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August 13, 2021

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Re: FOIA-2021-00563
21-cv-00624 (D.D.C.)
VRB:BPF:RCS

Dear Austin Evers:

This is an interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated and received on January 11, 2021, in which you requested communications of various Department of Justice officials concerning the events of January 6, 2021, at the U.S. Capitol from December 21, 2020, to January 7, 2021.

Please be advised that searches have been conducted in the Offices of the Attorney General (OAG) and Deputy Attorney General (ODAG), as well as within the Departmental Executive Secretariat, which is the official records repository for OAG and ODAG, and sixty-six pages were located that contain records responsive to your request. I have determined that these sixty-six pages are appropriate for release with excisions made pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, 7(C), 7(E), and 7(F) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. §§ 552(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E), and b(7)(F), and copies are enclosed.

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If you have any questions regarding this response, please contact Bradley Craigmyle of the Department's Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch, at 202-616-8101.

Sincerely,



Vanessa R. Brinkmann
Senior Counsel

Enclosures

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January 7th, 2021

Hon. Mitch McConnell, Majority Leader, United States Senate
Hon. Nancy Pelosi, Speaker, United States House of Representatives
Hon. Charles E. Schumer, Minority Leader, United States Senate
Hon. Kevin McCarthy, Minority Leader, United States House of Representatives
United States Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Leader McConnell, Speaker Pelosi, Leader Schumer, and Leader McCarthy:

As you know, yesterday, Wednesday, January 6th, 2021, the President of the United States, Donald J. Trump, and his co-conspirators, directly incited and encouraged an armed and violent insurrection against the government of the United States, with the express purpose of preventing the peaceful transfer of power and overturning the results of a free and fair election.

In the months leading up to yesterday's events, the President, members of his administration, and numerous elected members of his party, intentionally spread false and inflammatory claims regarding the legitimacy of the election, and both implicitly and explicitly promised violent or armed opposition to prevent the election from being certified and the President-Elect from taking office.

Yesterday, following the President's incitement, a mob attacked and violently forced entry into the United States Capitol Building, endangering the lives of Capitol Police, Members of Congress, and building staff, and causing a delay in the certification of the results of the recent presidential election.

In the course of their attack, the insurrectionists trespassed on and destroyed Federal property, including flagrantly looting the Capitol, and openly bragged about their exploits on social media. The attackers carried white supremacist symbols including the flag known as the "Confederate battle flag," as well as anti-Semitic and fascist symbols including swastikas. At the same time as

many were carrying these symbols of the enemies of the United States, some of the attackers were observed removing the flag of the United States, throwing it to the ground, and replacing it with a flag bearing the name of President Donald J. Trump.

Respectfully, we draw your attention to 18 U.S. Code § 2383, which states: "Whoever incites, sets on foot, assists, or engages in any rebellion or insurrection against the authority of the United States or the laws thereof, or gives aid or comfort thereto, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than ten years, or both; and shall be incapable of holding any office under the United States."

In addition, we draw your attention to the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, which states: "No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, or elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, who, having previously taken an oath, as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof."

In light of yesterday's appalling events, we, the undersigned members of the New York State Senate, call on the United States Congress to hold President Donald J. Trump accountable for inciting an insurrection against the government of the United States, using all avenues available, up to and including impeachment and immediate removal from office.

In addition, we call on Congress to hold accountable any members of Congress who may have incited, encouraged, assisted, or offered aid and comfort to insurrectionists, using all avenues available, up to and including expulsion of members.

We further call on the United States Department of Justice to thoroughly, transparently, and impartially investigate the incidents of Wednesday, January 6th, and bring to justice anyone and everyone involved, including the President of the United States and his co-conspirators.

As elected representatives of the people of the State of New York, we stand by the two hundred forty-four year old democratic and pluralistic promise of the United States of America. We will not allow it to be destroyed by the divisive and hateful actions of an aspiring petty tyrant and his followers.

Sincerely,

Liz Krueger
State Senator
28th District

Andrea Stewart-Cousins
Majority Leader
New York State Senate

Joseph Addabbo, Jr.
State Senator
15th District

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13th District

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38th District

Gustavo Rivera
State Senator
33rd District

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18th District

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cc:
Acting United States Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen
New York State Congressional Delegation

Moran, John (ODAG)

From: Moran, John (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:10 AM
To: Engel, Steven A. (OLC); Murray, Claire M. (OASG)
Subject: Fwd: AG Barr

FYI

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Raimondi, Marc (PAO)" <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Date: January 7, 2021 at 11:06:25 AM EST
To: "Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)" <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Moran, John (ODAG)" <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Michel, Christopher (OAG)" <chrnichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: AG Barr

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FYSA

0:30 a.m.

Former Attorney General William Barr says President Donald Trump's conduct as a violent mob of his supporters stormed the U.S. Capitol was a "betrayal of his office and supporters."

In a statement to The Associated Press, Barr said Thursday that "orchestrating a mob to pressure Congress is inexcusable."

Barr was one of Trump's most loyal and ardent defenders in the Cabinet.

His comments come a day after angry and armed protesters broke into the U.S. Capitol, forcing Congress members to halt the ongoing vote to certify President-elect Joe Biden's election and then flee from the House and Senate chambers.

Barr resigned last month amid lingering tension over the president's baseless claims of election fraud and the investigation into Biden's son.

From: DoJ Real Time News Clips <alert-doj@rendon.com>

Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 10:50 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Twitter: Mike Balsamo

Twitter: Mike Balsamo

Media: Twitter
Byline: @MikeBalsamo1
Date: January 7, 2021
URL: <https://twitter.com/MikeBalsamo1/status/1347206963604705284>

New - Former AG Bill Barr says President Donald Trump's conduct yesterday "was a betrayal to his office and supporters." "Orchestrating a mob to pressure Congress is inexcusable," Barr says in statement to @AP.

<https://apnews.com/article/election-2020-ioe-biden-donald-trump-northern-ireland-elections-992705542ceebba6596f2d6682b476e7>

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To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Cc: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
Subject: Re: Close hold

Now seeing reports that this is not true.

John

> On Jan 7, 2021, at 6:21 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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> Not sure if this came to you through other channels but a Capitol Hill police officer (b)(6) was has died.

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(b)(5)

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) <kmastropasqua@jmd.usdoj.gov>

> Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 6:17 PM

> To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>

> Subject: Re: Close hold

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> He has died, unfortunately.

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> Kristina Mastropasqua

> Office of Public Affairs

> Department of Justice

(b)(6)

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>> On Jan 7, 2021, at 6:15 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) <kmastropasqua@jmd.usdoj.gov>

>> Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 6:10 PM

>> To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>

>> Subject: Close hold

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>> Cap police officer injured last night (b)(6)

No further details.

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>> Kristina Mastropasqua
>> Office of Public Affairs
>> Department of Justice
> (b)(6)

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 7:19 PM
To: Jeffrey Rosen (jeffrey.rosen38@usdoj.gov); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: President Trump Video on the Capitol matter

The President just released this video:

<https://twitter.com/realDonaldTrump/status/1347334804052844550?s=20>

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

Marc.raimondi@usdoj.gov

(b)(6)

All correspondence contained in this e mail, to include all names and associated contact information, may be subject to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552.

Lofthus, Lee J (JMD)

From: Lofthus, Lee J (JMD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 9:05 AM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Michel, Christopher (OAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: FW: RFK Security posture for January 6th

Guys, for you and the Acting AG. Lee

From: Dunlap, James L (JMD) <James.L.Dunlap@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 8:45 AM
To: Lofthus, Lee J (JMD) <Lee.J.Lofthus@usdoj.gov>; Allen, Michael (JMD DAAG) <Michael.Allen3@usdoj.gov>; Wilkinson, Monty (JMD) <Monty.Wilkinson@usdoj.gov>
Cc: Toll, Theresa (JMD) <Theresa.Toll@usdoj.gov>; Gunning, Christine E. (JMD) <Christine.E.Gunning@usdoj.gov>; Dunlap, James L (JMD) <James.L.Dunlap@usdoj.gov>
Subject: RFK Security posture for January 6th

Below is the current security posture of the RFK. (b)(7)(E)

(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

James L. Dunlap
Department Security Officer
Director - Security & Emergency Planning Staff
Desk - (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Cell - (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

"When the time to perform has arrived, the time to prepare has passed"



MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

January 5, 2021

The Honorable Jeffery Rosen
Acting United States Attorney General
950 Pennsylvania Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20530

The Honorable Ryan D. McCarthy
Secretary of the Army
101 Army Pentagon
Washington, DC 20310

The Honorable Chris Miller
Acting Secretary of Defense
1000 Defense Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301

Dear Acting Attorney General Rosen, Secretary McCarthy, and Acting Secretary Miller:

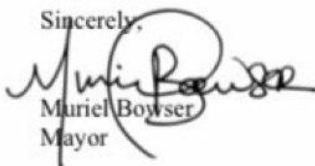
As the law enforcement agency charged with protecting residents and visitors throughout the District of Columbia, the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) is prepared for this week's First Amendment activities. MPD has coordinated with its federal partners, namely the US Park Police, US Capitol Police and the US Secret Service—all of whom regularly have uniformed personnel protecting federal assets in the District of Columbia. This week, MPD has additional logistical support of unarmed members of the DC National Guard, who will work under the direction of, and in coordination with, MPD.

The District of Columbia Government has not requested personnel from any other federal law enforcement agencies. To avoid confusion, we ask that any request for additional assistance be coordinated using the same process and procedures.

We are mindful that in 2020, MPD was expected to perform the demanding tasks of policing large crowds while working around unidentifiable personnel deployed in the District of Columbia without proper coordination. Unidentifiable personnel—in many cases, armed—caused confusion among residents and visitors and could become a national security threat with no way for MPD and federal law enforcement to decipher armed groups.

To be clear, the District of Columbia is not requesting other federal law enforcement personnel and discourages any additional deployment without immediate notification to, and consultation with, MPD if such plans are underway. The protection of persons and property is our utmost concern and responsibility. MPD is well trained and prepared to lead the law enforcement, coordination and response to allow for the peaceful demonstration of First Amendment rights in the District of Columbia.

Sincerely,


Muriel Bowser
Mayor

Cc: Congresswoman Eleanor Holmes Norton

Thank you

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From: Thomas Burr <TBurr@nexstar.tv>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 1:30 PM
To: Paula Malatesta <PMalatesta@wgnamerica.com>
Subject: Re: DOJ CONTACT

Anything I can help you get?

I think Kerri Kupec is still there but not positive. I can check! She was with Barr.

Thomas Burr
Washington producer
News Nation
tburr@nexstar.tv

(b)(6)



From: Paula Malatesta <PMalatesta@wgnamerica.com>
Date: Thursday, January 7, 2021 at 2 25 PM
To: Thomas Burr <TBurr@nexstar.tv>
Subject: DOJ CONTACT

I can't remember the contact/pio for DOJ
Mind telling me again

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 2:32 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Michel, Christopher (OAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: FW: AG Rosen

Team, While I was not part of the planning meetings on the demonstration response plannin (b)(5)

How about this as a response

(b)(5)

We need to respond by about 4PM.

Marc

From: Viswanatha, Aruna <aruna.viswanatha@wsj.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 1:42 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Gurman, Sadie <sadie.gurman@wsj.com>
Subject: AG Rosen

Hey Marc,

we are piecing together a story on what happened yesterday, and are told that Acting Attorney General Jeff Rosen had signed off on the decision to use a light footprint of federal officers to help police protests yesterday, deferring to MPD/Bowser who had specifically asked for limited federal presence beyond the Guard members they had already requested. Would you have any comment on this?

Also we understand there was some intelligence re the pro-Trump groups coming to DC to storm the U.S. capitol - do you have any comment or guidance on why that wasn't considered urgent/credible?

Many thanks

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 2:26 PM
To: Jeffrey Rosen (jeffrey.rosen38@usdoj.gov); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD); Michel, Christopher (OAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG)
Subject: FW: ACTING U.S. ATTORNEY MICHAEL SHERWIN FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA TO PROVIDE UPDATES ON CRIMINAL CHARGES RELATED TO EVENTS AT THE CAPITOL YESTERDAY

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The United States Department of Justice

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 2021

ACTING U.S. ATTORNEY MICHAEL SHERWIN FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA TO PROVIDE UPDATES ON CRIMINAL CHARGES RELATED TO EVENTS AT THE CAPITOL YESTERDAY

******* MEDIA ADVISORY *******

WASHINGTON – Acting U.S. Attorney Michael Sherwin will provide updates on charges related to yesterday’s events at the Capitol via moderated conference call.

WHO:

Acting U.S. Attorney Michael Sherwin for the District of Columbia

WHAT:

Acting U.S. Attorney Sherwin will provide updates on charges related to yesterday’s events at the Capitol.

WHEN:

Today, 3:15 p.m. ET

WHERE:

The call-in number will be provided shortly before the start of the event to those that RSVP. Limited number of lines so please RSVP early.

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Plack, Laura (ODAG)

From: Plack, Laura (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 1:24 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG)
Bcc: Plack, Laura (ODAG)

DAG and Rich

I am grateful that both of you are still at the Department's helm. Our country is better for it.

I am deeply troubled and disturbed by yesterday's events (b)(5)

I had previously conveyed to John and SeLena that I would check out on Monday, January 11 simply because the date works for personal reasons. That said, I am available to stay until January 20 if it would be helpful to the Department's mission.

Laura

Laura Jenkins Plack

Associate Deputy Attorney General

U.S. Department of Justice

Office: 202.353.3030

Cel (b)(6)

Laura.Plack@usdoj.gov

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:53 PM
To: Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: RE: STATEMENT OF ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL JEFFERY A. ROSEN

Below is how I sent it out to my press list and to the folks that put it out, it must have been put into a template where the name was previously spelled wrong. I take full responsibility.

