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**From:** Scheel, Ann (USAAZ)  
**To:** Burke, Dennis (USAAZ); Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ); Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ); Evans, John (USAAZ) 3  
**Sent:** 2/23/2011 10:53:03 AM  
**Subject:** RE: CONFIDENTIAL: Follow-up with Terry Family

*Grassley's hard at work*

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**From:** Burke, Dennis (USAAZ)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 23, 2011 8:51 AM  
**To:** Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ); Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ); Evans, John (USAAZ) 3; Scheel, Ann (USAAZ)  
**Subject:** RE: CONFIDENTIAL: Follow-up with Terry Family

Unbelievable.

**STEP MOTHER FEARS "COVER-UP" IN BORDER AGENT'S DEATH.** In an "exclusive" interview with [FOX News Channel](#) (2/22, 12:28 p.m. EDT), Carolyn Terry, the step mother of slain Border Patrol Agent Brian Terry, who was killed by suspected bandits in southern Arizona last December, said she fears the government is "covering up" the details surrounding her son's death. In what it called "new developments," FOX reported, "Number one, three of the four suspects arrested that night are innocent, they are being deported as just illegal immigrants. Two, the weapon used to kill agent Terry has been sourced not to Mexico but to a Phoenix gun store that was working with the federal government, yet agents did nothing to stop the sale or transfer those guns to the cartel that killed Terry. And finally, the US Senate wants answers, including a 30-page document, that details the role of the ATF in agent Terry's death."

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**From:** Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ)  
**Sent:** Friday, February 18, 2011 4:35 PM  
**To:** Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ); Evans, John (USAAZ) 3  
**Subject:** FW: CONFIDENTIAL: Follow-up with Terry Family

Tim: please check with John and you two can decide whether to have Granillo on the phone whenever Tim contacts the family in any way—that was BP is always included. Just a thought! PJC

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**From:** GRANILLO, DIEGO [mailto: ] **DHS**  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 17, 2011 4:50 PM  
**To:** Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ); Evans, John (USAAZ) 3; Figueroa, Jesse (USAAZ); Granoff, Liza (USAAZ)  
**Cc:** Cox, Shawn (USAAZ); Bartlett, S. Annette (FBI); Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ)  
**Subject:** RE: CONFIDENTIAL: Follow-up with Terry Family

Timothy,

Thank you for the updates. We appreciate your efforts and please let me know if there's anything we can do to assist you. We understand the difficult situation at hand and thank you and your office for the fine work you are doing. Please include me in all future correspondence with the family as we are committed to ensuring there is unified communication with the family.

Thanks again –

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**From:** Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ) [mailto:Timothy.Jefferson@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 17, 2011 4:31 PM  
**To:** Evans, John (USAAZ) 3; Figueroa, Jesse (USAAZ); Granoff, Liza (USAAZ)  
**Cc:** Cox, Shawn (USAAZ); **DHS**; Bartlett, S. Annette (FBI); Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ)  
**Subject:** RE: CONFIDENTIAL: Follow-up with Terry Family

I spoke to Bob Heyer on the phone today about notifications to the Terry Family. Agent Heyer doesn't believe Kelly Willis or anyone is avoiding our calls, just overwhelmed at this time. He was very grateful for the work our office and all the agencies are doing and understands what is at risk in prematurely discussing details of the ongoing investigation. He has spoken to Kent (Brian's brother) and others to ask them to be patient. He said Kelly Willis should remain primary point of contact for Brian's mom Josie and siblings Kent and Michelle. Brian's father Kent and step mom Carol will probably be notified separately due to the family dynamics.

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Thanks to everyone involved for their dedication to this case.

Tim Jefferson

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**From:** Evans, John (USAAZ) 3  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 16, 2011 2:51 PM  
**To:** Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ); Figueroa, Jesse (USAAZ); Granoff, Liza (USAAZ)  
**Cc:** Cox, Shawn (USAAZ); **DHS**; Bartlett, S. Annette (FBI); Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ)  
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Good job Tim

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**From:** Jefferson, Timothy (USAAZ)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 16, 2011 2:50 PM  
**To:** Figueroa, Jesse (USAAZ); Granoff, Liza (USAAZ); Evans, John (USAAZ) 3  
**Cc:** Cox, Shawn (USAAZ); diego.granillo@dhs.gov; Bartlett, S. Annette (FBI); Cunningham, Patrick (USAAZ)  
**Subject:** CONFIDENTIAL: Follow-up with Terry Family

I wanted to follow up with everyone involved in our attempted conference call with the Terry family yesterday. I made other attempts to reach Kelly Willis later in the day and today and have left messages, but have had no response. My assumption at this point is that the family is angry and frustrated and avoiding our calls at this time.

I have left a message with Bob Heyer, ASAC with the Secret Service in San Diego, CA. He is a cousin of Brian Terry and in touch with the family in Michigan. He has been speaking with Dennis Burke and expressed interest as being a point of contact between the family and our prosecution team. He has my work line and my cell number and I hope to be able to talk to him at some point today. I will check to see if the family is interested in doing a conference call with our office, border patrol and the FBI and if there are any other concerns we can address at this time. Please contact me at the number below or on my cell: Privacy with any questions or concerns.

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