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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)**
Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 9:54 PM
Subject: Re: Deputy GS 15
To: Creighton, Kelly M (OPA) <kelly.m.creighton@usdoj.gov>

Thank you!! Very helpful:)

On Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 9:20 PM -0500, "Creighton, Kelly M (OPA)" <Kelly.M.Creighton@usdoj.gov> wrote:

You are correct that the political deputy is a GS-15. Setting the step of the incumbent's grade depends on his/her current salary. There are guidelines (admittedly I do not know what they are) that need to be followed by Executive Resources when setting pay. A GS-15 currently ranges from \$131,767 to \$161,900 if that helps at all.

> On Feb 7, 2017, at 18:03, Sarah Isgur Flores wrote:

>>> Do you happen to know what level GS15 the political deputy is at? Hoping to hire this really good guy but he wants to know the salary!

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 12:02 PM
Subject: Ah I missed you again!
To: Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <mary.blanche.hankey@usdoj.gov>

Sandy had just walked in and wanted to talk. So sorry!!

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 12:18 PM
Subject: Re: Setup
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

I'll ask that they make that change so we're all set for 3pm.

On Feb 8, 2017, at 12:09 PM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

For this message, I agree with flag on either side and no bookshelf.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 12:04 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: FW: Setup

What do you think? I kind of like flag on either side and no bookshelf?

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 11:37 AM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI re the set up for the video shoot today.

Also, I've been invited to a walk-through at 1:30 with event staff to discuss the AG

arrival tomorrow. Would be great if you were able to be here for that.

-Peter

-----Original Message-----

From: McGowan, Ashley L. (OPA)

Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 11:16 AM

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: Setup

Here's the current setup -- this is a picture of the camera's view finder. Is it ok? Other options include: flag on either slide with no bookcase or DOJ seal over the left shoulder instead of the bookcase. Or, no desk at all. Multimedia is looking for a blotter to remove the reflection.

It would be great to have a decision on any changes by 12/1230 so changes to lighting, etc can also be adjusted.

If you need anything else please let me know.

Thanks,

Ashley

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)**
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 10:41 AM
Subject: Fwd: His video today
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

JBS rewrote his video message--here's his final for the teleprompter.

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 2:22 PM
Subject: Re: speechwriter for OPA
To: Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <Mary.Blanche.Hankey@usdoj.gov>

yes--thank you!

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 2:03 PM, Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <Mary.Blanche.Hankey@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Thanks. It looks like currently there is a Chief Speechwriter and then a Speechwriter, both of which are schedule Cs. Based on your message, I assume (b) (6) would fill the general speechwriter slot?

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Wednesday, February 8, 2017 1:55 PM
To: Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <mary.blanche.hankey@usdoj.gov>
Subject: speechwriter for OPA

In the current set up, there are two speechwriting roles with different salaries. I think for now this person would be at the (b) (6) salary level.

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 3:00 PM
Subject: Re: Three quick questions re tomorrow
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

1. Sounds good.
2. What did Jody decide on people welcoming him?
3. Agree. I'm fine w you letting your core guys know about the swearing in timing (although it keeps moving) and the law enforcement thing, assuming Jody is fine w that as well.

From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, February 8, 2017 2:08 PM
Subject: Three quick questions re tomorrow
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sarah,

I wanted to run three quick things by you regarding tomorrow:

- 1) We currently have a DOJ photographer ready to take photos of JBS's arrival, both on the 1st floor and the 5th floor. The current plan is for the photographer to stay with the AG and get some other shots of his first day, which we can use for historical purposes and also to create a photo page on the website like the following: [https://www.iustice.gov/opa/gallery/attorney-general-loretta-e-lynnch-](https://www.iustice.gov/opa/gallery/attorney-general-loretta-e-lynnch)

[swearing-in](#). Wanted to get your input before clearing it with Jody Hunt.

2) Evan Perez at CNN reached out last night about having a TV camera to record the AG's arrival. Right now, we have a pool still photographer for his arrival and the law enforcement meeting. We could easily add a pool TV to that, if we'd like to have the video. Otherwise, I can get back to Evan (and others who I expect will ask) saying that we're limiting it to stills. Note that for Lynch, we did both.

3) We should discuss how and when we'd like to let our beat reporters know of the AG's schedule for his first day. I think we should at least give them a heads up about the timing/location of the swearing in, his arrival and the law enforcement meeting given there will be pool media at each.

Thx,

Peter

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
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Subject: Re: Deputy for OPA
To: Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <mary.blanche.hankey@usdoj.gov>

Correct!

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 4:23 PM -0500, "Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG)" <Mary.Blanche.Hankey@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Ok, thanks. Just to confirm, this is for your Principal Deputy Director?

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Wednesday, February 8, 2017 3:54 PM
To: Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <mary.blanche.hankey@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Deputy for OPA

Ian Prior

(b) (6): Ian Prior personal email address

JBS signed off in the last hour--so he's good (b) (5)

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 4:54 PM

Subject: Re: AG Sessions First Day_advisory

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Yes, that makes sense. Thx for the quick review.

On Feb 8, 2017, at 4:40 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)> wrote:

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[REDACTED]

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 4:36 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Here is the draft advisory. (b) (5)

[REDACTED] So date may change to tomorrow. Let me know if you have any edits/concerns.

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[REDACTED]

Thx,

Peter

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 7:25 PM
Subject: Re: 60 Minutes
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Got it, thx.

On Feb 8, 2017, at 6:59 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Yeah or just say we aren't accepting any interviews at the moment. But we can discuss down the road.

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 6:58 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI, I plan to decline but let them know we will keep their interest in mind. Ok?

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Marz, Jennifer" <MarzJ@cbsnews.com>
Date: February 8, 2017 at 6:37:46 PM EST
To: "peter.carr@usdoj.gov" <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: 60 Minutes

Hi Peter,

My name is Jenny Marz and I'm a producer with 60 Minutes. I'm writing to express our interest in interviewing Senator Sessions if he is confirmed tonight. My colleague, Katherine Davis, has worked with Rod Rosenstein in the past and we'd be interested in talking to both of them in a wide-ranging first interview for 60 Minutes. Please let me know if there is a time we could talk by phone.

Thanks very much.

Best,

Jenny

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Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 7:54 PM
Subject: RE: Sessions plans for DOJ
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Got it, thanks.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 7:50 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Sessions plans for DOJ

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From: "**Todd Ruger**" <ToddRuger@cqrollcall.com>
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 7:23 PM -0500
Subject: Re: Sessions plans for DOJ
To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" <(b) (6)>
Cc: "Keith Appell" <kappell@crccpublicrelations.com>

Thanks - any way you can make sure I'm on Peter Carr's list? I know there are one or two press lists

Thanks... any way you can make sure I'm on Peter Call's list? I know there are one or two press lists I'm not on over there.

Todd Ruger

CQ Roll Call

Legal Affairs Staff Writer

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On Feb 8, 2017, at 6:56 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Sorry and the swearing in will be open to the pool.

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 6:40 PM -0500, "Todd Ruger" <ToddRuger@cqrollcall.com> wrote:

Keith and Sarah,

Will Sessions have a statement tonight? Will he go directly to the White House to be sworn in? Will he address the DOJ tomorrow or soon? And is that open to reporters?

Thanks.

Todd Ruger

CQ Roll Call

Legal Affairs Staff Writer

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On Feb 7, 2017, at 10:33 AM, Keith Appell <kappell@CRCPublicRelations.com> wrote:

Todd – Off the record: Fully understand, you have to ask and everyone else is too. Please know we're telling everyone the same thing. Al ... most ... there.

Keith

From: Todd Ruger [<mailto:ToddRuger@cqrollcall.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 7, 2017 10:31 AM
To: Keith Appell <kappell@CRCPublicRelations.com> (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email
Subject: Re: Sessions plans for DOJ

All right, sounds good, thanks. I have to reach out!

Todd

From: Keith Appell
Date: Tuesday, February 7, 2017 at 10:27 AM
To: Work, (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email
Subject: RE: Sessions plans for DOJ

Todd – Off the record: As has been our practice all along with all media we’re not getting ahead of his confirmation. Once he’s been confirmed sworn in, the route to take will be the DOJ’s Office of Public Affairs. I think I know who will head up that office and once I’ve been officially told who that is I’ll be happy to give you their name and contact info.

Keith

From: Todd Ruger [<mailto:ToddRuger@cqrollcall.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 7, 2017 10:19 AM
To: Keith Appell <kappell@CRCPublicRelations.com> (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email
Subject: Sessions plans for DOJ

Hi Keith and Sarah,

I’m doing some reporting ahead of Sen. Sessions’ expected confirmation later this week and had some policy questions I’m hoping you could answer for me:

What immediate actions does Sen. Sessions plan to take once he is sworn in?

What short term goals does he have for the agency (for example, boosting the budget of a certain division)?

