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**From:** ATF  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Weich, Ron (SMO)  
**CC:** Admin. Assistant Admin. Assistant Kornegay, Zina R. (ATF); Chipman, Tara B. (ATF); Kennedy, Joseph R. (ATF); Marshall, Teresa E. (ATF)  
**Sent:** 3/18/2011 9:20:02 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Letter from Chairman Issa

Faith: Will do.

Tara/Zina: can we get the Warner letters (and any other Fast and Furious letters) that we have received over to Faith Burton in OLA (see below).

Thank you.

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**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO) [mailto:Faith.Burton@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 9:18 AM  
**To:** ATF Weich, Ron (SMO)  
**Cc:** Admin. Assistant Admin. Assistant (SMO); Kornegay, Zina R.; Chipman, Tara B.  
**Subject:** RE: Letter from Chairman Issa

I do not; please send them if you have them.

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**From:** ATF  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 9:16 AM  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Weich, Ron (SMO)  
**Cc:** Admin. Assistant Admin. Assistant; Kornegay, Zina R. (ATF); Chipman, Tara B. (ATF)  
**Subject:** RE: Letter from Chairman Issa

Do have the two Warner letters?

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**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO) [mailto:Faith.Burton@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 18, 2011 9:15 AM  
**To:** Weich, Ron (SMO); ATF  
**Cc:** Admin. Assistant Admin. Assistant  
**Subject:** RE: Letter from Chairman Issa

It doesn't change anything; we're still tracking this in OLA along with the other Gunrunner correspondence. Thanks. FB

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**From:** Weich, Ron (SMO)  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 8:41 PM  
**To:** ATF Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Cc:** Botello, Lucas (SMO)

**Subject:** RE: Letter from Chairman Issa

For some reason Exec Sec doesn't process ATF letters. I don't think it changes anything. My assistant Admin. Assistant (cc'd) can help you figure it out.

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**From:** ATF  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 3:08 PM  
**To:** Weich, Ron (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Chairman Issa  
**Importance:** High

Fyi. See chain below.

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**From:** Hickson, Ernest E.  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 1:10 PM  
**To:** ATF  
**Cc:** Gonzales, Mary (OLA) (SMO); Kornegay, Zina R.  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Chairman Issa  
**Importance:** High

Sir  
Per our pervious conversation we forwarded the attached letter to DOJ for action. Please note below the response we got back. Please address this matter for clarification.

Respectfully Submitted  
Ernest E. Hickson, COS  
Ofc: 202-648-7995  
Cel: 202-327-4445  
Fax: 202-648-9686

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**From:** Kornegay, Zina R.  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 17, 2011 11:54 AM  
**To:** Hickson, Ernest E.  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Chairman Issa  
**Importance:** High

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**From:** Admin. Assistant  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 16, 2011 5:26 PM  
**To:** Kornegay, Zina R.  
**Cc:** Wade, Jill C (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO); Weich, Ron (SMO); Admin. Assistant  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Chairman Issa  
**Importance:** High

Hi Zina  
Forwarding letter from Chmn Issa addressed to Acting Director ATF Melson for handling as DOJ ExecSec does not process congressional corres addressed to ATF. Thanks.

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**From:** Weich, Ron (SMO)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 16, 2011 4:38 PM  
**To:** **Admin. Assistant** **Admin. Assistant**  
**Cc:** Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Chairman Issa

**Admin. Assistant** please log if you haven't already. **Admin. Assistant** please add to Chart.

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**From:** **ATF**  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 16, 2011 10:34 AM  
**To:** Weich, Ron (SMO)  
**Cc:** Hoover, William J. (ATF); Gaston, Molly (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO); Wade, Jill C (SMO); Agrast, Mark D. (SMO); McDermond, James E. (ATF); Hickson, Ernest E. (ATF); Kennedy, Joseph R. (ATF); Thomasson, Scot L. (ATF)  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Chairman Issa

Ron,

See the attached letter from Chairman Issa. I assume that DOJ/OLA will take the lead on answering this. Let me know if otherwise. Thank you.

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**From:** Pinto, Ashok [mailto:Ashok.Pinto@mail.house.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 16, 2011 10:26 AM  
**To:** Melson, Kenneth E.  
**Cc:** **ATF**  
**Subject:** Letter from Chairman Issa

Dear Acting Director Melson:

Attached is a letter from Chairman Issa. Please acknowledge receipt of this message.

Sincerely,

Ashok Pinto

Ashok M. Pinto  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Committee on Oversight and Government Reform  
Darrell Issa, Chairman  
(202) 225-5074