From: Miller Steven T

Sent: Friday, February 17, 2012 12:09 PM

To: Flax Nikole C

Subject: Re: Request for Briefing on section 501(c)(4) Application Process

Let me know if its a taxpayer I should know about. And let's discuss eo cycle time at bpr this week.

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To: Grant Joseph H; Williams Floyd L; Miller Steven T; Davis Jonathan M (Wash DC); Lerner Lois G; Urban Joseph J; Fish

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Lets coordinate schedules so that I can attend as well. Thanks

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Floyd,

We are looking in to it. We need to look at the file before heading up to the H ill. Lois will come to you with some times for next week or early the following week.

Joseph

Sent from my BlackBerry Wireless Handheld

From: Williams Floyd L

Sent: Friday, February 17, 2012 11:06 AM

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I just received a call from Kristina Moore, Senior Counsel to House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. She wants a briefing on the section 501(c)(4) determination process. This request is prompted by a concern that was brought to the attention of Rep. Jim Jordan, who is Chair of the Subcommittee on Regulatory Affairs, Stimulus, and Government Spending. The specific concern involved an organization that applied for exemption about one and one-half years ago and

only just recently heard anything about the status of it s application. When it did finally hear from us, we apparently asked some fairly detailed questions and gave the organization a short deadline to respond.

Kristina would like to understand why this should take so long and wants to know more, in general, about the determination process.

I want to be as responsive as possible here and would like to be able to get back to her next week. I think Lois and her team are probably the key people here. Can I get some times to offer her a briefing next week?