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Hey, fyi, longer story to be posted soon will have comment from you earlier this month stating that DOJ has been cooperating with all congressional inquiries. Email me if you have more to say. I will be away from my desk for a while but am checking blackberry.

Thanks Carrie

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The Justice Department inspector general has opened an investigation into possible retaliation against a whistle-blowing agent at the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, according to two people briefed on the inquiry.

Agent ATF has said he warned supervisors about the program.

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