

- **Question: Do you acknowledge that you were in Villeneuve in particular on 28 April 2009?**

- **Answer:** Yes. I went there in my own car, a Volvo with license plate no. [REDACTED]

- I arrived in Montreux on Monday evening, 27 April 2009 at around 8:00 PM. I spent the night at the "Bon Port" hotel in Montreux. The next morning, at around 10:00 AM, I went to the Alinghi site in Villeneuve---

- **Question: For what reason?---**

- **Answer:** I went there to take photos of the Alinghi facilities and possibly photos of boat components in movement during transit between a workshop and the tents, which I suppose are places where the boats are assembled---

- I acknowledge that I also recorded some measurements to do an estimate of the characteristics of the Alinghi project---

- I specify that I successfully took the dimensions of the tents, and I took the dimensions of additional items, such as the distance between lamp posts, dimensions of the buildings nearby, all to make some comparisons---

- I stayed on the site the entire day of 28 April 2009 and the morning of 29 April 2009---

- On the morning of 28 April 2008 [sic] I went to the highlands of Villeneuve, in the vineyards that dominated the industrial area where Alinghi is located, to take some photos---

- I went down again into the industrial area and made several rounds for location scouting, always in the car. I identified the offices of Décision or Alinghi, thanks to Alinghi's staff whom I identified by their clothing---

- At that time, after observing the location and size of the building, I deduced that large-sized components, such as hulls, must not have been manufactured on that site---

- In the afternoon I went back up into the vineyards to find another observation point where I stayed for about twenty minutes. I took some snapshots---

- Then I went back down, went to a parking space to rest and after I decided to go to survey the location up closer, along the tents---

- I parked my car in a parking lot across the street, I took a photo of the tent and then I took a few range-finder measurements of the adjacent buildings. I also plotted the GPS location of all the measuring points in order to later be able to be more precise to improve the proportions deduced from the photos.-

- At that time, I noticed that I was being followed by Brett Ellis, who is one of the Alinghi designers---

- He had a video camera on his shoulder; he was filming me while I was moving around.---

- I returned to my car, he filmed the interior of my car and my license plates and was filming me personally---

- He was immediately next to my car---

- I said hello to him, I made some small talk with him, he answered me and explained to me that there was a lot of security around the site. I told myself that it wasn't going to be easy. I got in my car and I left. He continued to film me until I left the area---

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