior to his purchase of EIB Common Stock in or about August 2014, defendant Joyce had used his financial advisor (the "Financial Advisor") to complete proper tax-free transfers, or rollovers, of a portion of his SEP-IRA assets through a qualified IRA custodian ("IRA custodian").
- 45. In or about October 2014, the Financial Advisor stated to defendant Joyce that he "strongly advise[d]" against defendant Joyce's proposal to use a significant amount of SEP-IRA assets to buy EIB Common Stock. Additionally, during in or about August 2014 to October 2014, the IRA custodian stated that it would not authorize a purchase of EIB Common Stock as a tax-free rollover using defendant Joyce's existing SEP-IRA assets.
- 46. Despite these admonitions, defendant Joyce created sham retirement accounts for himself and his spouse in order to conceal his stock ownership from the Ethics Commission and to defraud the IRS, as well as portray defendant Joyce's purchase of EIB Common Stock as a tax-free IRA rollover, as follows:
 - A. On or about August 30, 2014, defendant Joyce borrowed \$76,125 from a home equity line of credit ("HELOC") to purchase 10,500 shares of EIB Common Stock. Defendant Joyce then, with the assistance of the EIB Company, created the appearance that the stock purchase was made through SEP retirement accounts by writing "SEP IRA" in the Subscription Agreements and on the memo lines of the HELOC funded checks that were used to purchase the shares.
 - B. On or about October 2, 2014, defendant Joyce caused his spouse to liquidate \$105,125 from the spouse's SEP-IRA account (maintained by a qualified IRA custodian) with the proceeds going to defendant Joyce's personal joint bank account with his spouse. Defendant Joyce then issued a personal check for

- \$105,125 payable to EIB Company for 14,500 shares, causing "[Spouse] SEP IRA" to be inscribed in the Subscription Agreement and the memo line of the check.
- C. On or about December 8, 2014, defendant Joyce caused \$250,000 and \$72,500 to be liquidated from his and his spouse's respective custodian-managed SEP-IRA accounts with the proceeds going to defendant Joyce's personal joint bank account. Defendant Joyce then used the proceeds to issue personal checks for \$217,500 and \$72,500, respectively, from his joint account payable to the EIB Company for 30,000 and 10,000 shares, with the inscription "SEP IRA" and "[Spouse] SEP IRA" in the Subscription Agreements and the memo lines of each respective check.
- D. On or about October 30, 2015, defendant Joyce, through counsel, submitted a letter to the Ethics Commission that falsely claimed that defendant Joyce "did direct his retirement account 'Brian A. Joyce SEP IRA' to purchase [EIB Common] stock in late 2014 and again in 2015." Defendant Joyce knew this statement was false because (i) defendant Joyce personally executed the purchases, and not through a third party, and (ii) defendant Joyce initially purchased EIB Common Stock with funds that he obtained from a HELOC loan, and not with retirement funds.
- E. From 2015 to 2016, defendant Joyce submitted EIB Company shareholder letters to his Financial Advisor and the Ethics Commission as "proof" that his and his spouse's thousands of shares of EIB Common Stock were held in IRA accounts despite the fact that:
 - i. There was no IRA custodian for the shares.
 - ii. Defendant Joyce and his spouse maintained full ownership and control of 65,000 shares of EIB Common Stock.
 - iii. As an EIB Company shareholder, defendant Joyce had the right to personally attend shareholder meetings, vote at meetings of EIB Company shareholders, and vote to elect members of EIB Company's board of directors.
- 47. On or about September 8, 2015, defendant Joyce willfully caused to be electronically filed with the IRS a U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, Form 1040 for himself and his spouse for tax year 2014, falsely reporting early withdrawals from defendant Joyce's and his spouse's SEP-IRAs as qualifying tax-exempt rollovers in the amount of \$427,629, and falsely

reporting a SEP-IRA deductible contribution of \$80,502, of which \$76,125 consisted of defendant Joyce's purchase of EIB Common Stock with home equity line of credit funds.

The Coffee Franchise Bribery Scheme

- 48. There was an individual (the "Franchise Owner"), who owned approximately over one hundred franchises of a nationally branded coffee and pastry fast-food business (the "Coffee Franchise") in Massachusetts and elsewhere. From in or about 2010 to in or about early 2015, defendant Joyce and the Franchise Owner conspired to use defendant Joyce's official position as State Senator to promote, sponsor, and file state legislation that favored the Franchise Owner, as specific opportunities arose, in exchange for a stream of benefits that included payments for purported legal services and regular free deliveries of up to a thousand dollars' worth of coffee and other goods to defendant Joyce. From 2010 to 2015, defendant Joyce also never disclosed that he had received any gifts from the Franchise Owner on his yearly SFI.
- 49. The Franchise Owner provided and agreed to provide the following, among other things, to defendant Joyce in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action:
 - A. From at least as early as 2010 to 2013, the Franchise Owner paid defendant Joyce approximately \$125,089 for purported legal services provided by defendant Joyce.
 - B. Approximately each December from 2010 to 2014, the Franchise Owner provided defendant Joyce with approximately 50 to up to 200 pounds of Coffee Franchise coffee at no charge on each occasion for defendant Joyce to distribute at town hall meetings and other events, or to give to other public officials.
 - C. Approximately each August from 2010 to 2014, the Franchise Owner provided defendant Joyce with Coffee Franchise food and beverages at no charge for defendant Joyce to distribute at a summer event that defendant Joyce hosted as State Senator.
 - D. In or about January 2015, following defendant Joyce's request for 500 pounds of coffee at cost, the Franchise Owner provided approximately 504 pounds of

- Coffee Franchise coffee approximate retail value of \$4,278 at no charge to defendant Joyce.
- E. From in or about 2011 and continuing through the beginning of 2016, the Franchise Owner, via the Energy Broker Company, paid approximately \$16,438 in solar energy commissions to defendant Joyce, after defendant Joyce had persuaded the Franchise Owner to install solar panels on his franchises with the assistance of the Energy Broker Executive.
- 50. In exchange for the stream of money, goods, and services that the Franchise Owner provided and agreed to provide to defendant Joyce, defendant Joyce took the following official action:
 - A. In January 2011, defendant Joyce filed Senate Bill No. 1843, titled, "An Act further regulating franchise agreements" ("S.B. 1843"). S.B. 1843, if passed, would have provided greater protections to the Franchise Owner to operate franchise businesses and better avoid termination of any franchise license in Massachusetts.
 - B. In July 2012, defendant Joyce moved to amend Senate Bill No. 2350 ("S.B. 2350") to include a provision that would protect "quick service restaurant" establishments, which included the Coffee Franchise, from lawsuits known as "tip pooling" lawsuits.
 - C. In January 2013, defendant Joyce petitioned for legislation contained in Senate Bill No. 887, titled, "An Act relative to the pooling of tips" ("S.B. 887"). If passed, S.B. 887 operated to protect the Franchise Owner from potential tip pooling lawsuits.
 - D. In January 2013, defendant Joyce filed Senate Bill No. 73, titled, "An Act protecting small business investments" ("S.B. 73"). If passed, S.B. 73 operated to afford the Franchise Owner similar franchise protections as S.B. 1843.
 - E. In May 2013, defendant Joyce sponsored an amendment to Senate Bill No. 3, titled, "Protecting Small Business Investments," which operated to afford the Franchise Owner similar franchise protections to S.B. 1843.
 - F. On or about November 19, 2013, at a State Senate legislative session, defendant Joyce obtained Senate consent to make a statement, and made a statement in support of amending Senate Bill No. 1925 to include language that would protect quick service restaurants from tip pooling lawsuits.

- G. In January 2015, defendant Joyce filed Senate Bill No. 114, titled, "An Act protecting small business investments" ("S.B. 114"). If passed, S.B. 114 operated to afford the Franchise Owner similar protections as S.B. 1843 and S.B. 73.
- H. In January 2015, defendant Joyce petitioned for legislation contained in Senate Bill No. 1001, titled, "An Act relative to the pooling of tips" ("S.B. 1001"). If passed, S.B. 1001, similar to S.B. 887, operated to protect the Franchise Owner from potential tip pooling lawsuits.
- 51. To perpetuate this bribery scheme, defendant Joyce and others took steps to conceal his corrupt relationship with the Franchise Owner, including:
 - A. On or about December 14, 2011, defendant Joyce emailed the Franchise Owner requesting that the Franchise Owner make \$10,000 in donations to the Massachusetts Democratic Party, writing, "Each check should be for \$5000, with no reference to me."
 - B. In or about December 2013 to January 2014, at defendant Joyce's request, the Franchise Owner gave at least approximately 12 boxes of coffee to defendant Joyce for distribution at a January 2014 annual meeting and trade show.
 - C. In or about December 2014, defendant Joyce provided one pound of coffee from the Coffee Franchise to each State Senator as a holiday gift. This conduct was reported by the Boston Globe on or about January 30, 2015.
 - D. From in or about January 31, 2015 to February 1, 2015, defendant Joyce contacted the Franchise Owner and the Franchise Owner's relative (the "Relative"), who was also a Coffee Franchise employee, regarding the article.
 - E. On or about February 1, 2015, during an interstate telephone call between defendant Joyce and the Relative, defendant Joyce stated, in sum and substance, that defendant Joyce had a problem with the free coffee that the Franchise Owner provided to him in December 2014 and that defendant Joyce needed the Relative to create an invoice for the December 2014 coffee.
 - F. After the February 1, 2015 call, at defendant Joyce's direction, the Relative created a backdated invoice. The invoice was backdated to December 20, 2014 and purported to bill defendant Joyce \$1,698 for 200 pounds of Coffee Franchise coffee.
 - G. In or about February 2015, defendant Joyce issued a check for \$1,698 to one of

the Franchise Owner's Coffee Franchises. Defendant Joyce fraudulently backdated the check to December 21, 2014 in order to create the false impression that defendant Joyce had paid for the 200 pounds of coffee at or around the time that defendant Joyce had received the free coffee in December 2014.

