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Washington, D.C. 20535

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WASHINGTON, DC 20024

FOIPA Request No.: 1391365-000
Civil Action No.: 18-cv-154
Subject: Communications between Peter Strzok and
Lisa Page (February 1, 2015 – Present)

Dear Mr. Marshall:

The enclosed documents were reviewed under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), Title 5, United States Code, Section 552. Below you will find check boxes under the appropriate statute headings with indicate the types of exemptions asserted to protect information which is exempt from disclosure. The appropriate exemptions are noted on the enclosed pages next to redacted information. In addition, a deleted page information sheet was inserted to indicate where pages were withheld entirely and identify which exemptions were applied. The checked exemption boxes used to withhold information are further explained in the enclosed Explanation of Exemptions.

Section 552		Section 552a
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500 pages of potentially responsive records were reviewed.
40 pages are being released in whole or in part.
20 pages are being withheld in full per exemptions.
31 pages are being withheld duplicate.
26 pages are being withheld referral/consult.
383 pages were determined to be non-records/non-responsive to the FOIA request.

Below you will also find additional informational paragraphs about your request. Where applicable, check boxes are used to provide you with more information about the processing of your request. Please read each item carefully.

- Document(s) were located which originated with, or contained information concerning, other Government Agency (ies) [OGA].
- This information has been referred to the OGA(s) for review and direct response to you.

- We are consulting with another agency. The FBI will correspond with you regarding this information when the consultation is completed.
- In accordance with standard FBI practice and pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and Privacy Act exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. § 552/552a (b)(7)(E)/(j)(2)], this response neither confirms nor denies the existence of your subject's name on any watch lists.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV (2010)). This response is limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist. Enclosed for your information is a copy of the Explanation of Exemptions.

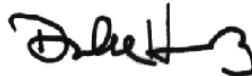
Although your request is in litigation, we are required by law to provide you the following information:

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA online portal by creating an account on the following web site: <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so that it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at 877-684-6448, or by emailing ogis@nara.gov. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing foipaquestions@fbi.gov. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

- The enclosed material is from the main investigative file(s) in which the subject(s) of your request was the focus of the investigation. Our search located additional references, in files relating to other individuals, or matters, which may or may not be about your subject(s). Our experience has shown such additional references, if identified to the same subject of the main investigative file, usually contain information similar to the information processed in the main file(s). As such, we have given priority to processing only the main investigative file(s) given our significant backlog. If you would like to receive any references to the subject(s) of your request, please submit a separate request for the reference material in writing. The references will be reviewed at a later date, as time and resources permit.
- See additional information which follows.

Sincerely,



David M. Hardy
Section Chief
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Information Management Division

Enclosure(s)

In response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, enclosed is a processed copy of Bates Stamped documents, FBI(18-cv-154)-1036 through FBI(18-cv-154)-1535. The enclosed documents represent the fourth interim release of information responsive to your request.

The FBI conducted email searches for any email communication between Peter Strzok and Lisa Page. This search located both official government records and non-record personal communications between these two individuals.

The FBI reviewed 500 pages of these emails. While conducting this review, the FBI individually analyzed the emails to determine whether they pertained to official government business constituting records under the FOIA or whether they consisted of purely personal communications between the two individuals. As a result of the FBI's review, it determined 383 pages were non-record, personal communications not subject to the FOIA; and 117 pages consisted of responsive FBI records.

As previously indicated, document(s) were located which originated with, or contained information concerning another agency (ies). We are consulting with the other agency (ies) and are awaiting their response. Our office has processed all other information currently in our possession. The FBI will correspond with you regarding those documents when the consultation is completed.

To minimize costs to both you and the FBI, duplicate copies of the same document were not processed.