What long term goals does he have for the agency (such as prosecuting voter fraud)?

What challenges will he face (for instance there hasn't been a solicitor general nominated yet and the top three DOJ posts have yet to have hearings)?

What is his reaction to President Trump's tweets about the case from Washington about the travel restrictions, the judge there and the role of courts?

Does he think he will have to rein in the president's tweets about these issues?

I'm going to have the story ready to go for the confirmation vote, so I'd like to hear back from you today or as soon as possible. Thanks!

Todd Ruger

Legal Affairs Staff Writer, CQ Roll Call

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 10:52 AM
Subject: Re: Livestream of swearing in
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

great!

On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 10:29 AM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

The WH just let us know that the swearing in will be livestreamed at [YouTube.com/whitehouse](https://www.youtube.com/whitehouse).

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 5:17 PM

Subject: RE: Bloomberg BNA Press Request - AG Sessions - Privacy, Surveillance, Encryption

To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Got it.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores [(b) (6)]

Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 4:54 PM

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Bloomberg BNA Press Request - AG Sessions - Privacy, Surveillance, Encryption

Do you mind taking this one?

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From: "Luff, Sandy (Sessions)" (b) (6)

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 4:50 PM -0500

Subject: Fwd: Bloomberg BNA Press Request - AG Sessions - Privacy, Surveillance, Encryption

To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email "Cutrona, Danielle (Judiciary-Rep)"

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FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Stoller, Dan" <dStoller@bna.com>

Date: February 9, 2017 at 4:48:21 PM EST

To: (b)(6): McLaurie Klinger Senate email

Cc: (b)(6): Kate Hollis Senate email

(b)(6): Sandra Luff Senate email

Subject: Bloomberg BNA Press Request - AG Sessions - Privacy, Surveillance, Encryption

Hi McLaurine,

First off, congratulations on AG Sessions for getting confirmed. I'm Dan Stoller, Senior Legal Editor, with Bloomberg BNA Privacy & Security News. I am doing some research into AG Sessions' exemplary record on law enforcement access to encrypted data, domestic and international surveillance, and privacy issues.

Would AG Sessions be willing to discuss these topics? If so, I can hop on for a chat or I can provide questions for your to peruse and reply to.

The story won't be running until next week so let's aim for a Monday 5pm deadline. I'm based out of Washington so I'd like to offer a taped video interview as well. We can schedule for a later time in March or at AG Sessions' convenience. Let me know how you'd like to proceed.

I'm also happy to speak on background on the encryption, surveillance and privacy questions.

Best,
Dan

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:02 PM
Subject: Re: LE comp meeting readout
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

I'm in your office:)

On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 5:59 PM -0500, "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6) wrote:

Coming down shortly!


On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 5:51 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

If you get a moment, let me know some bullets and I'll flesh out a brief readout of the LE meeting.

Here's the current draft for that section:

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From: **McGowan, Ashley L. (OPA)** <Ashley.L.McGowan@usdoj.gov>
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:28 PM
Subject: RE: HIDTA speech for JBS review
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Electronic copy in case you need it.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 6:18 PM
To: ashley.l.mcgowan@usdoj.gov
Subject: Fwd: HIDTA speech for JBS review

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From: "**Sarah Isgur Flores**" (b) (6)
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 2:13 PM -0500
Subject: Fwd: HIDTA speech for JBS review
To: <(b)(6): Andrew Hudson personal email>

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From: "**Sarah Isgur Flores**" (b) (6) >
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 1:51 PM -0500
Subject: Fwd: HIDTA speech for JBS review
To: "Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD)" <Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov>

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From: "**Sarah Isgur Flores**" (b) (6) >
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 1:44 PM -0500
Subject: Fwd: HIDTA speech for JBS review
To: <toni.williams2@usdoj.gov>

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From: "**Sarah Isgur Flores**" (b) (6) >
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Subject: Fwd: HIDTA speech for JBS review
To: "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

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From: "**Sean Kennedy**" (b) (6) >
Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 12:40 PM -0500
Subject: HIDTA speech for JBS review
To: (b) (6): Danielle Cutrona personal email "Sarah Isgur Flores"
<(b) (6)>, "Hudson, Drew (Judiciary-Rep)" (b) (6)

Sarah, Danielle and Drew:

I tinkered with the text a bit but it was overall very good already. I inserted some citations and made corresponding changes to text to update statistical claims.

two things:

1) Name of introducer and any VIPs JBS should thank needed for top....

2) Pronunciation of HIDTA? (HIDE-Tah?) needed

I also attached some background information for JBS on HIDTA as a PDF for easy printing.

I spaced it and put it in 14 font as well.

Thanks and I am open to a heavier edit if you see it as necessary.

Cheers,

Sean

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From: **Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD)** <Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov>

Date: Fri, Feb 3, 2017 at 9:14 AM

Subject: RE: White House Correspondents Dinner

To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Thank you.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sent: Thursday, February 02, 2017 5:58 PM

To: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <RRosenstein@usa.doj.gov>

Subject: Re: White House Correspondents Dinner

Sounds good. The date is April 29th--so you can tentatively mark it.

On Thu, Feb 2, 2017 at 4:57 PM, Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Yes, if our Public Affairs and Ethics officials approve.

On Feb 2, 2017, at 1:15 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6) wrote:

This is clearly the most important email you will get today. But you have received an invitation from the LA Times to attend the WHCD in April. Not sure if you've been before or if you have interest, but I want to pass along and we can discuss at some point in the next week or so.

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From: **Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD)** <Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov>
Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 6:18 PM
Subject: RE: Deputy
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

OK with me.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)]
Sent: Tuesday, February 07, 2017 6:06 PM
To: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <RRosenstein@usa.doi.gov>
Subject: Deputy

The guy I want for deputy just got offered comms director (b) (6) He'd rather be with us but doesn't want to turn down the job if he doesn't have a sure thing.

Rachel is good w him, but obviously want your sign off as well. I'm also happy to give you his cell phone if you just want to do a phone interview.

Thanks!

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >
Date: Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 12:07 PM
Subject: Re: Boys & Girls Clubs of America
To: Manus Cooney <cooney@acg-consultants.com>
Cc: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov>

Hi--I'd love to help if I can. We certainly appreciated yalls support and would like to send someone. Do you have a time on Monday for this meeting?

Sarah

On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 11:36 AM, Manus Cooney <cooney@acg-consultants.com> wrote:

Super. Thank you very much. Really anyone who is part of the new team would be great...

Manus.

From: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) [mailto:Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 11:32 AM
To: Manus Cooney
Cc: Sarah M Isgur - HLS (b) (6)

Subject: RE: Boys & Girls Clubs of America

There are not many people in the AG's suite at this point. I am copying Sarah Isgur, who should be on board tomorrow and may be able to help.

From: Manus Cooney [<mailto:cooney@acg-consultants.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 11:28 AM
To: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <RRosenstein@usa.doj.gov>
Subject: RE: Boys & Girls Clubs of America

Rod – Totally understand. He should be there. We love Johnny. But it is there someone in the AGs suite who could attend? BGCA is one of the organizations that stepped out early to support Sen. Sessions' nomination. Anything you can do would be great.

Thanks.

Manus.

From: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) [<mailto:Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 11:17 AM
To: Manus Cooney
Cc: Hughes, Johnny (USMS)
Subject: RE: Boys & Girls Clubs of America

I would like to do it, but I am limited in accepting speaking engagements outside of my normal duties while the nomination is pending.

How about our mutual friend, Maryland U.S. Marshal Johnny Hughes? He would love it.

I hope to catch up with you if and when I get to DC.

From: Manus Cooney [<mailto:cooney@acg-consultants.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 9:41 AM
To: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <RRosenstein@usa.doj.gov>
Subject: Boys & Girls Clubs of America

Rod,

Hope you are well and congratulations on the new position.

Boys and Girls Clubs of America would like to extend an invitation (more information is attached) to you (or another representative of the Department) to attend a conference they are hosting here in town next week. They had sent an invitation to Sen. Sessions' office weeks ago (assuming he would be confirmed by now) but – understandably – he had to decline. The event will bring experts together in an effort to explore how best to restore trust between communities and law enforcement. If interested or able to send someone), I can put you in contact with Tammy Cammeron at the BGCA to discuss the role they had in mind for you or your designee.

More specifically, the Boys & Girls Clubs of America will gather a small group of CEOs from the private and non-profit sector on Monday to discuss developing our nation's first ever public private partnership to create opportunity and rebuild trust in communities facing violence across the country. Critical to this effort is rebuilding positive connections between youth and law enforcement.

As you may know, Boys & Girls Clubs of America serves 3.8 million youth from every Congressional District across the country. To that end, they represent the interests of youth in rural and urban communities, on Native lands, and on every U.S. military installation across the

globe. They have a bold agenda to spur economic opportunity and rebuild trust between communities and law enforcement is one element of our broader interest in disrupting the inequality that disproportionately impacts the youth we serve.

