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Stuart/Monty/Molly,		
	e DAG asked me to obtain more information ab known as "Fast and Furious" was put together.	oout the manner in which the Arizona gun
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The information	that follows was provided by Emory and Pat du	uring our call.
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A little backgrou	nd on the players may be instructive:	
	d case agent is a very experienced and skilled a trafficking cases.	gent who has had extensive experience working
		on federal gun laws. Like the case agent, Emory
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	etically that both yesterday and in my prior dealing impressive AUSA, and he seems like the kine	ngs with him, i have found him to be a very I of thoughtful AUSA you would want handling a
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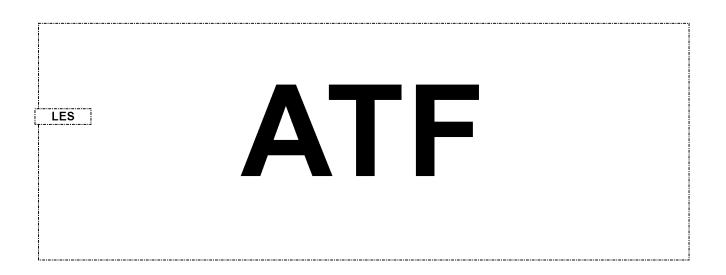
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As indicated above, this was an extraordinarily complex case, and I can give you only a higher-altitude view of it, based on the information provided by the USAO and ATF. But based on my conversation yesterday with the AUSA and Crim Chief, and based on prior conversations with Dennis Burke and with the ATF SAC, this investigation was conducted - and the decisions about when to seize guns were made - thoughtfully, carefully, and strategically.

I hope this is helpful.

Jason