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT
 (FOIA)
 DELETED PAGE INFORMATION SHEET
 FOIA Request No.: 1391365-000
 Civil Action No.: 18-cv-154**

Total Withheld Page(s) = 454

Bates Page Reference	Reason for Withholding (i.e., exemptions with coded rationale, duplicate, sealed by order of court, etc.)
FBI(18-cv-154)-1036 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1122	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1123	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1124
FBI(18-cv-154)-1125	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1126
FBI(18-cv-154)-1127 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1135	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1136 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1137	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1138 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1139
FBI(18-cv-154)-1138 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1174	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1175	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1176
FBI(18-cv-154)-1177 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1186	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1187 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1188	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1189
FBI(18-cv-154)-1190 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1192	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1194 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1196	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1197 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1199	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1219 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1222
FBI(18-cv-154)-1203 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1218	b5-1, 2; b7E-11
FBI(18-cv-154)-1223 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1255	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1260 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1262	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1256 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1259
FBI(18-cv-154)-1263 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1353	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1356 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1358	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1359 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1361
FBI(18-cv-154)-1362 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1371	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1373 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1374	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1375 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1376
FBI(18-cv-154)-1378 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1395	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1396	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1397 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1398

FBI(18-cv-154)-1399 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1432	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1433 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1436	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1437 thru FBI(18-cv-154)1438
FBI(18-cv-154)-1439 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1448	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1455 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1469	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1471 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1472	b5-1; b7E-10
FBI(18-cv-154)-1473 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1475	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1476	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1488 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1490
FBI(18-cv-154)-1477 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1478	b5-1; b7E-10
FBI(18-cv-154)-1479 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1481	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1488 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1490
FBI(18-cv-154)-1482 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1483	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1484 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1485	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1488 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1490
FBI(18-cv-154)-1486 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1487	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1491 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1497	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1498 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1501	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)-1502 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1503	Duplicate to FBI(18-cv-154)-1504 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1507
FBI(18-cv-154)-1504 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1510	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)-1511 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1512	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1513 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1515	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)-1517 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1519	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request
FBI(18-cv-154)-1520 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1527	Referral/Consult
FBI(18-cv-154)-1528 thru FBI(18-cv-154)-1529	Other - Non-records/Non-responsive to the FOIA request

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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, January 15, 2016 12:40 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: RE:

That's nice. Briefing is an area of comfort for me...

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/15/2016 10:48 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[redacted] said you did a good job (I think it was pretty much "thank god she was there and not [redacted] briefing it")

b6 -1
b7C -1

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, January 15, 2016 10:47 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

Yeah, me and [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/15/2016 10:36 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Hey my brief was pushed to 11:30 but you're going as a group, right?

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, January 15, 2016 12:53 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: RE:

Come to [redacted] office. Though we may have to wait a while...

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b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/15/2016 12:52 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Done. Lun h?.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/15/2016 12:48 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: RE:

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b7E -6

Where are you?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/15/2016 10:48 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: RE:

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[redacted] said you did a good job (I think it was pretty much "thank god she was there and not [redacted] briefing it")

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From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, January 15, 2016 10:47 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

Yeah, me and [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/15/2016 10:36 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

Hey my brief was pushed to 11:30 but you're going as a group, right?

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, January 27, 2016 6:33 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

Yeah, I'm sure he'll see it in his own.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/26/2016 6:35 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Yep he was. I sent you the last email I sent to [redacted] about my not thinking it was a good idea for me to send it to him, right?

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/26/2016 6:31 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Yeah, pretty sure there was. He was there over 9/11, that's for sure.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/26/2016 4:14 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (CD) (FBI); [redacted] (WF) (FBI)"
[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject:

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

When was Jim Baker at OIPR? Any overlap?

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:25 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Hey you hanging out on low side?

Yes please

From: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:24 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Hey you hanging out on low side?

Can I meet you on your way out and you can drop off on your way out?

From: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:08 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Hey you hanging out on low side?

Sure – though you have your haircut in a few...

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:08 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Hey you hanging out on low side?

Want me to take them? Otherwise, I have no idea.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:07 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Hey you hanging out on low side?

Cool – I have three pieces of mail for 7th floor – what's the easiest way to get them into the system there rather than waiting on Melwood mail system?

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:06 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Hey you hanging out on low side?

Yes still here

From: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 4:06 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Hey you hanging out on low side?

b6 -1
b7C -1

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 6:01 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: BOC

Please send an email to the BOC for a one week mission need pass please.

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, January 31, 2016 8:42 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)
Attachments: Safe Harbor combined document 28 January 2016 rl.pdf

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b7C -2

----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/30/2016 8:26 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted] (DO) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
(DO) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted] "Anderson, Trisha B.(OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

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b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

Folks,

Below and in a separate email I will send shortly are suggested comments and related commitments the Safe Harbor team is asking us to review. They would like our comments by TOMORROW.

