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Washington, D.C. 20535

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FOIPA Request No.: 1391365-000
Civil Action No.: 18-cv-154
Subject: Communications between Peter Strzok and
Lisa Page (February 1, 2015 – Present)

Dear Mr. Marshall:

The enclosed documents were reviewed under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), Title 5, United States Code, Section 552. Below you will find check boxes under the appropriate statute headings with indicate the types of exemptions asserted to protect information which is exempt from disclosure. The appropriate exemptions are noted on the enclosed pages next to redacted information. In addition, a deleted page information sheet was inserted to indicate where pages were withheld entirely and identify which exemptions were applied. The checked exemption boxes used to withhold information are further explained in the enclosed Explanation of Exemptions.

Section 552

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Section 552a

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☐ (k)(4)

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☐ (k)(6)

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500 pages of potentially responsive records were reviewed.

191 pages are being released in whole or in part.

3 pages are being withheld in full per exemptions.

184 pages are being withheld duplicate.

4 pages are being withheld referral/consult.

118 pages were determined to be non-records/non-responsive to the FOIA request.

Below you will also find additional informational paragraphs about your request. Where applicable, check boxes are used to provide you with more information about the processing of your request. Please read each item carefully.

☒ Document(s) were located which originated with, or contained information concerning, other Government Agency (ies) [OGA].

☐ This information has been referred to the OGA(s) for review and direct response to you.

☒ We are consulting with another agency. The FBI will correspond with you regarding this information when the consultation is completed.

☐ In accordance with standard FBI practice and pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and Privacy Act exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. § 552/552a (b)(7)(E)/(j)(2)], this response neither confirms nor denies the existence of your subject's name on any watch lists.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV (2010)). This response is limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist. Enclosed for your information is a copy of the Explanation of Exemptions.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Sixth Floor, 441 G Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA online portal by creating an account on the following website: <https://www.foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing foipaquestions@fbi.gov. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

Please direct any further inquiries about this case to the Assistant United States Attorney representing the Government in this matter. Please use the FOIPA Request Number and/or Civil Action Number in all correspondence or inquiries concerning your request.

You may direct any further inquiries to the attorney representing the Government in this matter.

☒ See additional information which follows.

Sincerely,



David M. Hardy
Section Chief
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Information Management Division

Enclosure(s)

In response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, enclosed is a processed copy of Bates Stamped documents, FBI(18-cv-154)-7536 through FBI(18-cv-154)-8035. The enclosed documents represent the seventeenth interim release of information responsive to your request.

The FBI conducted email searches for any email communication between Peter Strzok and Lisa Page. This search located both official government records and non-record personal communications between these two individuals.

The FBI reviewed 500 pages of these emails. While conducting this review, the FBI individually analyzed the emails to determine whether they pertained to official government business constituting records under the FOIA or whether they consisted of purely personal communications between the two individuals. As a result of the FBI's review, it determined 118 pages were non-record, personal communications not subject to the FOIA; and 382 pages consisted of responsive FBI records.

As previously indicated, document(s) were located which originated with, or contained information concerning another agency (ies). We are consulting with the other agency (ies) and are awaiting their response. Our office has processed all other information currently in our possession. The FBI will correspond with you regarding those documents when the consultation is completed.

To minimize costs to both you and the FBI, duplicate copies of the same document were not processed.

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA)
DELETED PAGE INFORMATION SHEET
FOIA Request No.:1391365-000 Civil
Action No.: 18-cv-154**

Total Withheld Page(s) = 309

Bates Page Reference	Reason for Withholding (i.e., exemptions with coded rationale, duplicate, sealed by order of court, etc.)
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7538 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7539	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7536 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7537
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7544 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7547	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7540 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7543
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7551 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7553	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7548 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7550
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7554 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7555	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7571 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7576	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2232 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2234
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7577 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7578	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7579	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7580 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7599	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7600 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7603	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2251 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2255
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7606	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7607 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7608	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7610	b5-1,3; b6-2; b7C-2
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7613	b5-1,3; b6-2; b7C-2
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7614	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2274
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7616 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7620	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2277 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2279
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7625 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7626	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7627	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2884
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7628 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7629	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7631 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7645	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7646 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7647	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2302 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2304
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7648 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7674	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2337 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2346
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7675 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7676	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2347 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2348
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7683 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7684	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2353 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2355
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7685 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7688	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7693 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7696	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request

FBI(18-cv-154)- 7697 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7699	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7703 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7705
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7706 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7713	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7715 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7716	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2368 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2369
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7717	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7721 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7723	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7718 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7720
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7724 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7734	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7735 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7739	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2383 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2387
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7741	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7742 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7743	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7749 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7750
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7744 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7746	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7748	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7755 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7758	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7751 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7754
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7760	b6-3; b7C-3; b7E-4
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7761 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7762	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7759 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7760
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7768 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7772	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7763 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7767
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7773 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7784	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2437 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2444
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7792 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7798	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7785 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7791
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7799	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2451 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2452
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7800 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7801	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7805 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7807	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7802 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7804
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7810 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7813	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7816 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7820	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2459 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2461
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7828 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7836	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7842	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7843 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7844	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7845 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7846
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7847 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7859	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2490 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2493
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7860	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7862 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7863	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2496 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2497
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7864 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7865	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7866 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7867	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7868	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2498

FBI(18-cv-154)- 7871 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7872	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7876 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7878	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7873 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7875
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7879	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7881 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7883	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7884 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7885	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2504
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7887	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7886
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7889 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7890	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7895 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7896
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7891 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7894	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2508 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2509
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7904 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7907	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7900 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7903
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7909	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7913 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7915	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7910 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7912
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7916 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7919	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7920 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7921
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7923	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7924 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7925	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2549 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2550
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7926 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7927	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2576 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2582
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7928 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7929	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-7930 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7932
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7933 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7935	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2576 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2582
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7945	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2553 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2554
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7948 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7949	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2555 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2556
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7955 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7958	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2576 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2582
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7964	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7965 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7974	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2576 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2582
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7975	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7978	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2588
FBI(18-cv-154)- 7980 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-7982	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 2011 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2012	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2590 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2591
FBI(18-cv-154)- 2013 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2016	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 2023 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2025	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 2028	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)- 2032	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-2612 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-2613

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:57 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7C -1

I can get you people and a charge card. That's not a problem. Lisa, thank you very much for your efforts.

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:49 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7C -1

I tried [REDACTED] I really did. I am still trying. We will work something out.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:47 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7C -1
b7E -6

I am not trying to throw shade. If a decision is made to create more copies I will assist to make sure it is done right. I just wish decisions could get made by considering resources.

I need people in 7947 ready to go in the early AM and a charge card for Staples.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Thank [REDACTED]

FBI (18-cv-154)-7536

Lisa, can I recommend [REDACTED]

b5 -1

Thanks for everyone's consideration.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/16/2016 6:31 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V.
(CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] please don't worry about any of this. We will figure it out. Truly.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/16/2016 6:27 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

We literally do not have the office supplies to do this. Nor do I have the IAs for assistance. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and I pushed all of my other clients to tomorrow for meetings to accommodate for this
production. I'm sorry, but I don't know what to do here. These binders are huge and each one took hours to
compile. I'm willing to meet very early AM and discuss what to do. But the lift here is not realized.

b6 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/16/2016 6:18 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Binders

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b7C -1
b7E -6

I heard we are making additional binder copies for Congress. [REDACTED]

b5 -1

[REDACTED] And thanks for the copying effort.

Thanks

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:59 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

Am [REDACTED] echoing Lisa's email, DO NOT change your plans. We will ensure this gets done right.

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:57 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

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Correct. Non-Intel binders.

----- Original message -----
From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7E -6

[REDACTED] Is that accurate?

b5 -1

----- Original message -----
From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:53 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

b5 -1

Jason

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
 Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:48 PM
 To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
 Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
 Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
 b7C -1

[REDACTED]

b5 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Date: 08/16/2016 6:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
 To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
 V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
 b7C -1
 b7E -6

Fine

[REDACTED] Do you need help? I'm here, and can get more people to come assist.
 How many additional copies do we need.

b5 -1
 b6 -1
 b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Date: 08/16/2016 6:40 PM (GMT-05:00)
 To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
 V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
 b7C -1
 b7E -6

You're welcome to try, but the Director told Goodlatte that we would, so I probably wouldn't recommend it.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Date: 08/16/2016 6:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
 To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason

b6 -1
 b7C -1
 b7E -6

V. (CD) (FBI)

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks

Lisa, can I recommend

b5 -1

Thanks for everyone's consideration.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

Date: 08/16/2016 6:31 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: (OGC) (FBI)"

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

"Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

please don't worry about any of this. We will figure it out. Truly.

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: (OGC) (FBI)"

Date: 08/16/2016 6:27 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" (OGC) (FBI)"

"Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

We literally do not have the office supplies to do this. Nor do I have the IAs for assistance.

and I pushed all of my other clients to tomorrow for meetings to accommodate for this production. I'm sorry, but I don't know what to do here. These binders are huge and each one took hours to compile. I'm willing to meet very early AM and discuss what to do. But the lift here is not realized.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

Date: 08/16/2016 6:18 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: (OGC) (FBI)" (OGC) (FBI)"

"Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

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b7C -1
b7E -6

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Obtained via FOIA by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

Subject: Binders

I heard we are making additional binder copies for Congress

And thanks for the copying effort.

b5 -1

Thanks

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 7:01 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

No we'll get a bucket brigade tomorrow morning. [REDACTED] how many people?

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:59 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

Is this getting done tonight? I literally just left the building. I can go back and start on this but tell me now before i get to the metro. [REDACTED] just showed me where everything is. I can make copies of documents, but I have no access to binders, etc.

b6 -1
b7C -1

[REDACTED] DO NOT COME BACK. You can help on the morning.

----- Original message -----
From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:52 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

What is [REDACTED] office number

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----
From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:49 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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I tried [REDACTED] I really did. I am still trying. We will work something out.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:47 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I am not trying to throw shade. If a decision is made to create more copies I will assist to make sure it is done right. I just wish decisions could get made by considering resources.

I need people in 7947 ready to go in the early AM and a charge card for Staples.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks [REDACTED]

Lisa, can I recommend [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

b5 -1

Thanks for everyone's consideration.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:31 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Subject RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[redacted] please don't worry about any of this. We will figure it out. Truly.

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)* [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:27 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

We literally do not have the office supplies to do this. Nor do I have the IAs for assistance. [redacted]
[redacted] and I pushed all of my other clients to tomorrow for meetings to accommodate for this
production. I'm sorry, but I don't know what to do here. These binders are huge and each one took hours to
compile. I'm willing to meet very early AM and discuss what to do. But the lift here is not realized.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:18 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I heard we are making additional binder copies for Congress. [redacted]
[redacted] And thanks for the copying effort.
Thanks

b5 -1

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 6:54 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Nsa article

----- Original message -----

From: "Mcgonigal, Charles F. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 6:46 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Archey, David W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Nsa article

b5 -1
b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -4, 6

I will check with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Have forwarded to [REDACTED] as well.... Thanks.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 6:37 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Mcgonigal, Charles F. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Archey, David W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Nsa article

b6 -1, 3
b7C -1
b7E -4, 6

Charlie,
Haven't heard anything from [REDACTED] I'll
reach out to [REDACTED] today, will let you know. Pls let me know if you hear [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] we'll engage. Thanks

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 6:35 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Mcgonigal, Charles F. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Archey, David W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Nsa article

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

FYI from NSC [redacted] below. It's a link to a WSJ article alleging NSA tools stolen.

b6 -1
b7C -1

Note. I'm on leave today. Be in Thursday.

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (CYD) (FBI) [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 5:29 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (CD) (FBI) [redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: RE: Nsa article

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Oops...

<http://www.wsj.com/articles/group-claim-to-have-u-s-government-hacking-tools-for-sale-1471309022>

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (CYD) (FBI) [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 5:29 PM (GMT-06:00)
To: [redacted] (CD) (FBI) [redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: Nsa article

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Re: my inquiry on the red side.

[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 7:37 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] OGC (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] OGC (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

Yes, no problem.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 7:36 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] OGC (FBI); [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] OGC (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok,
Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] not having "I'm busy" anymore. Then I have a 9:30 meeting with the D. Pete, can you walk OCA through it? b6 -1, 3

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] OGC (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 7:22 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] OGC (FBI)" [REDACTED] >, "Strzok,
Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Good morning, Jason. We have all the documents ready in the NSLB conference room; OCA will just need to put the binders together and deliver. We won't be able to use our conference room all day so if we can meet there at 830 or 930 (?) (I have a 9 am) for a hand-off and explanation, that would be great. Bring a cart!

Lisa - Can you swing by for the hand-off, too? I'm not sure I got all the details from [REDACTED] last night.

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 8:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] OGC (FBI)"

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b7C -1
b7E -6

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To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

(OGC) (FBI)

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Binders

Got it. I'm happy to come back in if another set of hands would expedite it.

Also, I'll identify two people to assist beginning first thing tomorrow.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

Date: 08/16/2016 8:40 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

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b7C -1
b7E -6

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Binders

That wasn't the original plan, but folks have other commitments.

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

Date: 08/16/2016 8:34 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Binders

I missed that you guys were doing it tonight...

I'll identify a couple of people to pitch in beginning tomorrow morning. Just need someone to show them what to do.

Jason

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

Date: 08/16/2016 8:19 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
(OGC) (FBI) [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

There are several of us here making the copies tonight. OCA will need to be responsible for assembling the binders tomorrow.

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 7:41 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC)
(FBI) [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Correct.

Would it be helpful for me to identify a person or two to pitch in?

Jason

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 7:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC)
(FBI) [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7E -6

Jason,

[redacted]

b5 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 7:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

That's correct. We are talking about the non-intel binders. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Hope that makes sense.

b5 -1

Jason

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:57 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

Correct. Non-Intel binders.

----- Original message -----
From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] is that
accurate?

b5 -1

----- Original message -----
From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:53 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b5 -1

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Jason

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
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Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

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Date: 08/16/2016 6:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
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V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Fine

[REDACTED] Do you need help? I'm here, and can get more people to come assist.
How many additional copies do we need.

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b6 -1
b7C -1

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[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7E -6

You're welcome to try, but the Director told Goodlatte that we would, so I probably wouldn't recommend it.

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[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason

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b7E -6

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V. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks [redacted]

Lisa, can I recommend [redacted]
[redacted]

b5 -1

[redacted]

Thanks for everyone's consideration.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:31 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Herring, Jason V.
(CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[redacted] please don't worry about any of this. We will figure it out. Truly.

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:27 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7E -6

We literally do not have the office supplies to do this. Nor do I have the IAs for assistance [redacted]
[redacted] and I pushed all of my other clients to tomorrow for meetings to accommodate for this
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compile. I'm willing to meet very early AM and discuss what to do. But the lift here is not realized.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:18 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [redacted]
[redacted]

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Cc: "Motta, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] [Obtained via FOIA by Judicial Watch, Inc.](#)
Subject: Binders

I heard we are making additional binder copies for Congress. [redacted]

[redacted] And thanks for the copying effort.

b5 -1

Thanks

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 7:37 AM
To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

930 works

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 7:36 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I'm in meetings until about 8:45 or 9:00. Should we just plan on 9:30 in the NSLB conference room? OCA folks will be at the ready. Jason

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 7:23 AM
To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

Good morning, Jason. We have all the documents ready in the NSLB conference room. OCA will just need to put the binders together and deliver. We won't be able to use our conference room all day so if we can meet there at 830 or 930 (?) (I have a 9 am) for a hand-off and explanation, that would be great. Bring a cart!

