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From: Andrew Traver <**Andrew Traver**>
Date: July 21, 2011 12:52:15 PM EDT
To: **Joshua Pollack**
Subject: Concerns

Josh: Good afternoon. This is my personal email. My concerns about Ken Melson's visit here in two weeks are intensifying. I understand that the "all hands" meetings are being held so that he can deliver his personal version of the Fast and Furious events. There are certain to be pointed comments regarding DOJ that I would prefer not to be compelled to suffer through (or expose my personnel to, as morale is already at a nadir here). I am also concerned about engaging him directly as the nominee, as anything I say will undoubtedly find a path to the ears of the oversight committee and ultimately the media/blogosphere (and I am not confident that I will be able to restrain myself from engaging him). I could certainly use some guidance. Thanks.

Respectfully,
Andy

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"I will never quit. I persevere and thrive on adversity. When knocked down, I get back up every time. I am never out of the fight."