Can someone please volunteer to pull together FBI comments?

Thanks.

Jim

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted]
Date: 01/30/2016 6:16 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
[redacted] "Anderson, Trisha B.(OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
(NSD) (JMD)" [redacted] (NSD) (JMD)" [redacted]
[redacted]
Subject: Re: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

HERE IT IS AS A PDF.

On Saturday, January 30, 2016 6:12 PM, "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] wrote:

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b7C -1
b7E -6

So it is not possible to read the redlines on my smartphone. If you are still at the office, can you please save the reline version as a pdf and then resend? Thanks.

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted]

Date: 01/30/2016 5:48 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [redacted]

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b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

[redacted] "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)"

[redacted] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"

[redacted] (NSD) (JMD)"

[redacted] (NSD) (JMD)" [redacted]

[redacted]

Subject: Fw: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

All -- please see below from [redacted] requesting your immediate (i.e., by tomorrow) review of the EC's proposed changes to [redacted] letter discussing US surveillance law and policy. [redacted] will be in transit back to DC tomorrow and I think will land around 3 or so. Please reply to all. Many thanks.

b6 -2
b7C -2

Regards,

[redacted]

On Saturday, January 30, 2016 5:21 PM, [redacted] wrote:

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b7C -2
b7E -6

Team -

This requires essentially immediate clearance, given the time frame. [redacted] can you please send to CIA and FBI and make sure that NSA has it (I think I included them but am not sure it went through). [redacted] please provide to others in DOJ as appropriate.

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b7C -2

Attached is a redline version of changes to the IC letter. We had several hours of discussion about this with the EC team today. In my view, the changes in this document are all acceptable, or could be acceptable with slight modifications. Many of the changes they proposed were intended to soften the presentation (e.g. eliminating explicit references to the [redacted] [redacted] and while I like the original phrases I don't think they are necessary.

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b7C -2
b7E -4, 11

Others are a bit more substantive but I think are acceptable; a couple are questionable. Please review closely, and [redacted] and [redacted] note some questions that need answers.

There is one more issue [redacted] is continuing to push on the issue of collection from transatlantic cables. He and his lawyers, as well as [redacted] who is the political representative here and the most reasonable, believe that they need some sort of metrics that they can point to. [redacted]

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b7C -2
b7E -11

b7E -11

[Redacted]

[Redacted] has proposed that as part of the annual review [Redacted]

b5 -1
b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -11

[Redacted]

I told [Redacted]

b5 -1
b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -11

[Redacted]

Thanks in advance. I will be in flight landing around 3 PM. Please collect comments and circulate to this distro asap.

[Redacted]

b6 -2
b7C -2

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Sunday, January 31, 2016 9:02 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

b6 -2
b7C -2

What do you want me to do?!

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/31/2016 8:53 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

AND GODDAMMIT GIVEN EVERYTHING GOING ON WHY IS [redacted] USING A YAHOO! ACCOUNT FOR THIS?
(Actually, apparently a Yahoo! account from [redacted] iPad")

b6 -2
b7C -2

Make him stop!!!!!!

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/31/2016 8:42 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (WF) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

The latest. Will send the document as well. We have to respond by noon. Of course I offered to collect comments.

----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 01/30/2016 8:27 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted] (DO) (FBI)"

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

[redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
[redacted] (DO) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
[redacted] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
[redacted] (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

NSA comments below.

...

----- Original message -----

----- Original message -----

From: "Gerstell, Glenn S" [redacted]

Date: 01/30/2016 8:14 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [redacted]

"Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)"

Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"

(NSD) (JMD)"

(NSD) (JMD)"

Subject: Re: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] iPad)

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

At the risk of duplication for some of you, since there seem to be two email chains, here's the text of our response just sent to [redacted] original email below:

b6 -2
b7C -2

The NSA team has reviewed the email from [redacted] below and the attached Summary of information and has the following comments:

b6 -2
b7C -2

1. [redacted]

2. [redacted]

3. [redacted]

b5 -1
b7E -11

[redacted]

[redacted]

4. [redacted]

[redacted]

We appreciate everyone's efforts here. Thanks.

