

**From:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**To:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG); Colborn, Paul P (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**CC:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Sent:** 4/5/2011 5:39:56 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised  
**Attachments:** grassley dea 45 v3.docx

Sorry, made two additional tweaks: DP Please use this version instead.

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**From:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 1:35 PM  
**To:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

Good points. How about this?

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**From:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 1:22 PM  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

My rationale

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**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 12:44 PM  
**To:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO); Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

Just returned from a meeting at the Bureau - so sorry to be joining the discussion late,

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**From:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO)

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 12:15 PM  
**To:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

DP How about the attached revised clean version (there were too many cross-outs in the track changes version), DP

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**From:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 11:06 AM  
**To:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

How's this?

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**From:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 10:45 AM  
**To:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

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**From:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 10:35 AM  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Colborn, Paul P (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

Sorry, please use this version instead. It has one additional edit

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Thanks.

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**From:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 10:31 AM  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Colborn, Paul P (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

Here are my edits. They incorporate Paul's as well. Thanks.

Matt

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**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 10:30 AM  
**To:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO); Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

Great, thanks. We've asked for a copy of the press conference transcript and Molly will pull the press release; will advise shortly if further edits are appropriate based upon those docs. FB

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**From:** Colborn, Paul P (SMO)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 10:24 AM  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** RE: Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

My suggested edits are attached.

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**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 05, 2011 10:09 AM  
**To:** Axelrod, Matthew (ODAG); Colborn, Paul P (SMO)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** Draft response to Grassley's letter of 3/15 to DEA, revised

Enclosed is a revised draft that [DP] that were set forth in the original DEA draft; we'll ask for a copy of the press conference transcript and could, of course, [DP] [DP] but here's our current cut. We've prepared it for Ron's sig, consistent with the approach re letter to Melson. Comments welcome; we need to send a revised draft back to DEA today. Thanks. << File: grassley dea 45.docx >>