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To: **ATTORNEY GENERAL**; Grindler, Gary (OAG)
Sent: 9/22/2011 7:25:46 PM
Subject: Re: Fast and furious Request from GoM

Let's discuss tomorrow: can fill you in on my conversations w/ Embassy.

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To: Grindler, Gary (OAG) (JMD); Swartz, Bruce
Sent: Thu Sep 22 19:22:39 2011
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From: Grindler, Gary (OAG)
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We need to discuss this.

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Latest developments in MX. I'm going to try to set up a SVTC w/ Embassy MX City at 9 am on Mon 26 Sept to discuss implications for AG trip.

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Folks: AMB just spoke with a senior SRE official who informed him that FS Espinosa has been called to testify before the Senate here next Tuesday regarding bilat cooperation on LE. Said they expect lots of questions on Fast and Furious "for which they have no good answer." Further reported that the President's escalation of rhetoric at the Council of the Americas, the UNGA and yesterday in Los Angeles responds to the GoM's (and the President's) increasing frustration that we have been unable to give any response beyond what the AG said regarding an OIG investigation in progress. The official suggested that this was what FS Espinosa was attempting to signal when she met with D Burns.

The specific ask was for USG to give SRE something beyond the AG's and other USG officials' previous statements to wit : "If it happened it's intolerable, investigation in progress, can't say anything further."

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John Feeley

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