Glenn

GLENN S. GERSTELL
NSA General Counsel

From: [redacted]
Sent: Saturday, January 30, 2016 05:48 PM
To: [redacted]
James.baker@ic.fbi.gov; Trisha.anderson@ic.fbi.gov
Gerstell, Glenn S; [redacted]
Subject: Fw: Revised IC Safe Harbor Letter (from [redacted] using [redacted] Pad)

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -6

All -- please see below from [redacted] requesting your immediate (i.e., by tomorrow) review of the EC's proposed changes to [redacted] letter discussing US surveillance law and policy. [redacted] will be in transit back to DC tomorrow and I think will land around 3 or so. Please reply to all. Many thanks.

b6 -2
b7C -2

Regards,

On Saturday, January 30, 2016 5:21 PM, [redacted] wrote:

b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -6

Team -

This requires essentially immediate clearance, given the time frame [redacted] can you please send to CIA and FBI, and make sure that NSA has it (I think I included them but am not sure it went through). [redacted] please provide to others in DOJ as appropriate.

b6 -2
b7C -2

Attached is a redline version of changes to the IC letter. We had several hours of discussion about this with the EC team today. In my view, the changes in this document are all acceptable, or could be acceptable with slight modifications. Many of the changes they proposed were intended to soften the presentation (e.g. eliminating explicit references to the [redacted]

b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -4, 11

[redacted] and while I like the original phrases I don't think they are necessary. Others are a bit more substantive but I think are acceptable; a couple are questionable. Please review closely, and [redacted] and [redacted] note some questions that need answers.

There is one more issue [redacted] is continuing to push on the issue of collection from transatlantic cables. He and his lawyers, as well as [redacted] who is the political representative here and the most reasonable, believe that they need some sort of metrics that they can point to [redacted]

b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -11

[redacted] has proposed that as part of the annual review [redacted]

b5 -1
b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -11

[Redacted]

b5 -1
b7E -11

I told

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

b5 -1
b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -11

Thanks in advance. I will be in flight landing around 3 PM. Please collect comments and circulate to this distro asap.

[Redacted]

b6 -2
b7C -2

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, February 05, 2016 8:27 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Personnel for [redacted]

b7E -3

Aww, it's so cute that you think this is the first time you've been wrong. No reason to disrupt the fantasy now; the sad truth of reality will come crushing down soon enough. I'll take care of the paperwork for Andy, if you would be so kind as to send it to me?

Jim, off the top of your head, are the other compartments that Andy or I should seek now, while the getting's good?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/05/2016 8:02 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Rybicki, James E. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: FW: Personnel for [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -3, 6

Lisa -- you were right, I was wrong (first time for everything), you're good. Andy, however needs [redacted] [redacted] as does Bill P). I will take care of Bill -- would you or someone on DD staff handle paperwork for Andy? Looking to get a bulk read-in done next week; to the extent Andy wants to join, I will let you know the time. I suspect, he (/you) may need other compartments as well, so it might make sense to do his separately en masse (that's French for "all at once"...I'm not just a leader, I'm an educator).

b7E -3

From: [redacted] (JMD) [redacted]
Sent: Friday, February 05, 2016 7:55 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Cc: SSC (JMD) [redacted] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: FW: Personnel for [redacted]

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1
b7E -3

Thank you, Pete!

This is much better. I emailed the same report I'm working from to [redacted] minutes ago.

b6 -1
b7C -1

Glad you asked. Please see below.

[Redacted]

Security Specialist

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Special Security Center

Office of Information Safeguards and Oversight

RFK, Main Justice Building

950 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Room 6222, Elev. Bank 5

Washington, D.C. 20530-0001

Phone: [Redacted]

Unclassified Fax: 202-616-1416

Secure Phone/Fax: [Redacted]

b6 -2
b7C -2

b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -6

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI) [Redacted]
Sent: Friday, February 05, 2016 6:46 AM
To: [Redacted] (JMD)
Subject: RE: Personnel fo [Redacted]

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -3, 6

Dir Comey [Redacted]

Jim Rybicki [Redacted]

James Baker [Redacted]

Trisha Anderson [Redacted]

Andrew McCabe [Redacted]

Lisa Page [Redacted]

Mike Steinbach [Redacted]

Bill Priestap [Redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -3

Thanks,

Pete

----- Original message -----
From: [Redacted] (JMD) [Redacted]
Date: 02/05/2016 09:18:18 AM

b6 -2
b7C -2

Date: 02/03/2016 6:43 AM (GMT-07:00)

To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]

Cc: "SSC (JMD)" [redacted]

Subject: RE: Personnel for [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -3, 6

Good morning, Pete:

I ran a [redacted] report and it's 52 pages. It looks like 40 have [redacted]. Can you be more specific on a list of names? I'll scan this over to [redacted] so she can help you out, too.