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 12:35 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: STATEMENT OF ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL JEFFERY A. ROSEN

Someone in OPA needs to put a post-it on their computer to check this before every release.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)" <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Date: January 7, 2021 at 12:20:44 PM EST
To: "Raimondi, Marc (PAO)" <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)" <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Michel, Christopher (OAG)" <chrnichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Moran, John (ODAG)" <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov (b)(6) (NSD)" <(b)(6)>, "Sherwin, Michael (USADC) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)" <(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)>, "Demers, John C. (NSD)" <John.C.Demers@usdoj.gov>, "Burns, David P. (NSD)" <dburns@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: STATEMENT OF ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL JEFFERY A. ROSEN

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My name is misspelled. It is “Jeffrey”, not “Jeffery”.

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:07 PM

To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG) <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Michel, Christopher (OAG) <chrnichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov (b)(6) (NS (b)(6)); Sherwin, Michael (USA (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)); Demers, John C. (NSD) <John.C.Demers@usdoj.gov>; Burns, David P. (NSD) <dburns@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: STATEMENT OF ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL JEFFERY A. ROSEN

The United States Department of Justice

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 2020

STATEMENT OF ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL JEFFERY A. ROSEN

WASHINGTON “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:04 PM
To: Spencer Ackerman
Subject: RE: Timeline query

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Spencer Ackerman <Spencer.Ackerman@thedailybeast.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 9:39 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Timeline query

Hi Marc,

Regarding the acting attorney general’s statement: “Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and the U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this unacceptable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

Can you clarify for me:

1. When specifically did Rosen (or whomever, correct me if it wasn’t Rosen) give the order to muster those “hundreds”?
2. When specifically did they arrive at the Capitol? Pictures from the late afternoon and early evening don’t seem to show an enlarged law-enforcement presence.
3. To the above point, can you clarify what specifically they did? Were they held in reserve or did they clear out the Capitol building and grounds? What did they use to do it, how many arrests did they make?
4. Who specifically was the on-scene commander?
5. What preparations beforehand did the Justice Department make for the march on the Capitol? There is a very stark contrast between how aggressively federal police phalanxed federal buildings during the Black Lives Matter protests and how easily the insurrectionists overran the Capitol. What accounts for that?

If it’s easier to call me, I’m (b)(6).

Thanks,
Spencer

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Spencer Ackerman

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:02 PM
To: Ryan Reilly
Subject: RE: Any press conferences in the works? Future statements? Anything?

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Ryan Reilly <ryan.reilly@huffpost.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 11:34 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: Any press conferences in the works? Future statements? Anything?

Great, will you be the primary contact? Appreciate you keeping me in the loop.

Ryan J. Reilly
HuffPost Senior Justice Reporter
(b)(6)
[@ryanreilly](mailto:ryanreilly@huffpost.com)
https://www.huffpost.com/author/ryan_j_reilly

On Thu, Jan 7, 2021 at 11:32 AM Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Probably statements and arrest releases. Working now

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 7, 2021, at 11:23 AM, Ryan Reilly <ryan.reilly@huffpost.com> wrote:

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Ryan J. Reilly

HuffPost Senior Justice Reporter

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[@ryanjreilly](#)

https://www.huffpost.com/author/ryan_j_reilly

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:02 PM
To: Lynch, Sarah N. (Reuters)
Subject: RE: was there another Rosen statement beyond your response to my sedition inquiry?

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Lynch, Sarah N. (Reuters) <Sarah.N.Lynch@thomsonreuters.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 11:58 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: was there another Rosen statement beyond your response to my sedition inquiry?

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:00 PM
To: Shepardson, David (Reuters)
Subject: RE: Is there a new Rosen statement?

“Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Shepardson, David (Reuters) <David.Shepardson@thomsonreuters.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 11:54 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Is there a new Rosen statement?

I don’t see it

David Shepardson
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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:43 AM
To: Li, Kaei (PAO); Clark, Melissa D. (PAO); Timmons, Mollie R. (PAO)
Subject: Please prep this for release ASAP
Importance: High

Please do NOT edit the statement, if you think there is an error, flag it for me.

Statement of Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen

“Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the evening with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

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Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:18 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Cc: Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: Re: Draft AG Statement

Statement clear.

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
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On Jan 7, 2021, at 10:51 AM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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Kristin (b)(5). We want to put it out as soon as possible.

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG) <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 10:49 AM
To: Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Michel, Christopher (OAG) <chrnichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Sherwin, Michael (USAD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Cc: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6)); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Draft AG Statement
Importance: High

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Mike: Please fact check and ensure accuracy. Are we good to go?

Canterbury, Kenneth (ODAG)

From: Canterbury, Kenneth (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:33 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Bissex, Rachel (OAG); Moran, John (ODAG); Favitta, Jeff (OAG)
Subject: Final Thoughts

All

I wanted to take this opportunity to say thank you for the opportunity to serve at the Department of Justice. If not for Covid I believe I would have been able to contribute in a more significant manner and I pray for your continued good health. As my final thought I want to say that I believe the United States Federal Law Enforcement officers performed beyond reproach yesterday and what many don't understand is that protection of life was the objective and the physical property was and should have been secondary. I hear members of both parties praising Law Enforcement and I hope that they will remember the January 6th riot as proof that when others run away, Law Enforcement, runs toward danger. Again thank you for this great opportunity.

Chuck Canterbury
Senior Advisor
Office of the Deputy Attorney General
Mobil (b)(6)
Office 202.305.0620

From:
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Subject: RE: some update on DOJ and Rosen response?

“The violence at our Nation’s Capitol Building is an intolerable attack on a fundamental institution of our democracy. From the outset, the Department of Justice has been working in close coordination with the Capitol Police and federal partners from the Interior Department, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Guard, as well as the Metropolitan Police and other local authorities. Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and the U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this unacceptable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 4:53 PM
To: 'Josh Gerstein' <jgerstein@politico.com>
Subject: RE: some update on DOJ and Rosen response?

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From: Josh Gerstein <jgerstein@politico.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 4:51 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: some update on DOJ and Rosen response?

Josh Gerstein
Senior Legal Affairs Reporter
POLITICO
jgerstein@politico.com
josh@joshgerstein.com

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:34 PM
To: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG); Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: RE: Press Statement? -Draft

We are about to put something out

From: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG) <cgrieco@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 5:34 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG) <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Press Statement? -Draft

Sir,

I noticed that we have not put out a press statement yet. Here is a draft if we need one. There has definitely been confusion online about the federal government resources helping or not.

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Christopher Grieco
Associate Deputy Attorney General
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Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:26 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Engel, Steven A. (OLC (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: RE: A/AG Statement

How about something slightly longer, such as:

“The violence at our Nation’s Capitol Building is an intolerable attack on a fundamental institution of our democracy. From the outset, the Department of Justice has been working in close coordination with the Capitol Police and federal partners from the Interior Department, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Guard, as well as the Metropolitan Police and other local authorities. Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice has sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this intolerable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:51 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG) <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6)
Subject: A/AG Statement

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Kueter, Dean (OLA)

From: Kueter, Dean (OLA)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:15 PM
To: Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: Re: Major Cities Chiefs

Thanks, John. Let me know how I can help.

Dean M. Kueter, Jr.
USDOJ—State and Local Law Enforcement Coordination Section

(o) 202-305-2072

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> On Jan 6, 2021, at 17:02, Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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> Thanks, Dean. I have shared with the A/AG and Rich.

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> John

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>> On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:52 PM, Kueter, Dean (OLA) <dkueter@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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>> Hey John

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>> I know it's chaotic right now but I asked Tim about getting a message up the chain and he thought it best to send it to you.

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>> I've talked to the Major Cities Chiefs Association and they wanted to offer AG Rosen any assistance he may need to deal with the situation at the Capitol.

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>> They also wanted to know if there would be any communications coming out to state and locals in case this spreads to other cities.

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>> Just wanted to pass this along and offer to help in any way I can.

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>> Thanks and be safe.

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>> Dean

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>> Dean M. Kueter, Jr.

>> USDOJ—State and Local Law Enforcement Coordination Section

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:40 PM
To: Engel, Steven A. (OLC); Jeffrey Rosen (jeffrey.rosen38@usdoj.gov)
Subject: A/AG statement on Capitol seizure
Importance: High

Sir, suggest we issue something like this.

Steve, any concerns?

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:23 PM
To: Alexandra Hutzler
Subject: Re: Newsweek Request for Comment Re: National Guard Deployment

“The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds.”

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:22 PM, Alexandra Hutzler <a.hutzler@newsweek.com> wrote:

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Hi Marc,

I am reaching out to confirm that the National Guard is being deployed to Washington D.C., as White House press secretary Kayleigh McEnany tweeted. Is the entire DC National Guard of 1,100 troops being deployed and how quickly can the public expect them to be on guard in the area? Will the Department of Justice take any other steps in response to Wednesday's events?

Best,

Alexandra Hutzler | Staff Writer
NEWSWEEK
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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:19 PM
To: Geoffrey Guray
Subject: Re: PBS NewsHour inquiry -- Capitol situation

“The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds.”

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:13 PM, Geoffrey Guray <GGuray@newshour.org> wrote:

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Hi Marc --

I'm emailing to ask if the Acting Attorney General (or anyone at DOJ more broadly) has put forward any response / statement to the still-unfolding events at the U.S. Capitol.

Also: How are DOJ and its components involved in the law enforcement response?

Appreciate your fielding this --

Geoffrey Guray
PBS NewsHour Politics Producer

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@glguray

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:19 PM
To: Li, Kaei (PAO)
Subject: Re: Statement?

"The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds."

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:09 PM, Li, Kaei (PAO) <kli@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Peter Loewi <p.loewi@asahiam.com>
Date: January 6, 2021 at 4:07:02 PM EST
To: "Li, Kaei (PAO)" <kli@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Statement?

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Dear Ms. Li,

My name is Peter Loewi, I'm a reporter with the Asahi Shimbun. Thank you for helping me get onto the mailing lists a couple weeks ago.

Pentagon Spokesman Jonathan Hoffman just sent out a statement saying that "The law enforcement response will be led by the Department of Justice."

Does the Department of Justice have a statement out at this time?

Thank you,

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Peter Loewi
Staff Reporter

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Engel, Steven A. (OLC)

From: Engel, Steven A. (OLC)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:12 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: Re: DC unrest

Sure (b)(5)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:10 PM, Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG) <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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From: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:51 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG) <jarosen@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: DC unrest

I just got out of a meeting and see reports of the chaos in DC. Please let me know if I can be of any help.

Steven A. Engel
Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legal Counsel
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20530
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Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:05 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Subject: Capitol events

Are you going to be poc for these inquiries? Daily beast has it from dod that DOJ is leading the response at the Capitol. Want me to respond or send to you?

And I still need to get back to bop approving that statement.

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:04 PM
To: Spencer Ackerman
Subject: Re: Daily Beast query re violence at the Capitol

“The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds.”

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:02 PM, Spencer Ackerman <Spencer.Ackerman@thedailybeast.com> wrote:

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Marc, this is what DOD’s Jonathan Hoffmann says, that you’re in charge:

“The D.C. Guard has been mobilized to provide support to federal law enforcement in the District. Acting Secretary Miller has been in contact with Congressional leadership, and Secretary McCarthy has been working with the D.C. government. The law enforcement response will be led by the Department of Justice.”

Is DOJ in charge and if so what is it doing?

Spencer

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Spencer Ackerman
Senior National Security Correspondent
The Daily Beast
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From: Spencer Ackerman <Spencer.Ackerman@thedailybeast.com>
Date: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 at 3:25 PM
To: Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <Kerri.Kupec@usdoj.gov>, Raimondi, Marc (OPA) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Daily Beast query re violence at the Capitol

Kerri, Marc: what if anything is DOJ doing about the violence under way at the Capitol? Who is in command of the

response to it?

Thanks,
Spencer

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Spencer Ackerman
Senior National Security Correspondent
The Daily Beast

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:03 PM
To: Jeff Mordock
Subject: Re: Does Acting AG Rosen have a comment on the Capitol siege?

“The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds.”

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:02 PM, Jeff Mordock <jmordock@washingtontimes.com> wrote:

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Is DOJ issuing a statement?

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Jeff Mordock
Justice Department Reporter
The Washington Times
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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:02 PM
To: Barrett, Devlin
Subject: Re: DOJ in charge of Nat Guard response in DC

“The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds.”

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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On Jan 6, 2021, at 3:58 PM, Barrett, Devlin <Devlin.Barrett@washpost.com> wrote:

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Hi Marc,

The National Guard folks say they are deploying to DC under the direction of DoJ. Who is directing them? How is it being directed? What is DoJ's role right now in retaking control of the Capital?

My number (b)(6).

Dev

Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

From: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:41 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)

If you need help, I can be in the office in 15, but available by phone now.

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From:

Subject:

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mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov

From: mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 2:44 PM
To: Demers, John C. (NSD); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: Footage from inside the Capitol

Looks like they are starting to trash the place.

<https://twitter.com/faizelpatel143/status/1346904486133035012?s=21>

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 2:37 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)
██████████ (NSD)
Subject: FW: Capitol Police assist?\

Gents, just wanted to give you heads up that we are receiving several requests on what the Federal response is. The Capitol Police have said they have asked for MPD and Federal assistance. Thus far I have been referring media to the Capitol Police and MPD.

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Please let me know if we are going to have a meeting to discuss this matter or receive updates.

Marc Raimondi

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From: Balsamo, Mike <MBalsamo@ap.org>
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 2:32 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Capitol Police assist?\

Hey Marc

Is DOJ sending law enforcement resources to the Capitol to assist Capitol Police?

