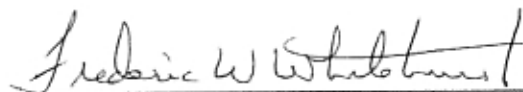


personnel. The file allows personnel within that unit to compare devices and descriptions of devices from every bombing case the unit ever investigated. Initially the computer data base containing all of these documents was referred to as the EXPRESS data base. The TWA 800 documents will reside in that data base.

8.) Under FOIA I have received the contents of over 2000 FBI laboratory files as a result of my request for files spanning the period from 1972 to 1997. To the best of my knowledge the FBI had not destroyed files that I requested. I have reviewed most of those files and found them to be complete. In my opinion the FBI will not have destroyed any documents from the investigation of the crash of TWA 800. Considering the high profile nature of that investigation, such documents should be easily retrievable.

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Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury,



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