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -3

Thanks,

[redacted]
Security Specialist

b6 -2
b7C -2

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b6 -2
b7C -2
b7E -6

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI) [redacted]

Sent: Thursday, February 04, 2016 6:34 PM

To: [redacted] (JMD)

Subject: RE: Personnel for [redacted]

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2
b7E -3

Hi [redacted] Good news re below request, the five of us who were out of scope for polygraphs have now had those done and [redacted] will (hopefully) soon be sending you read-in requests.

b6 -1, 2
b7C -1, 2

A question for you: would you be able to tell me who at the FBI has all [redacted] We need to identify if people higher in the chain of command require read-ins as well. Feel free to call if you need more information or easier to discuss.

b7E -3

Thanks,

Pete

Peter P. Strzak II

Section Chief

CD4, Counterespionage, FBIHQ



b6 -1
b7C -1

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2016 9:21 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Laufman call

Can you call me?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 9:19 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (DO) (FBI) [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

OK thanks, OK for me to relay to Bill, correct? Need to figure out how to interact with DOJ on this especially as it moves up their chain. As noted below, Laufman was dead set on 4-3 and need to decide the answer soon.

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (DO) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 8:48 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Pete,

I talked to Andy after you and I talked tonight. I told him there may be some facts that weren't presented to him that counsel in favor of 3x3. I told him my recommendation to you was to have the AD present those facts to him tomorrow morning to get a final decision. He agreed with the recommendation and is open to changing his mind if the facts support it.

[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 8:34 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] (DO) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Fysa, I'm sure Bill will run it up thru [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 8:32 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Jones, Robert A. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

David called and emailed me a couple of times this evening and we just connected; he was calling to advise that he had thought and discussed the interview, felt strongly about DoJ bringing four attorneys (David + 3), and that he was going to raise it up his chain. I told him I thought that was going to be necessary because the DD had indicated the group should be 2-2. I noted you had advocated for 3-3 based on discussion with him, but that the DD was firm.

He said he would advise his management. I anticipate this will get to George and Carlin tonight, not sure when it will hit ODAG.

My request is we get a final decision as soon as possible as it impacts interview prep.

Thanks,
Pete

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, February 25, 2016 9:00 AM
To: [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1

Sigh.

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (DO) (FBI) [redacted]
Date: 02/25/2016 8:59 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Andy just told Bill that he wants 3x3. Pete plus two case agents.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, February 25, 2016 8:03 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (DO) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1

I think that could be Lisa's new nickname...can we get baseball caps made, a la Donald Trump?

(sorry for the delayed response. I'm old. Generally fall asleep after my 9:30 glass of Metamucil.)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2016 10:09 PM
To: [redacted] (DO) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1

0.0%!

----- Original message -----

From: [redacted] (DO) (FBI) [redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 10:05 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Sounds good. What are the odds we've actually heard the last of this topic?

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 10:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (DO) (FBI) [redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

[Redacted]
Subject RE: Laufman call

Discussed at length with Bill. Apparently George called Andy, and Andy was firm on 2-2.

I told Bill our position has always been 2-2 is ideal, and that 3-3 was an effort to meet DoJ part way in their assertion they needed 5 attorneys there (which Bill relayed to him earlier). In the end, the DD has drawn a line and we fall in behind him.

----- Original message -----

From: [Redacted] (DO) (FBI) [Redacted]
Date: 02/24/2016 9:29 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [Redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[Redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Please do relay to Bill if there's any interest in moving off 2x2. Andy will want to be presented with the new facts so he can make a decision ASAP. However, I understand the silent party on this thread may have talked some sense into you about moving off 3x3. From Andy's perspective, it's easier to defend a team of 4 vs 7 than a team of 6 vs 7.

