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Subject: RE: Another hearing?

Of course, with Grassley as co-chair, he will try to steer them to F&F.

----Original Message---From: Weich, Ron (SMO)

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To: Wade, Jill C (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO); Gaston, Molly (SMO); Agrast, Mark D. (SMO)

Subject: RE: Another hearing?

We have no idea when OIG will finish its work. Faith, do you think DP

the Drug Caucus is going to hold a hearing in this area it really should be gun/drug trafficking generally, not F+F, and we should steer them in that direction.

----Original Message---From: Wade, Jill C (SMO)

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To: Weich, Ron (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO); Gaston, Molly (SMO); Agrast, Mark D. (SMO)

Subject: RE: Another hearing?

I just followed up with Drug Caucus Staff Director Eric Jacobstein about Chairman Feinstein's stated desire (on the Record) to hold a FF hearing Co-Chaired by Grassley. Eric said she might be willing to broaden the hearing to "firearms trafficking generally" rather than just FF. He said the timing will depend on the OIG Report. He asked for a sense of when the OIG Report on FF will be completed - the Caucus will time their hearing based on that release, although if the Report isn't going to be done this year they are likely to hold the hearing regardless of the Report release.

Do you guys have a sense of when the OIG Report will be released? Eric would like this information tonight if possible.

-JCW

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To: Weich, Ron (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO); Gaston, Molly (SMO)

Subject: Another hearing?

Drug Caucus Chairman Feinstein just said she's going to hold a FF hrg w Grassley. (Am at hrg)