The event includes the participation of the Annie E. Casey Foundation, National Organization of Black Law Enforcement (NOBLE), FBINAA, among others, and has the interest of NAM, the U.S Chamber of Commerce and The Business Roundtable.

Take care,

Manus.

Manus Cooney



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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:17 PM
Subject: Re: Where are you?
To: Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD) <rod.rosenstein@usdoj.gov>

Great

On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:05 PM -0500, "Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD)" <Rod.Rosenstein@usdoj.gov> wrote:

I am at the HIDTA conference now.

On Feb 9, 2017, at 5:57 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores > wrote:

In Ag suite. I can come down to your office?

On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 5:51 PM -0500, "Rosenstein, Rod (USAMD)" > wrote:

I have some edits for the speech.

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From: Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:48 PM

Subject: Fwd: call on Thursday night

To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

Begin forwarded message:

From: Marc Morial <mmorial@nul.org>

Date: February 8, 2017 at 1:07:35 PM EST

To: "Tucker, Rachael (OAG)" <rachael.tucker@usdoj.gov>

Cc: Tina Pizzimenti <tpizzimenti@nul.org>

Subject: Re: call on Thursday night

Rachael. Pls confirm it. My asst TINA is copied above and we will work with you to initiate the call as per the details below . Many thanks for reaching out.

MARC

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On Wed, Feb 8, 2017 at 8:41 AM -0800, "Tucker, Rachael (OAG)" <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Hi Mr. Morial,

I am Counselor to the incoming- Attorney General and am writing to see if you have time for a call with Sen. Sessions on Thursday around 6:20pm. If confirmed tonight, he would like the opportunity to speak with you on his first day in office. Please let me know if you are available around 6:20 tomorrow for a quick call and, if so, the number where we can reach you. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Rachael Tucker

Rachael Tucker

Counselor to the Attorney General

U.S. Department of Justice

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:54 PM
Subject: Re: Call read outs
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

(b) (5)

From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Thursday, February 9, 2017 6:51 PM
Subject: RE: Call read outs
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Thanks. Still waiting on the police chief/sheriff calls, right?

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)]
Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 6:44 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Call read outs

(b) (5)

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From: **Tucker, Rachael (OAG)** <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov>
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 7:22 PM
Subject: FW: scheduling a phone call
To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email >

From FOP

-----Original Message-----

From: Timothy M. Richardson [mailto:trichardson@fop.net]
Sent: Thursday, February 9, 2017 5:40 PM
To: Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: scheduling a phone call

Rachael:

We've just released this - it mentions the AG, so I thought I would send it along.

--Tim



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TRUMP EXECUTIVE ORDERS ON LAW ENFORCEMENT HAVE TOTAL SUPPORT FROM FOP

Chuck Canterbury, National President of the Fraternal Order of Police, said that his members “fully and totally” support the Executive Orders signed today by President Donald J. Trump.

“As a candidate, Donald Trump made it clear to our members that law enforcement was a priority for him,” Canterbury said. “The orders he signed today on officer safety, crime reduction and fighting transnational criminal organizations like the cartels is just further evidence that his word is good and that this President will deliver on his promises.”

One of the Executive Orders directs the U.S. Department of Justice, now headed by U.S. Attorney General Jefferson B. Sessions III, to develop strategies and pursue legislation to “enhance the protection and safety of Federal, State, tribal and local law enforcement officers.”

“In 2016, 253 officers were shot in the line of duty, 64 of whom were killed by gunfire. Of those killed, 33% were murdered in targeted assassinations simply because of the uniform they wear,” Canterbury said. “We have discussed our hate crimes expansion bill with the President on previous occasions and we hope that in the development of the Administration’s officer safety strategy this issue is given serious consideration.”

A second Executive Order creates a Task Force on Crime Reduction and Public Safety to develop new and improved strategies to reduce crime in our nation’s communities. A third Executive Order directs the Departments of Justice, State and Homeland Security as well as the Director of National Intelligence, to develop strategies to combat transnational criminal organizations trafficking in human beings, weapons, and drugs.

“Here again, the President makes it very clear that law enforcement must be a priority and is going to ensure that local and State law enforcement agencies have the resources they need to make America safe again,” Canterbury said. “In addition, he makes clear that fighting the cartels and other organized criminal enterprises will be a priority for Federal law enforcement agencies.”

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“We could not be more pleased by the news from the White House today,” Canterbury said. “We look forward to playing a big role in helping this Administration shape its strategies on officer safety, crime reduction and the fight against the cartels. I’m confident in President Trump’s leadership.”

The Fraternal Order of Police is the largest law enforcement labor organization in the United States, with more than 330,000 members.

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 9:39 AM

Subject: Re: fyi on article re me

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Finishing up a mtg and will call.

On Feb 9, 2017, at 9:22 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Give me a call when you can: (b) (6)

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From: "**Rachel Brand**" (b) (6)

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 8:28 AM -0500

Subject: fyi on article re me

To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6)

I just saw this email (sent to my PCLOB account) yesterday from a bloomberg reporter. A chamber colleague said they called there asking if I'm still affiliated with the chamber (I am not).

Hi Rachel. Hope you're well. I'm writing an article on your nomination for associate attorney general (the piece also includes Rod and Steve's nominations). One issue important to Bloomberg News is the fate of remaining investigations into banks over the sale of mortgage-backed securities before

the rate of remaining investigations into banks over the sale of mortgage backed securities before the financial crisis, which you'd oversee if confirmed. In addition to noting your prior/current government roles, the piece touches on your work for the Chamber of Commerce and the companies and interest groups you represented in private practice. The article also notes that while at the Chamber you teamed up often with Sidley -- where your husband works -- on cases challenging Obama regulations, ect. I realize you're probably not in a position to comment but want to make sure you're aware of what we're writing in case you'd like to. If you have someone you think I should talk to, let me know.

One question I do have is when you relinquished your chief counsel role at the Chamber and whether you have a current relationship with the group. A Lawyers for Civil Justice brochure from 2015 notes that you're a senior advisor to the Chamber. I have a query into the Chamber on this.

I don't have specifics on timing, but the article could be published as soon as tomorrow.

Best, Tom

Tom Schoenberg
Reporter, Bloomberg News
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Washington, D.C. 20005
o: 202-807-2194
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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 10:29 PM
Subject: Re: READOUT OF FIRST DAY EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

Whew! I just didn't want you to wait for them! I hate when people email without an action item.

On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 9:43 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Here it is.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "USDOJ-Office of Public Affairs (SMO)" <Ex_PAOMailbox@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Date: February 9, 2017 at 7:12:38 PM EST
To: "USDOJ-Office of Public Affairs (SMO)" <Ex_PAOMailbox@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: READOUT OF FIRST DAY EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS



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READOUT OF FIRST DAY EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS

WASHINGTON – On his first official day serving as the 84th Attorney General of the United States, Jeff Sessions arrived at the Justice Department and met with top department leadership right after greeting department employees in person and through a video message.

Following a visit on Capitol Hill with Luther Strange, who was appointed by Alabama Gov. Robert Bentley to fill Attorney General Sessions' vacancy in the Senate, Attorney General Sessions received his first Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act briefing from national security staff.

The Attorney General later met with the senior officials from the Justice Department's law enforcement components, including FBI Director James Comey, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives Acting Director Thomas Brandon, U.S. Marshals Service Acting Director David Harlow and Drug Enforcement Administration Acting Administrator Chuck Rosenberg. They had a vigorous discussion about how to combat the rise in violent crime and prevent drug-related deaths. They expressed their shared commitment to strengthen law enforcement and save lives.

Attorney General Sessions also called top leadership of the National Urban League and National Association for the Advancement of Colored People to build positive relationships and outline his priorities for the department of justice, including his commitment to maintain sound policies for civil rights and voting rights.

In addition, Attorney General had important calls with leadership of the Fraternal Order of Police and the National Sheriffs and Major City Sheriffs to reaffirm his commitment to strengthening relationships with law enforcement communities.

Tonight, the Attorney General will give brief remarks at a closed press High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area awards banquet in Washington, D.C.

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 2:17 PM

Subject: RE: Draft readout

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 2:15 PM

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: Draft readout

Looks great to me. Two changes: let's (b) (5)

Otherwise looks good to me and I agree on timing.

On Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 2:06 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:


Here's a rough draft for the readout, which I suggest we provide after the calls but before his speech. I'd like to get it out earlier, but I think it's important to get the calls in.