- H. On or about April 7, 2015, a Boston Globe reporter contacted defendant Joyce's attorney inquiring about (i) Coffee Franchise coffee that defendant Joyce distributed in or about January 2014 and (ii) Coffee Franchise Coffee that defendant Joyce received in December 2014.
- I. On or about April 10, 2015, defendant Joyce emailed the Franchise Owner and the Relative, claiming, "For the 2013 coffee, I did not bill you the attached legal charges, which would have totaled \$1312.50. I got 120 bags plus 20 gift boxes for a total cost of \$1218.60." Prior to April 10, 2015, however, the Franchise Owner and the Relative: (i) had never been invoiced for the attached legal charges of \$1,312.50, which purported to pertain to a Coffee Franchise drivethru in Millis, MA; and (ii) had never agreed to pay defendant Joyce with coffee in exchange for legal work pertaining to the Millis drive-thru.
- J. From October to November 2015, the Ethics Commission contacted defendant Joyce through his attorney, inquiring about whether defendant Joyce had received Coffee Franchise coffee at no charge in late 2013 and in 2014.
- K. On or about December 1, 2015, at defendant Joyce's direction, defendant Joyce's counsel emailed the Ethics Commission copies of the fraudulently backdated invoice and check, and stated that: "In late 2014, Senator Joyce purchased coffee from a [Coffee Franchise] franchisee ... owned by [the Franchise Owner]." Defendant Joyce knew this statement was false because defendant Joyce had made no efforts to purchase the coffee before the publication of the January 30, 2015 Boston Globe article that referenced the coffee that defendant Joyce had distributed to other State Senators in December 2014.
- L. On or about January 5, 2016, the Ethics Commission contacted defendant Joyce's attorney, requesting the Franchise Owner's contact information so that the Commission could interview the Franchise Owner regarding defendant Joyce's claim that he had provided legal services in exchange for free coffee in 2013.
- M. From in or about January 5, 2016 to mid-January 2016, defendant Joyce met with the Franchise Owner and the Relative at the Franchise Owner's business. At the meeting, defendant Joyce instructed the Franchise Owner and the Relative to falsely represent to the Ethics Commission that the Franchise Owner

- had agreed to provide defendant Joyce coffee in exchange for legal services.
- N. On or about January 27, 2016, the Ethics Commission emailed the Relative a series of written questions related to defendant Joyce's claim that he provided legal services in exchange for coffee from the Franchise Owner.
- O. Following the January 27, 2016 email, defendant Joyce met with the Relative in Canton. During the meeting, defendant Joyce requested that the Relative respond to the written questions in the way defendant Joyce wanted the Relative to respond. When the Relative suggested to defendant Joyce that the Relative respond to the Ethics Commission that the Relative did not remember the events in question, defendant Joyce stressed that he needed the Relative to affirmatively and falsely represent to the Ethics Commission that defendant Joyce received the coffee in exchange for legal services.
- P. On or about February 4, 2016, the Relative emailed false written responses to the Ethics Commission's questions in accordance with defendant Joyce's instructions, and called defendant Joyce to inform him that the Relative had done so.
- Q. On or about February 5, 2016, at defendant Joyce's direction, defendant Joyce's counsel emailed the Ethics Commission a materially false response to its inquiry, claiming that defendant Joyce had received coffee in exchange for legal services in late 2013.

The Philadelphia Solar Company Extortion

- 52. There was an individual (the "PA Solar Representative"), who was a managing director of a Philadelphia, Pennsylvania solar company (the "PA Solar Company"), a company that did business in and affecting interstate commerce. The PA Solar Representative met with defendant Joyce at his District Office in or about May 2012 to seek defendant Joyce's official assistance regarding local permitting and pending solar legislation that could potentially affect PA Solar Company's project in West Bridgewater. West Bridgewater was a town within defendant Joyce's Senate District.
- 53. Defendant Joyce attempted to use his official position as State Senator to obtain "legal" work for the Joyce Law Office from the PA Solar Company in West Bridgewater, as

follows:

- A. From in or about 2011 to 2012, the PA Solar Representative was involved in developing a solar panel project in West Bridgewater. At least as early as April 2012, the PA Solar Representative had spoken with West Bridgewater town officials regarding construction permitting and potential town taxes to be applied to the PA Solar Company's project.
- B. In or about April 2012, the PA Solar Company retained a lobbyist (the "Lobbyist") to act as its agent and assist it with state and local legislative matters, specifically, local permitting and town taxes to be levied on the PA Solar Company project in West Bridgewater and ongoing solar energy legislation in Massachusetts.
- C. In late April 2012, the Lobbyist contacted defendant Joyce's Senate Office to arrange a meeting with defendant Joyce and the PA Solar Representative. During a telephone conversation at around that time, the Lobbyist told defendant Joyce that PA Solar Company representatives wanted to meet with defendant Joyce to discuss pending State solar legislation and its ongoing negotiations with West Bridgewater town officials regarding permitting and taxes. Defendant Joyce agreed and scheduled a meeting at his District Office.
- D. On or about May 2, 2012, the PA Solar Representative, another representative from the PA Solar Company (together, the "PA Solar Representatives"), and the Lobbyist met with defendant Joyce at his District Office in Canton.
- E. At the May 2, 2012 meeting, the PA Solar Representatives sought defendant Joyce's assistance as State Senator to expedite the local permitting process in West Bridgewater. In response to this, defendant Joyce stated, in sum and substance, "Yeah, I think I can get this permit for you. It would be through my law firm, and our fee would be \$25,000 to get this permit for you."
- F. Based on the May 2, 2012 meeting, the PA Solar Representatives and the Lobbyist concluded that in order to obtain defendant Joyce's official assistance as State Senator in recommending and advising West Bridgewater town officials to expedite and approve PA Solar Company's permits, the PA Solar Company needed to hire and pay the Joyce Law Office the "legal" fees that defendant Joyce quoted to them at the meeting. The PA Solar Representative declined to engage the Joyce Law Office for such a purpose.

The Racketeering Violation

54. From in or before 2010 and continuing through February 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

and others known and unknown to the Grand Jury, being persons employed by and associated with an enterprise, the Senate Office of Brian A. Joyce, did unlawfully and knowingly conduct and participate, directly and indirectly, in the conduct of the affairs of the enterprise, which enterprise was engaged in, and the activities of which affected, interstate commerce, through a pattern of racketeering activity, as that term is defined in Sections 1961(1) and 1961(5) of Title 18, United States Code and as set forth below in paragraphs 55 to 70.

The Pattern of Racketeering Activity

55. The pattern of racketeering activity, as that term is defined in Sections 1961(1) and 1961(5) of Title 18, United States Code, consisted of the following acts:

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Racketeering Act #1 (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Town of Randolph)

56. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #1:

#1A. On or about October 27, 2011, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive therefrom any such matter and thing, namely, a check from the Energy Broker Company (NY) that was mailed to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$298.67 in Randolph energy commissions, for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1346, and 2.

#1B. From in or about early 2011 through 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Randolph Town Manager to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Randolph

Town Manager, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Randolph Town Manager, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Randolph, and the Town of Randolph's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#1C. From in or about early 2011 through 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Randolph Town Manager to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Randolph Town Manager, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Randolph Town Manager, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Randolph, and the Town of Randolph's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

<u>Racketeering Act #2</u> (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Town of Randolph-Renewal)

57. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #2:

#2A. On or about May 5, 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate and foreign commerce by means of wire, radio, and television communication certain writings, signals, pictures, and sounds, namely, a wire payment from the Energy Broker Company (NY) to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$2,757.62 in Randolph energy commissions, for the purpose of executing this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1343, 1346, and 2.

#2B. From in or about April 2014 through February 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Randolph Town Manager to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Randolph Town Manager, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Randolph Town Manager, which official acts included the re-appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Randolph, and the

Town of Randolph's renewal of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#2C. From in or about April 2014 through February 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Randolph Town Manager to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Randolph Town Manager, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Randolph Town Manager, which official acts included the re-appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Randolph, and the Town of Randolph's renewal of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

Racketeering Act #3 (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Town of Easton)

58. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #3:

#3A. On or about July 2, 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive therefrom any such matter and thing, namely, a check from the Energy Broker Company (NY) that was mailed to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$3,309.42 in Easton energy commissions, for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1346, and 2.

#3B. From in or about August 2013 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Easton Town Administrator to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Easton Town Administrator, intending that such advice would form the basis

for an official act by the Easton Town Administrator, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Easton, and the Town of Easton's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#3C. From in or about August 2013 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Easton Town Administrator to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Easton Town Administrator, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Easton Town Administrator, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Easton, and the Town of Easton's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

Racketeering Act #4 (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Town of East Bridgewater)

59. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #4:

#4A. On or about September 19, 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive therefrom any such matter and thing, namely, a check from the Energy Broker Company (NY) that was mailed to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$4,473.93 in East Bridgewater energy commissions, for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1346, and 2.