Lisa - Can you swing by for the hand-off, too? I'm not sure I got all the details from [REDACTED] last night.

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 8:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

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b7E -6

Subject: RE: Binders

Got it. I'm happy to come back in if another set of hands would expedite it.

Also, I'll identify two people to assist beginning first thing tomorrow.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 8:40 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

That wasn't the original plan, but folks have other commitments.

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 8:34 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I missed that you guys were doing it tonight...

I'll identify a couple of people to pitch in beginning tomorrow morning. Just need someone to show them what to do.

Jason

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 8:19 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

There are several of us here making the copies tonight. OCA will need to be responsible for assembling the binders tomorrow.

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 7:41 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] (OGC)
(FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Correct.

Would it be helpful for me to identify a person or two to pitch in?

Jason

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 7:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC)
(FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Jason,

[REDACTED]

b5 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 7:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

That's correct. We are talking about the non-intel binders. [REDACTED]

b5 -1

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Hope that makes sense.

Jason

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:57 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

Correct. Non-Intel binders.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC)
(FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] Is that
accurate?

b5 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:53 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC)
(FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Jason

b5 -1

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 6:48 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1

b5 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/16/2016 6:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Fine

[REDACTED] Do you need help? I'm here, and can get more people to come assist.
How many additional copies do we need.

b5 -1
b6 -1
b7C -1

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V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

You're welcome to try, but the Director told Goodlatte that we would, so I probably wouldn't recommend it.

----- Original message -----

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Date: 08/16/2016 6:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
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b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks [REDACTED]

Lisa, can I recommend [REDACTED]

b5 -1

Thanks for everyone's consideration.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/16/2016 6:31 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V.
(CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [REDACTED]
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Date: 08/16/2016 6:18 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD)
(FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] >
Subject: Binders

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I heard we are making additional binder copies for Congress. [REDACTED]

b5 -1

[REDACTED] And thanks for the copying effort.

Thanks

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 6:04 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

3:00am is NO good...\u-10179 ?

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 3:00 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] "Herring,
Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Brower,
Gregory (OGC) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"; [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI)"; [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Same here.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 10:03 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C.
(OGC) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] "Brower,
Gregory (OGC) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"; [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI)"; [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I can do 10 am as well.

[REDACTED]
Acting Chief of the FOIA Litigation Unit
Office: [REDACTED]
Mobile: [REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1

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----- Original message -----

FBI (18-cv-154)-7604

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 9:58 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC)
(FBI) [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Brower, Gregory
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

10 works for me

----- Original message -----

From: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/17/2016 9:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Brower, Gregory (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7C -6

Dropping some and adding OPA and [REDACTED] Can we get together in the morning to coordinate a plan for processing and releasing the 302? How does 10am sound?

b6 -1
b7C -1

Trisha

----- Original message -----

Fr

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 3:11 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1

Looks good/accurate to me

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 3:03 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Adding [REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 2:58 PM
To: Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1

Folks, can you take a quick look and let me know what you think? I have to leave for the WH in 30 minutes so the sooner the better. I have the 302s in my office if you need to see them. Thanks.

b5 -1, 3
b6 -2
b7C -2

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 4:26 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); Priestap, E.W. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1

b5 -3

b5 -1, 3
b6 -1
b7C -1

Jim then asked to meet as a group and discuss prior to his call with Egan. Sorry to have added a meeting to everyone's calendar. [REDACTED] I coughed up you/NSLB to set up the meeting. I'll buy lunch (again).

b6 -1
b7C -1

Thanks,
Pete

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 4:11 PM
To: Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); Priestap, E.W. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1

Pete/Moffa, correct me if I'm wrong. [REDACTED]

b5 -1, 3
b6 -2
b7C -2

From: Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 3:52 PM
To: Priestap, E.W. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1

Fine by me. [REDACTED]

b5 -1, 3

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 3:47 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]; "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]; "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Fine by me. Thx, Bill

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 3:04 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
(OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] (OGC)
(FBI)
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan
Importance: High

b6 -1
b7C -1

Adding [REDACTED]

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b7C -1

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b6 -2
b7C -2

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 7:05 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

Hudson Valley White Plains

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 6:50 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Nope. What do the acronyms below stand for?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 6:48 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd:

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b7C -1, 3
b7E -6

You haven't heard different from [REDACTED] right?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 6:47 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

She has not designated her people and no date is set. I believe brief will be HVRA or WPRA. [REDACTED] pls let me know if you have any more recent info.

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 6:45 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject:

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Pete, Jon, and [REDACTED] Do any of you happen to know when Clinton will receive the brief? Also, where will it occur, and which two people has she designated to receive it with her? Thank you, Bill

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 7:59 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: RE:

I know, dudette. Hence the ;) Same realization of shit, haven't even told you about Trump brief. ..

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 7:57 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Time, dude. Time.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 7:53 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: RE:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

What?!? You holding out? ;)

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 7:49 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Yup, I knew the same. Just hadn't shared yet.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 7:47 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: RE:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

And now we've got sources in dnl. ☺

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 7:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: RE:

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There is no additional or new info as of this morning when I checked with the DNI scheduler.

There is a policy that briefs will not be provided a week prior to a debate. If the other candidate does not ID people soon, there was talk that they may not be able to do them.

That's all I know at this time.

[REDACTED]

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b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 6:59 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: RE:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks guys.

From: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 6:53 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

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That was my memory too, but [REDACTED] would likely know if that has changed I would think...

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b7C -1

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b7C -1
b7E -6

----- Original message -----
From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

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FROM: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

Date: 08/18/2016 6:47 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"

"Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)

Subject RE:

She has not designated her people and no date is set. I believe brief will be HVRA or WPRA. [REDACTED] pls let me know if you have any more recent info.

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"

Date: 08/18/2016 6:45 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

"Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)

Subject

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Pete, Jon, and [REDACTED] Do any of you happen to know when Clinton will receive the brief? Also, where will it occur, and which two people has she designated to receive it with her? Thank you, Bill

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 8:08 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Director's Session with the President's Intelligence Advisory Board

[REDACTED]

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b7C -1

Of course happy to discuss with you..

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 8:00 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Director's Session with the President's Intelligence Advisory Board

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Maybe I can get your thoughts on this as well?

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (OGA) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/18/2016 4:52 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Director's Session with the President's Intelligence Advisory Board

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Lisa,

The Director is appearing before the President's Intelligence Advisory Board on September 20th to discuss the IC and transition. A read ahead of their questions is attached. Could you and I touch base to discuss the Director's thinking and the best way to pull together prep material? I'm actually out for a portion of the morning, but should be back by 11 and am mostly free for the rest of the day if there's a time that works for you.

[REDACTED]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, August 19, 2016 10:17 AM
To: Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Manafort

Just announced he left the campaign

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, August 19, 2016 8:25 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: OGA

Oh good :)

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:24 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: OGA

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks. Bowdich sent separately as well. :)

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:22 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: OGA

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b7E -6

Fysa

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:15 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: OGA

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b7E -6

OK. Stand by for name

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:03 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: OGA

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Pete:

Please see the bottom email.

We've been asked to send 1 person with the FBI team tomorrow. Our 1 person will then be responsible for providing you/me a recommendation as to what CD's resource commitment should be moving forward.

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Please provide me the name of the person who can participate tomorrow, beginning in the AM, (details to follow).

Thank you,
Bill

----- Original message -----

From: "Trainor, James C. (CYD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 7:41 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Johnson, David J. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Cc: "Coleman, Randall C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Skule, Joshua (DI) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Hess,
Amy S. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Parlave, Valerie (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Turgal, James L. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Bucheit, Laura
A. (SECD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Priestap, E. W. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Bean, W L. (ITID) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: OGA

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b7E -6

10-4. Per DJ's voice mail [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Stand by for the names.

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Jim

Jim Trainor
Assistant Director
FBI Cyber Division

[REDACTED] (O)
[REDACTED] (C)

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b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 6:32 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Johnson, David J. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Coleman, Randall C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Skule, Joshua (DI) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Hess,
Amy S. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Parlave, Valerie (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Turgal, James L. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Trainor, James
C. (CYD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Bucheit, Laura A. (SECD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Bean, W L. (ITID)
(FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: OGA

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

All,

We are clear to [REDACTED] DJ will determine the composition of the team with your collective input. This gets our foot in the door, but we can scale as necessary later.

b7E -4

Thanks,
DB

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, August 19, 2016 8:57 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

Thanks

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Please don't forward, but fysa.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:50 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "James B. Comey"
[REDACTED] "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] Rybicki, James E.
(DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Jim,

The 302 and LHM are entirely processed and are ready to be sent to State and OGA for review. My suggestion [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
Happy to discuss further if that would help. Thanks.

Lisa

----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 8:28 PM (GMT-05:00)

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DATE: 08/13/2016 0:30 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "James B. Comey" [REDACTED] "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

(DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha

B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] "Priestan, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason

V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: Fwd: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

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b7E -6

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Folks,

Today I received the email below from David Kendall as well as emails and phone calls from DOJ/NSD/CES regarding their interactions with him. Here is what I propose in response to his email and CES's request that I call him as soon as possible:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Thanks.

Jim

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----- Original message -----

From: "Kendall, David" <DKendall@wc.com>

Date: 08/19/2016 5:24 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED] (NSD) (JMD)" [REDACTED] (NSD) (JMD)"

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b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

Dear Mr. Baker:

FBI (18-cv-154)-7681

As you may be aware, the New York Times today ran an article that appears to quote from former Secretary Clinton's Form 302. See http://mobile.nytimes.com/2016/08/19/us/politics/hillary-clinton-told-fbi-colin-powell-advised-her-to-use-private-email.html?_r=0&referrer. This is fundamentally unfair. I urge you to expedite our requests. I fear this leak will be the first of many.

Sincerely,

David Kendall

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dkendall@wc.com | www.wc.com/dkendall

From: Kendall, David
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 9:20 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] NSD [REDACTED] NSD [REDACTED]
Subject: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

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b7E -6

Dear Mr. Baker:

Please find attached a FOIA/Privacy Act request filed by counsel on behalf of former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton. In view of the circumstances, I would be grateful for an expeditious processing of this request. Thank you.

Sincerely,

David Kendall

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Saturday, August 20, 2016 7:45 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Update

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 7:31 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Update

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[REDACTED]

We are downloading and closing shop out here. Probably another 2 hours.

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b7E -7

[REDACTED] no real urgency or need to wait and meet up at WFO unless you want to. Your call, but probably 2.5 hours till WFO.

[REDACTED]

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 6:19 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Update

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b7C -1
b7E -6, 9

Wrapping up. [REDACTED] Will get highlites from crew and push out in an hour or so when we are clear.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 5:46 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Update

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b7E -6

Still talking.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 5:28 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Update

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b7E -6, 7

Well, I've never been very observantthat's why I'd never make it as an agent. But thank God, we

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----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 4:17 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Update

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If you look closely at photo [REDACTED]

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 4:15 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"

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[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Update

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 4:07 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

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[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Update

Excellent. [REDACTED]

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 3:54 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

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[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Update

Latest from [REDACTED]

----- Original message -----

From: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/2016 3:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"

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[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)

Subject: RE: Update

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b7E -6

Wow.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]

Date: 08/20/2016 3:43 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [redacted] (WF) (FBI)" [redacted] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"

[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]

Subject: RE: Update

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b7E -6

Nice

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]

Date: 08/20/2016 3:26 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"

[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]

Subject: Update

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[redacted]
Right side of frame.

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, August 21, 2016 4:40 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

Thank you

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/21/2016 4:39 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Priestap, E.W. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

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----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/21/2016 3:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "James B. Comey" [REDACTED] "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Dirolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha
B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Priestap, E.W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason
V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
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I connected with David Kendall earlier today [REDACTED] LNU from his office was also on the call as was [REDACTED] from CES. I conveyed points 1 and 2 below. He did not raise 3, other than to ask if he could review the 302 tomorrow if we can process it by then. I said that was unlikely and that he would get it with everyone else. He understood and it was a cordial call.

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I said we would alert him shortly before it appeared on our website.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Jim

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----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

FBI (18-cv-154)-7700

Date: 08/19/2016 8:38 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "James B. Comey" [REDACTED] Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

(DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha

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[REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason

V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

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Folks,

Today I received the email below from David Kendall as well as emails and phone calls from DOJ/NSD/CES regarding their interactions with him. Here is what I propose in response to his email and CES's request that I call him as soon as possible:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Thanks.

Jim

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----- Original message -----

From: "Kendall, David" <DKendall@wc.com>

Date: 08/19/2016 5:24 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED] (NSD) (JMD) [REDACTED] (NSD) (JMD)"

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Subject: RE: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

Dear Mr. Baker:

As you may be aware, the New York Times today ran an article that appears to quote from former Secretary Clinton's Form 302. See http://mobile.nytimes.com/2016/08/19/us/politics/hillary-clinton-told-fbi-colin-powell-advised-her-to-use-private-email.html?_r=0&referer. This is fundamentally unfair. I urge you to expedite our requests. I fear this leak will be the first of many.

Sincerely,

David Kendall

David E. Kendall
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dkendall@wc.com | www.wc.com/dkendall

From: Kendall, David
Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 9:20 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (NSD); [REDACTED] (NSD)
Subject: FOIA/Privacy Act Request

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Dear Mr. Baker:

Please find attached a FOIA/Privacy Act request filed by counsel on behalf of former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton. In view of the circumstances, I would be grateful for an expeditious processing of this request. Thank you.

Sincerely,

David Kendall

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, August 21, 2016 5:12 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

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Ok, I'll call [REDACTED] in the morning [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/21/2016 4:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

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We would be [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/21/2016 4:35 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

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(-) Jim and Trisha.

Thanks Lisa.

Let's discuss. [REDACTED] Did we decide [REDACTED]

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Did Egan say he'd let us know the outcome? I still have some concern [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/21/2016 4:23 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"

Cc: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

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b7E -6

No problem. That was our plan. Thanks Jim.

----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/21/2016 3:43 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"

Cc: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

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b7C -1
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I just connected with Brian. He appreciated the heads up.

To make sure the documents are handled appropriately in light of what I told him, he asked if we could deliver them directly to him, [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] ? spelling)

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks.

Jim

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/19/2016 5:18 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)"

Cc: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: TP for call with Brian Egan

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Jim, please let us know as soon as you have called Brian, as the production of her 302 and the LHM are ready to be provided to State for their review. The fastest we can get it to State the faster we can get it released (and provided to counsel).

