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Public link to Manafort will be a disaster.

This is a staggering shit show.

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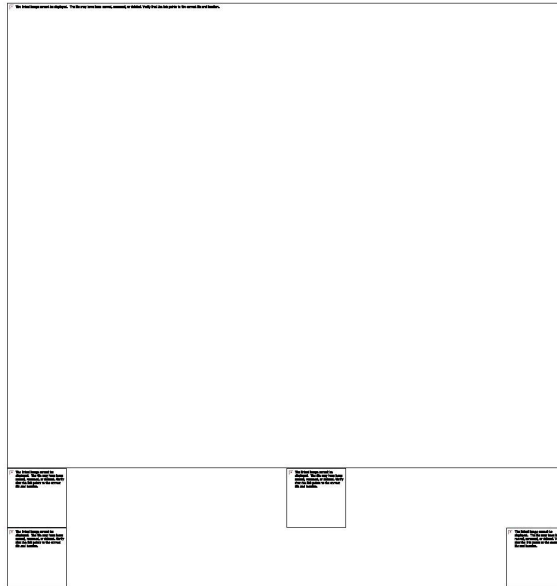
Billionaire Thomas J. Barrack Jr. has done what few others in Trump's orbit have done: He told the president, in effect, that he was wrong. "In my opinion, he's better than this," Barrack said.

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