#4B. From in or about February 2014 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the East Bridgewater Town Administrator to perform an official act, and using his

official position to advise the East Bridgewater Town Administrator, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the East Bridgewater Town Administrator, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the energy consultant for the Town of East Bridgewater, and the Town of East Bridgewater's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#4C. From in or about February 2014 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the East Bridgewater Town Administrator to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the East Bridgewater Town Administrator, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the East Bridgewater Town Administrator, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the energy consultant for the Town of East Bridgewater, and the Town of East Bridgewater's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

Racketeering Act #5 (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Town of Holbrook)

- 60. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #5:
- #5A. On or about November 25, 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive therefrom any such matter and thing, namely, a check from the Energy Broker Company (NY) that was mailed to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$1,531.53 in Holbrook energy commissions, for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1346, and 2.
- #5B. From in or about August 2014 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Holbrook Town Administrator to perform an official act, and using his official

position to advise the Holbrook Town Administrator, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Holbrook Town Administrator, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Holbrook, and the Town of Holbrook's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#5C. From in or about August 2014 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Holbrook Town Administrator to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Holbrook Town Administrator, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Holbrook Town Administrator, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Holbrook, and the Town of Holbrook's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

Racketeering Act #6 (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Town of Southbridge)

61. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #6:

#6A. On or about June 15, 2015, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive therefrom any such matter and thing, namely, a check from the Energy Broker Company (NY) that was mailed to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$664.36 in Southbridge energy commissions, for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1346, and 2.

#6B. From in or about February through June 2015, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Southbridge Town Manager to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Southbridge Town Manager, intending that such advice would form the basis for an

official act by the Southbridge Town Manager, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Southbridge, and the Town of Southbridge's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#6C. From in or about February through June 2015, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on the Southbridge Town Manager to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise the Southbridge Town Manager, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the Southbridge Town Manager, which official acts included the appointment of the Energy Broker Company as the exclusive energy consultant for the Town of Southbridge, and the Town of Southbridge's approval of an energy contract that was brokered by the Energy Broker Company, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

<u>Racketeering Act #7</u> (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Easton College Solar Panel Project)

62. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #7:

#7A. On or about October 31, 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate and foreign commerce by means of wire, radio, and television communication certain writings, signals, pictures, and sounds, namely, a wire payment from the Energy Broker Company (NY) to defendant Joyce (MA) that included approximately \$89,157 in Easton College Solar Panel Project energy commissions, for the purpose of executing this scheme and artifice to defraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1343, 1346, and 2.

#7B. From at least as early as in or about March 2012 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included filing Senate Bill number 1599 and an amendment to Senate Bill number 2200, using his official position to exert pressure on officials at the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities (DPU) to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise DPU officials, intending that such advice

would form the basis for an official act by officials at the DPU, which official acts included the DPU taking no adverse action against the Easton College Solar Panel Project and the DPU declining to issue an adverse advisory ruling pertaining to the Easton College Solar Panel Project, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#7C. From at least as early as in or about March 2012 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of payments from the Energy Broker Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included filing Senate Bill number 1599 and an amendment to Senate Bill number 2200, using his official position to exert pressure on officials at the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities (DPU) to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise DPU officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by officials at the DPU, which official acts included the DPU taking no adverse action against the Easton College Solar Panel Project and the DPU declining to issue an adverse advisory ruling pertaining to the Easton College Solar Panel Project, as specific opportunities arose, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

Racketeering Acts #8-#10 (The Energy Broker Kickback Scheme – Money Laundering)

63. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, knowing that the property involved in financial transactions represented the proceeds of some form of unlawful activity, and knowing that the transactions were designed in whole and in part to conceal and disguise the nature, the location, the source, the ownership, and the control of the proceeds of specified unlawful activity, that is, extortion contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a) and wire fraud contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1343, conducted and attempted to conduct financial transactions which in fact involved the proceeds of such specified unlawful activity, as set forth below:

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RACKETEERING	Transaction	Approximate
ACT #	(Energy Broker Company = EBC)	Dates
8	Electronic transmittal of funds	5/5/2014
	including \$2,757.62 in Randolph	
	energy commissions from EBC, from	
	Windswept's bank account to	
	BAJPC's bank account	
9	Electronic transmittal of funds	2/4/2015
	including \$10,000 in Easton College	
	Solar Panel Project energy	
	commissions from EBC, from	
	Windswept's bank account to	
	BAJPC's bank account	
10A	Electronic transmittal of \$39,671 in	11/24/2014
	Easton College Solar Panel Project	
	energy commissions from EBC, from	
	Windswept's bank account to	
	BAJPC's bank account	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1956(a)(1)(B)(i) and 2.

64. In or about November 2011, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, knowingly engaged in and attempted to engage in a monetary transaction affecting interstate commerce as set forth below in criminally derived property that was of a value of greater than \$10,000, said property having been derived from specified unlawful activity, that is, the proceeds of extortion contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a) and wire fraud contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1343, as follows:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE
ACT#	DATE	TRANSMISSION
10B	11/24/2014	Electronic transmittal of \$39,671
		in Easton College Solar Panel
		Project energy commissions from
		EBC, from Windswept's bank
		account to the BAJPC bank account

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1957(a) and 2.

The commission of either Racketeering Act #10A or Racketeering Act #10B constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #10.

Racketeering Act #11 (The Developer Kickback Scheme)

65. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #11:

#11A. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate and foreign commerce by means of wire, radio, and television communications certain writings, signs, signals, pictures, and sounds, for the purpose of executing this scheme and artifice to defraud, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE
ACT#	DATE	TRANSMISSION
11A-1	10/15/2012	Defendant Joyce email to
		Developer telling Developer "We
		would make money even if four
		lots." (MA-Interstate computer
		server transmission)
11A-2	4/15/2013	Defendant Joyce email to Planning
		Board Chair telling Chair that
		MWC project "falls apart" if waiver
		not approved. (MA-Interstate
		computer server transmission)
11A-3	4/18/2013	Defendant Joyce email to Planning
		Board Chair asking Chair whether
		Board would "waive the 50"
		requirement." (MA-Interstate
		computer server transmission)
11A-4	8/7/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
		Developer telling Developer he
		"can set up meeting [with Chair]
		upon [his] return." (MA-Interstate
		computer server transmission)

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE
ACT#	DATE	TRANSMISSION
11A-5	9/27/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
		Developer to coordinate
		concealment to reporter, "I was
		asked to help by women's club
		members and wouldn't take any
		fee." (MA-Interstate computer
		server transmission)
11A-6	10/9/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
		Developer advising Developer to
		"[ask] for a continuance" of the
		Planning Board meeting. (MA-
		Interstate server transmission)

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1343 and 1346, and 2.

#11B. From in or about October 2012 through 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining money from the Developer, with the Developer's consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	Official(s) Advised	Official Act(s) to be	Approximate
ACT#	by Defendant Joyce	Obtained for the	Dates
		Developer	
11B	Milton Planning	Vote in favor of waiver	April 2013 to
	Board – Chair;	for Milton Women's	January 2014
	Milton Planning	Club development;	
	Board member X	Planning Board	
		approval of waiver	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#11C. From in or about October 2012 through 2014, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain money from the Developer, with the Developer's consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	Official(s) Advised	Official Act(s) to be	Approximate
ACT#	by Defendant Joyce	Obtained for the	Dates
11C	Milton Planning	Vote in favor of waiver	April 2013 to
	Board – Chair;	for Milton Women's	January 2014
	Milton Planning	Club development;	
	Board member X	Planning Board	
		approval of waiver	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

Racketeering Act #12 (The Developer Kickback Scheme – Money Laundering)

66. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #12:

On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, knowing that the property involved in financial transactions represented the proceeds of some form of unlawful activity, and knowing that the transactions were designed in whole and in part to conceal and disguise the nature, the location, the source, the ownership, and the control of proceeds of specified unlawful activity, that is, extortion contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a) and wire fraud contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1343, conducted and attempted to conduct financial transactions, which in fact involved the proceeds of such specified unlawful activity, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	Transaction	Approximate
ACT#		Dates
12A	Defendant Joyce bank deposit of	1/16/2014
	\$20,500 check from Developer	
12B	Developer bank deposit of \$15,000	1/27/2014
	check from defendant Joyce	
12C	Developer bank deposit of \$5,000	2/4/2014
	check from defendant Joyce	
12D	Developer bank deposit of \$4,500	2/18/2014
	check from defendant Joyce	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1956(a)(1)(B)(i) and 2.

Racketeering Act #13 (The Energy Insurance Brokerage Company Bribery Scheme)

67. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #13:

#13A. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate and foreign commerce by means of wire, radio, and television communications certain writings, signs, signals, pictures, and sounds, for the purpose of executing this scheme and artifice to defraud, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE
ACT#	DATE	TRANSMISSION
13A-1	12/30/2011	Defendant Joyce email to EIB CEO
		agreeing to \$5000 monthly
		payment. (MA-Interstate computer
		server transmission)
13A-2	7/11/2012	Defendant Joyce email to EIB CEO
,		on Mass Development bond
		offering. (MA-Interstate computer
		server transmission)
13A-3	7/13/2012	EIB CEO relative email to
	1	defendant Joyce and EIB CEO with
		PACE insurance language to
		include in bill. (MA-Interstate
		computer server transmission)
13A-4	7/11/2013	Defendant Joyce email to EIB CEO
		stating that defendant Joyce
		"confirmed with the
		[Commissioner] that we have
		already satisfactorily addressed the
		issues raised in [Ins. Co. A's] letter
		to him." (MA-Interstate computer
		server transmission)

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE
ACT#	DATE	TRANSMISSION
13A-5	7/26/2013	Defendant Joyce email to EIB CEO
		describing meeting with Majority
		Leader and agreeing to push PACE
		bill. (MA-Interstate computer
		server transmission)
13A-6	3/30/2015	Defendant Joyce email to EIB
		CEO, "Suggest you not return call
		please," regarding reporter. (MA-
		Interstate computer server
		transmission)

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1343, 1346, and 2.