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/19/2016 4:18 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: FW: TP for call with Brian Egan

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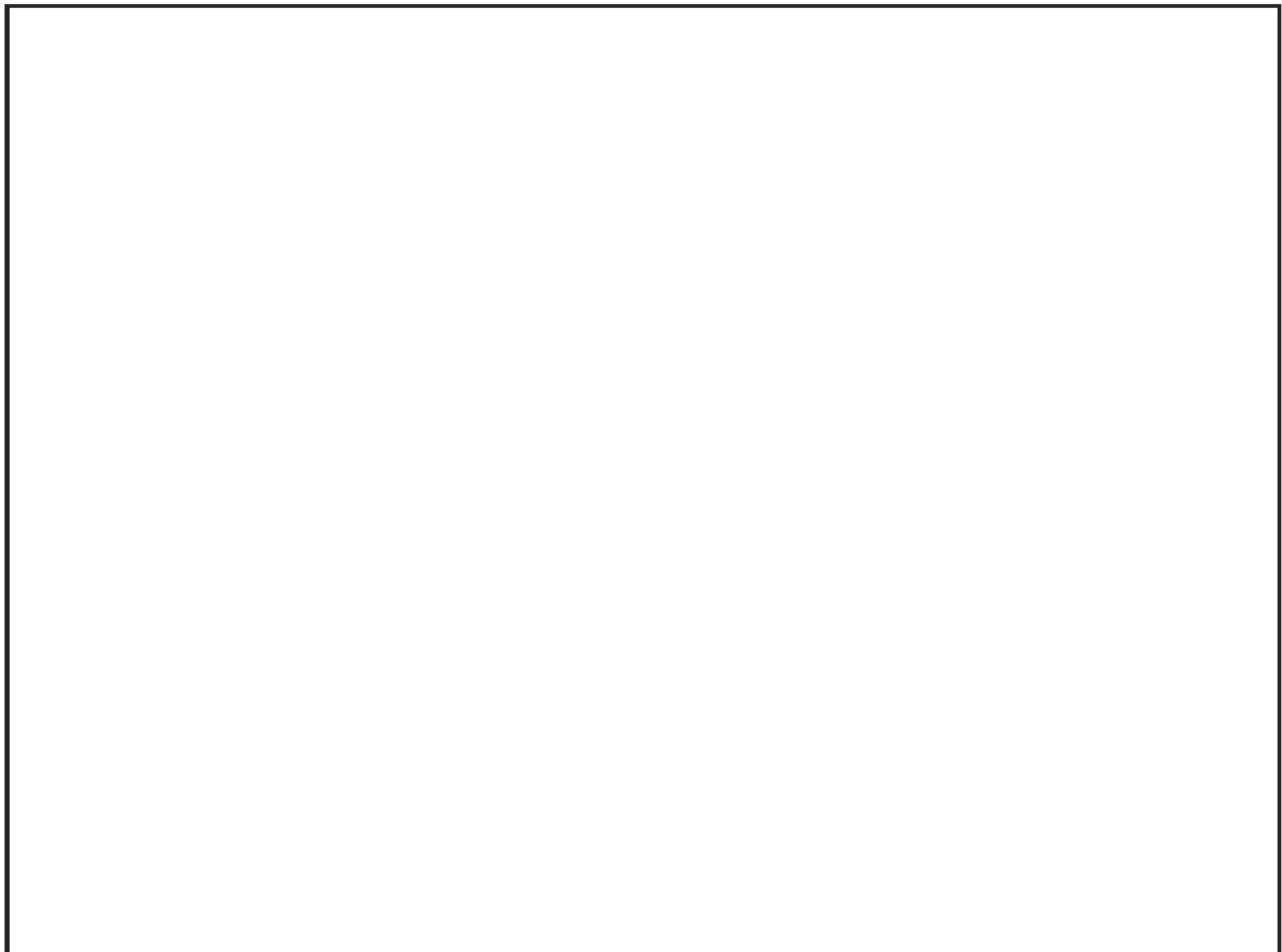
At Trisha's request, I'm forwarding the TPs for your call with Brian Egan. This has been cleared through NSLB and CD.

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 18, 2016 2:58 PM
To: Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: TP for call with Brian Egan

b6 -1
b7C -1

Folks, can you take a quick look and let me know what you think? I have to leave for the WH in 30 minutes so the sooner the better. I have the 302s in my office if you need to see them. Thanks.

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2016 9:45 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: 10 minutes?

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b7C -1

Sure

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/22/2016 9:24 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: 10 minutes?

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b7C -1
b7E -6

I can meet at 11.

From: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, August 22, 2016 9:22 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: 10 minutes?

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b7C -1

Any chance I could pull the team together for about 10 minutes around 11:00? I have a couple of outstanding questions from the Hill re last week's production...

Thanks, Jason

Jason V. Herring
Acting Assistant Director
Office of Congressional Affairs
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

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Figure 1. The effect of the concentration of the *Agaricus bisporus* spores on the growth of *Agaricus bisporus* on the substrate.

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FBI (18-cv-154)-7718

To: Baker, James A. (UGU) (FBI) [redacted] Obtained via FOIA by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Cc: [redacted]

Subject: Response to FBI's Letter

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b7E -6

Hello Mr. Baker,

I have attached a letter to Mr. Herring regarding his letter of August 16, 2016 to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, concerning the FBI's decision not to recommend prosecution of former Secretary Clinton and comparing its decision to the decision to prosecute General Petraeus.

[redacted] General Petraeus and wrote the attached letter to express our concerns with the FBI letter's discussion of General Petraeus' case.

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We will mail a paper copy of the letter to Mr. Herring's office, but we also would appreciate if you could forward the attached letter to Mr. Herring and Mr. Comey. Please acknowledge receipt of this email and electronic transmission of our letter to Mr. Herring and Mr. Comey.

Would you be available to speak with [redacted] on the phone in the upcoming days about the contents of our letter?

Best,

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[redacted]

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[redacted]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 6:28 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: CH brief

Thank you

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 5:44 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: CH brief

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Hey [REDACTED] The team will need to use the A/V equipment for the CH brief to the DD today. I know it should be pretty self-explanatory once they're on FBinet, but can you have an tech guy available about 15 minutes before in case we need help? Thanks so much.

Lisa

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:06 AM
To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Document access on the Hill

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[REDACTED] b5 -1

And as Trisha noted at the meeting, I think [REDACTED]

From: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 10:30 AM
To: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Document access on the Hill

b6 -1
b7C -1

We have largely put to bed the questions about access to the documents on the Hill. The docs will be maintained in the security offices where they will be made available for oversight members and appropriately cleared staff, etc.

I received a call from Senate Security this morning. He asked whether we are ok with the cleared staff taking notes on the unclassified portions and taking those notes out of the scif? This would be the cleared staff who have access to the Senate Security scif. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b5 -1

My inclination is [REDACTED]

Does anyone object [REDACTED]

Thanks, Jason

Jason V. Herring
Acting Assistant Director
Office of Congressional Affairs
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 4:07 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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We did not drill down on all of them. I think [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 4:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Also, the Director was responding to a question about her attorneys. Should we [REDACTED]

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:00 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Lisa's right. [REDACTED]

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From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 10:39 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Smaller group: [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 9:39 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
(CTD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (WE) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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b7E -6

Hello all,

This came in last night so the reporter is planning to push out a story today. Please take a look at the inquiry below and advise [REDACTED]

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Thank you.

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From: Shane Harris [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2016 6:38 PM
To: NPO
Subject: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Hi, all. I'm working on a story for tomorrow re: Sec. Clinton's attorneys and their storing of her emails in the offices of Williams & Connolly. I just wanted to clarify/check one point that Dir. Comey made in his testimony before the House oversight committee.

Chairman Chaffetz asked him if Sec. Clinton's attorneys had the clearances they needed to have access to classified information. The director said, "They did not." I understand that Sec. Clinton's attorneys have said that they previously had security clearances from the State Dept. for their work representing her on matters before the Benghazi committee. Can I just confirm, is it still the FBI's position that her attorneys did not have the clearances they needed?

Thank you.

Shane

Shane Harris
Senior Correspondent, The Daily Beast
Author, @War: The Rise of the Military-Internet Complex
Fellow, International Security Program, New America

[REDACTED] (mobile)

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Twitter: shanewharris

[REDACTED] (encrypted)

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:01 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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I don't know that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] There is no simple way to explain it.

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 4:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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How about this:
Attributable to the FBI ---

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I think the reporter will ask about the last line so perhaps we can clarify that further:

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 4:37 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

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Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

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Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

In discussions with Pete and Lisa, we think it's appropriate to say something to the effect of:

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

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Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 4:26 PM

To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

Lisa and the rest of the team,

Any update on a possible statement for this reporter? His editors are pressing him for his story.

Thank you.

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From: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)

Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:49 AM

To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

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Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

Copy, Jason

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:47 AM

To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

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Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)

Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Lisa

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

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Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 9:40 AM

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To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard F. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)

Subject: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Thank you.

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From: Shane Harris [REDACTED]

b6 -3

Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2016 6:38 PM

To: NFO

Subject: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Thank you.

Shane

Shane Harris

Senior Correspondent, The Daily Beast

Author, @War: The Rise of the Military-Internet Complex

Fellow, International Security Program, New America

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[REDACTED] (mobile)

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[REDACTED] (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Twitter: shanewharris

[REDACTED] (encrypted)

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:42 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Found him
Attachments: [REDACTED]

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Located our source of predication...

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 5:35 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Found him

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Getting there. ..

Also Pete, let me know if you will when you call CG SAC [REDACTED] is in a weird spot and even though I've made calls I didn't call SAC. Once call is made I'd like to tel [REDACTED]
Thanks

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[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (CG) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 5:28 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (CV) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (NY) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Found him

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Address is [REDACTED] Photo attached.

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:42 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

Talk? Easier to explain

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From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 5:40 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V.
(CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] Moffa,
Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Quinn,
Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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I realize I am coming to the conversation late. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 5:37 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C.
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa,
Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Quinn,
Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Okay. So here's a revision keeping it very brief.

Attributable to the FBI--

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[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:19 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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I think we should [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:12 PM
To: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Thoughts?

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Attributable to the FBI --

[REDACTED]

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From: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:02 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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I recommend [REDACTED] Once this clears the investigative team, OGC and the DD I'll forward to the Director to make sure he is comfortable.

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----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Date: 08/25/2016 4:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)

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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI);
"Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
Cc: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" (DO) (FBI)"
"Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
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"WF" (FBI)"
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How about this:
Attributable to the FBI --

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I think the reporter will ask about the last line so perhaps we can clarify that further:

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Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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In discussions with Pete and Lisa, we think it's appropriate to say something to the effect of:

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To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); (OGC) (FBI);
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WF) (FBI) (DO) (FBI)
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Lisa and the rest of the team,

Any update on a possible statement for this reporter? His editors are pressing him for his story.

Thank you.

[REDACTED]

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From: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)

Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:40 AM

To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

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Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

Copy, Jason

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:47 AM

To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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Lisa

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Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 9:40 AM

To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

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[REDACTED]

Thank you.

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[REDACTED]

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Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2016 6:38 PM
To: NPO
Subject: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Fellow, International Security Program, New America

[REDACTED] (mobile)
Twitter: shanewharris

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[REDACTED] (encrypted)

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 9:27 PM
To: Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (SL) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Good with investigative team

----- Original message -----

From: "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 9:16 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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any objections to that?

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 8:35 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Could we say something more equivocal? So maybe like [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 8:24 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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interesting wrinkle.

The reporter has been pinged over this evening. He plans to put out a story tonight. If we don't think we can resolve this question and provide a statement he'll have to put us down as a no comment. So just let me know if you think that's the way we need to go.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 7:53 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO)
[REDACTED] (FBI)" "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
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[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"

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Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances
One issue from the investigative team [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 7:39 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
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[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]

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Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances
Director is good with this if the investigative team and ogc are good.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 6:06 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"

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[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED]
 Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
 (CTD) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"

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Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances
 No worries. Please let me know when we have all the approvals and I can provide the short comment to the reporter.

[REDACTED]

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From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
 Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:45 PM
 To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
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Never mind, I've had it explained to me. Thanks.

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From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
 Date: 08/25/2016 5:40 PM (GMT-05:00)
 To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)"
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 [REDACTED]

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Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
 (CTD) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED]
 Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances
 I realize I am coming to the conversation late. [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
 Date: 08/25/2016 5:37 PM (GMT-05:00)
 To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED]
 Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
 (CTD) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)"
 [REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)"

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WF) (FBI)"
(DO) (FBI)"

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Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances
Okay. So here's a revision keeping it very brief.

Attributable to the FBI--

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:19 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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I think we should [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:12 PM
To: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
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Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Thoughts?

Attributable to the FBI --

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From: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:02 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] WF) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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I recommend [REDACTED] Once this clears the investigative team, OGC and the DO I'll forward to the Director to make sure he is comfortable.

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Date: 08/25/2016 4:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

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Cc: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted] (DO)
[redacted] (FBI) [redacted] (CTD) (FBI)"
[redacted] Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"
[redacted] (DO) (FBI)"
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[redacted] (DO) (FBI)"

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Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances
How about this:
Attributable to the FBI --

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I think the reporter will ask about the last line so perhaps we can clarify that further:

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Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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In discussions with Pete and Lisa, we think it's appropriate to say something to the effect of:

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From [redacted] (DO) (FBI)
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To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
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Subject: RE: Media Inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Lisa and the rest of the team,

Any update on a possible statement for this reporter? His editors are pressing him for his story.

Thank you.

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From: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:49 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (WF) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI)

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[redacted] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Copy: Jason

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:47 AM
To: [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI);
Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (WF) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI);
Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

[redacted]
I just spoke to Jim Rybicki. He and the MYE team [redacted] but OCA, we should probably reach out to Chaffetz before we do -- so let's make sure we are linked up re timing. One of us will draft a response [redacted] but given schedules today, it might not be for a couple of hours. [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] We will work on a formal response in the next couple of hours.

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Lisa

From: [redacted] (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 9:40 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (CTD) (FBI);
Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (WF) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: Media inquiry: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Hello all,
This came in last night so the reporter is planning to push out a story today. Please take a look at the inquiry below and advise [redacted]

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Thank you.

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From: Shane Harris [redacted]
Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2016 6:38 PM
To: NPO
Subject: Dir. Comey statement on security clearances

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Hi, all. I'm working on a story for tomorrow re: Sec. Clinton's attorneys and their storing of her emails in the offices of Williams & Connolly. I just wanted to clarify/check one point that Dir. Comey made in his testimony before the House oversight committee.

Chairman Chaffetz asked him if Sec. Clinton's attorneys had the clearances they needed to have access to classified information. The director said, "They did not." I understand that Sec. Clinton's attorneys have said that they previously had security clearances from the State Dept. for their work representing her on matters before the Benghazi committee. Can I just confirm, is it still the FBI's position that her attorneys did not have the clearances they needed?

Thank you.

Shane

Shane Harris
Senior Correspondent, The Daily Beast

FBI (18-cv-154)-7790

Author, @War: The Rise of the Military-Internet Complex
Fellow, International Security Program, New America

[REDACTED] (mobile)

Twitter: shanewharris

[REDACTED] (encrypted)

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 11:55 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

Fysa

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 11:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

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Yup. And we never approved Fed Programs disclosing the number in their oral testimony. [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 11:40 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

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[REDACTED] I recommend [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 11:36 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

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It's not the entire universe definitively, there may be more. [REDACTED]

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Again, probably easier to talk in the morning.

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/25/2016 6:11 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

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Please see below from OCA . First of all, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:50 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: FW: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

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Hello - we have been encouraging House Oversight to ask us questions informally before sending an official letter from the Chairman and they asked the below question. We plan to respond to them via phone call but I wanted to make sure I was being accurate.

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Thanks.