Thx,

Peter

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 6:55 PM

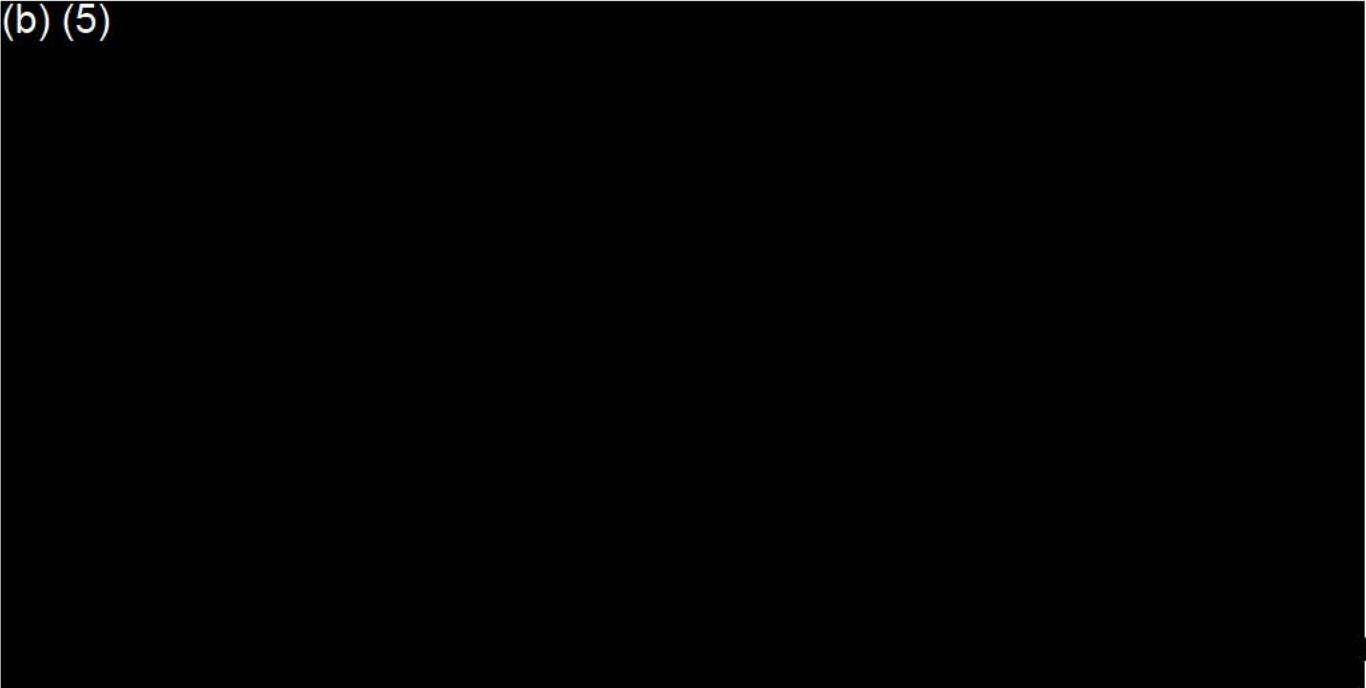
Subject: Draft readout

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >, Hunt, Jody (CIV) <Jody.Hunt2@usdoj.gov>

Here is the current draft, pending any edits just need one part and we're ready:

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 9:42 PM
Subject: Re: Draft readout
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Yes, we sent the readout. Without being there, I think he means that they discussed the topic of (b) (5) without referencing them directly.

I think we're fine. Will have other opportunities to reinforce these messages.

On Feb 9, 2017, at 9:33 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Did you send out? I don't know what this means--without seeing (b) (5), it's hard to include.

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From: "**Rybicki, David (OAG)**" <David.Rybicki@usdoj.gov>
Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 7:33 PM -0500
Subject: RE: Draft readout
To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6), "Crowell, James (ODAG)" <james.crowell@usdoj.gov>, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Cc: "Rybicki, David (OAG)" <david.rybicki@usdoj.gov>, "Hunt, Jody (CIV)" <Jody.Hunt2@usdoj.gov>

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Thank you for drafting Peter and Sarah

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Thursday, February 9, 2017 7:17 PM
To: Crowell, James (ODAG) <james.crowell@usdoj.gov>; Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Cc: Rybicki, David (OAG) <david.rybicki@usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (CIV) <JHunt@CIV.USDOJ.GOV>
Subject: Re: Draft readout

It wasn't actually discussed in the meeting. I haven't seen (b) (5) but happy to include if someone has them.

From: Crowell, James (ODAG) <james.crowell@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Thursday, February 9, 2017 7:09 PM
Subject: Re: Draft readout
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Cc: Hunt, Jody (CIV) <jody.hunt2@usdoj.gov>, Rybicki, David (OAG) <david.rybicki@usdoj.gov>, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Should this include (b) (5)

On Feb 9, 2017, at 7:01 PM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

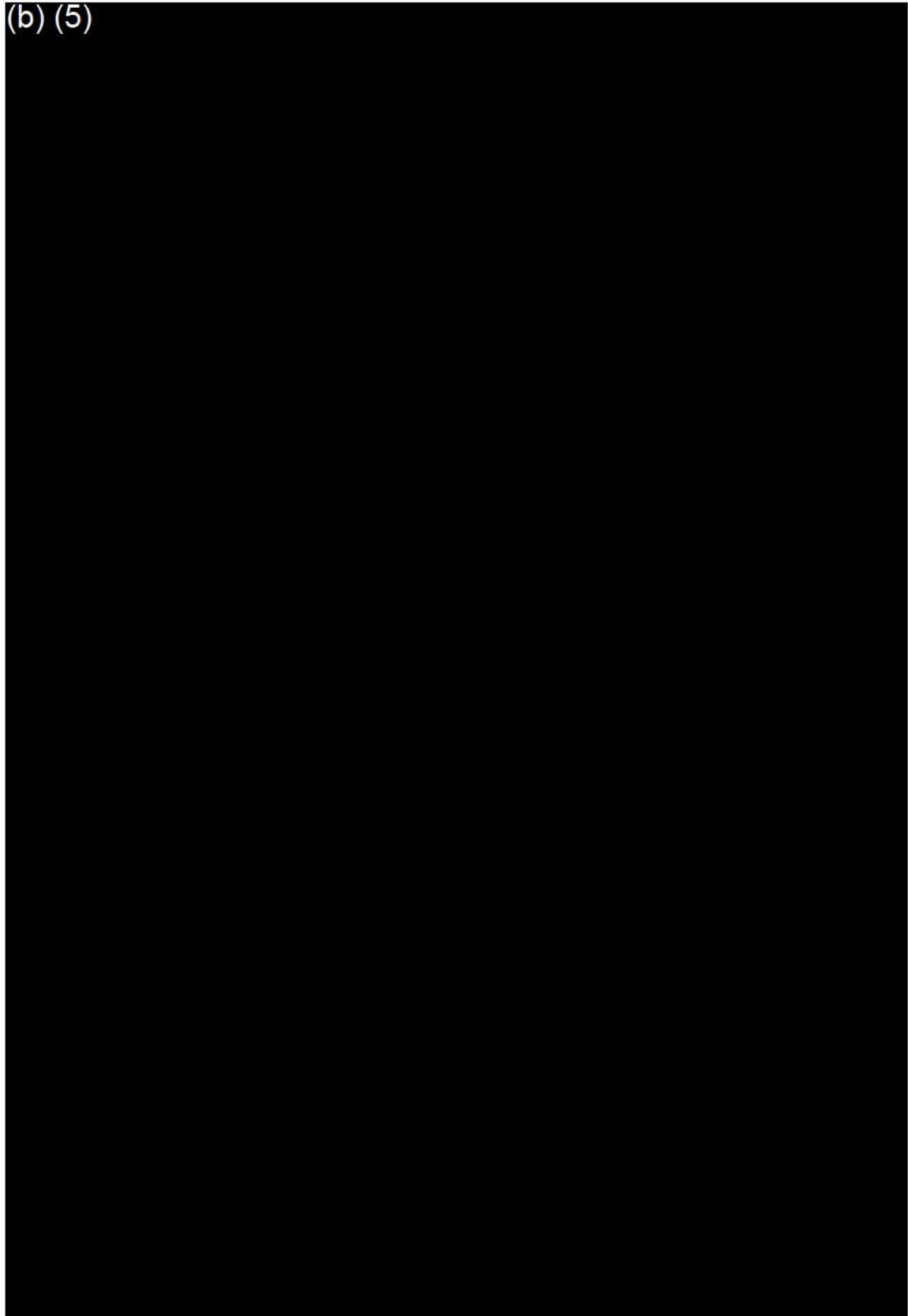
After a call from David, adding him and Jim regarding the LE readout. We plan to issue this tonight, as promised to the press, and have asked our LE partners to amplify this message tomorrow.