Thanks,
Mike

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WASHINGTON, DC 20510

January 5, 2021

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Ryan D. McCarthy
Secretary of the Army
101 Army Pentagon
Washington, DC 20310

Chris Miller
Acting Secretary of Defense
1000 Defense Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301

Dear Acting Attorney General Rosen, Secretary McCarthy, and Acting Secretary Miller:

In light of expected protests this week in Washington, D.C., and the announcement of the mobilization of the D.C. National Guard, I wish to draw your attention to Sec. 1064 of H.R. 6395, *William M. Thornberry National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2021*, which became law on January 1, 2021. Members of the armed forces and federal law enforcement personnel responding to civil disturbances are now required to visibly display both their name or an individual identifier, and the name of the armed force, or federal entity by which they are employed:

(a) In General.--Chapter 41 of title 10, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following new section:

“Sec. 723. Support of Federal authorities in response to civil disturbances: requirement for se of members of the Armed Forces and Federal law enforcement personnel

(a) Requirement.--Whenever a member of the armed forces (including the National Guard) or Federal law enforcement personnel provide support to Federal authorities to respond to a civil disturbance, each individual employed in the capacity of providing such support shall visibly display--

(1) the individual's name or other individual identifier that is unique to that individual; and

(2) the name of the armed force, Federal entity, or other organization by which such individual is employed.

(b) Exception.--The requirement under subsection (a) shall not apply to individuals referred to in such subsection who--

(1) do not wear a uniform or other distinguishing clothing or equipment in the regular performance of their official duties; or

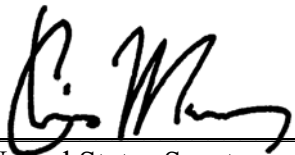
(2) are engaged in undercover operations in the regular performance of their official duties.”

Last June, Americans watched as President Trump and former Attorney General Bill Barr deployed unidentifiable federal officers in riot gear to crack down on peaceful demonstrators exercising their constitutional rights in cities across the country. This lack of identification made

it impossible for citizens to distinguish between legitimate law enforcement and dangerous private vigilantes, or hold accountable enforcement personnel who engaged in abusive conduct. The legislation enacted into law last week ensures that no administration has the authority to deploy unidentifiable law enforcement or members of the armed forces in response to a civil disturbance.

We must all must ensure the safety of Americans who gather to peacefully exercise their constitutional rights and we thank you for your attention to this critical matter.

Sincerely,



United States Senator

Cc: Muriel Bowser, Mayor of the District of Columbia

Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 2:55 PM
To: DiZinno, Richard (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
Cc: (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: Inquiry from Mayor Bowser on DC Unrest
Attachments: MMB to Rosen McCarthy and Miller Jan 5 2021.pdf

Good afternoon,

Attached as an FYSA is an incoming we just received from Mayor Bowser regarding potential deployment of federal LE in DC.

Thanks,
Kira

Kira Antell
Office of Legislative Affairs
Department of Justice
o: 202-514-6703
(b)(6)



MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

January 5, 2021

The Honorable Jeffery Rosen
Acting United States Attorney General
950 Pennsylvania Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20530

The Honorable Ryan D. McCarthy
Secretary of the Army
101 Army Pentagon
Washington, DC 20310

The Honorable Chris Miller
Acting Secretary of Defense
1000 Defense Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301

Dear Acting Attorney General Rosen, Secretary McCarthy, and Acting Secretary Miller:

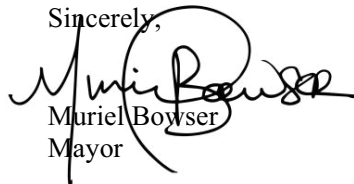
As the law enforcement agency charged with protecting residents and visitors throughout the District of Columbia, the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) is prepared for this week's First Amendment activities. MPD has coordinated with its federal partners, namely the US Park Police, US Capitol Police and the US Secret Service—all of whom regularly have uniformed personnel protecting federal assets in the District of Columbia. This week, MPD has additional logistical support of unarmed members of the DC National Guard, who will work under the direction of, and in coordination with, MPD.

The District of Columbia Government has not requested personnel from any other federal law enforcement agencies. To avoid confusion, we ask that any request for additional assistance be coordinated using the same process and procedures.

We are mindful that in 2020, MPD was expected to perform the demanding tasks of policing large crowds while working around unidentifiable personnel deployed in the District of Columbia without proper coordination. Unidentifiable personnel—in many cases, armed—caused confusion among residents and visitors and could become a national security threat with no way for MPD and federal law enforcement to decipher armed groups.

To be clear, the District of Columbia is not requesting other federal law enforcement personnel and discourages any additional deployment without immediate notification to, and consultation with, MPD if such plans are underway. The protection of persons and property is our utmost concern and responsibility. MPD is well trained and prepared to lead the law enforcement, coordination and response to allow for the peaceful demonstration of First Amendment rights in the District of Columbia.

Sincerely,



Muriel Bowser
Mayor

Cc: Congresswoman Eleanor Holmes Norton

Singh, Carolyn (OLA)

From: Singh, Carolyn (OLA)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 2:44 PM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA); McKay, Shirley A (OLA); Greer, Megan L. (OLA); Thorley, Charles A. (OLA)
Subject: FW: Letter from DC Mayor Muriel Bowser
Attachments: MMB to Rosen McCarthy and Miller Jan 5 2021.pdf

Kira, Chad, Megan, attached is another incoming about civil unrest before she left, Taylor flagged these unrest-related items for me to handle. Is there a plan in place for handling these other than routing time to Shirley for logging in? Please advise. Thank you!

From: Singh, Carolyn (OLA)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 2:41 PM
To: Kinlow, Eugene (EOM) <eugene.kinlow@dc.gov>
Subject: RE: Letter from DC Mayor Muriel Bowser

Good afternoon Eugene, confirming receipt.

Please let me know if there are any questions.

Thank you,

Carolyn Singh
Counsel
Office of Legislative Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6)

From: Kinlow, Eugene (EOM) <eugene.kinlow@dc.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 2:34 PM
To: Singh, Carolyn (OLA) <csingh@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Letter from DC Mayor Muriel Bowser

Attached please find a letter from DC Mayor Muriel Bowser to the Honorable Jeffery Rosen.

Eugene D. Kinlow
Director, Office of Federal and Regional Affairs
Executive Office of Mayor Muriel E. Bowser
(b)(6) (Office)
(b)(6) (Mobile)
Eugene.Kinlow@dc.gov



<http://mayor.dc.gov/>

For the latest information on the District Government's response to COVID-19 (Coronavirus), please visit coronavirus.dc.gov.

Moran, John (ODAG)

From: Moran, John (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 9:48 AM
To: Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG)
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

Yes, that's fine. Thanks.

John

> On Jan 5, 2021, at 9:09 AM, Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG) <spowell@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

>
> Good morning,
>
> Due to the planned demonstrations tomorrow, Maya and Nate would like to telework tomorrow if that's ok. I'm teleworking today and tomorrow. Please advise.

>
> SeLena Y. Powell
> Office Manager
> 202-532-5912

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 9:33 AM
To: Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: RE: On with the A/AG. Can call after

Things for today we will need to deal with

(b)(5)

DOJ demonstration prep statement

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

From: Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2021 9:31 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: On with the A/AG. Can call after

Sent from my iPhone

Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG)

From: Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:52 AM
To: Atwell, Tonya (ODAG); Braverman, Adam L. (ODAG); Brinkley, Winnie (ODAG); Brown, Angela M. (ODAG); Canterbury, Kenneth (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); DiZinno, Richard (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Gamble, Nathaniel (ODAG); Goldsmith, Andrew (ODAG); Grieco, Christopher (ODAG); Harris, Stacie B. (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG); Hughes, William C. (ODAG); Hunt, Ted (ODAG); Keilty, Michael (ODAG); Lan, Iris (ODAG); Lee, Steffanie G. (ODAG); Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG); Lytle, Mark (ODAG); Mascott, Jenn (ODAG); Masling, Mark (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG); Perkins, Paul (ODAG); Plack, Laura (ODAG); Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG); Shores, Ryan (ODAG); Simms, Donna Y. (ODAG); Suero, Maya A. (ODAG); Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG)
Subject: FW: Demonstrations This Week
Importance: High

FYSA

From: Dunlap, James L (JMD) <James.L.Dunlap@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 7:29 AM
To: SPM (JMD) <spm@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Exec/Admin Officers OBDs <Exec_AdminOfficersOBDs@jmd.usdoj.gov>; COOP POCs <COOPPOCs@jmd.usdoj.gov>; SEPS Plus Contractors (JMD) <sepspluscontractors@jmd.usdoj.gov>; JMD Senior Staff (JMD) <JMDSeniorStaff@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Demonstrations This Week
Importance: High

All;

Good morning MPDC has closed 10th and Constitution but is permitting vehicle access when presenting credentials or government issued ID. 10th and Penn is also blocked so vehicles departing 10th Street gate must turn left onto 10th street when exiting.

James L. Dunlap
Department Security Officer
Director - Security & Emergency Planning Staff
Desk (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Cell (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

"When the time to perform has arrived, the time to prepare has passed"

From:
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: FW: DOJ statement

(b)(5) [Redacted]
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From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 11:25 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
C (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: Re: DOJ statement

I think it shoul (b)(5) [Redacted]
[Redacted] Thanks

On Jan 4, 2021, at 10:39 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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Got it (b)(5) [Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 10:36 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
C (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: RE: DOJ statement

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[Slight edits below:](#)

(b)(5) [Redacted]
[Redacted]
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[Redacted]

(b)(5)

Thanks.

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 7:51 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>
C (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: RE: DOJ statement

Ric (b)(6) said that you wanted a statement drafted for DOJ that should go out tomorrow (b)(5). I am happy to discuss.

Please let me know if you have any edits.

(b)(5)

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
Marc.raimondi@usdoj.gov

(b)(6)

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From (b)(6) (NS (b)(6))
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 7:44 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
C (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: Re: DOJ statement

Marc,

Yes, it will be. Rich D wants to see a draft tonight. It will need to go out tomorrow AM (b)(5). Please Cc me when you send it to Rich.

Also, Rich D needs to give you some talking points for follow up questions. Let me know if Rich is short on time and I can help you with those.

Thanks,

(b)(6)

On Jan 4, 2021, at 7:37 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

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(b)(6) If this is a press statement I can take it from here.

Fro (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 7:37 PM
T (b)(6) (NS (b)(6))
Cc: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <mraimondi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Re: DOJ statement

Thank (b)(6)

Marc, any edits before I run it by the A/DAG for initial feedback?

On Jan 4, 2021, at 7:34 PM (b)(6) (NSD)

(b)(6) wrote:

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Marc,

With apologies for the delay, please see some rough text below for the DOJ statement. This is rather short and could be expanded depending on what we'd like to emphasize. (I will put this into a Word doc once we finalize the language.)

(b)(5)
[Redacted text block]

Thank you,

(b)(6)

[Redacted signature]

Brown, Angela M. (ODAG)

From: Brown, Angela M. (ODAG)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 1:09 PM
To: Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG)
Subject: RE: Demonstrations This Week ROAD CLOSURES AROUND DOJ TOMORROW AND WEDNESDAY FYI

Thanks much!

From: Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG) <spowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:43 PM
To: Atwell, Tonya (ODAG) <toatwell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Braverman, Adam L. (ODAG) <albraverman@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Brinkley, Winnie (ODAG) <swbrinkley@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Brown, Angela M. (ODAG) <ambrown@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Canterbury, Kenneth (ODAG) <kencanterbury@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Creegan, Erin (ODAG) <ericreegan@jmd.usdoj.gov>; DiZinno, Richard (ODAG) <rdizinno@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Gamble, Nathaniel (ODAG) <nagamble@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Goldsmith, Andrew (ODAG) <AGoldsmith@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Grieco, Christopher (ODAG) <cgrieco@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Harris, Stacie B. (ODAG) <sbharris@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hodes, Jarad (ODAG) <jhodes@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG) <phovakimian4@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hughes, William C. (ODAG) <wchughes@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Ted (ODAG) <thunt@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Keilty, Michael (ODAG) <mickelity@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Lan, Iris (ODAG) <irlan@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Lee, Steffanie G. (ODAG) <sglee@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG) <anliskamm@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Lytle, Mark (ODAG) <mlytle@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Mascott, Jenn (ODAG) <sjenmascott@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Masling, Mark (ODAG) <marmasling@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Perkins, Paul (ODAG) <pperkins@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Plack, Laura (ODAG) <lplack@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG) <spowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Shores, Ryan (ODAG) <rshores@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Simms, Donna Y. (ODAG) <dsimms@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Suero, Maya A. (ODAG) <masuero@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG) <bradweinsheimer@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: FW: Demonstrations This Week - ROAD CLOSURES AROUND DOJ TOMORROW AND WEDNESDAY FYI
Importance: High

FYSA

From: Lofthus, Lee J (JMD) <Lee.J.Lofthus@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:34 PM
To: Michel, Christopher (OAG) <chrnichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Moran, John (ODAG) <johmoran@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Murray, Claire M. (OASG) <cmmurray@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Watson, Theresa (OAG) <twatson@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Powell, SeLena Y (ODAG) <spowell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) <ricdonoghue@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: FW: Demonstrations This Week - ROAD CLOSURES AROUND DOJ TOMORROW AND WEDNESDAY FYI
Importance: High

From: Dunlap, James L (JMD) <James.L.Dunlap@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 10:50 AM
To: SPM (JMD) <spm@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Exec/Admin Officers OBDs <Exec_AdminOfficersOBDs@jmd.usdoj.gov>; COOP POCs <COOPPOCs@jmd.usdoj.gov>; SEPS Plus Contractors (JMD) <sepspluscontractors@jmd.usdoj.gov>; JMD Senior Staff (JMD) <JMDSeniorStaff@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Demonstrations This Week
Importance: High