[REDACTED]
FBI Office of Congressional Affairs
[REDACTED]

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From: McKenna, Liam [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, August 25, 2016 5:32 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: 2016-08-22 JEC to Comey - Attorneys access to classified info

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Thanks [REDACTED] Great working with you as well.

[redacted] look forward to working with you as well. Appreciate your patience with us as we digest the info we've gotten from you all.

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On a more specific note, I was wondering [redacted]

Thanks,

Liam

[redacted] (S)
[redacted] (S)

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, August 26, 2016 9:18 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Intent

Need to nip this in the bud

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/26/2016 9:11 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Intent

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I know, I was getting increasingly irritated at Gowdy last night. I don't know the basis for him saying that.

We certainly asked her. She said she did it for convenience, because she wanted one system for email. We also asked those close to her - Mills and Abedin specifically - who told us the same thing.

[REDACTED] but we can find the references in the 302 which discuss it.

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Though not in the 302, at the end of the interview, she apologized to us for the work and effort it created for the FBI. She said words to the effect of, I'm sorry this has caused so much work and expenditure of resources by the FBI. I chose to use my own server out of convenience; it proved to be anything but.

----- Original message -----

From: "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/26/2016 9:03 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Intent

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The question of the day.....

From: Perez, Evan [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, August 26, 2016 9:08 AM
To: Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: Intent

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Do you know if Gowdy is right that FBI didn't ask Clinton about her intent? And is that weird?
<http://linkis.com/insider.foxnews.com/TxQES>

Evan Pérez
Correspondent
CNN



@evanperez

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, August 28, 2016 10:29 AM
To: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: LHM Redactions

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I think for the classification determination call, that's going to be us, though. I have meetings all morning but I'll cancel/shift to get this done. Let's meet after the D brief.

----- Original message -----

From: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/28/2016 10:18 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Page,
Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: LHM Redactions

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It would be the same crew as always otherwise [REDACTED].

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From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/28/2016 10:13 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Page,
Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: LHM Redactions

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Oh, that's right. Is there someone else on the team I should talk to? I miss [REDACTED]

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and others have a free block.

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To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]; "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
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Subject: LHM Redactions

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Ok. I just went through the LHM to [REDACTED] b5 -1, 3
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Is it possible to meet tomorrow am? Possibly after the CH meeting? I told RMD I'd have them a first-cut of the redaction tomorrow morning.

[REDACTED] - This is just FYI for you. I'll get you a copy of the LHM highlighted with the classified redactions as soon as possible tomorrow.

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Thanks,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Assistant General Counsel
National Security Law Branch
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, August 28, 2016 11:21 AM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: LHM Redactions

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I think for most of it, it may be faster for us to do it; not sure that [REDACTED] are that conversant with the classification guidelines

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Ok. I will try to get some clarification from them before we meet. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] find out.

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Thanks,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Assistant General Counsel
National Security Law Branch
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, August 28, 2016 11:23 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: A Powerful Russian Weapon: The Spread of False Stories - NYTimes.com

Thx...

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/28/2016 10:36 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: A Powerful Russian Weapon: The Spread of False Stories - NYTimes.com

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Thanks Pete.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/28/2016 10:27 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: A Powerful Russian Weapon: The Spread of False Stories - NYTimes.com

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Thanks to Lisa for forwarding...

http://mobile.nytimes.com/2016/08/29/world/europe/russia-sweden-disinformation.html?_r=0

A Powerful Russian Weapon: The Spread of False Stories

STOCKHOLM — With a vigorous national debate underway on whether Sweden should enter a military partnership with NATO, officials in Stockholm suddenly encountered an unsettling problem: a flood of distorted and outright false information on social media, confusing public perceptions of the issue.

The claims were alarming: If Sweden, a non-NATO member, signed the deal, the alliance would stockpile secret nuclear weapons on Swedish soil; NATO could attack Russia from Sweden without government approval; NATO soldiers, immune from prosecution, could rape Swedish women without fear of criminal charges.

They were all false, but the disinformation had begun spilling into the traditional news media, and as the defense minister, Peter Hultqvist, traveled the country to promote the pact in speeches and town hall meetings, he was repeatedly grilled about the bogus stories.

"People were not used to it, and they got scared, asking what can be believed, what should be believed?" said Marinette Nyh Radebo, Mr. Hultqvist's spokeswoman.

As often happens in such cases, Swedish officials were never able to pin down the source of the false reports. But they, numerous analysts and experts in American and European intelligence point to Russia as the prime suspect, noting that preventing NATO expansion is a centerpiece of the foreign policy of President Vladimir V. Putin, who invaded Georgia in 2008 largely to forestall that possibility.

In Crimea, eastern Ukraine and now Syria, Mr. Putin has flaunted a modernized and more muscular military. But he lacks the economic strength and overall might to openly confront NATO, the European Union or the United States. Instead, he has invested heavily in a program of "weaponized" information, using a variety of means to sow doubt and division. The goal is to weaken cohesion among member states, stir discord in their domestic politics and blunt opposition to Russia.

"Moscow views world affairs as a system of special operations, and very sincerely believes that it itself is an object of Western special operations," said Gleb Pavlovsky, who helped establish the Kremlin's information machine before 2008. "I am sure that there are a lot of centers, some linked to the state, that are involved in inventing these kinds of fake stories."

The planting of false stories is nothing new; the Soviet Union devoted considerable resources to that during the ideological battles of the Cold War. Now, though, disinformation is regarded as an important aspect of Russian military doctrine, and it is being directed at political debates in target countries with far greater sophistication and volume than in the past.

The flow of misleading and inaccurate stories is so strong that both NATO and the European Union have established special offices to identify and refute disinformation, particularly claims emanating from Russia.

The Kremlin's clandestine methods have surfaced in the United States, too, American officials say, identifying Russian intelligence as the likely source of leaked Democratic National Committee emails that embarrassed Hillary Clinton's presidential campaign.

The Kremlin uses both conventional media — Sputnik, a news agency, and RT, a television outlet — and covert channels, as in Sweden, that are almost always untraceable.

Russia exploits both approaches in a comprehensive assault, Wilhelm Urme, a spokesman for the Swedish Security Service, said this year when presenting the agency's annual report. "We mean everything from internet trolls to propaganda and misinformation spread by media companies like RT and Sputnik," he said.

The fundamental purpose of dezinformatsiya, or Russian disinformation, experts said, is to undermine the official version of events — even the very idea that there is a true version of events — and foster a kind of policy paralysis.

Disinformation most famously succeeded in early 2014 with the initial obfuscation about deploying Russian forces to seize Crimea. That summer, Russia pumped out a dizzying array of theories about the destruction of Malaysia Airlines Flight 17 over Ukraine, blaming the CIA and most outlandishly

Ukrainian fighter pilots who had mistaken the airliner for the Russian presidential aircraft.

The cloud of stories helped veil the simple truth that poorly trained insurgents had accidentally downed the plane with a missile supplied by Russia.

Moscow adamantly denies using disinformation to influence Western public opinion and tends to label accusations of either overt or covert threats as "Russophobia."

"There is an impression that, like in a good orchestra, many Western countries every day accuse Russia of threatening someone," Maria Zakharova, the Russian Foreign Ministry spokeswoman, said at a recent ministry briefing.

Tracing individual strands of disinformation is difficult, but in Sweden and elsewhere, experts have detected a characteristic pattern that they tie to Kremlin-generated disinformation campaigns.

"The dynamic is always the same: It originates somewhere in Russia, on Russia state media sites, or different websites or somewhere in that kind of context," said Anders Lindberg, a Swedish journalist and lawyer.

"Then the fake document becomes the source of a news story distributed on far-left or far-right-wing websites," he said. "Those who rely on those sites for news link to the story, and it spreads. Nobody can say where they come from, but they end up as key issues in a security policy decision."

Although the topics may vary, the goal is the same, Mr. Lindberg and others suggested. "What the Russians are doing is building narratives; they are not building facts," he said. "The underlying narrative is, 'Don't trust anyone.'"

The weaponization of information is not some project devised by a Kremlin policy expert but is an integral part of Russian military doctrine — what some senior military figures call a "decisive" battlefield.

"The role of nonmilitary means of achieving political and strategic goals has grown, and, in many cases, they have exceeded the power of force of weapons in their effectiveness," Gen. Valery V. Gerasimov, the chief of the general staff of the Russian Armed Forces, wrote in 2013.

A prime Kremlin target is Europe, where the rise of the populist right and declining support for the European Union create an ever more receptive audience for Russia's conservative, nationalistic and authoritarian approach under Mr. Putin. Last year, the European Parliament accused Russia of "financing radical and extremist parties" in its member states, and in 2014 the Kremlin extended an \$11.7 million loan to the National Front, the extreme-right party in France.

"The Russians are very good at courting everyone who has a grudge with liberal democracy, and that goes from extreme right to extreme left," said Patrik Oksanen, an editorial writer for the Swedish newspaper group MittMedia. The central idea, he said, is that "liberal democracy is corrupt, inefficient, chaotic and, ultimately, not democratic."

Another message, largely unstated, is that European governments lack the competence to deal with the crises they face, particularly immigration and terrorism, and that their officials are all American puppets.

In Germany, concerns over immigrant violence grew after a 13-year-old Russian-German girl said she had been raped by migrants. A report on Russian state television furthered the story. Even after the police debunked the claim, Russia's foreign minister, Sergey V. Lavrov, continued to chastise Germany.

In Britain, analysts said, the Kremlin's English-language news outlets heavily favored the campaign for the country to leave the European Union, despite their claims of objectivity.

In the Czech Republic, alarming, sensational stories portraying the United States, the European Union and immigrants as villains appear daily across a cluster of about 40 pro-Russia websites.

During NATO military exercises in early June, articles on the websites suggested that Washington controlled Europe through the alliance, with Germany as its local sheriff. Echoing the disinformation that appeared in Sweden, the reports said NATO planned to store nuclear weapons in Eastern Europe and would attack Russia from there without seeking approval from local capitals.

A poll this summer by European Values, a think tank in Prague, found that 51 percent of Czechs viewed the United States' role in Europe negatively, only 32 percent viewed the European Union positively, and at least a quarter believed some elements of the disinformation.

"The data show how public opinion is changing thanks to the disinformation on those outlets," said Jakub Janda, the think tank's deputy director for public and political affairs. "They try to look like a regular media outlet even if they have a hidden agenda."

Not all Russian disinformation efforts succeed. Sputnik news websites in various Scandinavian languages failed to attract enough readers and were closed after less than a year.

Both RT and Sputnik portray themselves as independent, alternative voices. Sputnik claims that it "tells the untold," even if its daily report relies heavily on articles abridged from other sources. RT trumpets the slogan "Question More."

Both depict the West as grim, divided, brutal, decadent, overrun with violent immigrants and unstable. "They want to give a picture of Europe as some sort of continent that is collapsing," Mr. Hultqvist, the Swedish defense minister, said in an interview.

RT often seems obsessed with the United States, portraying life there as hellish. Its coverage of the Democratic National Convention, for example, skipped the speeches and focused instead on scattered demonstrations. It defends the Republican presidential nominee, Donald J. Trump, as an underdog maligned by the established news media.

Margarita Simonyan, RT's editor in chief, said the channel was being singled out as a threat because it offered a different narrative from "the Anglo-American media-political establishment." RT, she said, wants to provide "a perspective otherwise missing from the mainstream media echo chamber."

Moscow's targeting of the West with disinformation dates to a Cold War program the Soviets called "active measures." The effort involved leaking or even writing stories for sympathetic newspapers in India and hoping that they would be picked up in the West, said Professor Mark N. Kramer, a Cold War expert at Harvard.

The story that AIDS was a C.I.A. project run amok spread that way, and it poisons the discussion of the disease decades later. At the time, before the Soviet Union's 1991 collapse, the Kremlin was selling communism as an ideological alternative. Now, experts said, the ideological component has

evaporated, but the goal of weakening adversaries remains.

In Sweden recently, that has meant a series of bizarre forged letters and news articles about NATO and linked to Russia.

One forgery, on Defense Ministry letterhead over Mr. Hultqvist's signature, encouraged a major Swedish firm to sell artillery to Ukraine, a move that would be illegal in Sweden. Ms. Nyh Radebo, his spokeswoman, put an end to that story in Sweden, but at international conferences, Mr. Hultqvist still faced questions about the nonexistent sales.

Russia also made at least one overt attempt to influence the debate. During a seminar in the spring, Vladimir Kozin, a senior adviser to the Russian Institute for Strategic Studies, a think tank linked to the Kremlin and Russian foreign intelligence, argued against any change in Sweden's neutral status.

"Do they really need to lose their neutral status?" he said of the Swedes. "To permit fielding new U.S. military bases on their territory and to send their national troops to take part in dubious regional conflicts?"

Whatever the method or message, Russia clearly wants to win any information war, as Dmitry Kiselyev, Russia's most famous television anchor and the director of the organization that runs Sputnik, made clear recently.

Speaking this summer on the 75th anniversary of the Soviet Information Bureau, Mr. Kiselyev said the age of neutral journalism was over. "If we do propaganda, then you do propaganda, too," he said, directing his message to Western journalists.

"Today, it is much more costly to kill one enemy soldier than during World War II, World War I or in the Middle Ages," he said in an interview on the state-run Rossiya 24 network. While the business of "persuasion" is more expensive now, too, he said, "if you can persuade a person, you don't need to kill him."

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, August 29, 2016 7:26 AM
To: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: FBI vs. State Department Over Hillary Clinton's Secrets - The Daily Beast

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Good job, State...\u-10179 ?

<http://www.thedailybeast.com/articles/2016/08/29/fbi-vs-state-department-over-hillary-clinton-s-secrets.html>

FBI vs. State Department Over Hillary Clinton's Secrets

The FBI and the State Department are at odds over whether Hillary Clinton's personal lawyers had the proper government-issued security clearances that they needed to keep copies of her emails in a Washington, D.C., law office last year.

Some of those emails contained classified information, which the lawyers and State Department officials knew at the time.

The issue has become a flashpoint in the broader controversy over Clinton's private email server. Republican lawmakers are pressing the FBI on whether it investigated the State Department's decision to give security clearances to Clinton's attorneys and let them store copies of the emails on a thumb drive. And statements from FBI and State Department officials show that there's no clear agreement on whether Clinton's attorneys were appropriately cleared to handle the material.

In July, FBI Director James Comey testified before the House Oversight and Government Reform that Clinton's attorneys didn't have the security clearances they needed. The FBI elaborated in a statement this week to The Daily Beast, saying "most of the attorneys representing former Secretary of State Clinton in this matter did not have the appropriate security clearances to review special access program material," which is highly secret information that is restricted only to a few people based on their need to know.

Seven email chains, which included messages sent and received by Clinton, contained such material, the FBI found.

The bureau didn't specify which lawyers didn't have the right clearances, but Clinton has been represented by at least two lawyers in matters related to her email, including her longtime personal attorney, David Kendall, of Williams & Connolly, and his colleague, Katherine Turner.

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Kendall, who has previously said he and Turner hold a top secret clearance from the State Department, didn't respond to a request for comment.