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Date: 02/24/2016 9:19 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [Redacted] (FBI) [Redacted] "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)"
[Redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

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b7C -1
b7E -6

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[Redacted]
Subject: RE: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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[Redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

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To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] (DO) (FBI)"
[redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Fysa, I'm sure Bill will run it up thru [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

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Date: 02/24/2016 8:32 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Cc: "Jones, Robert A. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Laufman call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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Thanks,
Pete

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 12:54 PM
To: [redacted] (CYD) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Schedule Change

b6 -1
b7C -1

Let's keep the 4:30. He has another meeting that starts at 4:30, so I don't expect the Cyber one to run too late. (Plus, I'll be in that one too, so either way, it can't start without us!) That work?

From: [redacted] (CYD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 12:08 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Schedule Change

b6 -1
b7C -1

Looks like I'm getting pulled into today's 4pm with the DD. I should be out by 5pm. Can we push today's chat back 30min? If not, can you swing earlier in the afternoon?

Let me know – and sorry for the last minute change!

[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

[redacted]
Special Advisor for Policy
FBI Cyber Division
[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 9:27 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

I totally get it. I completely hate this about our organization, but it is what it is. Np.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:26 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Sorry. I'm just in a different position.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:24 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Okay.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:23 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

I can't. This isn't life or death and I need to give the chain of command a few minutes to work.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:21 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Just call him.

[redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:18 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

TO: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FOI) [redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Fyi below, couldn't reach Bill. Bill will probably call me back later.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:17 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Jim, if you have not yet called Beth back, please hold off until Bill can get some information to you.
Thanks,
Pete

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 9:44 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

Cool. Think this is the right call.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:31 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Fwd: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

----- Original message -----

From: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 02/29/2016 9:28 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

Copy. Have not called.

----- Original message -----

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Date: 02/29/2016 9:17 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Wilkinson call

b6 -1
b7C -1
b7E -6

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Thanks,
Pete

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 11:30 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Following up

He's not calling. Don't worry about it.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 11:29 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Following up

Talking to DOJ, they (Toscas and CES) have strong opinions about it. Call me

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 11:10 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: FW: Following up

FYSA

From: Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 10:08 AM
To: McCabe, Andrew G. (DO) (FBI); Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: Steinbach, Michael B. (DO) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI);
Subject: FW: Following up

b6 -1
b7c -1

Andy:

Do you want to try to do this today?

Jim

From: Beth Wilkinson [<mailto:bwilkinson@wilkinsonwalsh.com>]
Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 9:55 AM
To: Baker, James A. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Following up

Any chance we can schedule the meeting we discussed? I actually came back to DC for 24 hours and I could meet today if it's doable on your side. Sorry for the last minute notice.

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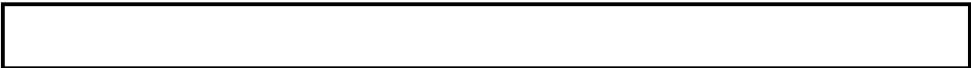


----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/15/2016 8:01 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: RE:

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I don't think he stayed behind, but maybe. He does almost always brief CD matters separately.



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From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2016 8:00 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE:

Sigh. Yes. Complaint for arrest warrant signed yesterday. 4x 1001. Approach and mirandize tomorrow late. If he asks for atty, arrested and to jail before IA on Thurs am. If he cooperates, likely to get arrested later, but potentially more softly with atty. Tell me it has to be [redacted] told him outside of big group. Because, well, I think DD should know...

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All that better than the idea of the joint press release someone in NY thought they should do on the fly.

And I'm really sorry about your still being there.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/15/2016 7:53 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]

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Subject: RE: [redacted]

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Did not brief arrest to my knowledge.

And yes.

----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/15/2016 7:49 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE:

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Thanks. Stopping nyo and Sdny from doing something astoundingly ill advised.

Related, [redacted] briefed Andy we're likely arresting tomorrow?

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And you're still there, aren't you? 😕

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/15/2016 7:44 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE:

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/15/2016 7:43 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject:

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Hey [redacted] is still in prc, right?