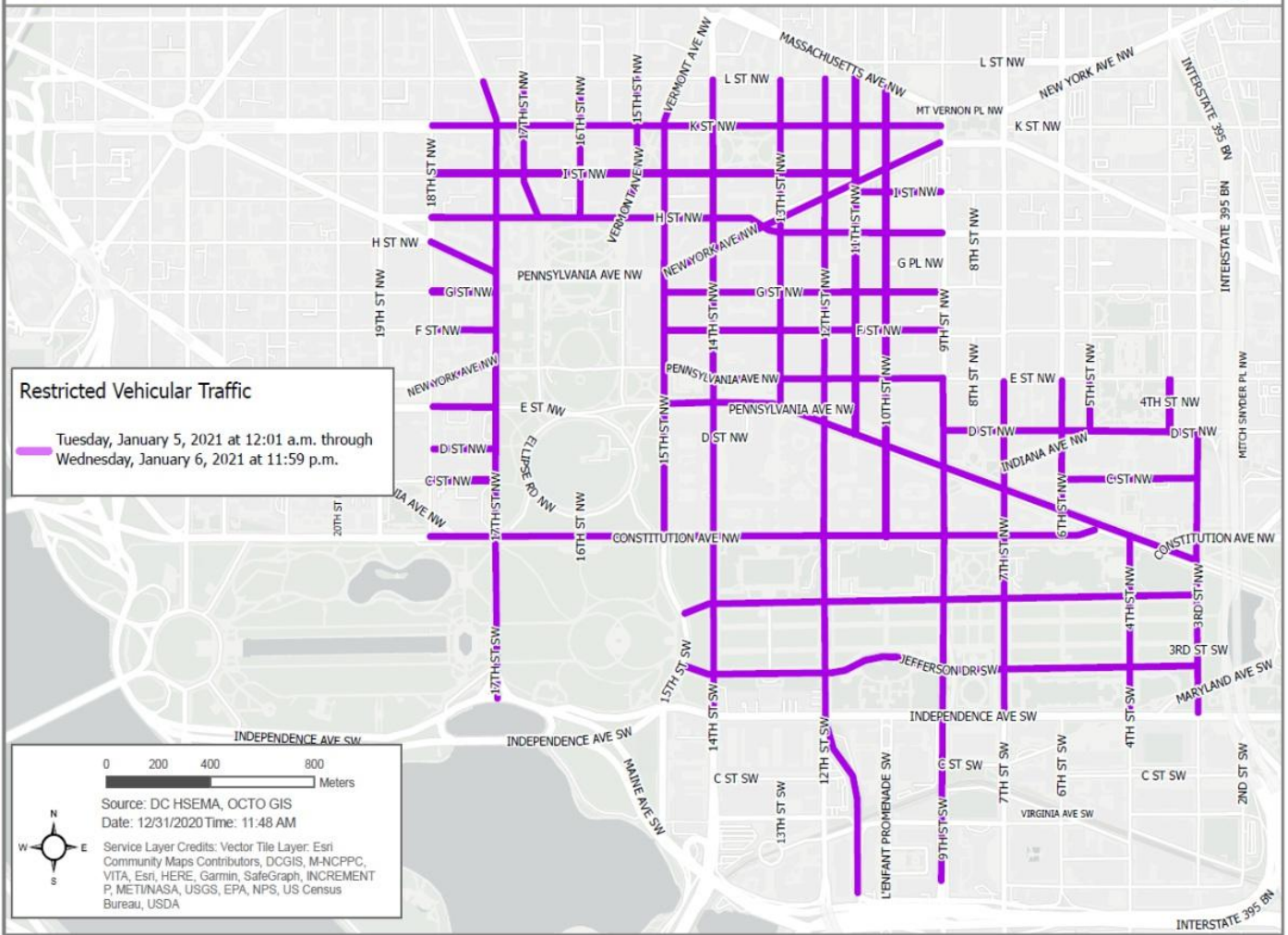
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There are a number of demonstrations planned this week between January 5-7, with the potential of 5,000 thousand or more in attendance. Impacts to driving in the area are expected due to [road closures](#) and large numbers of people. Currently there is no information indicating potential for unrest, however, employees should remain mindful of these events especially when traveling in the downtown DC area. Please refer to these [SAFETY TIPS](#) for information to safeguard yourself.



First Amendment Activity - Restricted Vehicular Traffic

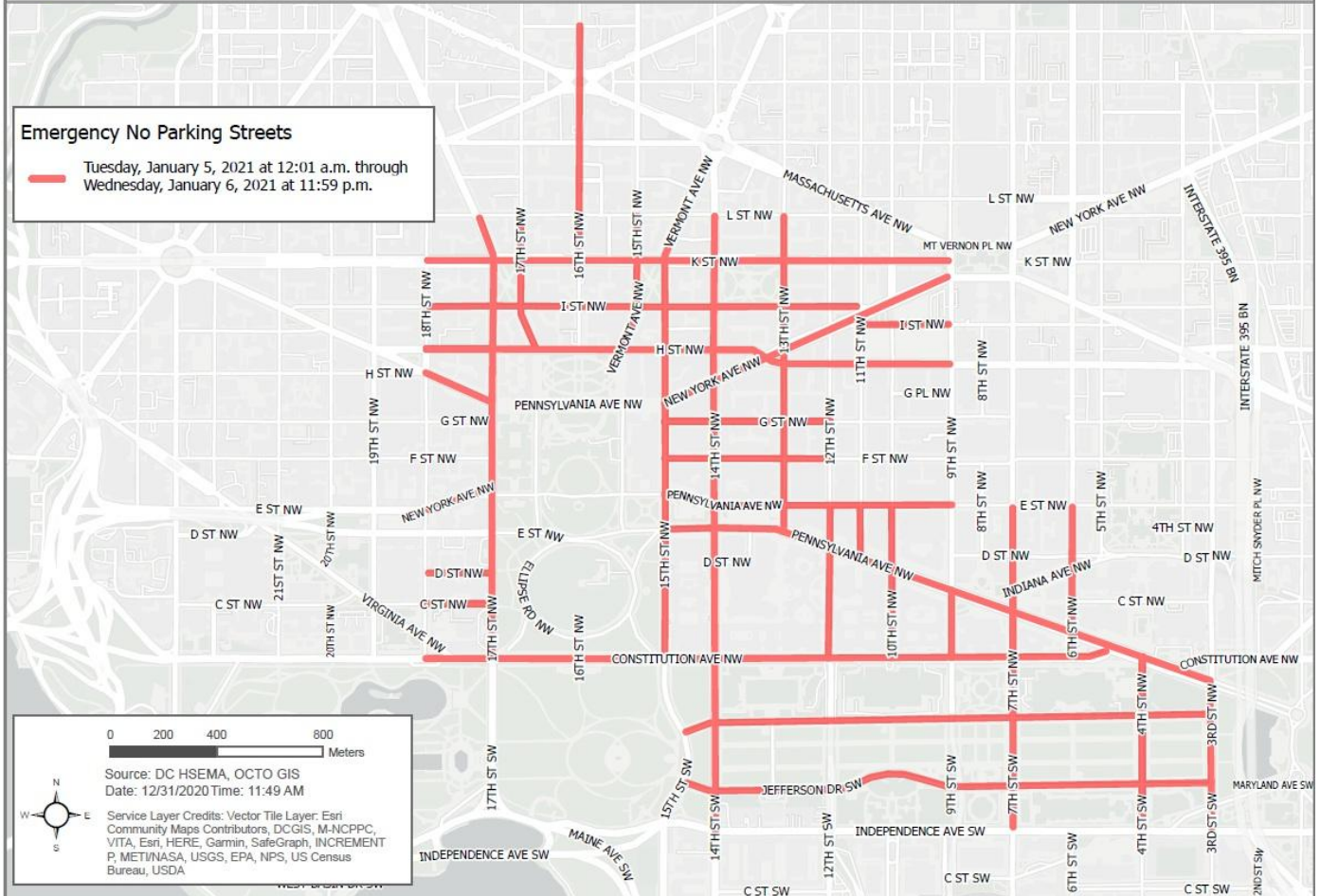
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First Amendment Activity - Emergency No Parking Restrictions

Tuesday, January 5, 2021 at 12:01 a.m. through Wednesday, January 6, 2021 at 11:59 p.m.



James L. Dunlap
 Department Security Officer
 Director Security & Emergency Planning Staff
 Desk (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
 Cell (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

"When the time to perform has arrived, the time to prepare has passed"

Washington, Tracy T (OAG)

From: Washington, Tracy T (OAG)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:50 PM
To: Watson, Theresa (OAG)
Subject: RE: Demonstrations This Week

Thank you.

Tracy T Washington
Staff Assistant
Office of the Attorney General
U S Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530
(202) 514 9660

From: Watson, Theresa (OAG) <twatson@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:47 PM
To: Washington, Tracy T (OAG) <twashington@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Demonstrations This Week

Sure.

From: Washington, Tracy T (OAG) <twashington@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:46 PM
To: Watson, Theresa (OAG) <twatson@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Demonstrations This Week

Theresa,

I would also like to telework on Tuesday, January 5 for safety reasons? Giving the street closures, the ridership on Metrorail will mostly likely increase on both days. Lastly, I will be here all day, sinc (b)(6)

--Tracy

Tracy T Washington
Staff Assistant
Office of the Attorney General
U S Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530
(202) 514 9660

From: Watson, Theresa (OAG) <twatson@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 11:03 AM
To: Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Cash, Tabitha (OAG) <tacash@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Cole, Taylor (OAG) <tacole@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Delaplane, Camellia Assefi (OAG) <cadelaplane@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hamilton, Gene (OAG) <ghamilton@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Harwood, Stacy (OAG) <staharwood@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Jackson, Wykema C. (OAG) <wjackson@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Kunasek, Hannah (OAG) <hkunasek@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Metcalf, David (OAG) <dametcalf@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Michel, Christopher (OAG) <chrmichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Morell, Clare (OAG) <cmmorell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Newman, Ryan D. (OAG) <rdnewman@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Russell, Dravidian J (OAG) <drussell@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Stitt, Jason (OAG) <jstitt@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Washington, Tracy T (OAG) <twashington@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Watlington, Robert (OAG) <rwatlington@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Watson, Theresa (OAG) <twatson@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Willard, Lauren (OAG) <lwillard@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Demonstrations This Week
Importance: High

DUE TO THE UPCOMING DEMONSTRATIONS, YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO TELEWORK ON WEDNESDAY, JAN. 6.

**THANKS,
THERESA**

Good morning all:

There are a number of demonstrations planned this week between January 5 7, with the potential of 5,000 thousand or more in attendance. Impacts to driving in the area are expected due to [road closures](#) and large numbers of people. Currently there is no information indicating potential for unrest, however, employees should remain mindful of these events especially when traveling in the downtown DC area. Please refer to these [SAFETY TIPS](#) for information to safeguard yourself.

Michel, Christopher (OAG)

From: Michel, Christopher (OAG)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 10:59 AM
To: Watson, Theresa (OAG); Bissex, Rachel (OAG)
Subject: Re: Wednesday

Seems wise to me.

Chris Michel
Counselor to the Attorney General
202-616-3922 (office)
(b)(6) (cell)

From: Watson, Theresa (OAG) <twatson@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 10:56 AM
To: Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Michel, Christopher (OAG) <chrnichel@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Wednesday

With the street closures and demonstrations on Wednesday, do you all have a problem with offering staff to telework?



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Washington, DC 20530-0001

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November 16, 2021

Austin Evers
American Oversight
1030 15th Street, NW
Suite B255
Washington, DC 20005
foia@americanoversight.org

Re: FOIA-2021-00563
21-cv-00624 (D.D.C.)
VRB:JMB:BPF

Dear Austin Evers:

This is a second interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated and received on January 11, 2021, in which you requested communications of various Department of Justice officials concerning the events of January 6, 2021, at the U.S. Capitol from December 21, 2020, to January 7, 2021.

On August 13, 2021, we provided you with an interim response to your request. We have now completed the processing of an additional 107 pages. At this time, I have determined that these 107 pages are appropriate for release with excisions made pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, 7(A), 7(C), 7(E), and 7(F) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E), and b(7)(F), and copies are enclosed.

Exemption 5 pertains to certain inter- and intra-agency communications protected by the deliberative process privilege. Exemption 6 pertains to information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Exemption 7(A) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings. Exemption 7(C) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Exemption 7(E) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which would disclose certain techniques and procedures or guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions. Exemption 7(F) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of an individual.

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For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2018). This response is limited to those records that are 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.

If you have any questions regarding this response, please contact Bradley Craigmyle of the Department's Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch, at 202-616-8101.

Sincerely,



Jonathan Breyan
Senior Supervisory Attorney
for
Vanessa R. Brinkmann
Senior Counsel

Enclosures

Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:45 PM
To: (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: FW: SIR
Attachments: StopTheSteal_Potential_Violence_in_Washington_DC_area_SIR.pdf

From: Moore, Jennifer L. (WF) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:33 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) (b)(6)
Subject: Fwd: SIR

Sir,

As requested the SIR in question.

Jennifer

Special Agent in Charge
Intelligence Division
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington Field Office
(b)(7)(E) per FBI office
(b)(7)(E) per FBI cell

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From: "(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (WF) (FBI)" (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Date: Jan 12, 2021 3:27 PM
Subject: SIR
To: "Moore, Jennifer L. (WF) (FBI)" (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Cc:

From: (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:24 PM
To: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (WF) (FBI) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Subject: FBINET to UNET Uploaded Files



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Potential Activity Alert

NORFOLK DIVISION

Approved for Release: 05 January 2021

SIR Number: **(b)(7)(E) per FBI**

(U//~~LES~~) Potential for Violence in Washington, D.C. Area in Connection with Planned 'StopTheSteal' Protest on 6 January 2021

SOURCE: (U//~~FOUO~~) A collaborative source.