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 6:56 PM
To: 'Sarah Isgur Flores' (b) (6) Hunt, Jody (CIV) <JHunt@CIV.USDOJ.GOV>
Subject: RE: Draft readout

Updated:

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 6:54 PM
To: 'Sarah Isgur Flores' <(b) (6)>; Hunt, Jody (CIV)
<JHunt@CIV.USDOJ.GOV>
Subject: Draft readout


Here is the current draft, pending any edits just need one part and we're ready:

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(b) (5)



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From: **Hunt, Jody (CIV)** <Jody.Hunt2@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 10:45 PM

Subject: RE: Draft readout

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >, Crowell, James (ODAG)

<James.Crowell@usdoj.gov>, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Cc: Rybicki, David (OAG) <David.Rybicki@usdoj.gov>

All -- please switch over and use my OAG email. I did not get message to CIV in real time.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

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

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Date: 2/9/2017 7:17 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: "Crowell, James (ODAG)" <jcrowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Cc: "Rybicki, David (OAG)" <drybicki@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Hunt, Jody (CIV)" <JHunt@CIV.USDOJ.GOV>

Subject: Re: Draft readout

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 9:38 AM
Subject: Re: Teleworking today
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

great--thank you

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 9:35 AM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Wyn will be in a mtg without phones at 10, so Kelly Creighton is your backup for help through security if needed.

We're doing a call re the (b) (5) matter at 11am. If you're in the building, Wyn will be joining. If not, you can call this conf line:

OPA Conference Call Line

(b) (6)

On Feb 10, 2017, at 8:44 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Well then they've got to do it. Hopefully there's other stuff in the news cycle.

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 8:41 AM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Agree. (b) (5)

On Feb 10, 2017, at 8:37 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Oh geez. Well, I'd really prefer (b) (5)
(b) (6). But--ok.

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 7:27 AM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)"
<Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Just a reminder that I'll be teleworking today. Am
available via email and cell: (b) (6)

Wyn's on standby to help you through security if needed
today.

I'm setting up a meeting at 10am to discuss the (b) (5)
matter I learned about last night. If the AG agrees,
they'll be making a change in the (b) (5)
(b) (6). Expected to become public on Monday and we
need to get the messaging right.

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Sarah Isgur Flores
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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 11:29 AM
Subject: Re: Quick question
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

(b) (6)

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 10:57 AM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

(b) (6)

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 10:46 AM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Quick question

Ah good to know. (b) (6)

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 10:25 AM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

The (b) (5) is the CRT matter. Would be good to sit in on that as well.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 10:23 AM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Quick question

roger that. and ill try to sit in on those two meetings so we have a sense for what was discussed.

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 10:18 AM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI, here's his schedule for today. Near the end of the day, suggest we highlight that he met with the Civil Division to discuss next steps in the ongoing executive order litigation and the Civil Rights Division to reiterate what he told the National Urban League and NAACP yesterday - that he is committed to maintaining sound policies for civil rights and voting rights.

9:00am	Drop-in with Daniel Wilson with Maynard Cooper
9:30am	Planning meeting with members of the staff
11:00am	Administrative Meeting with Peggi
Noon	Lunch/Desk time
1:30pm	Civil Rights division meeting
2:30pm	CIV meeting
3:30pm	(b) (5) meeting
4:00pm	(b) (5)

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 9:45 AM
To: Chris Strohm <cstrohm1@bloomberg.net>
Cc: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Quick question

Subject: re: Quick question

Peter can give you more color at the end of the day--but i know hes meeting with some division heads and doing briefings.

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 9:40 AM, Chris Strohm (BLOOMBERG/ WASHINGTON) <cstrohm1@bloomberg.net> wrote:

I just need to check what Sessions is doing today? Who is he meeting with or calling? Will there be any announcements today? Thanks

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Sarah Isgur Flores

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Thu, Feb 9, 2017 at 3:31 PM

Subject: FW: Video Statement of Attorney General Jeff Sessions to All Department of Justice Employees

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

FYI, the Attorney General just issued this video message to all employees.

-Peter

From: The Attorney General

Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2017 3:27 PM

To: The Attorney General <Ex_AttorneyGeneral@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: Video Statement of Attorney General Jeff Sessions to All Department of Justice Employees

Attorney General Sessions has recorded a video message for all department employees, which is available here: <https://www.justice.gov/opa/video/attorney-general-sessions-message-justice-department-employees>.

The text of the video follows:

VIDEO STATEMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL JEFF SESSIONS TO ALL DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EMPLOYEES

I love the Department of Justice. There is nothing I have ever done that I am more proud of than serving it for 14 years, first as an Assistant United States Attorney, then for 12 years as United States Attorney. It was a glorious time indeed. I was in court regularly working with the greatest law enforcement officers in the world. Supervising dedicated and talented Assistant U.S. Attorneys, appearing before great federal judges. Some of those with whom I worked are still in service and many equally talented people have joined the Department in the intervening years.

You can know that I respect and value this Department and that I will support the men and women who work here. And, importantly, I know the critical role we all play in maintaining and strengthening the rule of law which forms the foundation for our liberty, our safety, and our prosperity. In this rule of law, we are blessed beyond all nations. And at this department we must do all we can to ensure that it is preserved and advanced.

Such ideals transcend politics. When one is standing in court, representing the United States, there is no place for partisanship or bias. I want you to know I will do my best to be worthy of this trust I have been given. I cannot do it alone. I need you. Each of us must work together to fulfill our responsibility. We will defend our constitutional order regardless of personal or political preference. We will ensure a fair administration of justice where all must believe that they can and will receive equal justice under the law regardless of their station or position in life. Ours is a profound responsibility. In the world of public service, there is no higher calling.

We may come from different backgrounds and we may have different approaches, but I will seek your advice and counsel as we go about making the important decisions of this office. Our goal is to find the right solution to the challenges of our time and then to uphold the law.

That is the goal I was dedicated to as U.S. Attorney and what I will dedicate myself to as your Attorney General.

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 1:06 PM
Subject: Re: AG agenda
To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>, Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

Of course--just let me know when would be good. Was planning to come back up for these afternoon meetings for the exactly that purpose.

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 11:42 AM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Sarah's in the building today though don't believe she's on DOJ email yet so adding her gmail. I'm available by cell: (b) (6)

From: Hunt, Jody (OAG)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 11:39 AM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Flores, Sarah Isgur. (OPA) <siflores@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: AG agenda

Sarah and Peter – I have some thoughts about how we might message today. Is there a chance one of you has some time around 12:30 or so to discuss? -- Jody

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 10:13 AM
To: Bryant, Errical (OAG) <ebryant@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: AG agenda

Great, thank you!

From: Bryant, Errical (OAG)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 10:07 AM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: AG agenda

Good morning Peter,

Here's a rundown. Let me know if additional information is needed.

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1:30pm	Civil Rights division meeting
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4:00pm	(b) (5)

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 9:56 AM
To: Bryant, Errical (OAG) <ebryant@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: AG agenda

Errical,

Can you let me know what is on the AG's schedule for today? We need to give the press a rough overview of what he did on his second day – not as extensive as yesterday.

Thx,

Peter

Acting Director of Public Affairs

(b) (6) cell

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 4:38 PM
Subject: To add to read out
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

And he was briefed on the status of the ongoing case involving the president's order protecting our national security from foreign terrorism.

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 4:38 PM

Subject: Re: Read out for today

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sure. Will circle back shortly with a draft.

> On Feb 10, 2017, at 4:30 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

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> Can you draft a short readout from today that (b) (5)

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> (I'm probably going to email you another sentence (b) (5) ;)

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 4:47 PM
Subject: Re: Transgender case briefing
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

No idea what that is! But I think the last meeting set stuff in motion. So they're probably just reading out from the meetin w the Ag right?

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 4:45 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Assume you're attending this but I see a mtg on my calendar at 4:45 in the OASG Conf. Room (5706).

I'll be using the dial in: (b) (6)

Not in a position to say much as I'm at (b) (6)

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 6:47 PM
Subject: RE: Draft readout
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Thx, we'll get it out.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 6:30 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Draft readout

Great!

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 6:01 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Got it, thanks. Here's a revision. Anything else we need to add? Given the announcement on 9th Circuit that the WH just put out, I expect this will get lost but would be good to get it out soon anyway.

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 5:35 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Draft readout

(b) (5)

From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 5:12 PM
Subject: Draft readout
To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

Here is a draft, added some points re (b) (5)

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 8:23 PM
Subject: RE: Your inquiry
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

It's a very obscure publication.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 7:51 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Your inquiry

Inclined to agree. I've never heard of the trace--have you worked w this guy?

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 7:48 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI, I don't see a need to engage here. Will decline to comment unless you think otherwise.