#13B. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive any such matter and thing therefrom, for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute said scheme and artifice to defraud, as set forth below:

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RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF MAILING IN
ACT#	DATE	FURTHERANCE OF SCHEME
13B-1	1/17/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-2	2/7/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-3	3/6/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-4	4/10/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-5	5/8/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-6	6/5/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-7	7/10/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-8	8/7/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-9	9/18/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-10	10/9/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-11	11/6/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-12	12/18/2012	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-13	1/8/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-14	2/5/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-15	3/19/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-16	4/9/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-17	5/7/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-18	7/9/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-19	7/16/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-20	8/13/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-21	9/10/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-22	10/8/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-23	11/5/2013	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-24	1/23/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-25	2/12/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-26	2/19/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-27	3/17/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-28	4/18/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-29	5/7/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-30	6/9/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-31	7/22/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-32	8/13/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-33	9/17/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-34	10/8/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-35	11/10/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-36	12/16/2014	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-37	1/14/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-38	2/11/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce
13B-39	4/14/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF MAILING IN	
ACT#	DATE	FURTHERANCE OF SCHEME	
13B-40	5/13/2015	\$10,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant	
		Joyce	
13B-41	6/8/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-42	7/8/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-43	8/19/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-44	9/9/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-45	10/28/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-46	12/16/2015	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-47	1/21/2016	\$5,000 check from EIB Co. to Defendant Joyce	
13B-48	12/9/2014	Defendant Joyce Fed-ex of checks to purchase	
		40,000 shares of EIB Common Stock	
13B-49	1/6/2016	BAJPC \$5,000 invoice mailed to Energy	
		Insurance Brokerage Company	
13B-50	1/27/2016	Defendant Joyce's letter sent to Ethics	
		Commission, via his attorney, claiming that	
		because his PACE bills did not contain an	
		insurance provision, he "did not believe that his	
		bill [S.B. 177; S.B. 1774], either directly or	
		indirectly, could reasonably be viewed as	
		benefitting [EIB Company]"; and claiming that	
		Joyce's dealings with the DOI on June 3, 2013	
		were ministerial.	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1346, and 2.

#13C. From at least as early as in or about January 2010 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of money and property from the Energy Insurance Brokerage Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the

basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	MONEY/PROPERTY	OFFICIAL ACT(S)
ACT#	DATES	OBTAINED BY	
		DEFENDANT JOYCE	
13C	1/2010 to	 Legal fees paid to 	DOI taking no adverse
	1/2016	Joyce Law Office;	action against EIB Co.
		- \$2,796 in payments	oil dealer insurance
		from EIB Co. to defendant	product; DOI taking no
		Joyce's relative for summer	adverse action regarding
		internship at EIBC;	Ins. Co. A complaint;
		- Monthly \$5,000	DOI issuance of MGA
		payments from EIB Co. to	certification letter
		BAJPC, totaling	
		approximately \$240,000;	Sponsor, file, amend,
		- 65,000 shares of EIB	and vote on PACE
		Co. Stock	legislation

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#13D. From at least as early as in or about January 2010 through January 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of money and property from the Energy Insurance Brokerage Company, with its consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	MONEY/PROPERTY	OFFICIAL ACT(S)
ACT#	DATES	OBTAINED BY	·
		DEFENDANT JOYCE	
13D	1/2010 to	- Legal fees paid to	DOI taking no adverse
	1/2016	Joyce Law Office;	action against EIB Co.
		- \$2,796 in payments	oil dealer insurance
}		from EIB Co. to defendant	product; DOI taking no
		Joyce's relative for summer	adverse action regarding
		internship at EIBC;	Ins. Co. A complaint;
		- Monthly \$5,000	DOI issuance of MGA
		payments from EIB Co. to	certification letter
		BAJPC, totaling	
		approximately \$240,000;	Sponsor, file, amend,
		- 65,000 shares of EIB	and vote on PACE
		Co. Stock	legislation

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

#13E. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, a state employee, did directly and indirectly corruptly ask, demand, exact, solicit, seek, accept, receive, and agree to receive anything of value for himself in return for being influenced in his performance of any official act and any act within his official responsibility, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	THING OF VALUE	OFFICIAL ACT OR
ACT#	DATES		ACT WITHIN
			OFFICIAL
			RESPONSIBILITY
13E-1	6/2011-	\$2,796 in payments from	Sponsor, file, amend,
	8/2011	EIBC to defendant Joyce's	and vote on PACE
		relative for summer	legislation
		internship at EIBC	
13E-2	1/2012-	Monthly \$5,000 payments	Sponsor, file, amend,
	1/2016	from EIBC to BAJPC	and vote on PACE
		totaling approximately	legislation
		\$240,000	

RACKETEERING	APPX.	THING OF VALUE	OFFICIAL ACT OR
ACT#	DATES		ACT WITHIN
			OFFICIAL
			RESPONSIBILITY
13E-3	8/2014-	65,000 shares of EIB Stock	Sponsor, file, amend,
	12/2014		and vote on PACE
			legislation

All in violation of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 268A, Section 2(b)(1).

#13F. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, a state employee, did knowingly, otherwise as provided by law for the proper discharge of official duty, directly and indirectly, ask, demand, exact, solicit, seek, accept, receive, and agree to receive anything of substantial value for himself for and because of any official act and act within his official responsibility performed and to be performed by him, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	THING OF VALUE	OFFICIAL ACT OR
ACT #	DATES		ACT WITHIN
	•		OFFICIAL
		•	RESPONSIBILITY
13F-1	6/2011-	\$2,796 in payments from	Sponsor, file, amend,
	8/2011	EIBC to defendant Joyce's	and vote on PACE
		relative for summer	legislation
		internship at EIB Co.	
13F-2	1/2012-	Monthly \$5,000 payments	Sponsor, file, amend,
	1/2016	from EIB Co. to BAJPC	and vote on PACE
		totaling approximately	legislation
		\$240,000	
13F-3	8/2014-	65,000 shares of EIB Co.	Sponsor, file, amend,
	12/2014	Stock	and vote on PACE
			legislation

All in violation of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 268A, Section 3(b).

<u>Racketeering Act #14</u> (The EIB Common Stock – IRS Wire Fraud Scheme)

68. On or about the date set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Internal Revenue Service, and for obtaining money and property by means of materially false and fraudulent pretenses, representations, and promises, knowingly transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate commerce by means of wire, radio, television communications certain writings, signs, signals, pictures and sounds for the purpose of executing such scheme and artifice to defraud, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE IN
ACT#	DATE	FURTHERANCE OF SCHEME
14	9/8/2015	Electronically filed U.S. Individual Income Tax
		Return, Form 1040 for himself and his spouse
		for tax year 2014, falsely reporting early
		withdrawals from defendant Joyce's and his
		spouse's SEP-IRAs as qualifying tax-exempt
		rollovers in the amount of \$427,629, and falsely
		reporting a SEP-IRA deductible contribution of
		\$80,502, of which \$76,125 consisted of
		defendant Joyce's purchase of EIB Common
		Stock with home equity line of credit funds

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1343 and 2.

Racketeering Act #15 (The Coffee Franchise Bribery Scheme)

69. Defendant Brian Augustine Joyce committed the following acts, any one of which alone constitutes the commission of Racketeering Act #15:

#15A. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly (a) did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by any private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive therefrom for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute this scheme and artifice to defraud; and (b) transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate and foreign commerce by means of wire, radio, and television communications certain writings, signs, signals, pictures, and sounds, for the purpose of executing this scheme and artifice to defraud, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
ACT#	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
		TRANSMISSION
15A-1	12/17/2010	Defendant Joyce email to Franchise
		Owner thanking Franchise Owner
		for free coffee. (MA-Interstate
		computer server transmission)
15A-2	12/16/2014	Defendant Joyce email to Franchise
		Owner: "Can I get coffee to
		distribute at town halls again?"
		(MA-Interstate computer server
		transmission)

RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
ACT#	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
		TRANSMISSION
15A-3	12/17/2014	Defendant Joyce email to Franchise
1,012.0		Owner: "No decaf. Usually I
		bring around 200 bags to various
		town halls, maybe fewer. We like
		k cups at my office if possible."
		(MA-Interstate computer server
		transmission)
15A-4	1/5/2015	Defendant Joyce email to Franchise
		Owner: "I am attending the
		Massachusetts Municipal
		Association convention in a week.
		I would like to bring 500 bags of
		coffee, but I don't want to further
		burden you. Would it be possible
		for me to obtain the coffee at cost?"
		(MA-Interstate computer server
		transmission)
15A-5	2/1/2015	Defendant Joyce phone call with
		the Franchise Owner's Relative
		directing the Relative to create
		backdated invoice for free 2014
		coffee. (AZ to MA interstate call)
15A-6	4/3/2015	Defendant Joyce mailed letter, via
		his attorney, to the Boston Globe
		referencing backdated invoice and
		check for 2014 coffee.
15A-7	4/10/2015	Defendant Joyce email to the
		Franchise Owner and Relative
		creating false paper trail of 2013
		free coffee in exchange for legal
		services. (MA-Interstate computer
15. 0	0/5/0016	server transmission)
15A-8	2/5/2016	Defendant Joyce mailed letter, via
		his attorney, to the Ethics
		Commission claiming that
		defendant Joyce received coffee in
		exchange for legal services in late
		2013.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1343, 1346 and 2.