But the State Department says Clinton was represented by appropriately cleared lawyers. A department spokesperson defended the decision in 2015 to let the attorneys keep the thumb drive in a government-issue safe, which department security officers provided after visiting Williams & Connolly's offices. At the time, Clinton's lawyers said they needed a full record of the emails in order to respond to questions from the House committee investigating the Benghazi, Libya, terrorist attacks, which happened on Clinton's watch.

"It's routine for individuals outside government to have temporary security clearances to work on a range of issues," State Department spokesperson Elizabeth Trudeau told The Daily Beast. "This includes legal representatives who may need it to better represent their clients appropriately. The Department does not confirm individuals' security clearance status, however, as we have confirmed in the past, former Secretary Clinton has counsel with clearance."

While Clinton's lawyers won't face any criminal prosecution over the issue, legal and security experts say giving them access to classified emails in their own offices was an unorthodox decision that appeared to give preferential treatment to the former secretary of state. Keeping classified information stored outside a government facility increases the possibility that it could be seen or stolen by people who aren't authorized to have it.

Rep. Jason Chaffetz, the chairman of the powerful House Oversight Committee, held Clinton personally responsible for the matter.

"Hillary Clinton gave her private attorneys, without proper security clearance, access to classified information. This once again illustrates Secretary Clinton's cavalier and sloppy behavior in handling highly sensitive information," Chaffetz told The Daily Beast. Earlier this week, Chaffetz asked Comey in writing whether law enforcement officials had "investigated the possibility that Secretary Clinton's classified emails were improperly stored or accessed" either

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

Subject: MYE

Location: Petes office

Start: Monday, August 29, 2016 1:00 PM

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Organizer: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

Required Attendees: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [redacted]
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Subject: MYE

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Recurrence: {none}

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

Required Attendees: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED]
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Where: Petes office

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, August 29, 2016 8:34 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: MORNING BRIEFINGS - 8/30/2016

Ok, I will

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/29/2016 8:25 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: MORNING BRIEFINGS - 8/30/2016

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Rgr, but please also tell her about the convo I had with Bill re ssol briefs tomorrow. I spoke to Andy about it too, Herring should bring it up in the am.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/29/2016 8:19 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: MORNING BRIEFINGS - 8/30/2016

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Gotta fix this, project #1 after Labor Day.

----- Original message -----

From: "Corsi, Dina M. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/29/2016 7:55 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: MORNING BRIEFINGS - 8/30/2016

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Pete - I didn't write down the numbers from the close out. I'll pop in before going up to get those. Dina

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/29/2016 7:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Corsi, Dina M. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: MORNING BRIEFINGS - 8/30/2016

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Dina: I just remembered that [REDACTED] Could you please cover the AM meeting for me? There's only one meeting, and it begins at 8 AM. I was going to brief the [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Thank you, Bill

----- Original message -----

From [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]

Date: 08/29/2016 4:23 PM (GMT-05:00)

To [REDACTED]

Subject: MORNING BRIEFINGS - 8/30/2016

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Morning Briefings, Tuesday, August 30, 2016

8:00 a.m. DD McCabe (7142)

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 7:57 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: WH

Thanks. Bill asked me as I was leaving if I thought it should be in CD. Guessing this prompted it. I said yes then described and endorsed Allies reorganization idea

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/30/2016 6:39 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: WH

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b7E -6

----- Original message -----

From: "James B. Comey" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/30/2016 6:32 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)"; [REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)";
[REDACTED] "Trainor, James C. (CYD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: WH

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b7C -1
b7E -4, 6

Both meetings went well and I was well prepared. Will give you download in morning.

I will need an update briefing on [REDACTED] next week. As you might imagine, there was great interest in what each of us is doing on that front and in understanding what more we can do and the obstacles we see.

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 7:34 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

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Sure [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 12:35 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

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b7C -1
b7E -4, 6

I think this looks fine, but do you want me to take Dd's temperature first?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/30/2016 11:26 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: [REDACTED]

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b7C -1
b7E -4, 6

Can't sleep. Thoughts on bellow? I raised will Bill at wrap and absent foreign power, he's not sure if we should have it.

[REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1

[REDACTED] but I wanted to touch base with a question as to the appropriate way to address the SB.

[REDACTED] told me she talked with you and Randy and DJ this afternoon about SB, lessons learned from mishandling/retention cases, classified litigation, and the like.

[REDACTED]

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b7E -4

Looking for your thoughts [redacted] where it has the best chance of successful resolution.

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 10:10 AM
To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: State oversight committees

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No objection from CD; I assume [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 9:40 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: State oversight committees

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b7C -1
b7E -6

For the group,

As I think more about it, I'm inclined [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Please let me know if anyone has any strong objections...

I will hold and not move forward until folks have had a little time to consider this.

Thanks. Jason

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 7:48 AM
To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
[REDACTED] Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: State oversight committees

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b7E -6

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Jason -

I think the letters look good.

I'll defer to OCA on the best way to handle this.

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Thanks,

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"

Date: 08/31/2016 7:42 AM (GMT-05:00)

To: "(OGC) (FBI)" "(OGC) (FBI)"

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"Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" "Baker,

James A. (OGC) (FBI)" "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: State oversight committees

All,

I went ahead and modified the letter

b5 -1, 3

Let me know what you think or if you have suggested edits?

Once we get to good, I would like to run the letters by DOJ quickly and get them out today if possible.

Thanks, Jason

From: "(OGC) (FBI)"

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Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 5:46 PM

To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI) "(OGC) (FBI)"

Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI) Baker, James

A. (OGC) (FBI) Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI) Strzok, Peter P.

(CD) (FBI)

Subject: RE: State oversight committees

Thanks, Jason. The letters look good. I just talked to Lisa. It was our understanding

b5 -1, 3

From: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)

Sent: Monday, August 29, 2016 4:04 PM

To: "(OGC) (FBI)" "(OGC) (FBI)"

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Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI) Baker, James

A. (OGC) (FBI) Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI) Strzok, Peter P.

(CD) (FBI)

Subject: State oversight committees

For your consideration. I took the liberty of drafting letters to [REDACTED]

b5 -1, 3

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Please let me know what you think?

I wanted to circulate the drafts to this group and get buy-in before circulating to the larger group, including DOJ.

Also attached, to make your life a little easier, are the incoming letters from State and the SFRC.

Let me know what you think...

Thanks. Jason

Jason V. Herring
Acting Assistant Director
Office of Congressional Affairs
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 11:34 AM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: Question [REDACTED]

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All, following up on D's question during prep yesterday [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 6:01 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: ?

OK. I won't tell her.

Heard whoever it was (not sure if Bill was there, may have been Mike) got yelled at. Bill is supposed to call me later. I'll let you know. I'm not going to tell him about Baker's comment to you.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 5:52 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: ?

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b7C -1
b7E -6

The other weird thing is that it was supposed to be the FAO and AFAD. Not sure why Mike wasn't there instead. I wouldn't tell [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7A -1
b7E -4

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 4:13 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: ?

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 4:07 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Hey,

Any idea what your AD and my AEAD got called in to the DD's office about with Lisa? CyD and CD sadness obviously??

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 6:02 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

b6 -1
b7C -1

Fine with me

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 5:41 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

b5 -1, 3
b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -1

So why not respond with that? [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 4:16 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

b5 -1, 3
b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 4:11 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: HRC Article - Washington Times

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

OPA brought me an article that's supposed to run in the Times. The article asserts that the FBI found "hundreds, and likely thousands of violations of the Federal Records Act." OPA would like some guidance on how to respond whether or not they should push back or clarify given that the Times does not have an online presence, and therefore has limited readership.

[REDACTED]
Assistant General Counsel
National Security Law Branch
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 6:16 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

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b7C -1

I'd like to see the quotes. Could he scan or photograph and send (or type in)? Also, which reporter?
Thanks.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 6:06 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

He did not send me the article. He gave me a hard copy.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 6:03 PM
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Would you pls email article?

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 5:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

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b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

The article also asserts that "each transmission" of a document over the server which was not preserved is a separate misdemeanor count. I don't know [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Also, there are several quotes that seem to be coming from FBI agents.

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 5:41 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
[REDACTED] Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

So why not respond with that?

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Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 4:16 PM

To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

Subject: RE: HRC Article - Washington Times

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b6 -1

b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)

Date: 08/31/2016 4:11 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: HRC Article - Washington Times

b6 -1

b7C -1

b7E -6

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[REDACTED]
Assistant General Counsel
National Security Law Branch
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Bureau of Investigation
[REDACTED]

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 9:34 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: ?

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 4:16 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Oh boy, so sorry! Enjoy!! You will probably hear from Lisa, but I will ask as soon as I can. [REDACTED] was worried. Talk soon!

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 4:12 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] Let me know if you hear, will do the same.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 4:07 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Hey,

Any idea what your AD and my AEAD got called in to the DD's office about with Lisa? CyD and CD sadness obviously??

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Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 9:34 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: ?

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)
Date: 08/31/2016 4:29 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
Subject: RE: ?

b6 -1, 3
b7C -1
b7E -4, 6

Yes. It's CD and CyD not coordinating on this SB case.

[REDACTED] OMG that's incredible!!!

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----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)
Date: 08/31/2016 4:18 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: ?

b6 -1, 3
b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] worried? That's weird. Was Andy upset?

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)
Date: 08/31/2016 4:16 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
Subject: RE: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Oh boy, so sorry! Enjoy!! You will probably hear from Lisa, but I will ask as soon as I can. [REDACTED] was worried. Talk soon!

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----- Original message -----

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From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/31/2016 4:12 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[REDACTED] Let me know if you hear, will do the same.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 08/31/2016 4:07 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: ?

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Hey,

Any idea what your AD and my AEAD got called in to the DD's office about with Lisa? CyD and CD sadness obviously??

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 10:30 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Priestap, E. W. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Proposed language for use on FOIA matter

b6 -1
b7C -1

Both changes work for investigative team. Agnostic as to the second change re date of LHM production.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 8:00 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Proposed language for use on FOIA matter

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

The language from his statement was formulated in a somewhat different way. It read, "Our investigation looked at whether there is evidence classified information was improperly stored or transmitted on that personal system..."

Do folks think that is better? OPA wants to keep this as high level as possible...

b5 -1, 3

I do have one other comment (which I can't believe I am saying because we looked at this statement so many times) [REDACTED]

Lisa

----- Original message -----

From: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 7:25 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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b6 -1
b7C -1

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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FBI (18-cv-154)-7901

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 08/31/2016 5:48 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED];
[REDACTED]; "Priestap, E. W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED];
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Sirzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; Moffa,
Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED];
[REDACTED]; (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; Baker, James A.
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED];
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Proposed language for use on FOIA matter

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Folks,

Although many of us have reviewed this a number of times, could folks just take one more look at the proposed language that OPA would use to accompany any MYE FOIA release? Thanks.

Lisa

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 4:12 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)
Subject: Proposed language for use on FOIA matter

b6 -1
b7C -1

Lisa,

Here's what was approved.

Two documents released:

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[REDACTED]

And this is the item that will go on the actual vault page:

[REDACTED]

Please let us know if the language is final.

[REDACTED]

b6 -1
b7C -1

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2016 3:55 PM

To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]

Subject: MYE

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Could you please send me the latest MYE write-ups that we have related to the impending FOIA release? Thanks so much.

Lisa

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 2:10 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Wash Post contact

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----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 09/01/2016 7:54 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Wash Post contact

b5 -1
b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks for the heads up! I'll talk to Rich and get more details. Our relationship with her varies story-to-story, but I agree [REDACTED]

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 7:32 AM
To: [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI)
Subject: Wash Post contact

b6 -1
b7C -1

H [REDACTED]

Heads up, Ellen Nakashima of the Washington Post reached out to me via email yesterday (my first contact with her, appears she got my contact info from Bob Anderson) wanting to discuss some past espionage cases in Hawaii. I let Bill P. know, and responded to her, cc'ing Rich Quinn, that she should coordinate through OPA.

Not sure her motive/agenda, but if there's an opportunity to spread the gospel of PRC espionage and do it through talking about past cases, might be worth exploring.

Thanks,
Pete

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 6:43 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: FINAL? proposed language for use in the MYE FOIA matter

Jerks. Thank you

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/01/2016 6:24 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Baker,
James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P.
(CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa,
Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P.
(DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Beers,
Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FINAL? proposed language for use in the MYE FOIA matter

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

State held their response - that they no additional comments - until 5:15. So we're teeing everything up for a production first thing tomorrow morning. Will be in touch then. Thanks.

Lisa

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/01/2016 3:58 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Baker, James A.
(OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P.
(CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa,
Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P.
(DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Beers,
Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FINAL? proposed language for use in the MYE FOIA matter

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Here's the proposed headline/title re the statement. If anyone has suggested edits for that we just need to

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keep the title short:

Headline: FBI releases documents in Hillary Clinton e-mail investigation.

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From: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)

Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 3:14 PM

To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)

Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)

Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)

Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)

Priestap, E

W. (CD) (FBI)

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

(OGC) (FBI)

Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

(OGC) (FBI)

(OGC) (FBI)

(DO) (FBI)

Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)

Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)

Herring, Jason V. (CD)

(FBI)

Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)

Subject: RE: FINAL? proposed language for use in the MYE FOIA matter

Good

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b7C -1
b7E -6

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Date: 9/1/16 3:12 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)

"Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)"

Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)

Anderson, Trisha

B. (OGC) (FBI)

Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)"

Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)

"Strzok, Peter P.

(CD) (FBI)"

"Moffa,

Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)"

(OGC) (FBI)

(DO) (FBI)"

"Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)"

"Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)"

"Herring, Jason

V. (CD) (FBI)"

"Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)"

Subject: FINAL? proposed language for use in the MYE FOIA matter

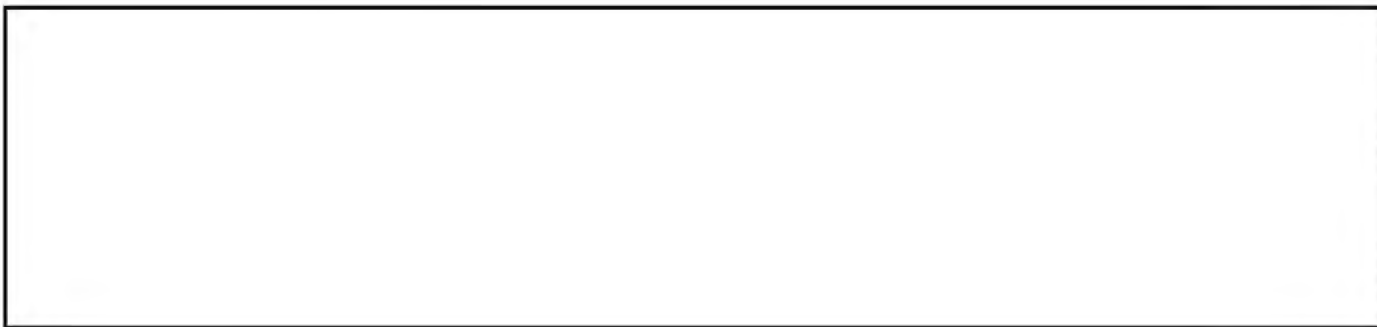
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b7C -1
b7E -6

This is the (hopefully) the final version of the OPA statement to accompany the release of the 202 and LHM.