FBI Norfolk is releasing this Situational Information Report to raise law enforcement awareness regarding the potential for violence in the Washington D.C. area in connection with a planned 'StopTheSteal' protest on 6 January 2021.

(U//~~LES~~) As of 5 January 2021, FBI Norfolk received information indicating calls for violence in response to

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(b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI to begin on 6 January 2021 in Washington, D.C. (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//~~LES~~) (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//~~LES~~) (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//~~LES~~) (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//~~LES~~) Figure 1.

(b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI



(b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI



(U//~~LES~~) FBI Comment. **(b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI**

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Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:44 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: FW: SIR
Attachments: StopTheSteal_Potential_Violence_in_Washington_DC_area_SIR.pdf

From: Moore, Jennifer L. (WF) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI

Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:33 PM

To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) (b)(6)

Subject: Fwd: SIR

Duplicative Material

McAllister, Stephen (USAKS)

From: McAllister, Stephen (USAKS)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 9:58 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: Re: DC Events

Thanks Rich. Will do. Glad you are still where you are for as long as possible.

Steve

> On Jan 7, 2021, at 8:33 PM, Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) wrote:

>

> Steve - please extend my thanks to your team. They are true patriots. Rich

>

>> On Jan 7, 2021, at 9:10 PM, McAllister, Stephen (USAKS) <SMcAllister@usa.doj.gov> wrote:

>>

>> Michael,

>>

> (b)(5)
[Redacted text block]

>>

>> Steve

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 9:00 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 2100 update

Sir,

Good evening. We are closely monitoring #1. We will update you if it turns out to be anything.

1. The White House situation re (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per FBI [REDACTED]. Further details developing.

2. (b)(7)(E) per FBI [REDACTED]

3. National Guard reports they are expecting by 2200 arrival of 300 Virginia National Guardsmen which will bring total by tomorrow to 2,000, with expectations of a total of 8,300 Guardsmen in DC by Sunday.

4. (b)(7)(A) per NSD [REDACTED]

5. (b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(A) per NSD; (b)(7)(E) per FBI [REDACTED]

No reports from other agencies at this time.

Best,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

Hur, Robert (USAMD)

From: Hur, Robert (USAMD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:54 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: Re: Coordination of Capitol-related matters

Understood; thank you.

Stay safe,
Rob

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODA (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:44 PM
To: Hur, Robert (USAMD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: RE: Coordination of Capitol-related matters

Rob,

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

Thanks,

Rich

From: Hur, Robert (USAMD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:24 AM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Subject: Coordination of Capitol-related matters

DAG,

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

[Redacted] Happy to participate in a
conference call if it makes sense to coordinate on the front end.

Thanks and take care,
Rob

Robert K. Hur
United States Attorney
District of Maryland

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

[REDACTED]

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:28 PM
To: Jeffrey Rosen (b)(6); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: FW: USCP STATEMENT: Status of USCP Officers

Sir, (b)(5); (b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 8:22 PM
To: Kohl, Ken (USAD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)); Crabb, John D. (USAD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)); Sherwin, Michael (USAD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Cc: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: Fwd: USCP STATEMENT: Status of USCP Officers

[EXTERNAL]

PLEASE SEE THE U.S. CAPITOL POLICE STATEMENT BELOW:

Media reports regarding the death of a United States Capitol Police (USCP) officer are not accurate. Although some officers were injured and hospitalized yesterday, no USCP officers have passed away.

We ask that our officers' and their families' privacy be respected at this time. Should a statement become necessary, the Department will issue one at the appropriate time.

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Eva Malecki
Communications Director
United States Capitol Police

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 7:57 PM
To: Sherwin, Michael (USADC); Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO (b)(6) (NSD);
Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: FW: "US Capitol Police officer has died following pro-Trump riot"

CNN told me they heard this from a member of congress.

From: DOJ Real Time News Clips <alert-doj@rendon.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 7:10 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)
Subject: CNN: "US Capitol Police officer has died following pro-Trump riot"

CNN: "US Capitol Police officer has died following pro-Trump riot," Kristin Wilson, Evan Perez, and David Brooks, January 7, 2021
<https://www.cnn.com/2021/01/07/politics/capitol-police-officer-dead-after-riot/index.html>

A US Capitol Police officer has died from events stemming from Wednesday's riot at the Capitol, three sources confirm to CNN, in which a mob of President Donald Trump's supporters stormed the building to stop the counting of electoral votes that affirmed President-elect Joe Biden's win.

The police officer is now the fifth person to die as a result of the day's violence. One woman was shot and killed by Capitol Police as the crowd breached the building and three others suffered medical emergencies that proved fatal.

This is a breaking story and will be updated.

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From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 6:33 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 1830 update

Sir,

Good evening. Here are the updates...

INTEL: effort to identify individuals is ongoing. No specific threats seen for the coming days.

Capitol Police is on a 24/7 investigation basis until further notice. Tip line is crimetips@uscg.gov or call 202-224-9145. USCP had **60 injuries yesterday / 15 hospitalized / one in critical condition**. Efforts to construct a perimeter fence are almost complete.

Park Police: Units are checking the Mall where there is report of heavy-set Asian male placing posters of the shooting victim in the National Mall area. One of the posters has been recovered.

Secretary of the Army will visit National Guard troops this evening.

(b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

Reward posters will issue tonight for certain subjects who breached the Capitol, with a \$50,000 reward.

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per NSD and EOUSA

The Kansas City Courthouse was shut down this morning as a preventative measure when police learned that protests had been planned at that location.

Best,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 6:12 PM
To: Viswanatha, Aruna
Cc: Gurman, Sadie
Subject: RE: AG didn't sign off on any plan

Our job isn't riot control, crowd control or traffic control. It is investigating criminal violations of federal law. Our role for this protest was to ensure there was connective tissues between the lead law enforcement agencies, which we did through the SIOC, WFO Ops Center and MPD Command center.

You are till hammering the peg.

From: Viswanatha, Aruna <aruna.viswanatha@wsj.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 5:55 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Gurman, Sadie <sadie.gurman@wsj.com>
Subject: Re: AG didn't sign off on any plan

ok we are tweaking to this - we understand there was a planning call about this earlier this week in which DOJ made this decision:

On a separate call earlier this week, Justice Department officials including Acting Attorney General Jeffrey Rosen, discussed how to handle the planned protest, and concluded they saw little role for themselves in riot control, according to people familiar with the matter.

On Thu, Jan 7, 2021 at 5:34 PM Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Yes, that is not accurate to say that the Acting AG wanted a lighter footprint. For the reasons I stated below. Please stop trying to hammer a round peg through a square hole.

From: Viswanatha, Aruna <aruna.viswanatha@wsj.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 5:01 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) Gurman, Sadie <sadie.gurman@wsj.com>
Subject: Re: AG didn't sign off on any plan

When Barr was AG he ordered the clearing of Lafayette Square. BOP officers have been called to help various protests in the past year. DEA offered to send agents to assist. We are told all of this by law enforcement officials, including that DHS wanted to have a similar presence this time and DOJ disagreed. Do you want to dispute this on the record?

On Thu, Jan 7, 2021 at 4:54 PM Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

It wasn't something for him to agree or disagree with. We don't do crowd control. We don't have uniformed police, we have mostly criminal investigators/special agents. There is not a scenario where FBI agents are assigned to traffic control or crowd control as part of a plan, and they only respond as such as a last resort. If you want more people to do that, you activate more national guard or you leverage your

MOUs with other police departments.

From: Viswanatha, Aruna <aruna.viswanatha@wsj.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 4:44 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: Re: AG didn't sign off on any plan

the point we wanted to make was just that both Bowser/MPD and DOJ agreed to go with a light footprint strategy to avoid escalating any tense situations akin to what happened in Portland or Lafayette Square. Is that wrong? This is how we had planned to include it

Washington Mayor Muriel Bowser had also urged federal law enforcement to maintain a light footprint for protests, seeking to avoid the type of show of force that had inflamed already tense situations at social justice protests last year. Acting Attorney General Jeffrey Rosen agreed, according to people familiar with the matter. Once the protesters reached the grounds of the Capitol, they were left in the hands of the quickly outmanned Capitol Police.

On Thu, Jan 7, 2021 at 4:09 PM Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

There were three distinct areas with three agencies the lead for each. The Elipse was the Park Police supported by the MPD and National Guard.

No significant issues happened at the Elipse.

The roads between the Elipse and the Capitol were the responsibility of the MPD, the crowd walked in a mostly orderly fashion to the Capitol with no significant issues.

The Capitol, is the domain of the Capitol Police and under the chain of command of the Legislative branch leaders.

Each of these agencies made the plans they felt were sufficient and requested assets, if any, that they thought they needed to execute on their plans.

The Department of Justice role was to make sure that coordination and communications amongst the supporting agencies was being facilitated and did so through the FBI's SIOC, the WFO's Command Center and the MPD Operations Center.

I am not sure what your confusion is regarding these roles?

From: Viswanatha, Aruna <aruna.viswanatha@wsj.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 4:00 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: Re: AG didn't sign off on any plan

we are told there was a debate about what kind of federal officer presence to have with the protests, and the AG agreed that they should avoid deploying officers from DOJ components to be a show of force in Washington akin to the officers deployed in the summer in Portland etc. Who would be signing off on that if not the AG?

On Thu, Jan 7, 2021 at 3:55 PM Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Where did you get your info?

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs

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From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 6:05 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: A/DAG comm to US Attys
Importance: High

Rich (b)(5)

Let me know what you want to go with and I'll get it out through EOUSA.

*** DRAFT ***

Dear U.S. Attorneys,

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 4:33 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 1630 update

Sir,

Good afternoon. The latest...

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) (b)(7)(E) per NSD, EOUSA, FBI
[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]

[Redacted]

Best,

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 2:36 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
Subject: FBI Director Statement

FBI Director Chris Wray Statement:

"The violence and destruction of property at the U.S. Capitol building yesterday showed a blatant and appalling disregard for our institutions of government and the orderly administration of the democratic process. As we've said consistently, we do not tolerate violent agitators and extremists who use the guise of First Amendment-protected activity to incite violence and wreak havoc. Such behavior betrays the values of our democracy. Make no mistake: With our partners, we will hold accountable those who participated in yesterday's siege of the Capitol.

Let me assure the American people the FBI has deployed our full investigative resources and is working closely with our federal, state, and local partners to aggressively pursue those involved in criminal activity during the events of January 6. Our agents and analysts have been hard at work through the night gathering evidence, sharing intelligence, and working with federal prosecutors to bring charges. Members of the public can help by providing tips, information, and videos of illegal activity at the following link -- [FBI Seeking Information Related to Violent Activity at the U.S Capitol Building](#). We are determined to find those responsible and ensure justice is served."

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From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:33 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 1230 update

Sir,

Good afternoon.

(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA . Nothing else to report.

(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA/FBI

50-100 demonstrators inside the Lincoln Memorial. The group has been dispersed from the interior chamber. One individual tried to climb the statute and has been arrested.

National guard continues to deploy at US Capitol and traffic points within the district.

(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

ATF has deployed additional resources (b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

Agents are in touch with architect of capitol and sergeant at arms concerning any art that was damaged or stolen.

The Capitol Police will have a war room operational within a few hours. NSD/CTS and DCUSAO will be working with USCP to develop evidence and cases.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

Congressional leadership protective details have been augmented.

Capitol Police issued a media statement about bombs found yesterday. Director Wray has issued a more general statement noting FBI will deploy full resources for the investigation.

(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA/FBI

(b)(7)(A) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

Best,

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(b)(6)

JCC (JMD)

From: JCC (JMD)
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To: Abraham, Jeffrey R (JMD (b)(6) (NSD); Anderson, Brian W (JMD); Andrews, Kelli (NSD); Avery, Charles W (JMD); Barnes, James J. (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Burns, David P. (NSD); Clarke, Mark M (JMD); Collier, Isaac M.; Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(7)(E) per FBI FBI; CTSIntell (NSD); Curley, Alexandra (JMD (b)(6) (NSD); DiZinno, Richard (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Dubriel, Laurie (ENRD); Dunlap, James L (JMD); EPG (JMD); Gadsden, Paul S (JMD); Gibbs, Trella N (JMD); Gunning, Christine E. (JMD); Hart, Rosemary (OLC); Haufe, Robert W. (OIG); Hornbuckle, Wyn (PAO); Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG); Levi, William (OAG (b)(6) (NSD); McAtamney, James A. (USAEO); McCloskey, Sharon (JMD (b)(6) per ATF (NSD); McDermond, James E.; McManus, Doug (CIV (b)(6) (NSD); (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (DO) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OAG); NSD CTS Coordinators (JMD); (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Rogers, Melinda (JMD); seps_cas; SEPS_IncidentRpt; (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6) per ATF.); Smith, Andrew (USMS); Smith, Justin (ENRD (b)(6) (NSD); Swartz, Bruce (CRM); Toscas, George (NSD); Valladares, Brian (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG); Westberg, Kevin L. (CIV)
Subject: FW: Situation Update : Demonstration Activity – Jan 7th, 2021 : 1200 EST
Attachments: First Amendment Demonstrations - January 5-7, 2021.pptx

FYSA

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From: FEMA-NCR-Watch <FEMA-NCR-Watch@fema.dhs.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:14 PM
Subject: Situation Update : Demonstration Activity Jan 7th, 2021 : 1200 EST

Please see the attached Situation Update from the FEMA NCR Watch Desk regarding Demonstration Activity in the National Capital Region as of 1200 EST.