Begin forwarded message:

From: Dan Friedman <dfriedman@thetrace.org>
Date: February 10, 2017 at 7:27:40 PM EST

Date: February 10, 2017 at 7:27:40 PM EST

To: "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: Your inquiry

Thanks Peter. I am completing a story for The Trace, an online publication covering gun violence/policy, on the new Attorney General's stated plan to increase federal prosecution of gun cases. (Trace content often runs in partner publications like The Atlantic, Vice, Business Insider.) The article looks at Sessions' record on gun cases U.S. Attorney for the S. District of Alabama, including a dramatic increase in prosecutions in the early 1990s, and notes that in most cases, the crimes were nonviolent except for the presence of a gun,. Story concludes it is unclear to what extent such a prosecutorial strategy affects gun violence. The U.S. Attorney's Office for the S. District of Alabama declined to comment, but now that Sessions is confirmed I wanted to put in a request to you guys for comment.

Deadline is 9am Sat.

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 7:13 PM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

I got a message that you called the Justice Department. Let me know how I can be of help.

Best,

Peter Carr

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Dan Friedman

Washington Correspondent

The Trace

(b) (6)

dfriedman@thetrace.org

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 6:48 PM

Subject: RE: AG Sessions Second Day_readout - DRAFT

To: Simotes, Jenna A. (OPA) <Jenna.A.Simotes@usdoj.gov>, Sarah Isgur Flores

<(b) (6)>

Jenna, sorry for the delay but this is good to go.

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)

Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 6:10 PM

To: Simotes, Jenna A. (OPA) <jasimotes@jmd.usdoj.gov>; 'Sarah Isgur Flores'

(b) (6)

Subject: AG Sessions Second Day_readout - DRAFT

Jenna, thank you for helping to get this out. Here is the current draft. Waiting for final clearance and any additional edits from Sarah, who is copied.

When you issue this, can you include Sarah in the bcc?

Thx,

Peter

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 7:05 PM

Subject: FW: READOUT OF SECOND DAY EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Making sure you got this. Let me know if there is anything else we need to discuss tonight. If not, thanks for all the help today and have a good weekend!

From: USDOJ-Office of Public Affairs (SMO)

Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 7:00 PM

To: USDOJ-Office of Public Affairs (SMO) <Ex_PAOMailbox@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: READOUT OF SECOND DAY EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS



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READOUT OF SECOND DAY EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS

WASHINGTON – Attorney General Jeff Sessions today met with department heads and their staff in the Civil Rights and Civil Divisions, discussing ongoing cases and how each division can strengthen relationships with the department's law enforcement and regulatory partners and steps the department can take to combat the rise in violent crime.

As part of his meeting with the Civil Division, he received a briefing on the status of litigation surrounding president's executive order protecting our nation from foreign terrorists entering the United States.

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From: Crowell, James (ODAG) <James.Crowell@usdoj.gov>

Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 11:04 PM

Subject: RE: AG Sessions recusal

To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) [REDACTED], Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>, Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

I do not recommend that we comment at this point.

From: Hunt, Jody (OAG)

Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 8:29 PM

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) [REDACTED]; Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

Cc: Crowell, James (ODAG) <jcrowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: AG Sessions recusal

The question asked is if he has indicated something along these lines to DOJ employees. (b) (5) [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. Adding
ODAG.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) [REDACTED]

Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 1:05 PM

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: AG Sessions recusal

Seems right to me. Or just tell her to google it since it was written up plenty! :)

On Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 1:02 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI, unless you're aware of an update, I can get back to her with the language from the Senate questions for the record. Am not at my computer but can track it down when I have access to my files.

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jessica Schulberg <jessica.schulberg@huffingtonpost.com>
Date: February 10, 2017 at 12:42:41 PM EST
To: "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: AG Sessions recusal

Hi Peter,

Do you know if AG Sessions has indicated to DOJ employees that he will recuse himself from any investigations into possible ties between President Trump/his associates and Russia?

Best,
Jessica

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Jessica Schulberg

The Huffington Post

Work: 202-624-9306

Cell: (b) (6)

Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

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From: **Hunt, Jody (OAG)** <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>

Date: Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 12:52 PM

Subject: Re: Thank you

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

You are kind Sarah. The pleasure likewise has been mine! You obviously are great at what you do, and that is critically important for the Department. I am excited to work with you. And it is nice we have a mutual friend in (b) (6)

> On Feb 11, 2017, at 12:42 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) wrote:

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> Wanted to take a moment to tell you what a pleasure it has been to meet you and work for you these last few days. I know I speak for a lot of the staff when I say how much we appreciate your leadership. Thank you for the opportunity.

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> Onward!

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From: **Hunt, Jody (OAG)** <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>

Date: Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 12:53 PM

Subject: Re: AG Meeting w Rahm Emanuel Monday at 2pm

To: Rybicki, David (OAG) <David.Rybicki@usdoj.gov>

Cc: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) [REDACTED] Crowell, James (ODAG)

<james.crowell@usdoj.gov>, Rybicki, David (OAG) <david.rybicki@usdoj.gov>, Bonilla, Armando

(ODAG) <armando.bonilla2@usdoj.gov>, Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG) <zachary.terwilliger2@usdoj.gov>

I think we should. Speak up anyone if you feel otherwise.

On Feb 11, 2017, at 11:13 AM, Rybicki, David (OAG) <drybicki@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

Want to loop in Jody about whether (b) (5) [REDACTED]

On Feb 11, 2017, at 10:01 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) [REDACTED] > wrote:

Should we consider (b) (5) [REDACTED] :

[REDACTED] ?

On Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 7:45 AM -0500, "Rybicki, David (OAG)" <David.Rybicki@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Thanks

> On Feb 11, 2017, at 7:19 AM, Crowell, James (ODAG) wrote:

>> David: We're glad to defer to you on talking points.

Jody had asked me for some general info on issues in Chicago which I'll forward to you this morning.

>>> On Feb 11, 2017, at 7:03 AM, Rybicki, David (OAG) wrote:

>>>> ODAG and OPA: AG will meet with Rahm Emanuel on Monday

at 2pm. We will do a pre-meeting briefing with AG at 145pm. Jody wanted me to reach out to coordinate prep and to notify Sarah to be prepared for OPA response and to field media inquiries after meeting.

>>>> ODAG: do you want to work together to draft TPs and very short memo or do you have stuff in the can already? Or, I can take lead in this is you want. I'm good with whatever
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From: **McGowan, Ashley L. (OPA)** <Ashley.L.McGowan@usdoj.gov>
Date: Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 5:08 PM
Subject: Re: changes to website
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Cc: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>, McGowan, Ashley L. (OPA) <Ashley.L.McGowan@usdoj.gov>

Let me know how I can help!

On Feb 11, 2017, at 4:54 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) wrote:

Great! Ashley I feel like you and I are going to have some bonding time on Monday.)

On Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 4:33 PM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:
Ashley McGowan, copied.

On Feb 11, 2017, at 4:09 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

who do we talk to about making changes to the justice website?

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Sarah Isgur Flores
(b) (6)
@whignewtons

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Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6)

@whignewtons

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 5:30 PM

Subject: Re: monday

To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Agree, thx.

On Feb 11, 2017, at 4:50 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)> wrote:

I'm not sure (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

On Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 4:41 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

(b) (5)

[REDACTED]

On Feb 11, 2017, at 4:32 PM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

I think it's a good idea, though (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

On Feb 11, 2017, at 3:43 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)> wrote:

AC is going to meet with Behm Emanuel at 2pm. what do you

AG is going to meet with Rahm Emanuel at 2pm--what do you think about a (b) (5) ?

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Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6)

@whignewtons

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 9:18 PM
Subject: Re: DOJ Website
To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

Sounds like a great plan to me. Thanks and let me know who I should coordinate with.

On Sat, Feb 11, 2017 at 7:39 PM -0500, "Hunt, Jody (OAG)" <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Thank you. I agree that somebody needs to be looking at the website, taking some things down, and putting other things up. That should be worked by and through ODAG and likely tasked in part to OPA. I will alert ODAG to see what they already are doing in that regard and have them work with you on whatever they need from OPA. Let me know what further you hear in this regard. And I appreciate the heads-up. -- Jody

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Saturday, February 11, 2017 4:53 PM
To: Hunt, Jody (CIV) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: DOJ Website

Danielle has sent me changes she'd like to the website below. I'm not entirely sure what the chain of command is here--but I think this topic probably needs a more thorough review so we are consistent and can explain later why some things came down and others stayed up.

Let me know how you'd like me to proceed.