#15B. From at least as early as in or about January 2010 through February 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain and obtaining a stream of money and property from the Franchise Owner, with the Franchise Owner's consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	MONEY/PROPERTY	OFFICIAL ACT(S)
ACT #	DATES	OBTAINED BY	
		DEFENDANT JOYCE	
15B	2010-	- \$125,089 in payments	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2016	from and on behalf of the	and vote on Franchise
		Franchise Owner to defendant	legislation and Tip
		Joyce;	Pooling legislation
		- Free Coffee Franchise	
		coffee and other products	
		provided to defendant Joyce	
		on a regular basis;	
		- Solar energy	
		brokerage commissions for	
		solar panels on Franchise	
		Owner property	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

#15C. From at least as early as in or about January 2010 through February 2016, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and

commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of money and property from the Franchise Owner, with the Franchise Owner's consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	MONEY/PROPERTY	OFFICIAL ACT(S)
ACT#	DATES	OBTAINED BY	
•		DEFENDANT JOYCE	
15C	2010-	- \$125,089 in payments	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2016	from and on behalf of the	and vote on Franchise
		Franchise Owner to defendant	legislation and Tip
		Joyce;	Pooling legislation
		- Free Coffee Franchise	
		coffee and other products	
		provided to defendant Joyce	
		on a regular basis;	
		- Solar energy	
		brokerage commissions for	
		solar panels on Franchise	
		Owner property	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

#15D. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, a state employee, did directly and indirectly corruptly ask, demand, exact, solicit, seek, accept, receive, and agree to receive anything of value for himself in return for being influenced in his performance of any official act and any act within his official responsibility, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	THING OF VALUE	OFFICIAL ACT OR
ACT#	DATES		ACT WITHIN
			OFFICIAL
			RESPONSIBILITY
15D-1	2010-	\$125,089 in payments from	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2013	and on behalf of the	and vote on Franchise
·		Franchise Owner to	legislation and Tip
		defendant Joyce	Pooling legislation
15D-2	2010-	Free Coffee Franchise	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2015	coffee and other products	and vote on Franchise
		provided to defendant Joyce	legislation and Tip
		on a regular basis	Pooling legislation
15D-3	2014-	Solar energy brokerage	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2015	commissions for solar	and vote on Franchise
		panels on Franchise Owner	legislation and Tip
		property	Pooling legislation

All in violation of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 268A, Section 2(b)(1).

#15E. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, a state employee, did knowingly, otherwise as provided by law for the proper discharge of official duty, directly and indirectly, ask, demand, exact, solicit, seek, accept, receive, and agree to receive anything of substantial value for himself for and because of any official act and act within his official responsibility performed and to be performed by him, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	THING OF VALUE	OFFICIAL ACT OR
ACT#	DATES		ACT WITHIN
			OFFICIAL
			RESPONSIBILITY
15E-1	2010-	\$125,089 in payments from	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2013	and on behalf of the	and vote on Franchise
		Franchise Owner to	legislation and Tip
		defendant Joyce	Pooling legislation
15E-2	2010-	Free Coffee Franchise	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2015	coffee and other products	and vote on Franchise
		provided to defendant Joyce	legislation and Tip
		on a regular basis	Pooling legislation

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RACKETEERING	APPX.	THING OF VALUE	OFFICIAL ACT OR
ACT#	DATES		ACT WITHIN
			OFFICIAL
, '			RESPONSIBILITY
15E-3	2014-	Solar energy brokerage	Sponsor, file, amend,
	2015	commissions for solar	and vote on Franchise
		panels on Franchise Owner	legislation and Tip
		property	Pooling legislation

All in violation of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 268A, Section 3(b).

Racketeering Act #16 (The Philadelphia Solar Company Attempted Extortion)

70. From in or about April 2012 through May 2012, in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere, the defendant, BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE, did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by attempting to obtain money from the PA Solar Company, with the PA Solar Company's consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

RACKETEERING	APPX.	MONEY/PROPERTY	OFFICIAL ACT TO BE
ACT#	DATE	ATTEMPTED TO BE	PERFORMED
		OBTAINED BY	·
		DEFENDANT JOYCE	
16	May	At least approximately	West Bridgewater
	2012	\$25,000 in purported legal	officials' approval of
		fees from the PA Solar	permit applications by
		Company to defendant	PA Solar Company to
		Joyce	construct solar panel
			facility

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

All in violation Title 18, United States Code, Section 1962(c).

COUNTS TWO THROUGH SEVENTY-NINE

(Scheme to Defraud the Senate District and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and its Citizens of Defendant Joyce's Honest Services - 18 U.S.C. §§ 1341, 1343, and 1346)

- 71. Paragraphs 1 to 51 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 72. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Senate District, and its citizens of the right to defendant Joyce's honest services as a Massachusetts State Senator, knowingly (a) did cause to be placed in post offices and authorized depositories for mail matter any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by the Postal Service, did cause to be deposited any matter and thing whatever to be sent and delivered by private and commercial interstate carrier, and did cause to take and receive said matter and things therefrom for the purpose of executing and attempting to execute such scheme and artifice to defraud; and (b) transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate and foreign commerce by means of wire, radio, and television communications certain writings, signs, signals, pictures, and sounds, for the purpose of executing such scheme and artifice to defraud, as set forth below:

COUNT#	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
·			TRANSMISSION
2	1A	10/27/2011	\$298.97 in Randolph energy
			commissions mailed via check
			from the Energy Broker
			Company. (NY) to defendant
			Joyce (MA)

COUNT #	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
	(1011010100)		TRANSMISSION
3	2A	5/5/2014	\$2,757.62 in Randolph energy
		0,0,202.	commissions wired from the
			Energy Broker Company bank
			account (NY) to Windswept's
			bank account (MA).
4	3A	7/2/2014	\$3,309.42 in Easton energy
•			commissions mailed via check
·			from the Energy Broker
	·		Company (NY) to defendant
			Joyce (MA).
5	4A	9/19/2014	\$4,473.93 in East Bridgewater
		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	energy commissions mailed via
			check from the Energy Broker
			Company (NY) to defendant
			Joyce (MA).
6	5A	11/25/2014	\$1,531.53 in Holbrook energy
			commissions mailed via check
			from the Energy Broker
			Company (NY) to defendant
			Joyce (MA).
7	6A	6/15/2015	\$664.36 in Southbridge energy
			commissions mailed via check
			from the Energy Broker
			Company (NY) to defendant
			Joyce (MA).
8	7A	10/31/2014	\$89,157 in Easton College Solar
			Panel Project energy
			commissions wired from the
			Energy Broker Company bank
			account (NY) to Windswept's
			bank account (MA).
9	· 11A-1	10/15/2012	Defendant Joyce email to
			Developer telling Developer "We
			would make money even if four
			lots." (MA-Interstate computer
			server transmission)

COUNT #	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
000111 //	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
	(101 101010100)	21112	TRANSMISSION
10	11A-2	4/15/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
			Planning Board Chair telling
			Chair that MWC project "falls
			apart" if waiver not approved.
			(MA-Interstate computer server
			transmission)
11	11A-3	4/18/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
			Planning Board Chair asking
			Chair whether Board would
			"waive the 50' requirement."
			(MA-Interstate computer server
			transmission)
12	11A-4	8/7/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
			Developer telling Developer he
			"can set up meeting [with Chair]
		·	upon [his] return." (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)
13	11A-5	9/27/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
			Developer to coordinate
			concealment to reporter, "I was
			asked to help by women's club
		•	members and wouldn't take any
			fee." (MA-Interstate computer
			server transmission)
14	11A-6	10/9/2013	Defendant Joyce email to
			Developer advising Developer to
			"[ask] for a continuance" of the
			Planning Board meeting. (MA-
			Interstate computer server
:			transmission)
15	13A-1	12/30/2011	Defendant Joyce email to EIB
			CEO agreeing to \$5000 monthly
			payment. (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)
16	13A-2	7/11/2012	Defendant Joyce email to EIB
			CEO on Mass Development bond
			offering. (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)

COUNT #	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
:			TRANSMISSION
17	13A-3	7/13/2012	EIB CEO relative email to
			defendant Joyce and EIB CEO
	•		with PACE insurance language to
		•	include in bill. (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)
18	13A-4	7/11/2013	Defendant Joyce email to EIB
			CEO stating that defendant Joyce
			"confirmed with the
			[Commissioner] that we have
			already satisfactorily addressed
			the issues raised in [Ins. Co. A's]
			letter to him." (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)
19	13A-5	7/26/2013	Defendant Joyce email to EIB
			CEO describing meeting with
			Majority Leader and agreeing to
	·		push PACE bill. (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)
20	13A-6	3/30/2015	Defendant Joyce email to EIB
			CEO, "Suggest you not return
			call please," regarding reporter.
			(MA-Interstate computer server
			transmission)
21	13B-1	1/17/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
22	13B-2	2/7/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
23	13B-3	3/6/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
24	13B-4	4/10/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
25	13B-5	5/8/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
26	13B-6	6/5/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
27	13B-7	7/10/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
		0.17.15.5.5	Co. to Defendant Joyce
28	13B-8	8/7/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	15- 6	0/10/22/2	Co. to Defendant Joyce
29	13B-9	9/18/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce

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	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
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30	13B-10	10/9/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	132 10	10,7,2012	Co. to Defendant Joyce
31	13B-11	11/6/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
		1 27 97 2 2 1 2	Co. to Defendant Joyce
32	13B-12	12/18/2012	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
33	13B-13	1/8/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
34	13B-14	2/5/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	•		Co. to Defendant Joyce
35	13B-15	3/19/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
36	13B-16	4/9/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
37	13B-17	5/7/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
38	13B-18	7/9/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
39	13B-19	7/16/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
40	13B-20	8/13/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
41	13B-21	9/10/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
42	13B-22	10/8/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
43	13B-23	11/5/2013	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
44	13B-24	1/23/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	_		Co. to Defendant Joyce
45	13B-25	2/12/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
46	13B-26	2/19/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	10- 0-	0/15/2001	Co. to Defendant Joyce
47	13B-27	3/17/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
40	100.00	4/10/2014	Co. to Defendant Joyce
48	13B-28	4/18/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
40	120.00	5/7/0014	Co. to Defendant Joyce
49	13B-29	5/7/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce

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	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
			TRANSMISSION
50	13B-30	6/9/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	•		Co. to Defendant Joyce
51	13B-31	7/22/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
52	13B-32	8/13/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
53	13B-33	9/17/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
54	13B-34	10/8/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
55	13B-35	11/10/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
56	13B-36	12/16/2014	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
57	13B-37	1/14/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
58	13B-38	2/11/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
	_		Co. to Defendant Joyce
59	13B-39	4/14/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
60	13B-40	5/13/2015	\$10,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
61	13B-41	6/8/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
62	13B-42	7/8/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
· ·			Co. to Defendant Joyce
63	13B-43	8/19/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
***			Co. to Defendant Joyce
64	13B-44	9/9/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
65	13B-45	10/28/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
66	13B-46	12/16/2015	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
			Co. to Defendant Joyce
67	13B-47	1/21/2016	\$5,000 check mailed from EIB
		10/0/00/	Co. to Defendant Joyce
68	13B-48	12/9/2014	Defendant Joyce Fed-ex of
			checks to EIB Company to
			purchase 40,000 shares of EIB
		<u></u>	Common Stock

COUNT #	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
COUNT#	_	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
	(for reference)	DATE	TRANSMISSION
60	12D 40	1/6/2016	
69	13B-49	1/0/2010	BAJPC \$5,000 invoice mailed to
70	12D 50	1/07/0016	EIB Company
70	13B-50	1/27/2016	Defendant Joyce's letter mailed
			to Ethics Commission, via his
			attorney, claiming that because
			his PACE bills did not contain an
			insurance provision, he "did not
			believe that his bill [S.B. 177;
			S.B. 1774], either directly or
			indirectly, could reasonably be
			viewed as benefitting [EIB
			Company]"; and that Joyce's
			dealings with the DOI on
		0/0/0015	6/3/2013 were ministerial.
71	14	9/8/2015	Electronically filed U.S.
			Individual Income Tax Return,
			Form 1040 for himself and his
			spouse for tax year 2014, falsely
			reporting early withdrawals from
			defendant Joyce's and his
			spouse's SEP-IRAs as qualifying
			tax-exempt rollovers in the
			amount of \$427,629, and falsely
			reporting a SEP-IRA deductible
			contribution of \$80,502, of which
			\$76,125 consisted of defendant
			Joyce's purchase of EIB
			Common Stock with home equity
		12122	line of credit funds.
72	15A-1	12/17/2010	Defendant Joyce email to
			Franchise Owner thanking
			Franchise Owner for free coffee.
			(MA-Interstate computer server
			transmission)
73	15A-2	12/16/2014	Defendant Joyce email to
			Franchise Owner: "Can I get
			coffee to distribute at town halls
			again?" (MA-Interstate computer
			server transmission)

COUNT #	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
·	(TRANSMISSION
74	15A-3	12/17/2014	Defendant Joyce email to
			Franchise Owner: "No decaf.
			Usually I bring around 200 bags
	1 .		to various town halls, maybe
			fewer. We like k cups at my
			office if possible." (MA-
			Interstate computer server
			transmission)
75	15A-4	1/5/2015	Defendant Joyce email to
			Franchise Owner: "I am attending
			the Massachusetts Municipal
			Association convention in a
			week. I would like to bring 500
			bags of coffee, but I don't want to
			further burden you. Would it be
			possible for me to obtain the
			coffee at cost?" (MA-Interstate
			computer server transmission)
76	15A-5	2/1/2015	Defendant Joyce phone call with
			the Franchise Owner's Relative
			directing the Relative to create
			backdated invoice for free 2014
			coffee. (AZ to MA interstate
	1546	4/2/2215	call)
77	15A-6	4/3/2015	Defendant Joyce mailed letter,
			via his attorney, to the Boston
			Globe referencing backdated
			invoice and check for 2014
78	15 A 7	4/10/2015	Coffee.
/8	15A-7	4/10/2015	Defendant Joyce email to the Franchise Owner and Relative
			creating false paper trail of 2013
			free coffee in exchange for legal services. (MA-Interstate
			,
	<u></u>		computer server transmission)

COUNT #	Racketeering Act #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF
	(for reference)	DATE	MAILING/WIRE
			TRANSMISSION
79	15A-8	2/5/2016	Defendant Joyce email, via his attorney, to the Ethics Commission claiming that defendant Joyce received coffee in exchange for legal services in late 2013. (MA-Interstate computer server transmission)

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1341, 1343, 1346 and 2.

COUNT EIGHTY

(Scheme to Defraud the Internal Revenue Service - 18 U.S.C. § 1343)

- 73. Paragraphs 1 through 14 and 32 through 47 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 74. On or about the date set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

having devised and intending to devise a scheme and artifice to defraud the Internal Revenue Service, and for obtaining money and property by means of materially false and fraudulent pretenses, representations, and promises, knowingly transmitted and caused to be transmitted in interstate commerce by means of wire, radio, television communications certain writings, signs, signals, pictures and sounds, as set forth below:

COUNT #	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRING IN
	DATE	FURTHERANCE OF SCHEME
80	9/8/2015	U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, Form 1040
		for himself and his spouse for tax year 2014,
		falsely reporting early withdrawals from
		defendant Joyce's and his spouse's SEP-IRAs
		as qualifying tax-exempt rollovers in the
		amount of \$427,629, and falsely reporting a
		SEP-IRA deductible contribution of \$80,502, of
		which \$76,125 consisted of defendant Joyce's
		purchase of EIB Common Stock with home
		equity line of credit funds

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1343 and 2.

COUNTS EIGHTY-ONE to NINETY-ONE

(Obstructing and Affecting Interstate and Foreign Commerce by Extortion Under Color of Official Right - 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a))

- 75. Paragraphs 1 to 53 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 76. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

did obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce, and attempt and so to do, by extortion under color of official right – that is, by attempting to obtain and obtaining a stream of money and property from the individuals and entities set forth below, with their consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

COUNT	RACKETEERING	Official(s) to be	Official Act(s) to be Obtained	Appx.
#	ACT#	Advised by	•	Dates
		Defendant Joyce		
81	1B	Randolph –	Appoint EBC exclusive energy	Early 2011
		Town Manager	consultant for Randolph; Town	to 2014
			approval of EBC-brokered	
			energy contract	
82	2B	Randolph –	Reappoint EBC exclusive	April 2014
		Town Manager	energy consultant for	to Feb.
			Randolph; Town approval of	2016
			EBC-brokered energy contract	
83	3B	Easton – Town	Appoint EBC exclusive energy	August
		Administrator	consultant of record for	2013 to
			Easton; Town approval of	Jan. 2016
			EBC-brokered energy contract	

COUNT #	RACKETEERING ACT #	Official(s) to be Advised by	Official Act(s) to be Obtained	Appx. Dates
		Defendant Joyce		
84	4B	East Bridgewater	Appoint EBC energy	Feb. 2014
		– Town	consultant for East	to Jan.
		Administrator	Bridgewater; Town approval	2016
			of EBC-brokered energy	
			contract	
85	5B	Holbrook –	Appoint EBC exclusive energy	August
		Town	consultant of record for	2014 to
		Administrator	Holbrook; Town approval of	Jan. 2016
			EBC-brokered energy contract	
86	6B	Southbridge –	Appoint EBC exclusive natural	Feb. to
		Town Manager	gas energy consultant for	June 2015
			Southbridge; Town approval of	
0.7	an a	3.6.4. Ct. 1	EBC-brokered energy contract	3.6 1
87	7B	MA State	Amend Senate Bill 2200, file	March
		Senate;	Senate Bill 1599 (incl. by	2012 to
		Massachusetts	defendant Joyce); Decline	Jan. 2016
		Department of	Issuance of Adverse Advisory	
		Public Utilities officials	Ruling (Easton College Solar	
88	11B		Panel Project) Vote in favor of waiver for	A mail 2012
00	115	Milton Planning Board – Chair;	Milton Women's Club	April 2013 to January
		Milton Planning	development; Planning Board	2014
		Board member X	approval of waiver	2014
89	13C	DOI officials	DOI taking no adverse action	January
	150	DOI Officials	against EIB Co. oil dealer	2010 to
			insurance product; DOI taking	January
			no adverse action regarding	2016
			Ins. Co. A complaint; DOI	2010
			issuance of MGA certification	
			letter	
			:	
		MA State Senate	Sponsor, file, amend, and vote	
			on PACE legislation (incl. by	
			Defendant Joyce)	
90	15B	MA State Senate	Sponsor, file, amend, and vote	January
			on Franchise legislation and	2010 to
			Tip Pooling legislation (incl.	February
			by Defendant Joyce)	2016

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COUNT	RACKETEERING	Official(s) to be	Official Act(s) to be Obtained	Appx.
#	ACT#	Advised by	• •	Dates
		Defendant Joyce		
91	16	West	Approval of permit	April to
		Bridgewater	applications by PA Solar	May 2012
		town officials	Company to construct solar	
			panel facility	

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 2.