Matt Scherr

Watch Analyst / NCR Watch Desk | Office of National Capital Region Coordination | Office of the Administrator
Mobil (b)(6) per FEMA | Watch Desk: 202.610.1483
matthew.scherr@fema.dhs.gov

Learn more about ONCRC [here](#).





Demonstration Activity – Jan 7th, 2021: 1200 EST : Situation Update

FEMA WebEOC:

Summary: After the unprecedented events at the US Capitol yesterday focused on stopping or influencing the Congressional approval / certification of the Electoral College vote there are numerous operational posture changes and significant incidents within the National Capital Region over the last 24 hrs.

Weather Forecast - January 7th

Day: Sunny, with a high near 44. Northwest wind around 9 mph
Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 29. North wind 3 to 5 mph.

NCREOC Activations / Operational Coordination	Significant Information
DC HSEMA: Enhanced Watch—Until 1800 EST today USCP: Full Deployment FEMA: National Watch Center- Operating Remotely (Mt. Weather Location) FEMA: FEMA R03 – No liaisons / No Deployment at this time DC Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) Joint Operations Command Center (JOCC): Full Activation Maryland : SEOC – Partial Activation NTIC: Monitoring VAIOC: Operating from remote location	At least 69 people were arrested / 26 on the Capitol grounds. Four deaths (Civilian- 1 Shooting / 3 Medical Emergencies) / 13 Injuries (Civilian) / 50 injuries to USCP / MPD Officers were reported as a result of the Civil Unrest District of Columbia- Mayor Bowser has declared a State of Emergency (Order # 2021-003 – extending the emergency for 15 days through January 21) and instituted a citywide curfew for the district overnight . Virginia - Governor Ralph Northam has declared a State of Emergency (Executive Order 75) and instituted overnight curfews for the City of Alexandria and Arlington County Pentagon is mobilizing over 6,000 National Guard members from 6 Northeastern states . MPD Traffic Advisory: 0600 EST January 6, 2021 MPD Traffic Advisory

January 7th : Situational Awareness Updates:

Time	Location	Impacts (Community Lifelines)	Source(s)
b6,b7C per FEMA	b6,b7C per FEMA	Roughly 100 demonstrators have gathered. b6,b7C per FEMA No additional impacts at this time.	National Operations Center

Contact: FEMA-NCR-Watch@fema.dhs.gov

Timeline Overview- Last 24 hours.

January 6, 2021

- 1100 EST – Demonstrators assembled at the Ellipse.
- 1300 EST - Crowd begins movement to Capitol Building.
- 1355 EST – Situation begins to escalate as protestors engage with USCP . USCP begins to evacuate.
- 1420 EST – Senate recesses . Capitol Building locked down.
- 1430 EST – Protestors breach Capitol Building. Senate floor locked down.
- 1440 EST – Mayor Bowser orders 1800 EST curfew. Lawmakers are evacuated from the Capitol Building.
- 1630 EST – Mayor Bowser holds Public Safety press conference with Sec of the Army McCarthy, HSEMA Director, and MPD Police Chief. All non- essential District Gov operations are suspended.
- 1730 EST -VA Governor Ralph Northam declares a State of Emergency and institutes a curfew for the City of Alexandria and Arlington County.
- 1800 EST- US Capitol Building and Grounds are declared secured. Curfew goes into effect.
- 2000 EST – Certification Activities resume.
- 2230 EST – Mayor Bowser issues Orders 2021- 003 – Emergency Declaration.

January 7, 2021

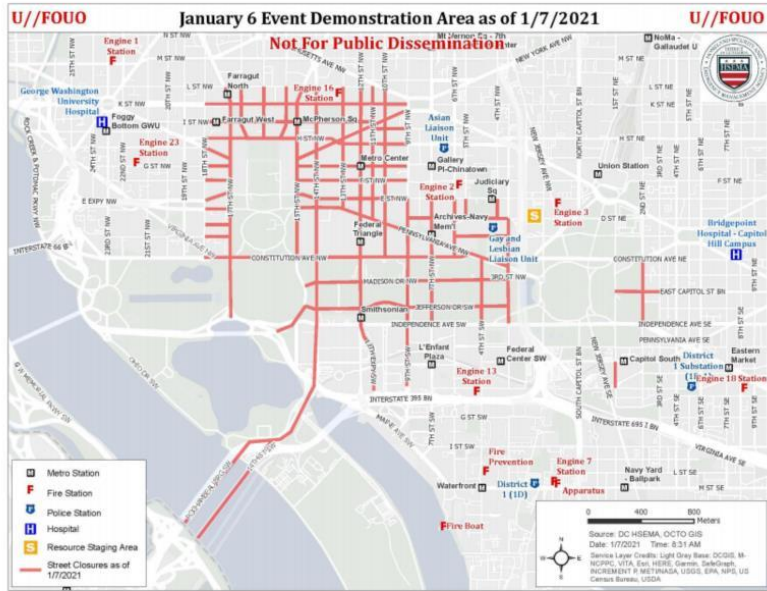
- 0340 EST – Votes officially certified.
- 0600 EST – Curfew lifted.

NCR Jurisdictional and Organizational Status as of 1200 EST

OPM Status / Federal Government			
	Open	Closed	Remarks
Federal Government Operations Status	X		No change in status
District of Columbia			
	Open	Closed	Remarks
DC HSEMA	X		Activation to continue to 1800 EST with plans to extend if needed. ELOs connected virtually. Mayor Muriel Bowser has declared a State of Emergency
MPD	X		JCCC activated. MPD personnel are fully deployed.
FEMS	X		FOC activated
EGM COMMS	X		Virtual JIC resumed operations at 0600 EST
Virginia			
	Open	Closed	Remarks
VDEM / VEST	X		Governor Ralph Northam has declared a State of Emergency
Maryland			
	Open	Closed	Remarks
Maryland SEOC	X		Activated to Partial

Additional Asset Response :Status as of 1200 EST

Federal Government		
	# of Personnel	Remarks / Role
FBI, FBI source training Service	Unknown	in support of CBDF
District of Columbia		
	# of Personnel	Remarks / Role
DC National Guard	1,100	in support of CBDF/ISPD
Virginia		
	# of Personnel	Remarks / Role
Virginia National Guard	800	in support of DC National
Virginia State Police	200	in support of CBDF
Maryland		
	# of Personnel	Remarks / Role
Maryland National Guard	800	in support of DC National Guard / CBDF
Maryland State Police	200	in support of CBDF/ISPD
New York		
	# of Personnel	Remarks / Role
New York National Guard	1,000	in support of DC National Guard / CBDF
		in support of DC National Guard / CBDF
New Jersey		
	# of Personnel	Remarks / Role
New Jersey National Guard	Unknown	in support of DC National Guard / CBDF
New Jersey State Police	Unknown	in support of CBDF/ISPD



1 st Amendment Activity January 5-7, 2021 : Situational Awareness Updates Timeline			
Time	Location/Significant Information	Impacts to Community Lifelines	Source

Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:13 PM
To: Tyson, Jill C. (OCA) (FBI)
Subject: FW: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Just went out -

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:04 PM
To: Hale, Brian Patrick (OPA) (FBI)
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - FW: DC Mayor Press

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Hale, Brian Patrick (OPA) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 9:37 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)
Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - FW: DC Mayor Press

I will raise the issue.

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On Jan 7, 2021 9:36 AM, "Raimondi, Marc (PAO)" <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:
Are you aware of this (b)(5)

From (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 9:18 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)
Subject: DC Mayor Press

Marc,

Just heard that D.C. Mayor Muriel Bowser will hold a press conference at 11:00 a.m. and has invited the FBI to participate. No further details.

Best,

(b)(6)

Acting Chief of Counterterrorism

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Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:03 PM
To: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (WF) (FBI)
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - Think the WFO link is broken

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From (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (WF) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI)
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 10:35 AM
T (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OPA) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)
Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - Think the WFO link is broken

Fbi.gov/uscapitol

On Jan 7, 2021 10:31 AM, "Raimondi, Marc (PAO)" <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

FBI Washington Field

@FBIWFO

[#FBI](#) is seeking info that will assist in identifying individuals who are actively instigating violence in Washington, DC. FBI is accepting tips & digital media depicting rioting & violence in the U.S. Capitol Building & surrounding area on January 6, 2021. ow.ly/2B3k50D236d

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(b)(6)

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:03 PM
To: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OPA) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (WF) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OPA) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OPA) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Can someone send me info on the Digital media teams that are ingesting the video and images and analyzing for crimes?

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Subject: Re: Can someone send me info on the Digital media teams that are ingesting the video and images and analyzing for crimes?

A press release was posted last night (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) is off this week so i moved her to bcc but added (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) and (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
<https://www.fbi.gov/contact-us/field-offices/washingtondc/news/fbi-seeking-information-related-to-violent-activity-at-the-us-capitol-building>

January 6, 2021

FBI Seeking Information Related to Violent Activity at the U.S Capitol Building

The FBI is seeking information that will assist in identifying individuals who are actively instigating violence in Washington, D.C. The FBI is accepting tips and digital media depicting rioting and violence in the U.S. Capitol Building and surrounding area in Washington, D.C., on January 6, 2021.

If you have witnessed unlawful violent actions, we urge you to submit any information, photos, or videos that could be relevant at fbi.gov/USCapitol.

Please use this form to submit any images, videos, or other multimedia files you have related to possible violations of federal law committed. Our goal is to preserve the public's constitutional right to protest by protecting everyone from violence and other criminal activity.

You may also call 1-800-CALL-FBI (1-800-225-5324) to verbally report tips and/or information related to this investigation.

If you do not have an attachment but have information to provide, please submit it at tips.fbi.gov.

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov>

Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 10:32 AM

T (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (WF) (FB (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OPA) (FB (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (OPA) (FB (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - Can someone send me info on the Digital media teams that are ingesting the video and images and analyzing for crimes?

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:02 PM
To: Barrett, Devlin
Subject: RE: writing a story about fbi/doj gathering evidence to make cases against rioters

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Barrett, Devlin <Devlin.Barrett@washpost.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 11:06 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: RE: writing a story about fbi/doj gathering evidence to make cases against rioters

Great, thanks much

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:04 AM
To: Barrett, Devlin <Devlin.Barrett@washpost.com>
Subject: RE: writing a story about fbi/doj gathering evidence to make cases against rioters

CAUTION: EXTERNAL SENDER

We will charge the crimes that the evidence and law supports, including the charging considerations that were sent to the US Attorneys last September which is linked below.

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/page/file/1317916/download> [justice.gov]

From: Barrett, Devlin <Devlin.Barrett@washpost.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 11:00 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: writing a story about fbi/doj gathering evidence to make cases against rioters

Is there anything you want to say on record or on background re: the memo about statutes that Rosen wrote as DAG? I’m told the investigators are proceeding under the same general principal as outlined in the memo, but do you

want to say that officially in any way? Anything else I should know?

I am (b)(6)

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 9:17 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 0900 update

Sir,

The House and Senate are not in session today.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA/FBI
[Redacted]

[Redacted]

The family of the shooting victim at the Capitol has been notified.

D.C. police arrested at least two individuals overnight for curfew violations.

D.C. Mayor Muriel Bowser will hold a press conference at 11:00 a.m. and has invited the FBI to participate.

Best,

(b)(6)

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:51 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: Draft AG Statement
Attachments: 2021 01 07 0845 Draft AG Statement.docx

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(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:40 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: RE: Current numbers for DOJ response to Capitol

Sir,

Good morning. I just touched based with FBI and USMS (Rich is talking to ATF) again in the last hour, both agencies are working at high levels of their management to get more accurate responses. I will provide you an update at the soonest.

Best,

(b)(6)

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(b)(6)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:36 AM
To: (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Sherwin, Michael (USADC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: RE: Current numbers for DOJ response to Capitol

Any updates on these? (b)(5)

(b)(5)

From: (b)(6) (NS (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:26 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Sherwin, Michael (USADC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: Current numbers for DOJ response to Capitol

Sir,

Good evening. Some of the data you requested is still coming into focus (b)(5)

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(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

We will keep working the numbers and provide an update at the soonest.

Best,

(b)(6)

Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:31 AM
To: (b)(6) (NSD)
Cc: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Raimondi, Marc (PAO); Moran, John (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: Re: Current numbers for DOJ response to Capitol

(b)(5)

On Jan 7, 2021, at 12:26 A (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6) wrote:

Duplicative Material

JCC (JMD)

From: JCC (JMD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 4:49 AM
To: Abraham, Jeffrey R (JMD (b)(6) (NSD); Anderson, Brian W (JMD); Andrews, Kelli (NSD); Avery, Charles W (JMD); Barnes, James J. (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Burns, David P. (NSD); Clarke, Mark M (JMD); Collier, Isaac M.; Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(7)(E) per FBI FBI; CTSIntell (NSD); Curley, Alexandra (JMD (b)(6) (NSD); DiZinno, Richard (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Dubriel, Laurie (ENRD); Dunlap, James L (JMD); EPG (JMD); Gadsden, Paul S (JMD); Gibbs, Trella N (JMD); Gunning, Christine E. (JMD); Hart, Rosemary (OLC); Haufe, Robert W. (OIG); Hornbuckle, Wyn (PAO); Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG); Levi, William (OAG (b)(6) (NSD); McAtamney, James A. (USAEO); McCloskey, Sharon (JMD (b)(6) per ATF (NSD); McDermond, James E.; McManus, Doug (CIV (b)(6) (NSD); (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (DO) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OAG); NSD CTS Coordinators (JMD); (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Rogers, Melinda (JMD); seps_cas; SEPS_IncidentRpt; (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6) per ATF); Smith, Andrew (USMS); Smith, Justin (ENRD (b)(6) (NSD); Swartz, Bruce (CRM); Toscas, George (NSD); Valladares, Brian (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG); Westberg, Kevin L. (CIV)
Subject: FW: (U//FOUO) Security Incident US Capitol (Update 2) - Washington, DC (Awareness NOC 0378-20)

FYSA

Respectfully,

(b)(6)

*Watch Officer
Justice Command Center
Security and Emergency Planning Staff
Justice Management Division
US Department of Justice
202-514-5000
(b)(6)*

From (b)(6) per DHS
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 4:09 AM
C (b)(6) per DHS
Subject: (U//FOUO) Security Incident US Capitol (Update 2) - Washington, DC (Awareness NOC 0378-20)

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(U) **Overview:** The US Capitol has been cleared and Congress reconvened at 2000 ET 6 Jan, after

protestors breached the US Capitol building. At 0345 ET Congress adjourned after certifying the Electoral College results.