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----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Drew Hudson** (b) (6)

Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 4:08 PM

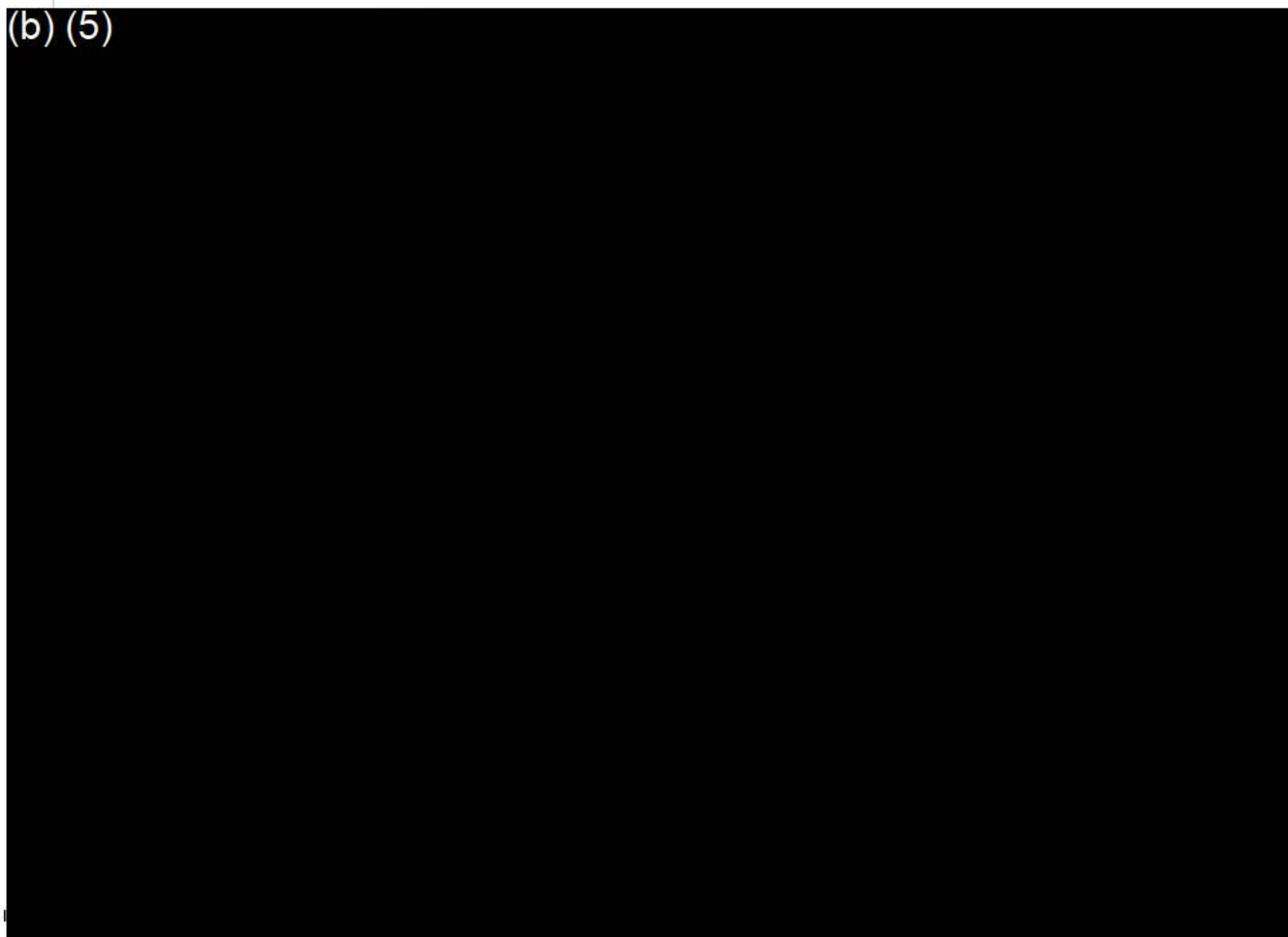
Subject: DOJ Website

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

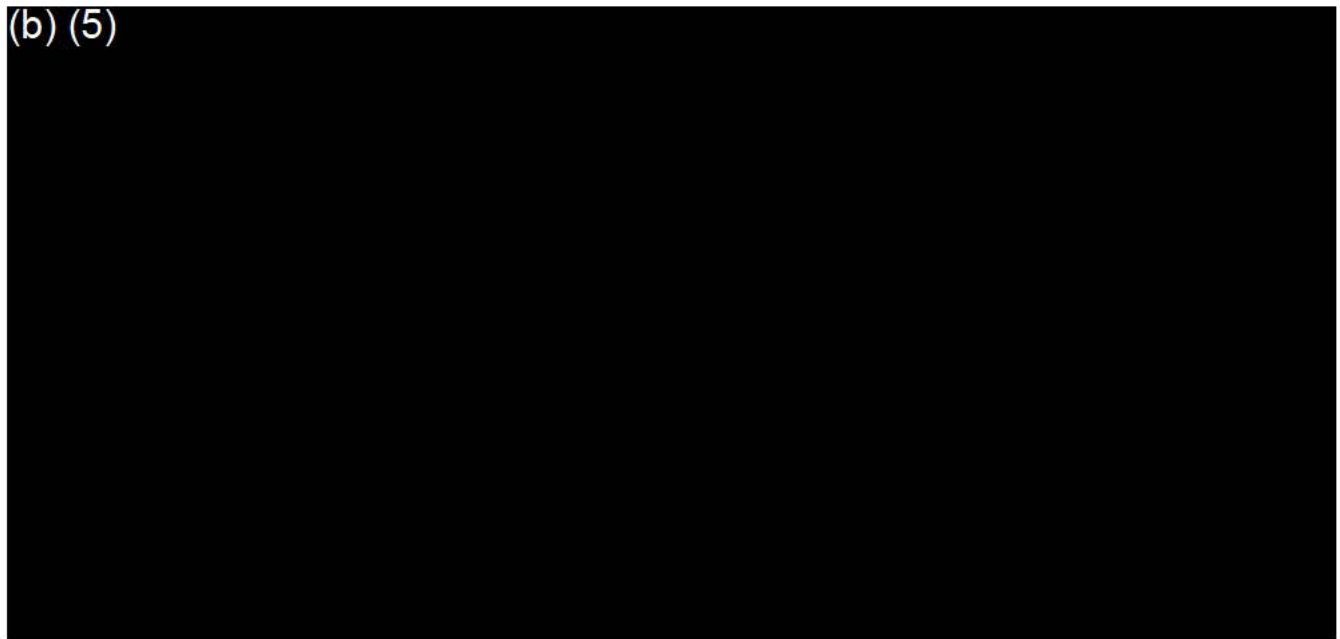
Danielle asked me to let you know what stuff I found that needs to be removed from the website.

So, here's what I'd start with:

(b) (5)



(b) (5)



There are lots more, but I don't have them on this computer so I'll have to get them for you when I get home tonight.

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Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6)

@whignewtons

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From: **Hunt, Jody (OAG)** <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>

Date: Sun, Feb 12, 2017 at 12:44 AM

Subject: Re: Heads up

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Darn. Wish I had seen it. Thanks.

> On Feb 11, 2017, at 11:52 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

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> JBS was parodied on SNL tonight. It wasn't actually very funny--but just a heads up. I assume we'll laugh it off if it comes to that. But I'm not sure it will register.

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 12:14 PM
Subject: FW: Mayor Emmanuel meeting at 2
To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>
Cc: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Jody, FYI - I ran the idea of (b) (5)

-----Original Message-----

From: Rybicki, David (OAG)
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 11:34 AM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Crowell, James (ODAG) <jcrowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG) <zterwilliger@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Mayor Emmanuel meeting at 2

Last I heard from Jody OAG was good with this but you need official confirmation from him

-----Original Message-----

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 11:23 AM
To: Rybicki, David (OAG) <drybicki@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Crowell, James (ODAG) <jcrowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG) <zterwilliger@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Mayor Emmanuel meeting at 2

Adding David Rybicki - will need a confirmation from OAG and Mayor Emmanuel before setting up any (b) (5)

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Thx,

Peter

(b) (6) direct

(b) (6) cell

-----Original Message-----

From: Carr, Peter (OPA) [mailto:pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov]

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 9:57 AM

To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Crowell, James (ODAG) <jcrowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>;

Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG) <zterwilliger@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: Mayor Emmanuel meeting at 2

I understand the AG is scheduled to meet with Mayor Emmanuel and that we are planning to do a (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

Do you have a point of contact with the Mayor's office for us to confirm (b) (5) ?

Thx,

Peter

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 1:08 PM
Subject: Website
To: Crowell, James (ODAG) <James.Crowell@usdoj.gov>

Thanks for the help!

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 1:11 PM
Subject: Re: Can you guys confirm Sharpton call?
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

Nah--lets ignore

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 12:55 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI – If you're currently with anyone who can confirm or provide details.

From: Darren Sands [<mailto:darren.sands@buzzfeed.com>]
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 6:17 PM
To: Press@usdoj.gov
Subject: Can you guys confirm Sharpton call?

Hey,

Sorry for the late email. Sharpton says the AG phoned him, wondering if there's a further readout

that you can share?