FBI (18-cv-154)-7911

We have still not received final concurrence from State, so it is not ready for release yet. Please let me know if folks have comments. Thanks.

b5 -1, 2, 3



Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 2:52 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: FOIA

K :)

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 2:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Oops. Meant to send to herring.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 2:50 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA

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b7C -1
b7E -6

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 2:49 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: FOIA

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Pete's addition:

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 2:10 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED];
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED];
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI);
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: FOIA

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I just reviewed as well. Concur with [REDACTED] that there's not classified info in there. I have no idea about RIDS' practice as to marking.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 2:06 PM (GMT-05:00)

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b7E -6

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DATE: 09/02/2016 2:00 PM (GMT-0500)

To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

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"Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"

[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: FOIA

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ACTING CHIEF OF FOIA LITIGATION UNIT

OFFICE: [REDACTED] MOBILE: [REDACTED]

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From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 2:01 PM

To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)

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Subject: Fwd: FOIA

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 09/02/2016 1:57 PM (GMT-0500)

To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: FOIA

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Not sure if it's an issue, but just received a call that on pages 6 and 7 of the 302, there are 3 instances of an (S) portion marking. I'm guessing the (S) should have been redacted...

Not sure if it's a significant deal or not.

Just wanted to let someone know.

Jason

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 3:23 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: All-Member Briefing

I'll be back on Sat, will check and come in if needed.

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From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 3:21 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: All-Member Briefing

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Sorry gents. :(

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From: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 3:15 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Coleman, Randall C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Trainer,
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Subject: All-Member Briefing

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Thanks,
Jim

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

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Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 5:03 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

Funny, Jon and I were talking about [REDACTED] and journalism and the importance of writing and especially editing...

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 5:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

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That would be perfect. I frankly prefer editing to writing anyway. Thanks Jon.

----- Original message -----

From: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 4:59 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

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It will be really rough when I send it your way, but I think it's probably best to start discussing it from some semblance of a draft. I'm going to hit the laptop early tomorrow because I am currently burnt out and I'll send you both the first draft and the "raw material" used to put it together and we can shape it up. I'm going

[REDACTED]
Thanks,

J

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 4:55 PM
To: Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

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From: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 4:52 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

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Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

I'm going to block it out on my laptop (all of the material they prepped for me lives on FBINET) and we can exchange some drafts. Sound good? I'll go first and then you two can work magic on it...

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 4:28 PM

To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)

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Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

Ok, I'm in. And frankly like the idea. Just talked to Lisa and heard about the other taskers, esp the retrospective for the Man. Lets talk when youre free..

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 09/02/2016 4:08 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

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Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

Taking off Bill and [REDACTED] We three do pretty well at group writing efforts, but I'll defer to you guys for how you want to split up the many efforts which seem assigned for this weekend/next week.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 09/02/2016 4:05 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Cc: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

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[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

And by "write it," I mean with you, or any combination of people, or alone. Truly agnostic.

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[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]

Subject: Fwd: Possible Op-Ed

Just tried calling. How do you want to tackle? Happy to participate in whatever way makes sense. I think group writing efforts sometimes suck and someone should take the primary pen. Having said that, I'm happy to come in Sun and Mon and write it, as I think we all have a sense of his voice.

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From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

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From: KYDICKI, James E. (DO) (FBI)

Date: 09/02/2016 3:55 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"

Cc: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"

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"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

(DO) (FBI)"

Subject: Possible Op-Ed

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Thanks,

Jim

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Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 5:25 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: All-Member Briefing

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From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 5:22 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
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Subject: Fwd: All-Member Briefing

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Jim

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From: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)

Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 3:16 PM

To: Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED]

Subject: All-Member Briefing

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Jim

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Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 5:28 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: All-Member Briefing

So I'm confused. Is this chair/ranking of Intels and homelands, or all members, or two briefings? JR says its garble, is just the subset, but then his last email says all members week after next.

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(-) 7th floor

Bill,

Lisa Jon and I discussed. I don't think this is the op-ed piece, or at least not in a state we want to send up. Jon is taking a crack at an outline, then the three of us will flesh out this weekend. Goal is to get something to you by Sun eve that you can disseminate to 7th floor.

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I think the team was focused more on putting together "the facts" that he might use, but if he wants us to take a stab at the actual draft we can do that too. I don't recall a time line being discussed, but if it's next week, so be it.

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Cc: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

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Jon: At today's close-out, I mentioned that we had some "food-for-thought information" ready for the D, but not an actual piece. The EAD asked me to provide the info to him tonight, so that it could get to the D this weekend. I provided the EAD what you provided me. (I made a couple very minor edits.)

I also just told the EAD we'd aim to produce something resembling an actual statement by Monday PM. We could then circulate it Tuesday AM.

Thx,
Bill

----- Original message -----

From: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
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To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
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Boss,

Did you want me to take a crack at blocking out a statement, or is what I sent you already what you want to push up to the EAD?

I was going to get up early tomorrow and do it, but I won't if you don't think it is necessary..

Thanks,

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Cc: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P.
(CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

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b7E -6

I think the team was focused more on putting together "the facts" that he might use, but if he wants us to take a stab at the actual draft we can do that too. I don't recall a time line being discussed, but if it's next week, so be it.

----- Original message -----

From: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 3:55 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] Priestap, E
W. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: Possible Op-Ed

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Thanks,

Jim

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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 9:17 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: production

We think alike ☺

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (RO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 12:58 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: production

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks for the heads up.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 12:54 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (RO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: production

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

These will be released today

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 12:30 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Baker, James
A. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: production

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Here you go. I DownDrafted them.

b6 -1
b7C -1

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ACTING UNIT CHIEF : FOIA LITIGATION UNIT

OFFICE: [REDACTED] MOBILE: [REDACTED]

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b7C -1

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From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 12:27 PM

To: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI); Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)

b6 -1
b7C -1

Subject: production

The 302 and LHM should be being uploaded to the Vault as we speak. I have copies, but they are on red only at this point. Thanks to everyone for their truly tireless work on this.

Lisa

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Saturday, September 03, 2016 6:50 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Tuesday

Good point, I will

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 10:28 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

No, I'm pretty sure we are briefing the hack to the hill, but yeah, find out. Why not just email jason?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 10:14 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Hopefully just confusion about D brief to Intels and judiciaries.

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 10:05 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

b6 -1
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Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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----- Original message -----

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Original message

From: "Laycock, Stephen C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 8:48 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Will do

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 8:46 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Laycock, Stephen C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

b6 -1
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To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: Tuesday

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b7E -3

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Saturday, September 03, 2016 7:27 AM
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Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

Tell me when you hit terror....

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/03/2016 7:15 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

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Jason

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Date: 09/03/2016 6:52 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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Thanks,
Pete

----- Original message -----

From: "Priest, F W (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

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b7E -6

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b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Date: 09/02/2016 10:05 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: RE: Tuesday

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Date: 09/02/2016 9:13 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"

Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

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Subject: RE: Tuesday

Will do

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Saturday, September 03, 2016 8:09 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

Fyi

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/03/2016 8:08 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Thanks. I'll take a look at whatever slides/TPs I get and let you know any comments before then.

----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/03/2016 8:06 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Pete: I'll arrange to meet with the EADs, Herring, and Trainor on Tuesday following the morning meetings to try to get everyone on the same page. [REDACTED]
plan to suggest [REDACTED]

b5 -1

[REDACTED] Thx, Bill

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/03/2016 7:31 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Tuesday

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Gents,

FYI below. I have a little concern [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and I think [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

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b7E -3

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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Saturday, September 03, 2016 8:30 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Possible Op-Ed

Or, whatever.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 4:08 PM (GMT-05:00)
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[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Taking off Bill and [REDACTED] We three do pretty well at group writing efforts, but I'll defer to you guys for how you want to split up the many efforts which seem assigned for this weekend/next week.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/02/2016 4:05 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Priestap, E. W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Possible Op-Ed

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

And by "write it," I mean with you, or any combination of people, or alone. Truly agnostic.

----- Original message -----

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Date: 09/02/2016 4:02 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Priestap, E. W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Possible Op-Ed

b6 -1
b7C -1
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Just tried calling. How do you want to tackle? Happy to participate in whatever way makes sense. I think group writing efforts sometimes suck and someone should take the primary pen. Having said that, I'm happy to come in Sun and Mon and write it, as I think we all have a sense of his voice.

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[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

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b7E -6

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E W. (CD) (FBI)

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

DO) (FBI)

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Thanks,
Jim

b5 -1

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, September 04, 2016 6:39 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd:

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/04/2016 6:38 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd:

b6 -1
b7C -1
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Bill,

FYI below. A few additional points.

Jon Lisa and I were all in this afternoon and I think got the editorial in a very good place. We're going to sleep on it, do any last edits, and will send to you tomorrow. We followed the D's guidance to go strong, with specifics.

Jon also commented on, which I concur with, CYD's TPs for the Congressional sessions on hacking.
Suggested [REDACTED]

b5 -1

Finally, started reading about the new matter from Fri. Not good. I'll dive in.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/04/2016 6:26 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

OK thanks. D I think [REDACTED] You have an advance copy?

b5 -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/04/2016 6:12 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Has Date: no wonder, should be used for only 3MDo delay story tomorrow on Russian attempt to

ney rece...no worries, should be good for now. We're doing story tomorrow on Russian attempts to influence election...will forward when it posts.

Richard P. Quinn
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Media/Investigative Publicity

[redacted]
(p)
(m)

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 09/04/2016 4:49 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I do. Leaving HQ in 5, any time after that is good. [redacted] Thanks, Pete

From: Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, September 04, 2016 11:24 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI) [redacted]
Subject:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Pete,

Happy Sunday...let me know if you have five minutes...not about HRC...)

Rich

Richard P. Quinn
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Media/Investigative Publicity

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b7C -1

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, September 04, 2016 11:23 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Opening

They are. A reasoned historian would say yes, that's true for every point in our history.

Because I'm a nerd (and can work wiki magik), I would tell you that Washington was faced with having to throw out the French Ambassador, even though he (Washington) supported America's alliance with France, because the French had paid men to attack Spanish lands, commissioned privateers to seize British ships, and paid for protestors to rally for support of France.

[REDACTED]

b5 -1

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[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Opening

b6 -1
b7C -1
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Yes, but are all of those things true? I like the opening but think I might like [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Will think about it...

b5 -1, 3

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[REDACTED]
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How about this for an opening para. I'd like to avoid any further discussion because I fear the whole thing is already a paragraph or two too long. Took the first para and spun it around a bit, and I think it works:

[REDACTED]

b5 -1, 3

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, September 06, 2016 6:50 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: FW: Freedom Watch v. FBI
Attachments: Freedom Watch v. FBI, 16-cv-1755 (D.D.C.).Complaint.pdf

We've been sued.... Pro forma, I know

From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, September 06, 2016 5:11 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (RO) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Freedom Watch v. FBI

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Pete and [REDACTED] FYI, I'll be meeting with RIDS tomorrow to discuss access to the case file. We have officially been sued by Freedom Watch for two pending FOIA requests. I'll be in touch when I have a list of requests from them.

----- Original message -----
From: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]
Date: 09/06/2016 5:04 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI);
[REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI); [REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI);
[REDACTED]
Subject: Freedom Watch v. FBI

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We've received our first lawsuit regarding the Clinton investigation file (or at least our first post-Director's announcement lawsuit). It was filed by Freedom Watch/Larry Klayman on August 30th. I've attached the Complaint.

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[REDACTED] do you have time this week to sit down with me and [REDACTED] from RIDS (and anyone else you think might be helpful) to talk about the logistics of getting access to/a copy of the case file, read-ins, etc.? Now that we're in litigation, we may no longer be subject to our own timeframes so we're hoping to get this hammered out quickly. (BTW, welcome back!)

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
Acting Unit Chief | FOIA Litigation Unit

FBI (18-cv-154)-7983

OFFICE: [REDACTED] MOBILE: [REDACTED] Obtained via FOIA by Judicial Watch, Inc.

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

FREEDOM WATCH,
2020 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Suite 345
Washington, DC, 20006

Plaintiffs,

v.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION,
Record/Information Dissemination Section
170 Marcel Drive
Winchester, VA, 22602

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
Office of Information Policy
1425 New York Ave, N.W., Suite 11050
Washington, D.C., 20530

Defendants.

COMPLAINT

Plaintiff FREEDOM WATCH, INC. ("Plaintiff") brings this action against Defendants Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI") and the Office of the Attorney General ("OAG") to compel compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552 ("FOIA"). As grounds therefore, Plaintiff alleges as follows:

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

1. The Court has jurisdiction over this action pursuant to 5. U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B) and 28 U.S.C 1331.
2. Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28. U.S.C. 1391(e)

PARTIES

3. Plaintiff Freedom Watch, Inc. is a 501(c)(3), non-profit, public interest foundation organized under the laws of the District of Columbia and having its principal place of business at 2020 Pennsylvania Ave., NW Suite 345, Washington, DC, 20006. Plaintiff seeks to promote openness within the federal government and their actions. Plaintiff regularly requests records under FOIA to shed light on the operations of the federal government and to educate the public about these operations. Plaintiff then analyzes the agency records and disseminates the results of its analysis to the public.

4. Defendants are agencies of the United States Government. Defendants have possession, custody, and control of records to which Plaintiff seeks access.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

5. On July 12, 2016, Plaintiff sent FOIA requests to Defendant FBI and Defendant OAG by certified mail, seeking the production of agency records relating to the final decision not to recommend prosecution and/or not to prosecute former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton for alleged crimes and other alleged illegalities related to the use and/or misuse of her private email server during her tenure as Secretary of State. ("First FOIA Request"). A true and correct copy of Plaintiff's First FOIA Request and Proof of Service are attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

6. Defendants FBI and OAG were required to determine whether to comply with Plaintiff's First FOIA Request within 20 days, excepting Saturdays, Sundays, and legal public holidays, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(A). Pursuant to this same provision, Defendants FBI and OAG also were required to notify Plaintiff immediately of this determination, the reasons therefore, and the right to appeal any adverse determination to the head of the agency. Excluding weekends, and since there were no legal public holidays within the timeframe. Defendants FBI

and OAG were required to make its determination and provide Plaintiff with requisite notifications regarding Plaintiff's First FOIA Request by August 2, 2016.

7. On July 14, 2016, Plaintiff sent a FOIA request to Defendant FBI by certified mail, seeking the production of agency records relating to the final decision to require agents of the FBI to sign non-disclosure agreements with regard to the investigation of Hillary Clinton and her private email server. ("Second FOIA Request"). A true and correct copy of Plaintiff's Second FOIA Request and Proof of Service are attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

8. Defendant FBI was required to determine whether to comply with Plaintiff's Second FOIA Request request within 20 days, excepting Saturdays, Sundays, and legal public holidays, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(A). Pursuant to this same provision, Defendant FBI also was required to notify Plaintiff immediately of this determination, the reasons therefore, and the right to appeal any adverse determination to the head of the agency. Excluding weekends, and since there were no legal public holidays within the timeframe. Defendant FBI was required to make its determination and provide Plaintiff with requisite notifications regarding Plaintiff's Second FOIA Request by August 4, 2016.