(U) The DC Police Dept announced 14 Metro Police Officers were injured, one seriously. There were four deaths (one shot, one heart attack, and two other medical emergencies) within and around the Capitol grounds on 6 Jan. Approximately 52 people were arrested during the conflict, 26 on Capitol grounds.

(U) The DC Mayor has declared a State of Emergency for a total of 15 days, expiring at 1500 ET on 21 Jan. The Mayor also ordered a District-wide curfew which started at 1800 ET 6 Jan and will continue until 0600 ET 7 Jan. As of 0041 ET, 7 Jan, there have been approximately 40 arrested for curfew violations. DC Metrorail and Metrobus service ended service early on 6 Jan, however normal service will resume today.

(U) The Governor of VA also ordered a citywide curfew for the City of Alexandria and for Arlington County from 1800 ET 6 Jan until 0600 ET 7 Jan. The VA National Guard has been activated to support law enforcement in DC. The Governor of MD has sent State Troopers and has called 500 members of the MDNG up to support law enforcement in restoring order. The Governor of NY has deployed 1,000 members of the National Guard to Washington DC for up to two weeks. The Governor of NJ has deployed 50 State Troopers to assist.

(U) For additional information, refer to th (b)(7)(E) per DHS [REDACTED] an (b)(7)(E) per DHS [REDACTED].

(U) **Distribution:** DHS HQ Leadership and Senior Staff; DHS Component Leaders and Operations Centers; White House Situation Room; Federal Interagency Operations Centers, and State and Local Mission Partners.

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Subject: FW: (U) Over 50 People Arrested; D.C. Public Emergency Extended For 15 Days-MMC Update 3 [Security Incident US Capitol - Washington, D.C.] NOC 0378-20-2

FYI

(b)(6)
Department of Justice
Command Center
(202) 514-5000

From: NOC Media Monitoring <mmc@techopsolutions.net>
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:03 AM
T (b)(6) per DHS
Subject: (U) Over 50 People Arrested; D.C. Public Emergency Extended For 15 Days-MMC Update 3 [Security Incident US Capitol - Washington, D.C.] NOC 0378-20-2

Unclassified

Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- A Washington, D.C. police official said over 50 people were arrested Wednesday during gatherings in the nation's capital, according to media sources

- Four of the arrests were reportedly related to guns
 - As of 10:30 p.m. Wednesday, D.C. police reported approximately 47 curfew-violation arrests
 - The official also said two pipe bombs and a cooler with Molotov cocktails were found near Capitol grounds on Wednesday
- Additionally, the D.C. mayor's office extended its public emergency for 15 days
 - The public emergency allows for a curfew to be called at any time

New Media Sources (some page content may change or not be available over time):

- **Twitter [fox5dc]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y35kvnjy>

- **Twitter [NBCNews]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y6rtq453>

- **Twitter [fox5dc - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y2a5vgbp>

The above information summarizes emerging open source reporting that has not been corroborated by official government sources. It is provided to rapidly enhance situational awareness on items of interest to the homeland security enterprise.

Camille Robinson

Operations Analyst

DHS NOC Media Monitoring

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)

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Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 0030 update

Sir,

Four deaths have been reported within and around the U.S. Capitol grounds.

~13 MPD officers and 13 civilians have been injured.

Media reporting indicates ~50 people have been arrested by MPD as part of the protests.

Four of those arrested were charged with carrying a pistol without a license, possession of a large capacity ammunition feeding device, possession of unregistered ammunition, according to DC Police. The rest were arrested because of disobeying the curfew put in place by DC's Mayor Bowser from 6 p.m. on Wednesday until 6 a.m. on Thursday. Of those arrested, multiple people were not from the DMV area, according to the information provided on those charged by DC Police. Some of the states that these people charged are from including Michigan, Colorado, Texas and North Carolina.

(b)(7)(A) per NSD; (b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

We will provide overnight updates as they become available. Regardless, we will provide another update shortly after the 8AM briefing.

Best,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

[REDACTED]

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950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:07 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6) (ODAG)
Subject: Fwd: (U) 4 Deaths Reported; 13 MPD Officers, 13 Civilians Injured-MMC Update 2 [Security Incident US Capitol - Washington, D.C.] NOC 0378-20-2

I see the tweet referenced below but I don't see info from the DC PD reporting that there were 4 deaths.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "JCC (JMD)" <JCC@usdoj.gov>
Date: January 6, 2021 at 11:31:52 PM EST
To: "Abraham, Jeffrey R (JMD) (b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD)"
(b)(6), "Anderson, Brian W (JMD) (b)(6)", "Andrews, Kelli (NSD) (b)(6)", "Avery, Charles W (JMD)"
(b)(6), "Barnes, James J. (ODAG) (b)(6)",
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Burns, David P. (NSD)"
(b)(6), "Clarke, Mark M (JMD) (b)(6)", "Collier, Isaac M. (b)(6)", "Creegan, Erin (ODAG) (b)(6)",
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI", "CTSIntell (NSD) (b)(6)", "Curley, Alexandra (JMD) (b)(6)", (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6),
"DiZinno, Richard (ODAG) (b)(6)", "Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)"
(b)(6) "Dubriel, Laurie (ENRD) (b)(6)",
"Dunlap, James L (JMD) (b)(6)", "EPG (JMD) (b)(6)",
"Gadsden, Paul S (JMD) (b)(6)", "Gibbs, Trella N (JMD)"
(b)(6), "Gunning, Christine E. (JMD) (b)(6)",
"Hart, Rosemary (OLC) (b)(6)", "Haufe, Robert W. (OIG)"
(b)(6), "Hornbuckle, Wyn (PAO) (b)(6)",
"Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG) (b)(6)", "Levi, William (OAG)"
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"NSD CTS Coordinators (JMD) (b)(6)", (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
(USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Rogers, Melinda (JMD) (b)(6)",
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(NSD) (b)(6) (b)(6) per ATF
(b)(6) "Smith, Andrew (USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Smith, Justin (ENRD) (b)(6)", (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6)",
"Swartz, Bruce (CRM) (b)(6)", "Toscas, George (NSD)"
(b)(6) "Valladares, Brian (ODAG) (b)(6)",
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG)"

(b)(6), "Westberg, Kevin L. (CIV) (b)(6)
Subject: FW: (U) 4 Deaths Reported; 13 MPD Officers, 13 Civilians Injured-MMC Update 2 [Security Incident US Capitol - Washington, D.C.] NOC 0378-20-2

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FYI

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From: NOC Media Monitoring <mmc@techopsolutions.net>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 11:29 PM
T (b)(6) per DHS
Subject: (U) 4 Deaths Reported; 13 MPD Officers, 13 Civilians Injured-MMC Update 2 [Security Incident US Capitol - Washington, D.C.] NOC 0378-20-2

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Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- Four deaths total have now been reported within and around U.S. Capitol grounds, media reported Wednesday
 - The tally includes deaths from shooting and medical emergencies, according to media
- Fourteen Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) officers were reportedly injured according to the police department
 - A D.C. police official said one officer was seriously hurt after being pulled into the crowd and assaulted, and one has serious facial injuries
- Fire officials also took 13 people to area hospitals on Wednesday from injuries following gatherings around the Capitol

New Media Sources (some page content may change or not be available over time):

- **Twitter [BNONews]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/y4x4kxnh>
- **Twitter [WUSA - Reporter]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/yyjvgj3b>
- **Twitter [fox5dc - Reporter]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/y4pw489z>
- **Associated Press**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/yyqqjzcu>

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Camille Robinson
Operations Analyst
DHS NOC Media Monitoring
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From: (b)(6) per DHS
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 11:40 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO); Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA)
Subject: Re: southpaw (@nycsouthpaw) Tweeted: McCaskill points out we've had no kind of briefing from the Capitol Police, the FBI Dir...

(b)(5)

As far as I'm aware, our teams did everything by the book and we shouldn't let anyone besmirch them.

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 11:29 PM
T (b)(6) per DHS; Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA)
Subject: RE: southpaw (@nycsouthpaw) Tweeted: McCaskill points out we've had no kind of briefing from the Capitol Police, the FBI Dir...

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This is crazy. I was on a phone call with the AG, Deputy AG, DOD Secretary, Vice President Pence, Senate leader McConnell, minority leader McCarthy, Sen. Schumer, and House Speaker Pelosi tonight at 7:20 and we briefed them all on this and told them that we cleared their chambers and they could go back in and restart their sessions (b)(5)

What do you think (b)(5)

(b)(5) We launched hundreds of agents, DOD launched hundreds of citizen soldiers, DHS launched over a hundred officers, we cleared the building, set up a security perimeter, defused bombs, etc. All of this is in addition to what we were asked to do in the prior planning phases.

Thoughts?

From (b)(6) per DHS
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 11:18 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)
Subject: southpaw (@nycsouthpaw) Tweeted: McCaskill points out we've had no kind of briefing from the Capitol Police, the FBI Dir...

southpaw (@nycsouthpaw) Tweeted:

McCaskill points out we've had no kind of briefing from the Capitol Police, the FBI Director, the acting Attorney General, or anyone besides DC municipal officials.

<https://twitter.com/nycsouthpaw/status/1347032835941683202?s=20>

Engel, Steven A. (OLC)

From: Engel, Steven A. (OLC)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:58 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Subject: Re: draft statement

Ok by me.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 6, 2021, at 5:57 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) wrote:

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I added the in front of USMS
“The violence at our Nation’s Capitol Building is an intolerable attack on a fundamental institution of our democracy. From the outset, the Department of Justice has been working in close coordination with the Capitol Police and federal partners from the Interior Department, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Guard, as well as the Metropolitan Police and other local authorities. Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and the U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this unacceptable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

From: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 5:32 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: Re: draft statement

Looks good to me. You corrected my two tweaks.
Do we say “the” USMS? Or just USMS?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 6, 2021, at 5:30 PM, Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) wrote:

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“The violence at our Nation’s Capitol Building is an intolerable attack on a fundamental institution of our democracy. From the outset, the Department of Justice has been working in close coordination with the Capitol Police and federal partners from the Interior Department, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Guard, as well as the Metropolitan Police and other local authorities. Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this unacceptable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:58 PM
To: Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA)
Subject: RE: [Non-DoD Source] RE: Call on Law Enforcement Support
Signed By: marc.raimondi@usdoj.gov

Will do

From: Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA) (b)(6) per DOD
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 5:56 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)
Subject: Re: [Non-DoD Source] RE: Call on Law Enforcement Support

Thanks. Pull in the FBI if needed.

Jonathan Rath Hoffman
Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs)
The Department of Defense
(O (b)(6) per DOD

From: "Raimondi, Marc (PAO)" <Marc.Raimondi@usdoj.gov>
Date: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 at 5:56:00 PM
To: "Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA) (b)(6) per DOD",
(b)(6) per DHS, "Deere, Judd P. EOP/WHO"
(b)(6), "Morgenstern, Brian R. EOP/WHO"
(b)(6) (b)(6) per DHS, "Covelli-
Ingwell, Carmen M SES (USA) (b)(6) per DOD", (b)(6) per DOD
EOP/WHO (b)(6) per DOD
C (b)(6) per DOD
Subject: [Non-DoD Source] RE: Call on Law Enforcement Support

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I can do it.

We just released this from the Acting AG:

“The violence at our Nation’s Capitol Building is an intolerable attack on a fundamental institution of our democracy. From the outset, the Department of Justice has been working in close coordination with the Capitol Police and federal partners from the Interior Department, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Guard, as well as the Metropolitan Police and other local authorities. Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and the U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this unacceptable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

From: Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA (b)(6) per DOD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 5:36 PM
T (b)(6) per DHS; Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
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Morgenstern, Brian R. EOP/W (b)(6) (b)(6) per DHS
(b)(6); Covelli-Ingwell, Carmen M SES (US (b)(6) per DOD
(b)(6) per DOD EOP/W (b)(6)
C (b)(6) per DOD
Subject: Call on Law Enforcement Support

Can we set up an 1800 call on the messaging on our response to events at the Capitol.

Please include others from DOI as necessary.

(b)(6) per DOD

Jonathan Rath Hoffman
Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs)
The Department of Defense
(O (b)(6) per DOD

Dooley, Erin (USATXN)

From: Dooley, Erin (USATXN)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:33 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

Stay safe tonight.

BT (b)(5)

I'll be on email/cell all evening if there's anything at all I can do.

Erin Dooley | Public Affairs | United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of Texas (b)(6) |
(b)(6) | @erindooley

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:00 PM
To: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

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From: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 5:00 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

Understood (b)(5)

Erin Dooley | Public Affairs | United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of Texas (b)(6) |
(b)(6) | @erindooley

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:52 PM
To: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

(b)(5)

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
Marc.raimondi@usdoj.gov

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From: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 4:51 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

I will let her know.