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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Subject: Accepted: Discuss reporting

Start: Thursday, March 17, 2016 3:15 PM

End: Thursday, March 17, 2016 4:00 PM

Recurrence: (none)

Meeting Status: Accepted

Organizer: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

Required Attendees: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)

When: Mar 17, 2016 3:15:00 PM

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, March 17, 2016 4:49 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: 11 in Bills office tomorrow

Np.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Thursday, March 17, 2016 4:48 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI); [REDACTED] (CD) (FBI)
Subject: 11 in Bills office tomorrow

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can you get your guy (who will be the briefer) there?

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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2016 2:35 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Chairman Grassley correspondence re Clinton email

Call me

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2016 2:26 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: Chairman Grassley correspondence re Clinton email

I'll bet you a beer...☺

----- Original message -----

From: "Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/18/2016 2:07 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] "Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)"
Cc: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted] "Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: RE: Chairman Grassley correspondence re Clinton email

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Just checking in on this -- are we still on track to see a draft today?

Beth Beers
FBI Office of Congressional Affairs

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From: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, March 16, 2016 3:20 PM
To: Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI); Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Chairman Grassley correspondence re Clinton email

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Beth- With regard to your second item, we are reworking the draft. We anticipate having you something NLT Friday. In the meantime, please let me know if you have any availability tomorrow to discuss some related points.

Thanks,

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From: Beers, Elizabeth R. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2016 1:43 PM
To: Priestap, E W. (CD) (FBI); Anderson, Trisha B. (OGC) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] (DO) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI); [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)

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Subject: Chairman Grassley correspondence re Clinton email

All – please see attached and two requests – DOJ is asking us to clear the draft response to an incoming to the AG re reports of immunity for Pagliano. Please let me know if you've got any concerns. From OCA's perspective, this approach is consistent with the position taken in similar situations in the past. Secondly, we need the status of the FBI's draft response to the letter to the FBI concerning the non-disclosure issue (incoming attached). My understanding is that a response has been drafted and is being reviewed, but it hasn't made it to OCA yet – please update and let me know how we can assist.

Thanks,

Beth Beers
FBI Office of Congressional Affairs



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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2016 3:32 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: when you call Jim

I would make sure you tell him that you're calling to talk to him about the Touhy meeting.

Lisa C. Page
Counsel to the Deputy Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation



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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2016 5:07 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Give me a call re contacting Jim

Who is they? Just tried calling your desk.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2016 4:44 PM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: Give me a call re contacting Jim

Stopped by, they said to email him and so I did on unet.

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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Tuesday, March 22, 2016 8:33 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: Fwd: AG guidelines follow-up [redacted]
Attachments: AG guidelines follow-up [redacted].docx

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See attached. These are three current rules we just negotiated re sensitive circumstances. [redacted]

[redacted]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Gauhar, Tashina (ODAG)" [redacted]
Date: 03/22/2016 6:56 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: AG guidelines follow-up [redacted]

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Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2016 9:52 AM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

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Sure. Call my desk.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2016 9:50 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

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Just telling you what I think. If this is where we're forced by doj and it's realistically the best we can hope for, then so be it. Call in 3?

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 03/23/2016 9:47 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

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I'm not going to engage in a cranky back and forth over email. Call me if you want.

From: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2016 9:39 AM
To: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [REDACTED]
Date: 03/23/2016 6:01 AM (GMT-05:00)

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To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: [redacted]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/23/2016 4:28 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: [redacted]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/23/2016 12:31 AM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: [redacted]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/22/2016 10:36 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject RE: [redacted]

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Wait a minute [redacted]
[redacted]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/22/2016 10:15 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" [redacted]
Subject: Fwd [redacted]

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This is the latest. Let me know what you think as well.

----- Original message -----

From: "Johnson, Kristi K. (DO) (FBI)" [redacted]
Date: 03/22/2016 2:09 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" [redacted] (OGC) (FBI)"
Subject [redacted]

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Hi Ladies,

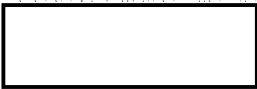
Take a look and let me know what you think. It is growing! Kristi

Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)

From: Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2016 5:24 PM
To: Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)
Subject: WP

WP doctrine may be asserted by both the client and the atty. But the attorney's mental impressions, conclusions, opinions, and legal theories may be protected to avoid an invasion of the attorney's necessary privacy in his work. But when the interests of the client and the attorney clash, it is the client's interests that will prevail. (Obviously, there's more nuance here, but you get the drift).

Lisa C. Page
Counsel to the Deputy Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation



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