COUNTS NINETY-TWO to ONE HUNDRED ONE

(Conspiracy to Obstruct and Affect Interstate and Foreign Commerce by Extortion Under Color of Official Right - 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a))

- 77. Paragraphs 1 to 51 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 78. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

did conspire to obstruct, delay, and affect interstate commerce and the movement of any article and commodity in interstate commerce by extortion under color of official right – that is, by agreeing to obtain a stream of money and property from the individuals and entities set forth below, with their consent, in exchange for defendant Joyce's official action, which included using his official position to exert pressure on other officials to perform an official act, and using his official position to advise other officials, intending that such advice would form the basis for an official act by the other official, as specific opportunities arose, as set forth below:

COUNT #	RACKETEERING ACT#	Official(s) to be Advised by	Official Act(s) to be Obtained	Appx Dates
#	ACI#	Defendant Joyce	·	Dates
92	1C	Randolph –	Appoint EBC exclusive energy	Early 2011
		Town Manager	consultant for Randolph; Town approval of EBC-brokered energy contract	to 2014
93	2C	Randolph – Town Manager	Reappoint EBC exclusive energy consultant for Randolph; Town approval of EBC-brokered energy contract	April 2014 to Feb. 2016
94	3C	Easton – Town Administrator	Appoint EBC exclusive energy consultant of record for Easton; Town approval of EBC-brokered energy contract	August 2013 to Jan. 2016

COUNT #	RACKETEERING ACT #	Official(s) to be Advised by Defendant Joyce	Official Act(s) to be Obtained	Appx Dates
95	4C	East Bridgewater - Town Administrator	Appoint EBC energy consultant for East Bridgewater; Town approval of EBC-brokered energy contract	Feb. 2014 to Jan. 2016
96	5C	Holbrook – Town Administrator	Appoint EBC exclusive energy consultant of record for Holbrook; Town approval of EBC-brokered energy contract	August 2014 to Jan. 2016
97	6C	Southbridge – Town Manager	Appoint EBC exclusive natural gas energy consultant for Southbridge; Town approval of EBC-brokered energy contract	Feb. to June 2015
98	7C .	MA State Senate; Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities officials	Amend Senate Bill 2200, file Senate Bill 1599 (incl. by defendant Joyce); Decline Issuance of Adverse Advisory Ruling (Easton College Solar Panel Project)	March 2012 to Jan. 2016
99	11C	Milton Planning Board – Chair; Milton Planning Board member X	Vote in favor of waiver for Milton Women's Club development; Planning Board approval of waiver	April 2013 to January 2014
100	13D	DOI officials	DOI taking no adverse action against EIB Co. oil dealer insurance product; DOI taking no adverse action regarding Ins. Co. A complaint; DOI issuance of MGA certification letter	January 2010 to January 2016
		MA State Senate	Sponsor, file, amend, and vote on PACE legislation (incl. by Defendant Joyce)	
101	15C	MA State Senate	Sponsor, file, amend, and vote on Franchise legislation and Tip Pooling legislation (incl. by Defendant Joyce)	January 2010 to February 2016

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a).

COUNTS ONE HUNDRED TWO to ONE HUNDRED EIGHT (Money Laundering - 18 U.S.C. § 1956(a)(1)(B)(i))

- 79. Paragraphs 1 to 31 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 80. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

knowing that the property involved in financial transactions represented the proceeds of some form of unlawful activity, and knowing that the transactions were designed in whole and in part to conceal and disguise the nature, the location, the source, the ownership, and the control of the proceeds of specified unlawful activity, that is, extortion contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a) and wire fraud contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1343, conducted and attempted to conduct financial transactions which in fact involved the proceeds of such specified unlawful activity, as set forth below:

COUNT #	RACKETEERING	Transaction	Approximate
	ACT#		Dates
102	8	Electronic transmittal	5/5/2014
		of funds including	
		\$2,757.62 in Randolph	
		energy commissions	
		from EBC, from	
		Windswept's bank	
		account to BAJPC's	
		bank account	
103	9	Electronic transmittal	2/4/2015
		of funds including	
		\$10,000 in Easton	
		College Solar Panel	
		Project energy	
		commissions from	
		EBC, from	
		Windswept's bank	
1		account to BAJPC's	
		bank account	

COUNT #	RACKETEERING ACT #	Transaction	Approximate Dates
104	10A	Electronic transmittal of \$39,671 in Easton College Solar Panel Project energy commissions from EBC, from Windswept's bank account to BAJPC's bank account	11/24/2014
105	12A	Defendant Joyce bank deposit of \$20,500 check from Developer	1/16/2014
106	12B	Developer bank deposit of \$15,000 check from defendant Joyce	1/27/2014
107	· 12C	Developer bank deposit of \$5,000 check from defendant Joyce	2/4/2014
108	12D	Developer bank deposit of \$4,500 check from defendant Joyce	2/18/2014

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1956(a)(1)(B)(i) and 2.

COUNT ONE HUNDRED NINE (Money Laundering - 18 U.S.C. § 1957(a))

- 81. Paragraphs 1 to 24 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 82. On or about the date set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

knowingly engaged in and attempted to engage in a monetary transaction as set forth below in criminally derived property that was of a value of greater than \$10,000, said property having been derived from specified unlawful activity, that is, the extortion contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a) and wire fraud contrary to 18 U.S.C. § 1343, as follows:

COUNT #	RACKETEERING	APPX.	DESCRIPTION OF WIRE
	ACT#	DATE	TRANSMISSION
109	10B	11/24/2014	Electronic transmittal of \$39,671
			in Easton College Solar Panel
			Project energy commissions from
			EBC, from Windswept's bank
			account to the BAJPC bank
	,		account

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1957(a) and 2.

COUNTS ONE HUNDRED TEN to ONE HUNDRED TWELVE (Fraud, Theft, Embezzlement, Misapplication Involving Federal Funds - 18 U.S.C. § 666(a)(1)(A))

- 83. Paragraphs 1 to 22 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.
- 84. The following towns were each local governments that received in excess of \$10,000 in federal grants and other federal assistance, respectively, in each of the following calendar years, as set forth below:

TOWN	CALENDAR YEAR
	RECEIVING in EXCESS of \$10,000 in FEDERAL FUNDS
Town of Randolph	2014, 2015
Town of Easton	2014, 2015
Town of East Bridgewater	2014, 2015

- 85. Defendant Joyce, as the result of using his official position as State Senator to obtain Randolph, Easton, and East Bridgewater as energy clients for the Energy Broker Company, and contrary to state ethics laws that prohibited the use of public office for private gain, secretly obtained kickbacks in the form of energy broker commissions that were generated by payments made by each of the Towns of Randolph, Easton, and East Bridgewater, respectively, paid on a monthly basis.
- 86. On or about the dates set forth below, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

being an agent of each of the aforementioned local governments, embezzled, stole, obtained by fraud and otherwise without authority knowingly converted to the use of a person other than the rightful owner and intentionally misapplied, property valued at \$5,000 or more, which included

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labor, services, funds, and other property, that was owned by, and was under the care, custody, and control of the specified local governments, each of which received in excess of \$10,000 in federal program benefits that was funded by federal agencies, in any one-year period between in or about 2014 and in or about 2015, as follows:

COUNT #	TOWN	PROPERTY	DATES
		OBTAINED (appx.)	
110	Town of Randolph	\$14,175	2014-2015
111	Town of Easton	\$14,759	2014-2015
112	Town of East	\$10,131	2014-2015
	Bridgewater		

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 666(a)(1)(A) and 2.

COUNT ONE HUNDRED THIRTEEN (Conspiracy to Impede and Impair the Functions of the IRS - 18 U.S.C. § 371)

87. Paragraphs 1 to 14 and 32 to 47 of Count One of this Indictment are incorporated herein.

The Conspiracy

88. From at least in or about 2011 to at least in or about 2015, in the District of Massachusetts, and elsewhere, defendant

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

and others known and unknown to the Grand Jury, did knowingly and willfully combine, conspire, confederate, and agree among themselves and with others to defraud the United States and the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") of the United States Department of Treasury by impeding, impairing, obstructing, and defeating the lawful governmental functions of the IRS to ascertain, compute, assess, and collect income taxes.

Object of Conspiracy

89. It was an object of the conspiracy that defendant Joyce and others would subvert the function of the IRS to ascertain, compute, assess, and collect income taxes due and owing from defendant Joyce by fraudulently (i) inflating his spouse's self-employment income in order to maximize retirement plan contributions; and (ii) creating a fictitious rollover of retirement savings to conceal an early liquidation of retirement funds.

Manner and Means of Conspiracy

90. Among the manners and means employed by defendant Joyce and others to carry out the conspiracy and to effect its unlawful object were the following:

- A. Defendant Joyce and others fraudulently inflated defendant Joyce's spouse's yearly income by falsely allocating hundreds of thousands of dollars of BAJPC income, which included corrupt payments from EIB Company and the Energy Broker Company, to Joyce's spouse in order to maximize her retirement fund contributions.
- B. Defendant Joyce and others created documents to disguise a liquidation of over \$395,000 in his and his spouse's SEP-IRA accounts which defendant Joyce used to purchase approximately \$417,250 in EIB Common Stock as a tax-free rollover.