9. As of the date of this Complaint, the Defendants FBI and OAG have failed to make bona fide, good faith determinations about whether they will comply with either of Plaintiff's requests. Nor have Defendants FBI and OAG produced any records responsive to either request, indicated when any responsive records will be produced, or demonstrated that specific responsive records are exempt from production. The attached FOIA requests and Plaintiff's response to Defendants' failure to produce records, failure to say when any such records will be produced, and failure to grant expedited treatment and feed waivers demonstrates that any administrative appeal would be futile and thus the complaint is being filed upon

notification to the agency. *See Singh v. Ashcroft*, 362 F.3d 1164, 1169 (9th Cir. 2004) (A plaintiff need not “exhaust administrative remedies that would be futile” to exhaust.). *See also Sokha Sun v. Ashcroft*, 370 F.3d 932, 943 (9th Cir. 2004) (“where the agency’s position on the question at issue appears already set, and it is very likely what the result of recourse to administrative remedies would be, such recourse would be futile and is not required.”).

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION
(Violation of FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552)
Against Defendants FBI and OAG

10. Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1 through 9 as if fully stated herein.

11. Defendants are unlawfully withholding records requested by Plaintiff’s First FOIA Request pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552 as set forth in Exhibit A, which is incorporated herein by reference.

12. Plaintiff is being irreparably harmed by reason of Defendants’ unlawful withholding of requested records, and Plaintiff will continue to be irreparably harmed unless Defendants are compelled to conform its conduct to the requirements of the law.

13. Plaintiff respectfully requests a FOIA fee waiver pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552, as Plaintiff is a non-profit, public interest organization that seeks to promote openness within the federal government and their actions. Plaintiff regularly requests records under FOIA to shed light on the operations of the federal government and to educate the public about these operations. Plaintiff then analyzes the agency records and disseminates the results of its analysis to the public at large.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff respectfully request that the Court: (1) order Defendants to conduct a search for any and all responsive records to Plaintiff’s FOIA request and demonstrate that it employed search methods reasonably likely to lead to the discovery of records responsive

to Plaintiff's FOIA request; (2) order Defendants to produce, by a certain date, any and all non-exempt records responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request and a *Vaughn* index of any responsive records withheld under claim of exception; (3) enjoin Defendants from continuing to withhold any and all non-exempt records responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request; (4) grant Plaintiff an award of attorneys' fees and other litigation costs reasonably incurred in this action pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(E); and (5) grant Plaintiff such other relief as the Court deems just and proper.

SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION
(Violation of FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552)
Against Defendant FBI

14. Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1 through 13 as if fully stated herein.

15. Defendants are unlawfully withholding records requested by Plaintiff's Second FOIA Request pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552, as set forth in Exhibit B, which is incorporated herein by reference.

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Dated: August 30, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Larry Klayman

Larry Klayman, Esq.

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EXHIBIT A



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July 12, 2016

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Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. § 552), and its regulations, Freedom Watch, Inc. requests that the Office of the Attorney General ("OAG") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI") produce the below requested documents.

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government forms containing information filled in on lines or blank spaces, slide presentations, "card decks" (for presentations at meetings), power-point presentations, facsimiles (faxes), notes, handwritten notes, notes to the file, requests for decision, requests for authorization, tape recordings, video recordings, electronic mail (email) messages, summaries, briefs, orders, written decisions, applications, telephone records, tape recordings, and other documents and things.

Freedom Watch hereby requests that the Department of Justice as a whole, the Office of the Attorney General Loretta Lynch, the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Office of the Director James Comey of the FBI produce all documents which refer or relate in any way to each of the specific requests stated below, each request considered separately:

Freedom Watch requests any and all information pertaining to the following:

1. Any and all records documents as defined above that concern, refer or relate in any way to the final decision not to recommend prosecution and/or not to prosecute former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton for alleged crimes and other alleged illegalities related to the use and/or misuse of her private email server during her tenure as Secretary of State.

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If any responsive record or portion thereof is claimed to be exempt from production under FOIA, sufficient identifying information (with respect to each allegedly exempt record or portion thereof) must be provided to allow the assessment of the propriety of the claimed exemption. *Vaughn v. Rosen*, 484 F.2d 820 (D.C. Cir. 1973), *cert denied*, 415 U.S. 977 (1974). Additionally, pursuant to law, any reasonably segregable portion of a responsive record must be provided after redaction of any allegedly exempt material. 5 U.S.C. § 552(b).

If any documents are withheld subject to any claim of privilege, Freedom Watch requests complete information about each document withheld, including which paragraph of the request to which the document is responsive; the author and title of the document; an explanation of the applicability of the claimed exemption to the contents of the document; and the name and title of each person responsible for the denial.

Freedom Watch requests a waiver of all fees for this request under 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(iii); *see also*, *Larson v. Central Intelligence Agency*, 843 F.2d 1482, 1483 (D.C. Cir. 1988); *National Sec. Archive v. U.S. Dept. of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381, 1385-87 (D.C. Cir. 1989); *see also*, *Judicial Watch, Inc. v. United States Dep't. of Commerce*, No. 95-0133 (D.D.C. May 16, 1995) (order granting Judicial Watch, Inc.'s request for fee waiver with regard to all responsive documents in proceeding).

Freedom Watch is a non-profit, non-partisan, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization that as a public interest law firm specializes in deterring, monitoring, uncovering, and addressing public corruption in government. Freedom Watch has and will hold Republicans, Democrats, and Independents equally accountable to ethical and legal standards for honest and open government. The disclosure of this information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations and activities of the government and is not primarily in the commercial interest of Freedom Watch.

The requester has no commercial purpose as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization organized exclusively to improve the ethical and legal standards in government, accountability of government officials to the rule of law, and public understanding of government operations.

Freedom Watch will also use the requested material to promote accountable government as a representative of the news media and the public in accordance with 5 U.S.C.

§ 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II) and *National Sec. Archive v. U.S. Dept. of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381, 1385-87 (D.C. Cir. 1989), by disseminating relevant information which may be uncovered.

Information will benefit the public by identifying areas for future reform as well as deterring future abuses that could otherwise proliferate without scrutiny. Freedom watch disseminates into the public through its website www.freedomwatchusa.org, the U.S. mails and on the Internet. The lack of prosecution of former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton for alleged crimes and/or alleged illegalities is a matter of extreme public interest given the appearance that she is above

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the law in particular. Equal justice under the law is a fundamental precept of our system of government.

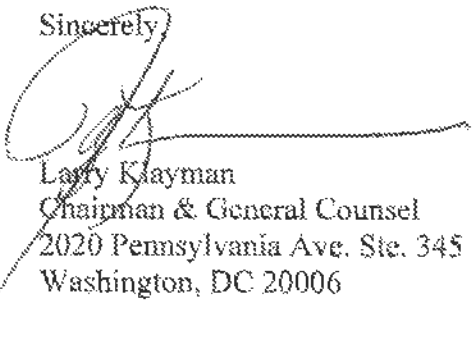
The subject of this request is information concerning the operations and activities of the government. Past experience of Freedom Watch demonstrates its success in uncovering important facts about government activities, integrity and operations, of broad concern to the public. Thus, Freedom Watch's request is likely to "contribute significantly" to the public's understanding of the operations of their government, satisfying the requirements of FOIA fee waiver provisions. Freedom Watch's capabilities and effectiveness are a matter of public record.

Immediate release of the requested information is in the public interest, including for promoting confidence in an honest democratic system, and furthering the integrity of the American national government by deterring and/or sanctioning corrupt activities. The failure to do so will likely result in the further compromise of important interests of the American people.

Freedom Watch hereby requests expedited processing of this request pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552 (a)(6)(E)(ii)(I), as there is a compelling need for the information and time is truly of the essence in this matter.

I look forward to receiving the requested documents and a full fee waiver within twenty (20) business days.

Sincerely,


Larry Klayman
Chairman & General Counsel
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Washington, DC 20006

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Obtained via FOIA by [redacted]

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
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July 15, 2016

MR. LARRY KLAYMAN
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FOIPA Request No.: 1354165-000
Subject: CLINTON, HILLARY RODHAM
(E-mail Server Investigation)

Dear Mr. Klayman:

This is in reference to your letter directed to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), in which you requested expedited processing for the above-referenced Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. Pursuant to the Department of Justice (DOJ) standards permitting expedition, expedited processing can only be granted when it is determined that a FOIPA request involves one or more of the below categories.

You have requested expedited processing according to:

- ☐ 28 C.F.R. §16.5 (e)(1)(i): "Circumstances in which the lack of expedited treatment could reasonably be expected to pose an imminent threat to the life or physical safety of an individual."
- ☒ 28 C.F.R. §16.5 (e)(1)(ii): "An urgency to inform the public about an actual or alleged federal government activity, if made by a person primarily engaged in disseminating information."
- ☐ 28 C.F.R. §16.5 (e)(1)(iii): "The loss of substantial due process of rights."
- ☐ 28 C.F.R. §16.5 (e)(1)(iv): "A matter of widespread and exceptional media interest in which there exist possible questions about the government's integrity which affect public confidence."

You have provided enough information concerning the statutory requirements permitting expedition; therefore, your request is approved.

For questions regarding our determinations, visit the www.fbi.gov/foia website under "Contact Us." The FOIPA Request number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request. Your patience is appreciated.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIAonline portal by creating an account on the following web site: <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so that it may be easily identified.

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Sincerely,



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EXHIBIT B



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In addition, Attorney General Reno issued a FOIA Memorandum in October 1993 which *inter alia* states, "I strongly encourage your FOIA officers to make 'discretionary disclosures' whenever possible under the Act," and orders "as presumption of disclosure." See Attorney General Reno's FOIA Memorandum, U.S. Department of Justice, FOIA Update, Spring 1994, at 1-2.

If any responsive record or portion thereof is claimed to be exempt from production under FOIA, sufficient identifying information (with respect to each allegedly exempt record or portion thereof) must be provided to allow the assessment of the propriety of the claimed exemption. *Vaughn v. Rosen*, 484 F.2d 820 (D.C. Cir. 1973), *cert denied*, 415 U.S. 977 (1974). Additionally, pursuant to law, any reasonably segregable portion of a responsive record must be provided after redaction of any allegedly exempt material. 5 U.S.C. § 552(b).

If any documents are withheld subject to any claim of privilege, Freedom Watch requests complete information about each document withheld, including which paragraph of the request to which the document is responsive; the author and title of the document; an explanation of the



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applicability of the claimed exemption to the contents of the document; and the name and title of each person responsible for the denial.

Freedom Watch requests a waiver of all fees for this request under 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(iii); *see also, Larson v. Central Intelligence Agency*, 843 F.2d 1482, 1483 (D.C. Cir. 1988); *National Sec. Archive v. U.S. Dept. of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381, 1385-87 (D.C. Cir. 1989); *see also, Judicial Watch, Inc. v. United States Dep't. of Commerce*, No. 95-0133 (D.D.C. May 16, 1995) (order granting Judicial Watch, Inc.'s request for fee waiver with regard to all responsive documents in proceeding).

Freedom Watch is a non-profit, non-partisan, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization that as a public interest law firm specializes in deterring, monitoring, uncovering, and addressing public corruption in government. Freedom Watch has and will hold Republicans, Democrats, and Independents equally accountable to ethical and legal standards for honest and open government. The disclosure of this information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations and activities of the government and is not primarily in the commercial interest of Freedom Watch.

The requester has no commercial purpose as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization organized exclusively to improve the ethical and legal standards in government, accountability of government officials to the rule of law, and public understanding of government operations.

Freedom Watch will also use the requested material to promote accountable government as a representative of the news media and the public in accordance with 5 U.S.C.

§ 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II) and *National Sec. Archive v. U.S. Dept. of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381, 1385-87 (D.C. Cir. 1989), by disseminating relevant information which may be uncovered.

Information will benefit the public by identifying areas for future reform as well as deterring future abuses that could otherwise proliferate without scrutiny. Freedom Watch disseminates into the public through its website www.freedomwatchusa.org, the U.S. mails and on the Internet. The lack of prosecution of former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton for alleged crimes and/or alleged illegalities is a matter of extreme public interest given the appearance that she is above the law in particular. Equal justice under the law is a fundamental precept of our system of government.

The subject of this request is information concerning the operations and activities of the government. Past experience of Freedom Watch demonstrates its success in uncovering important facts about government activities, integrity and operations, of broad concern to the public. Thus, Freedom Watch's request is likely to "contribute significantly" to the public's understanding of the operations of their government, satisfying the requirements of FOIA fee waiver provisions. Freedom Watch's capabilities and effectiveness are a matter of public record.



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Immediate release of the requested information is in the public interest, including for promoting confidence in an honest democratic system, and furthering the integrity of the American national government by deterring and/or sanctioning corrupt activities. The failure to do so will likely result in the further compromise of important interests of the American people.

Freedom Watch hereby requests expedited processing of this request pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552 (a)(6)(E)(ii)(I), as there is a compelling need for the information and time is truly of the essence in this matter.

I look forward to receiving the requested documents and a full fee waiver within twenty (20) business days.

Sincerely,

Larry Klayman
Chairman & General Counsel
2020 Pennsylvania Ave. Ste. 345
Washington, DC 20006

leklayman@gmail.com



'Gag' order: FBI confirms special secrecy agreements for agents in Clinton email probe

By Catherine Herridge, Pamela K. Browne

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FoxNews.com

The FBI has confirmed to a senior Republican senator that agents were sworn to secrecy -- and subject to lie detector tests -- in the Hillary Clinton email probe, an extensive measure one former agent said could have a "chilling effect."

A July 1 letter sent by a senior deputy to FBI Director James Comey to Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Charles Grassley, R-Iowa, detailed the restrictions on agents. The letter, reviewed by Fox News, confirmed agents signed a "Case Briefing Acknowledgement" which says the disclosure of information is "strictly prohibited" without prior approval, and those who sign are subject to lie detector tests.

"The purpose of this form is to maintain an official record of persons knowledgeable of a highly sensitive Federal Bureau of Investigation counterintelligence investigation," the agreement attached to the Grassley letter reads, "...I (FBI agent) also understand that, due to the nature and sensitivity of this investigation, compliance with these restrictions may be subject to verification by polygraph examination."

The measures show the extent to which the bureau has gone to keep additional details of the politically sensitive case from going public. While Comey has provided some information on why the FBI did not opt to pursue charges, Attorney General Loretta Lynch repeatedly ducked questions on specifics of the case at a House hearing Tuesday.

A recently retired FBI agent, who declined to speak on the record, citing the sensitivity of the matter, said a "Case Briefing Acknowledgement" is reserved for "the most sensitive of sensitive cases," and can have a "chilling effect" on agents, who understand "it comes from the very top and that there has to be a tight lid on the case."

The former agent said the agreements can also contribute to "group think" because investigators cannot bounce ideas off other agents, only those within a small circle.

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Grassley first wrote to the FBI Director February 4 after a Fox News report that agents were asked to sign additional non-disclosure agreements. In his response to the senator, the FBI's Assistant Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Stephen D. Kelly, said "this was not a unique circumstance" and agents "may from time to time be asked to sign similar forms."

The July letter also says that the purpose of the agreement was two-fold: "to maintain an official record of all persons knowledgeable of this highly unusual investigation, and to remind individuals of their obligations to protect classified and sensitive information." The letter states "no one refused to sign" or "raised any questions or concerns."

Comey said last week more than 100 classified emails were sent or received by Hillary Clinton, including some at the Top Secret level, which would require agents to have the necessary clearance to review and investigate. Some of the intelligence came from the U.S. government's most closely held programs, known as Special Access Programs, or SAP and included human spying.

