## FBI SAW ITSELF "MANAGING WHAT THE ELEPHANT SEES AND HEARS" IN ADVANCE OF JANUARY 6

On January 2, 2021, the guy in charge of counterterrorism in DC's FBI office suggested that managing what the Federal government — which he called an "elephant" — sees and hears is sometimes the best way to control the Federal government's movements. And he helped to ensure that the elephant saw only First Amendment protected activities.