Overt Acts

- 91. In furtherance of the conspiracy and to effect its unlawful objects, defendant Joyce and his co-conspirators committed and caused to be committed the following acts in the District of Massachusetts and elsewhere:
- A. During the relevant time period, defendant Joyce employed two bookkeepers ("BK1" and "BK2," respectively) and worked with an accountant (the "Accountant") to prepare and review the books and records of BAJPC and to assist in the preparation and filing of defendant Joyce's joint personal federal income tax. From in or about 2011 to in or about 2015, defendant Joyce and the Accountant fraudulently allocated BAJPC income to defendant Joyce's spouse in order to inflate Joyce's spouse's personal income and falsely maximize SEP-IRA retirement contributions on a yearly basis, as follows:

OVERT ACT	DATE	DESCRIPTION
A-1	10/4/2011	BK1 email to the Accountant: "Brian would like you to evaluate his personal tax situation in the event he is able to make a 'catch up' payment prior to year end He has received in Fees, including personal expenses paid on his behalf through 10/4/11: 280,600.00 I discussed the cash situation with both you and BAJ, and he determined that paying SEP IRA was the priority"

OVERT ACT	DATE	DESCRIPTION
A-2	1/17/2012	BK1 email to the Accountant: "It was also Brian's intention to pay [defendant Joyce's spouse's]'s SEP IRA payment from this check, but I do not know how much that will be. I believe you [the Accountant] have to give me that number when you see what her income is "
A-3	4/5/2012	when you see what her income is." Accountant email to defendant Joyce: "Brian, last year [tax year 2010] we didn't move any income from you to [defendant Joyce's spouse]. I'm not sure why that decision was finally made. As of this writing I only moved \$40K over to [defendant Joyce's spouse]. Any thoughts on what you want to do?"
A-4	4/5/2012	Defendant Joyce email to the Accountant: "I would move as much as necessary so as to allow us to max out on her SEP IRA if I hit the lottery between now and October."
A-5	4/9/2012	Defendant Joyce email to BK1: "how much are you comfortable saying that we will be able to pay toward [defendant Joyce's spouse's] 2011 SEP IRA by October 15, 2012?"
A-6	4/10/2012	Accountant email to BK1 and defendant Joyce with the subject line "[defendant Joyce's spouse's] income": "I have prepared the extension with \$60,000 going to [defendant Joyce's spouse's] Schedule c business. Based on that her contribution to her SEP-IRA would be \$17,298."
A-7	2/11/2013	Defendant Joyce email to the Accountant and BK1: "[BK1] and [the Accountant], Can you please reach an agreement for the maximum SEP IRA payments for [defendant Joyce's spouse] and me for 2012? Could you do the same for 2013?"
A-8	2/12/2013	Accountant email to defendant Joyce: "We agreed on \$20,000 for [defendant Joyce's spouse] for both years."
A-9	4/10/2014	Accountant email to defendant Joyce: "I allocated \$130K to [defendant Joyce's spouse]. That allows you to put another \$31K in her SEP if you want[.]"
A-10	4/10/2014	Defendant Joyce email to the Accountant: "If I need to make payments to the government, I'd rather reduce those payments by maxing the SEP IRA."
A-11	8/20/2014	Defendant Joyce email to the Accountant: "52K for me (sic) SEP IRA limit this year. How much can I allocate for [defendant Joyce's spouse]? Everything look ok with my financials?"

OVERT ACT	DATE	DESCRIPTION
A-12	8/21/2014	Accountant email to defendant Joyce: "Yes. I know you want to maximize the SEP. The amount I used was based on the income on the projection (20%), for both you and [defendant Joyce's spouse]."

B. As described in paragraph numbers 38 to 47 of Count One, above, defendant Joyce used a home equity line of credit loan and the liquidation of defendant Joyce's and his spouse's SEP-IRA retirement savings to fund the purchase of approximately \$471,250 in EIB Common Stock from August 30, 2014 to December 8, 2014. In order to avoid early withdrawal taxes and penalties, defendant Joyce, and his co-conspirators, concealed his purchase of EIB Common Stock as a fictitious rollover, as follows:

OVERT ACT	APPX. DATE(S)	DESCRIPTION
B-1	9/5/2014	Defendant Joyce sends HELOC check to EIB Company for \$50,750; Memo on Check: "7,000 Shares SEP IRA"
B-2	9/5/2014	Defendant Joyce sends HELOC check to EIB Company for \$25,375; Memo on Check: "3,500 Shares SEP IRA"
B-3	10/4/2014	Defendant Joyce causes liquidation of \$105,125 from spouse's IRA; issues personal check to EIB Company for \$105,125; Memo on Check: "14,500 Shares [Spouse] SEP IRA"
B-4	12/10/2014	Defendant Joyce causes liquidation of \$72,500 from spouse's IRA; issues personal check to EIB Company for \$72,500; Memo on Check: "10,000 Shares [Spouse] SEP IRA"
B-5	12/10/2014	Defendant Joyce causes liquidation of \$250,000 from his IRA; issues personal check to EIB Company for \$217,500; Memo on Check: "30,000 Shares SEP IRA"
B-6	3/13/2015	Accountant email to defendant Joyce regarding defendant Joyce's withdrawal of \$250,000 from his IRA: "No withholdings and to be treated as an early withdrawal. This will have a significant effect on your return."

OVERT ACT	APPX. DATE(S)	DESCRIPTION
В-7	3/13/2015	Defendant Joyce email to the Accountant, responding: "All IRA withdrawals were either reimbursed within 60 days, or invested in [EIB Company]. No taxes."

C. On or about the following dates, defendant Joyce, with the Accountant's assistance, signed, filed, and caused to be filed with the IRS United States Individual Income Tax Returns for tax years 2011 through 2014 that were false, in that those tax returns fraudulently allocated BAJPC income to defendant Joyce's spouse's income to maximize retirement contributions and falsely claimed a rollover of IRA funds to conceal an IRA liquidation that was made to purchase EIB Common Stock, as follows:

OVERT ACT	TAX RETURN FILING DATE	DESCRIPTION OF FILING	
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C-1	9/26/2012	Defendant Joyce's U.S. Personal Income Tax	
		Return Form 1040 allocating additional \$60,000	
		income to defendant Joyce's spouse for Tax Year	
		2011	
C-2	4/10/2013	Defendant Joyce's U.S. Personal Income Tax	
		Return Form 1040 allocating additional \$80,000	
		income to defendant Joyce's spouse for Tax Year	
		2012	
C-3	4/14/2014	Defendant Joyce's U.S. Personal Income Tax	
		Return Form 1040 allocating additional \$130,000	
		income to defendant Joyce's spouse for Tax Year	
		2013	
C-4	9/8/2015	Defendant Joyce's U.S. Personal Income Tax	
		Return Form 1040 allocating additional \$120,000	
		income to defendant Joyce's spouse for Tax Year	
		2014; and claiming a tax-free IRA rollover of	
		\$427,629 for Tax Year 2014.	
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In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 371.

RACKETEERING FORFEITURE ALLEGATION (18 U.S.C. § 1963)

1. Upon conviction of the offense in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1962, set forth in Count One of this Indictment,

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE,

the defendant herein, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 1963:

- a. all interests the defendant has acquired or maintained in violation of Title
 18, United States Code, Section 1962, wherever located, and in whatever names held;
- b. all interests in, securities of, claims against, or properties or contractual rights of any kind affording a source of influence over, any enterprise which the defendant has established, operated, controlled, conducted, or participated in the conduct of, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1962; and
- c. all property constituting, and derived from, any proceeds which the defendants obtained, directly and indirectly, from racketeering activity in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1962.
- 2. If any of the above property, including but not limited to the property described in Paragraph 42 of the Indictment, as being forfeitable pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 1963, as a result of any act and omission of the defendant
 - a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
 - b. has been transferred to, sold to, or deposited with a third party;

- c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of this Court;
- d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty;

it is the intention of the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 1963(m), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the property described in this section's Paragraph 1 above.

All pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 1963.

FRAUD FORFEITURE ALLEGATION (18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(C) & 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c))

Upon conviction of one or more of the offenses in violation of Title 18, United
 States Code, Sections 666, 1341, 1343, 1951(a), set forth in Counts Two through One Hundred
 One, and One Hundred Ten through One Hundred Twelve of this Indictment,

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE.

defendant herein, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(C), and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), any property, real or personal, that constitutes, or is derived from, proceeds traceable to the commission of the offenses.

- 2. If any of the property described in this section's Paragraph 1, above, as being forfeitable pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(C), and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), as a result of any act or omission of the defendant -
 - a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
 - b. has been transferred to, sold to, or deposited with a third party;
 - c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of this Court;
 - d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
 - e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty;

it is the intention of the United States, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), incorporating 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), to seek forfeiture of all other property of the defendant up to the value of the property described in this section's Paragraph 1 above.

All pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C), and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).

MONEY LAUNDERING FORFEITURE ALLEGATION (18 U.S.C. § 982(a)(1))

1. Upon conviction of one or more of the offenses in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1956, 1957, set forth in Counts One Hundred Two through Count One Hundred Nine of this Indictment,

BRIAN AUGUSTINE JOYCE

defendant herein, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 982(a)(1), any property, real or personal, involved in such offenses, and any property traceable to such property.

- 2. If any of the property described in this section's Paragraph 1, above, as being forfeitable pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 982(a)(1), as a result of any act or omission of the defendant --
 - (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
 - (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
 - (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
 - (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or
 - (e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty;

it is the intention of the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 982(b), incorporating Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the property described in this section's Paragraph 1 above.

All pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 982(a)(1).

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WILLIAM F. BLOOMER

ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEYS

U.S. DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS; December 7, 2017. Returned into the District Court by the Grand Jurors and filed.

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County Suffolk	Superseding Ind./ Inf. Case No. Same Defendant New Defendant Magistrate Judge Case Number Search Warrant Case Number 17-MJ-4166-DHH R 20/R 40 from District of
Defendant Inform	nation:
Defendant Name	Brian Augustine Joyce Juvenile: Yes V No
Alias Name	Is this person an attorney and/or a member of any state/federal bar: ✓ Yes No
Address	(City & State) Westport, MA
Birth date (Yr only):	1962 SSN (last4#): 9148 Sex M Race: White Nationality: U.S.A.
Defense Counsel i	f known: Howard M. Cooper Address Todd & Weld
Bar Number	One Federal Street, 27th Floor Boston, MA 02110
U.S. Attorney Info	ormation:
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Interpreter:	Yes ✓ No List language and/or dialect:
Victims:	Yes No If yes, are there multiple crime victims under 18 USC§3771(d)(2) Yes No
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