The "Case Briefing Acknowledgement" is more evidence that the probe was always a serious criminal investigation, and never a "security review" or "security inquiry" as described by Clinton and her campaign team.

Responding one day after the FBI director said he would not recommend criminal charges, Grassley pointed to Comey's conclusions that a limited number of emails had classified markings, thousands of work related emails were not turned over by Clinton to the State Department despite a sworn declaration to a federal court and her public assurances, as well as "potential violations of the statutes regarding the handling of classified information."

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 "In light of all these inconsistencies, it is even more troubling that the non-disclosure agreement on this matter, in violation of whistleblower protection statutes," Grassley said in the strongly worded letter. "... you indicated that agents working on this case were required to sign a non-disclosure agreement that failed to exempt protected whistleblowing. Only after I wrote to you did you advise your FBI agents that they are still free to speak with Congress regarding waste, fraud, and abuse."

The "Case Briefing Acknowledgement Addendum" provided to Senator Grassley after the initial FBI response July 1 makes clear the agreement does not supersede or conflict with "communications to Congress" and "the reporting to an Inspector General of a violation, or a substantial and specific danger to public health or safety, or... any other whistleblower protection."

Grassley also noted the timing of the FBI's response five months after his original request for information on the NDAs, with a partial response July 1, and full response on July 5 2016, the same day the FBI made a public recommendation at bureau headquarters against criminal charges.

The New York Post first reported that the "Case Briefing Acknowledgement" was signed by the Clinton email agents, citing anonymous sources, but the Grassley letter is believed to be the first public acknowledgment by the FBI, and includes a sample copy of the non-disclosure agreement.

Grassley's letter is wide ranging, and beyond the non-disclosure agreements, requests a response by July 20 to questions including whether, after Bill Clinton and Lynch's June 28 meeting on a Phoenix airport tarmac, there is no need for a special counsel. He also wanted to know about the FBI's reported agreement that some questions would be off limits for Clinton's personal attorney Cheryl Mills, and whether the FBI or Justice Department raised concerns that several of Clinton's associates used the same attorneys to represent them in the investigation.

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July 26, 2016

MR. LARRY KLAYMAN
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2020 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NORTHWEST
WASHINGTON, DC 20006

FOIPA Request No.: 1354757-000
Subject: CLINTON, HILLARY RODHAM
(Use of Non-Disclosure Agreements in E-mail
Server Investigation)

Dear Mr. Klayman:

This is in reference to your letter directed to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), in which you requested expedited processing for the above-referenced Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. Pursuant to the Department of Justice (DOJ) standards permitting expedition, expedited processing can only be granted when it is determined that a FOIPA request involves one or more of the below categories.

You have requested expedited processing according to:

- ☐ 28 C.F.R. §16.5 (e)(1)(i): "Circumstances in which the lack of expedited treatment could reasonably be expected to pose an imminent threat to the life or physical safety of an individual."
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- ☐ 28 C.F.R. §16.5 (e)(1)(iv): "A matter of widespread and exceptional media interest in which there exist possible questions about the government's integrity which affect public confidence."

You have provided enough information concerning the statutory requirements permitting expedition; therefore, your request is approved.

For questions regarding our determinations, visit the www.fbi.gov/foia website under "Contact Us." The FOIPA Request number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request. Your patience is appreciated.

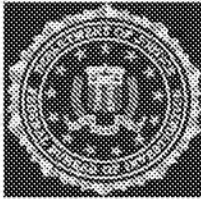
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Sincerely,



David M. Hardy
Section Chief
Record/Information
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Subject: CLINTON, HILLARY RODHAM
(Use of Non-Disclosure Agreements in E-mail
Server Investigation)

Dear Mr. Klayman:

This acknowledges receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the FBI.

- ☒ Your request has been received at FBI Headquarters for processing.
- ☐ Your request has been received at the _____ Resident Agency / _____ Field Office and forwarded to FBI Headquarters for processing.
- ☒ We are searching for information responsive to this request. We will inform you of the results in future correspondence.
- ☐ The subject of your request is currently being processed for public release. Documents will be released to you upon completion.
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- ☒ Your request for a fee waiver is being considered and you will be advised of the decision at a later date. If your fee waiver is denied, you will be charged fees in accordance with the category designated below.
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Domestic Return Receipt

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, September 06, 2016 10:36 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

Oh god, no doubt.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/06/2016 10:15 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

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But you DO need to review what CyD put together. Still not at all clear if it's accurate. I have only a partial copy. Get from Jim R.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/06/2016 9:02 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd:

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----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/06/2016 9:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

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Thanks Pete - I'll follow-up with Jim R in the AM.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/06/2016 9:00 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE:

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I haven't received any request for TPs nor have I seen any from CyD for coordination. Jon provided

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...hadn't received any request for it, so, not have seen any from CYD for coordination. So, provided comment, which I agreed with, for today's CYD sessions. They were limited and intended to keep CYD from misspeaking, not to fully inform them of our issues, which is a much larger set of information.

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----- Original message -----

From: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 09/06/2016 8:50 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

"Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"

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Subject:

Gents:

Rybicki contacted me and said he received CyD's talking points for the D on Thursday, but that he had not received CD's.

I don't recall anyone asking us to provide talking points; and

Didn't you guys weigh-in on CyD's talking points this weekend? (If you weighed-in this weekend, it may not be necessary to provide a separate set of talking points, but please let me know your thoughts.)

Thanks,
Bill

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 7:48 AM
To: Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: 9:00

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Yes

----- Original message -----

From: "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/07/2016 7:23 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]; "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: 9:00

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Good morning. Would this small group be able to get together around 9:00 this morning for about 5 minutes? We could meet in my office.

Thanks all. Jason

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 12:18 PM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI); Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI); Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI); Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI); Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Media Inquiry- House Oversight briefing?

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Hi [REDACTED] I understand the Director has spoken directly with Congressman Chaffetz on this matter; I defer to the Director's office as to what, if anything, they might want to say.

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Date: 09/07/2016 11:04 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (CTD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (WF) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: Media Inquiry- House Oversight briefing?

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We got the inquiry below and are looking for your guidance on how to respond.

From: Julian Hatter (mailto:[REDACTED])
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 10:50 AM
To: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] NPO <NPO@ic.fbi.gov>
Subject: House Oversight briefing?

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Hi

Democrats on the House Oversight Committee are claiming that the committee invited the FBI Director and other officials to a briefing regarding materials from the Hillary Clinton investigation, "but the FBI Director refused to attend."

Is that accurate? Is there a reason why the director did not attend? Did other officials from the bureau attend today's briefing?

Thanks a lot

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Julian Hattem
Staff Writer
The Hill
@jhattem


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Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 5:10 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Another quote from Assange on Hannity

Interesting

----- Original message -----

From: [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Date: 09/07/2016 3:51 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: Another quote from Assange on Hannity

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"We have thousands of examples where she herself has used a 'C' in brackets & signed it off."

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 08, 2016 2:11 PM
To: Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Fwd:

Rgr thanks

From: Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 08, 2016 1:34 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED] Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: Fwd: Fwd:

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For heads up/visibility...

Richard P. Quinn
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Media Investigative Publicity



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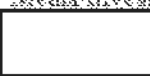
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From: "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/08/2016 1:27 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Trainor, James C. (CYD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Fwd:

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Copy/thanks Jim.

Richard P. Quinn
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Media Investigative Publicity



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From: "Trainor, James C. (CYD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/08/2016 1:25 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Fwd:

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10-4 This is in Bill's area and will defer to him.

From: Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 08, 2016 1:22 PM

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To: Trainor, James C. (CYD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Priestap, E.W. (CD) (FBI)

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Subject: Fwd:

Bill/Jim,

Just go this from Mike and [REDACTED] wanted to make you aware...

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Richard P. Quinn
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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From: "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Date: 09/08/2016 12:23 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Quinn, Richard P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject: Fwd:

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From: "Schmidt, Michael" [REDACTED]

Date: 9/8/16 11:42 AM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Kortan, Michael P. (DO) (FBI)" [REDACTED]

Subject:

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Mike: Just want to give you a heads up on something we're planning on reporting later today, and give you a chance to push back/respond. We've learned that in the course of the Clinton investigation DOJ gave immunity to Paul Combetta, the Platte River Networks employee who deleted Clinton's emails in late March 2015. Republicans on Tuesday asked DOJ to open an investigation into how the emails were deleted. The fact that Combetta was given immunity takes much of the air out of the idea that DOJ needs to investigate the deletions. Thnx, Mike

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 08, 2016 5:11 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Insider threat efforts

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/08/2016 3:48 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Insider threat efforts

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From: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 08, 2016 3:32 PM
To: Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI); Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); McNamara, Nancy (INSD) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); Bucheit, Laura A. (SECD) (FBI); Killinger, Dale R. (INSD) (FBI); Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI); Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Insider threat efforts

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Dave & Mike:

As I discussed with you both, Lisa was following through on the Director's request to me for an insider threat briefing this Friday.

After discussing with Jim R, I believe the Director can hold until likely next Wednesday (Jim - please confirm). If that is the case, I would like a pre brief from Insider Threat and all relevant stakeholders next Tuesday.

Please coordinate details with Lisa and Jim in my absence.

Thanks

Andrew G. McCabe
Deputy Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

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From: Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 3:48 PM
To: Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI); [REDACTED]; Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED]; McNamara, Nancy (INSD) (FBI); [REDACTED]; Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); [REDACTED]; Bucheit, Laura A. (SECD) (FBI); [REDACTED]; Killinger, Dale R. (INSD) (FBI)

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(INSD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
(DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]; Rybicki, James E. (DO)
(FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Insider threat efforts

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Agree,

I will discuss this with Andy. We are already moving down that road and he and I have not had time to coordinate yet since his return from New York.

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From: Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 3:46 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED] Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)
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(CD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Bucheit, Laura A. (SECD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Killinger,
Dale R. (INSD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
(DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] Rybicki, James E. (DO)
(FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Insider threat efforts

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I would suggest we need to go back to him and advise we are not ready for this/request some more time -- we have some work to do which Dave is looking at.

MICHAEL B. STEINBACH
Executive Assistant Director
National Security Branch
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, September 07, 2016 2:50 PM
To: Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI)
[REDACTED] McNamara, Nancy (INSD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Priestap, E.
W. (CD) (FBI) [REDACTED]; Bucheit, Laura A. (SECD) (FBI) [REDACTED] Killinger,
Dale R. (INSD) (FBI) [REDACTED]; Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Cc: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Drolshagen, Rainer S. (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
(DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED] Rybicki, James E. (DO)
(FBI) [REDACTED] (DO) (FBI) [REDACTED]
Subject: Insider threat efforts

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All,

The Bureau would like a joint brief on our insider threat efforts from INTC, CD, SECD and INSD to be held

The Deputy would like a joint brief on our insider threat efforts from IMC, CD, SEC and INSD, to be held early next week. Could you please identify the appropriate person to brief the role your Division plays in the Bureau's insider threat efforts? Following this briefing, the Deputy will likely request that a paper describing these efforts be produced, and a follow-on brief for the Director is expected. Happy to answer any questions that may arise. Thank you.

Lisa

Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, September 08, 2016 7:09 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Lawmakers tangle anew over Clinton's private email server - The Washington Post

Working thru staff channels. Let me know when you get it ?

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From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 09/08/2016 7:07 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED] "Herring, Jason V. (CD) (FBI)"
[REDACTED] "Moffa, Jonathan C. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)"
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Subject: Fwd: Lawmakers tangle anew over Clinton's private email server - The Washington Post

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Lawmakers tangle anew over Clinton's private email server

WASHINGTON — A House hearing Thursday on the State Department's record-keeping became a pitched battle over Hillary Clinton's private email server, with Democrats accusing Republicans of using the forum to advance a partisan agenda and undermine her candidacy for president.

Rep. Jason Chaffetz, R-Utah, opened the hearing by condemning Clinton for intentionally making a "mess" of the system for archiving and retrieving documents at State that has frustrated legitimate requests for information from Congress, the media and the public.

"Since 2009, there have been thousands of congressional inquiries, thousands of FOIA requests, subpoenas, (and) media inquiries," said Chaffetz, the chairman of the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee. "And if any of those required Secretary Clinton's federal records, i.e. her emails, there was not a way for those requests to be fulfilled."

Chaffetz noted, for example, that The Associated Press had to go to court to obtain all the detailed planning schedules from Clinton's four-year tenure as the nation's top diplomat.

Patrick Kennedy, undersecretary of state for management, told the committee the department is improving its records management but continues to struggle with the heavy volume of open-records

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requests it receives. To fulfill them, State must dig through an ever-increasing quantity of records. An estimated one billion emails flow through the department's servers annually.

"We get very complex national security document requests," he said.

Kennedy said the department is currently sorting through thousands of records it received from the FBI following its investigation of Clinton.

FBI Director James Comey in July announced the bureau's recommendation against criminal charges for Clinton and her aides following a yearlong investigation into the potential mishandling of classified information on the private email server she used.

Republicans are focusing on Clinton with a series of hearings on her email practices in the weeks leading up to the Nov. 8 election. Last year, House Majority Leader Kevin McCarthy, R-Calif., credited the House's Benghazi, Libya, investigation with wounding Clinton's public standing. That \$7 million, two-year investigation into the deadly 2012 attacks found no wrongdoing by Clinton.

Rep. Elijah Cummings of Maryland, the committee's top Democrat, argued that Clinton's actions were hardly unprecedented. Cummings underscored his argument by releasing a 2009 email exchange in which former Secretary of State Colin Powell advised Clinton on the use of personal email. The exchange occurred two days after Clinton was sworn in as secretary of state.

Powell wrote that he had "a personal computer that was hooked up to a private phone line ... so I could communicate with a wide range of friends directly without it going through the State Department servers."

He said he "even used it to do business with some foreign leaders."

Powell also told Clinton "there is a real danger" if it becomes public the secretary of state is using a smartphone or mobile electronic device, because the information on the device could become an official record and subject to the law.

Cummings said the email exchange, which he released Wednesday night, showed Powell gave Clinton "a detailed blueprint on how to skirt security rules and bypass requirements to preserve federal records," although he said Clinton has made clear that she did not rely on his advice.

Republicans rejected the comparison with Powell, saying Clinton told the FBI during its investigation that his advice had no bearing on her decision to use a private server.

"It was a very conscious choice," Chaffetz said of Clinton's decision to rely on her own server.

The State Department agreed last week to turn over all the detailed planning schedules from Clinton's time as secretary of state to the AP by mid-October. The decision came more than a year after the AP sued the State Department in federal court to obtain the material. The AP filed Freedom of Information Act requests in 2010 and 2013 for the records, but the State Department did not release the material.

Chaffetz said he was stunned that it would be so difficult to obtain what seemed to be relatively benign records. He told Kennedy he also wanted to get copies of the documents.

Kennedy described the AP's requests for the planning schedules as part of "a larger swath of six requests that we were assigned to" for the material. Further stressing an already under-manned

requests that we were engaged in for the material, further stressing an already under-resourced system.

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"That's why we are being sued," Kennedy said. "There are true resource and time and other issues that have to be dealt with here."

But the original request for Clinton's schedules filed by the AP in 2010 was not part of a larger batch of requests. In 2014, a year after the second open-records request had been submitted, the AP appealed to State to find out why there had been no response to its requests.

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