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I take it that Castor is Issa's guy and Jason is Grassley's guy. This may help bring things to a head.

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Faith and I spoke to Castor. It did not go particularly well. He said that he was surprised that we wanted to exclude Jason from the interviews and that he thought it had been understood that Jason would attend. He said that the Chairman wants to just send subpoenas and to do depositions. I pointed out to Steve that doing depos wouldn't get Jason in the room, and since that was the one issue we were discussing, subpoenas wouldn't seem to accomplish much. Steve said that the Chairman was already upset that Steve was going to allow the presence of agency counsel and preferred to do depos anyway. I asked Steve whether he would hold off serving the subpoenas until the end of the day Monday and he said he would.

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