Thanks,

Darren

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Darren Sands | BuzzFeedNews | Reporter, Politics | (b) (6) | @darrensands

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From: **Tucker, Rachael (OAG)** <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov>

Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 2:20 PM

Subject: RE: Press stuff for DHS

To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>, Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <rachael.tucker@usdoj.gov>

(b) (5)

From: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>]

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 1:53 PM

To: Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <rachael.tucker@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: Press stuff for DHS

(b) (5)

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 1:28 PM -0500, "Tucker, Rachael (OAG)" <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Jody wanted me to ask you if the press needs to be present at the 5:30 DHS meeting like y'all did for the law enforcement thing the other day.

Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)

Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 2:44 PM

Subject: Re: Exec Assistant / Scheduler

To: Sims, Clifton D. EOP/WHO (b) (6)

Errical is his scheduler: ebryant@jmd.usdoj.gov

She'll be able to get you to the right person. (His EA is Peggi but she started today and I don't have her doj email yet)

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 2:33 PM -0500, "Sims, Clifton D. EOP/WHO" (b) (6)

wrote:

Sarah - who is the AG's exec assistant / scheduler? Do you have their contact info?

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From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 4:10 PM
Subject: RE: FW: Meeting with Rahm Emmanuel
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Got it, thanks.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 4:09 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: FW: Meeting with Rahm Emmanuel

yes--go ahead and confirm. let her know we'll send a short read out later today of his day as well.

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 3:46 PM, Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI

From: Reid, Paula [mailto:ReidP@cbsnews.com]
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 3:45 PM
To: peter.carr@usdoj.gov
Subject: Meeting with Rahm Emmanuel

Subject: meeting with Rahm Emanuel

Can you confirm that AG Sessions is meeting with Mayor Rahm Emanuel today?

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Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6)

@whignewtons

Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 5:00 PM
Subject: Re: for read out meeting
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

Cool. Annoying for you but that works.

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 4:52 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Yes, that works. I've just been confirming the meeting and saying a readout will be issued later.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 4:49 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: for read out meeting

Would like to include this (b) (5) --but hopefully can send you language as they're talking so we can get it out at 6. Would that work?

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 4:29 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Slight revision here to note time and location (Rahm came here); getting a lot of inquiries so would be good to get this out soon.

READOUT OF TODAY'S EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS

[REDACTED] (b) (5) [REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (b) (5) [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 4:19 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Subject: for read out meeting

[REDACTED] (b) (5) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Sarah Isgur Flores

John Edgar Hoover

(b) (6)

@whignewtons

Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >

Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 5:55 PM

Subject: Can you send draft to Jody (cc me) before it goes out?

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Dhs:

(b) (5)

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Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>

Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 6:12 PM

Subject: RE: Draft readout for today

To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6), Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

Great, thx. Will get this out shortly. Appreciate the help on this.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 6:10 PM

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (OAG) <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: Draft readout for today

Good w me!

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 6:06 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

That works, thanks Jody. Here's the revised line:

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From: Hunt, Jody (OAG)
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 6:03 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Subject: RE: Draft readout for today

Instead of (b) (5)

My two cents.

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 5:59 PM
To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Subject: Draft readout for today

Here is the draft. I'm going to flag the DHS call to their comms shop so they are prepared for any follow-up:

READOUT OF TODAY'S EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS

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From: **Hunt, Jody (OAG)** <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>

Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 8:14 PM

Subject: RE: Off-the-record meet and greet with reporters

To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>, Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov>, Rybicki, David (OAG) <David.Rybicki@usdoj.gov>

Cc: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Thanks Peter. I think Sarah is going to touch base with JBS to give him an idea of what this is about.

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 10:30 AM

To: Hunt, Jody (OAG) <johunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <ratucker@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Rybicki, David (OAG) <drybicki@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Cc: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Subject: Off-the-record meet and greet with reporters

OPA believes it would be very beneficial for (b) (5)

. Is it possible to work something into his schedule?

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Thanks,

Peter

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 9:45 PM
Subject: Re: Post story on Yates - Flynn
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

Yeah I saw the story. Declined makes sense to me.

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 9:31 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FYI

Begin forwarded message:

From: <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Date: February 13, 2017 at 9:28:37 PM EST
To: <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>, <jcrowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>, <zterwilliger@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Marc Raimondi <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>, Wyn Hornbuckle <whornbuckle@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Post story on Yates - Flynn

Am getting swamped with calls on this Washington Post story that just broke claiming that while acting AG, Sally Yates told the administration that Flynn was vulnerable to Russian blackmail.

To my knowledge, no one in OPA was contacted about this story before it was published. We are declining to comment.

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https://www.washingtonpost.com/world/national-security/justice-department-warned-white-house-that-flynn-could-be-vulnerable-to-russian-blackmail-officials-say/2017/02/13/fc5dab88-f228-11e6-8d72-263470bf0401_story.html?utm_term=.319706d8a6dd

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 6:51 PM
Subject: Fwd: READOUT OF TODAY'S EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS
To: <adam.collins@cityofchicago.org>

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From: "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 6:36 PM -0500
Subject: Fwd: READOUT OF TODAY'S EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS
To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

It's out. Thanks for the help pulling this together.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "USDOJ-Office of Public Affairs (SMO)" <Ex_PAOMailbox@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Date: February 13, 2017 at 6:26:40 PM EST
To: "USDOJ-Office of Public Affairs (SMO)" <Ex_PAOMailbox@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: READOUT OF TODAY'S EVENTS FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL SESSIONS





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WASHINGTON – Attorney General Jeff Sessions sat down with Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel this afternoon in the Attorney General's conference room to discuss what might be done to combat the shootings and murders in that city and bring back proactive community policing.

The Attorney General also had a detailed and productive conversation with Secretary of Homeland Security John F. Kelly about steps the Department of Justice and the Department of Homeland Security will take to secure our borders to end the flood of illegal immigration, drugs and human trafficking pouring into our country and undermining our national security.

In addition, the Attorney General also enjoyed meeting with Judge Neil Gorsuch and congratulated him on his nomination.

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 10:14 PM
Subject: White House correspondents dinner
To: Bryant, Errical (OAG) <Errical.Bryant@usdoj.gov>

This is on April 29. He has several invites if he wants to go--I can find him a good table.

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 9:41 AM
Subject: Re: Today
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <peter.carr@usdoj.gov>

No prob!

On Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 9:19 AM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

I'm scheduled to telework, but (b) (6)
(b) (6) Talked to Wyn and he's going to cover for me and I'm going to take the day to rest and help get everyone better.

I'll be available on my cell should you need to talk through anything.

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From: Bryant, Errical (OAG) <Errical.Bryant@usdoj.gov>
Date: Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 9:44 AM
Subject: RE: Sessions Invite
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

I will be over at the AG's office. Can you come over there?

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 9:42 AM
To: Bryant, Errical (OAG) <errical.bryant@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Sessions Invite

I don't but I'll come by your office in a few if that works?

On Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 9:38 AM -0500, "Bryant, Errical (OAG)" <Errical.Bryant@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Good morning.

Do you have an office in the building? I have a request to drop off to you.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)]
Sent: Monday, February 13, 2017 10:36 PM
To: Bryant, Errical (OAG) <Errical.Bryant@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Sessions Invite

Not really sure why this one came to me!

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From: (b)(6) Danielle Cutrona personal email
Date: Fri, Feb 10, 2017 at 6:08 PM -0500
Subject: Fw: Fwd: Sessions Invite
To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6)

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Subject: Fwd: Sessions Invite
Local Time: February 10, 2017 4:46 PM
UTC Time: February 10, 2017 9:46 PM
From: (b)(6): Rob Luther personal email
To: (b)(6): Danielle Cutrona personal email

Begin forwarded message:

From: Tiffany Bates (b) (6)
Date: February 10, 2017 at 3:55:13 PM EST
To: Rob Luther (b) (6)
Subject: Sessions Invite

Hi Rob,

Congrats on your new gig in the White House!

I know its a long shot, but I would really love to have our new AG speak at the Scalia Law School. Is it possible for you to forward this invitation on to the appropriate person or give me that person's email?

Thanks!

Tiffany

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Tiffany Bates

J.D. Candidate, May 2018

George Mason University, Antonin Scalia Law School

Managing Editor, *George Mason Law Review*

President, Federalist Society

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From: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <Wyn.Hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>
Date: Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 12:09 PM
Subject: RE: Sending you language in a few!
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

thanks

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 12:08 PM
To: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <Wyn.Hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Sending you language in a few!

Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

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From: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <Wyn.Hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>

Date: Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 12:55 PM

Subject: RE: WH Meeting

To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Thanks for your help!

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 12:53 PM

To: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <wyn.hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: WH Meeting

Fine w me!

From: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <wyn.hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 12:40 PM

Subject: RE: WH Meeting

To: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <wyn.hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Thanks. I think we need to tighten this up on our end. I would suggest:

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Is this ok?

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 12:31 PM
To: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <Wyn.Hornbuckle@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: WH Meeting

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From: "Sims, Clifton D. EOP/WHO" (b) (6)
Date: Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 12:05 PM -0500
Subject: WH Meeting
To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" <sarahmisgur@gmail.com>

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