Erin Dooley | Public Affairs | United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of Texas (b)(6) |
(b)(6) | @erindooley

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:48 PM
To: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

None right now (b)(5)

From: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 4:41 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

Got it (b)(5) Can you give me any guidanc (b)(5)

Erin Dooley | Public Affairs | United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of Texas (b)(6) |
(b)(6) | @erindooley

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:34 PM
To: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

I am with the AG (b)(5)

Thank you,
Marc

From: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 4:18 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Talk about violent anarchists...

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Erin Dooley | Public Affairs | United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of Texas (b)(6) |
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From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:16 PM
To: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Subject: Re: Talk about violent anarchists...

Please hold.

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:07 PM, Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6)) wrote:

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Marc and Nicole,

(b)(5)

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Thanks,
Erin

Erin Dooley | Public Affairs | United States Attorney's Office, Northern District of Texas (b)(6) |
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From: NealyCox, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:00 PM
To: Dooley, Erin (USATXN (b)(6))
Subject: R (b)(5)

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Best,
ENC

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 5:24 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael R. (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG);
Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6) (ODAG)
Subject: Fwd: Statement by Acting Secretary Miller on Full Activation of D.C. National Guard

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)
Date: January 6, 2021 at 5:22:51 PM EST
To: "Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA) (b)(6) per DOD
Subject: Re: Statement by Acting Secretary Miller on Full Activation of D.C. National Guard

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Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 6, 2021, at 5:19 PM, Hoffman, Jonathan R SES OSD OSD (USA (b)(6) per DOD
wrote:

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Jonathan Rath Hoffman
Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs)
The Department of Defense
(O (b)(6) per DOD

From: (b)(6) per DOD
Date: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 at 4:43:29 PM
T: (b)(6) per DOD

Subject: Statement by Acting Secretary Miller on Full Activation of D.C. National Guard

Media colleagues,

Please see the below statement by Acting Secretary Miller on the full activation of the D.C. National Guard:

“Chairman Milley and I just spoke separately with the Vice President and with Speaker Pelosi, Leader McConnell, Senator Schumer and Representative Hoyer about the situation at the U.S. Capitol. We have fully activated the D.C. National Guard to assist federal and local law enforcement as they work to peacefully address the situation. We are prepared to provide additional support as necessary and appropriate as requested by local authorities. Our people are sworn to defend the constitution and our democratic form of government and they will act accordingly.”

V/R,

Duty Officer

Office of the Secretary of Defense

Defense Press Operations

JCC (JMD)

From: JCC (JMD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:10 PM
To: Abraham, Jeffrey R (JMD (b)(6) (NSD)); Anderson, Brian W (JMD); Andrews, Kelli (NSD); Avery, Charles W (JMD); Barnes, James J. (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS)); Burns, David P. (NSD); Clarke, Mark M (JMD); Collier, Isaac M.; Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(7)(E) per FBI FBI; CTSIntell (NSD); Curley, Alexandra (JMD (b)(6) (NSD)); DiZinno, Richard (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Dubriel, Laurie (ENRD); Dunlap, James L (JMD); EPG (JMD); Gadsden, Paul S (JMD); Gibbs, Trella N (JMD); Gunning, Christine E. (JMD); Hart, Rosemary (OLC); Haufe, Robert W. (OIG); Hornbuckle, Wyn (PAO); Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG); Levi, William (OAG (b)(6) (NSD)); McAtamney, James A. (USAEO); McCloskey, Sharon (JMD (b)(6) per ATF (NSD)); McDermond, James E.; McManus, Doug (CIV (b)(6) (NSD)); (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (DO) (FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OAG); NSD CTS Coordinators (JMD); (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Rogers, Melinda (JMD); seps_cas; SEPS_IncidentRpt; (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6) per ATF); Smith, Andrew (USMS); Smith, Justin (ENRD (b)(6) (NSD); Swartz, Bruce (CRM); Toscas, George (NSD); Valladares, Brian (ODAG (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS); Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG); Westberg, Kevin L. (CIV)
Subject: (U) Explosive Device Found At RNC Headquarters, Successfully Destroyed; DNC Headquarters Evacuated Due To Additional Package - Washington, D.C.-MMC Update 889 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

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Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- An explosive device was found at the headquarters of the Republican National Committee (RNC) in Washington, D.C., and the nearby headquarters of the Democratic National Committee (DNC) was evacuated after the discovery of a suspicious package on Wednesday, according to three people briefed on the discoveries
 - The device that was found at the RNC was a pipe bomb that was successfully destroyed by a bomb squad, according to an official
 - The package at the DNC has yet to be identified, according to a senior official briefed on the matter
 - The RNC and DNC are headquartered just a few blocks away from the U.S. Capitol

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- Twitter [New York Times - Reporter]

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y4bpjxer>

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Operations Analyst

DHS NOC Media Monitoring

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:03 PM
To: Hale, Brian Patrick (OPA) (FBI)
Subject: Re: WFO Proposed Statements

I'm with the AG. This is what I'm saying.

"The Acting Attorney General is coordinating with our law enforcement partners to add additional Federal law enforcement support to the Capitol Grounds."

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

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On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:00 PM, Hale, Brian Patrick (OPA) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI wrote:

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From: Brown, John A. (NSB) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:51 PM
To: Laycock, Stephen C. (IB) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Shivers, Calvin A. (CID) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Hale, Brian Patrick (OPA) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Wade, Terry (CCRSB) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Abbate, Paul M. (DO) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI; Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Sallet, Jeffrey S. (HRB) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI; Jones, Jason A. (OGC) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Tyson, Jill C. (OCA) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI); Sanborn, Jill (CTD) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI)
Cc: Meador, Stanley M. (DO) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI)
Subject: FW: WFO Proposed Statements

Brian,

We are all good with it....please launch...

Regards,
John

(b)(7)(E) per FBI (Cell)
(b)(7)(E) per FBI (Desk)

On Jan 6, 2021 15:38, "Hale, Brian Patrick (OPA) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI" wrote:
Any concerns before launch? Thanks.

WFOs EM has approved the below two statements -- one re the devices and the response to Capitol.

In response to multiple inquiries, we've received about FBI's response to reports of suspicious devices at the RNC and DNC, we propose to provide the following statement if asked.

“Along with our law enforcement partners, FBI Washington Field Office responded to reports of suspicious devices. The investigation is ongoing.”

In response to inquiries about FBI providing assistance to the U.S. Capitol Police, we propose to provide the following statement if asked:

“The FBI has been deployed to assist our U.S. Capitol Police partners as requested in protection of federal property and public safety.”

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI

Unit Chief

National Press and Operations Unit

FBI Office of Public Affairs

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (desk) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (cell) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (main) [@FBI](#) | [@FBIMostWanted](#)

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From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:48 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Cc: Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (USANH)
Subject: DOJ resources

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

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Subject: (U) 1 Person Shot, Several Others Injured Inside U.S Capitol-MMC Update 1 [Security Incident - US Capitol Washington DC] NOC 0026-21

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Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- One person was shot by gunfire inside the U.S. Capitol building in Washington, D.C., on Wednesday
 - Media reported that CPR is being performed on the individual, who is in critical condition
 - Several other people have also been injured at the Capitol, according to D.C. Fire and EMS
 - U.S. Capitol Police said the scene is not secure

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- **Twitter [BNONews]**
 - <https://tinyurl.com/y3yzd2he>
 - <https://tinyurl.com/y44sxu2w>
 - <https://tinyurl.com/y44sxu2w>
- **Twitter [Fox5DC - Reporter]**
 - <https://tinyurl.com/y45j9g3c>

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From: (b)(6) (NSD)
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To: Moran, John (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

JCC (JMD)

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Subject: FW: (U) Vice President, Both Chambers Of Congress Evacuated - Washington, D.C.-MMC Update 882 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

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T: (b)(6) per DHS
Subject: (U) Vice President, Both Chambers Of Congress Evacuated - Washington, D.C.-MMC Update 882 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

Unclassified

Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- The Vice President of the United States has reportedly been evacuated after people breached the U.S.

Capitol building in Washington, D.C., on Wednesday

- Lawmakers in the House and Senate are reportedly being evacuated
 - People were reportedly attempting to break into the House chamber
 - Shots were reportedly fired on the House chamber floor, while individuals also gained entry into the Senate chamber
- Media reported that lawmakers have pulled out gas masks for use as a precaution

New Media Sources (some page content may change or not be available over time):

- **Twitter [BNONews]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y3387sd6>

- **Twitter [WJLA - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y496rug8>

- **Twitter [CNN - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y244wdgt>

- **Twitter [Newsweek - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y6a5ujge>

- **Twitter [Bloomberg - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y5hhn8eg>

-- <https://tinyurl.com/yyhwf2ej>

- **Twitter [Politico - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y25ew6ho>

- **Twitter [CNBCnow]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y2wo2j2j>

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Subject: (U) U.S. Capitol On Lockdown After Building Reportedly Breached-MMC Update 880 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

This report is forwarded for your situational awareness.

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Justice Command Center
202-514-5000

Unclassified

Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- U.S. Capitol Police say the Capitol building is now under lockdown after crowds breached barricades to the grounds on Wednesday
 - A security alert reportedly warned people in the press gallery to stay away from windows and doors
 - The iron doors at the front of the Capitol building were also reportedly closed
 - Capitol police are blocking anyone from moving from the Senate office buildings into the main Capitol building
- Groups of people had reportedly breached the Capitol
 - Members of the House of Representatives and reporters have reportedly been sealed inside the House chamber
 - "Due to an internal threat in the building, take shelter in the nearest office and stay quiet," an alert

stated

New Media Sources (some page content may change or not be available over time):

- **Twitter [Politico - Reporter]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/yyf8lamn>
- **Twitter [HuffPost - Reporter]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/yy9q8w7h>
- **Twitter [Los Angeles Times - Reporter]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/y2et8d2w>
- **Twitter [Boston Globe - Reporter]**
-- <https://tinyurl.com/y4u43kbs>
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From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 2:29 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: SIOC -- Riot declared at Capitol

- The assembly at the Capitol has been declared a riot by MPD.

- (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA, (b)(7)(E) per FBI

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 1:57 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: SIOC update (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Importance: High

- (b)(7)(A) per NSD; (b)(7)(E) per FBI
- [REDACTED]
- (b)(7)(E) per FBI
- Also, per park Police, as of 1330, there is still a confrontation going on at the Capitol between protestors and the Capitol Police.
- (b)(7)(A) per NSD; (b)(7)(E) per FBI
[REDACTED]

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Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
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Subject: Acting AG Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement
Importance: High

“The violence at our Nation’s Capitol Building is an intolerable attack on a fundamental institution of our democracy. From the outset, the Department of Justice has been working in close coordination with the Capitol Police and federal partners from the Interior Department, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Guard, as well as the Metropolitan Police and other local authorities. Earlier this afternoon, the Department of Justice sent hundreds of federal law enforcement officers and agents from the FBI, ATF, and the U.S. Marshals Service to assist the Capitol Police in addressing this unacceptable situation, and we intend to enforce the laws of our land.”

Marc Raimondi

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(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 9:20 AM
To: Creegan, Erin (ODAG)
Subject: RE: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

In short, yes.

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From: Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 9:06 AM
T (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: FW: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

Does our coordination with DOD go beyond National Guard?

From: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 9:00 AM
To: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6))
Cc: DiZinno, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(6)) Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

Thanks, John. I think your concerns are reasonable and what you and Kira have worked out makes sense to me.

I suggest a few tweaks below (b)(5)

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From: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 8:54 AM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6))
Cc: DiZinno, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(6)) Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)) Engel, Steven A. (OLC (b)(6))
Subject: Re: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

Looping in Steve Engel to make sure I am not off base with my concern (b)(5)

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John

On Jan 6, 2021, at 8:52 AM, Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) wrote:

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Thanks John and others for reviewing this incoming. Are folks comfortable with something like the below (b)(5) Please feel free to edit inline or to phone (202-305-5287) with edits.

DRAFT

Good morning,

(b)(5)
[Redacted]

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:04 PM
To: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: DiZinno, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODAG)
(b)(6) Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6)) (b)(6)
(NSD (b)(6)); Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

Thanks John. I absolutely agree about (b)(5)
[Redacted]

I do think what you've suggested (b)(5)
[Redacted] We also might consider
(b)(5)
[Redacted]

Thanks,
Kira

From: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 10:46 PM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6))
Cc: DiZinno, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODAG)
(b)(6) Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6)) (b)(6)
(NSD (b)(6)); Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: Re: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

Kira,

Given the fact that this is an ongoing operatio (b)(5) [redacted]
[redacted] We can handle legitimate oversight inquiries in due course, bu (b)(5) [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

Perhaps something like this would work for tomorrow:

(b)(5) [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

(I would welcome others' thoughts on that language. (b)(5) [redacted]
[redacted]

Regards,
John

On Jan 5, 2021, at 9:08 PM, Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted]) wrote:

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We just received the below from HPSCI Majority.

It appears as though HPSCI contacted FBI asking for information on “(1) its assessment of the various threats and (2) its overview of interagency coordination and support” (highlighted in blue at the bottom). FBI answered #1 generally and referred questions on #2 to the Department (highlighted in green). HPSCI is particularly interested in our coordination with DoD (highlighted in yellow below). I do not have visibility into what that coordination may look like. My recommendation would b (b)(5) [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] Happy to get on a call to talk this through.

Thanks,
Kira

From: Johnson, Joanne E. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted])
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:48 PM
To: Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted]) Thorley, Charles A. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted]) Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted])
Subject: FW: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

FYI See below re protests. I am not sure who is working protest issues in OLA. Thank you, Joanne

From: Sikorskyj, Lucia (b)(6) [redacted]
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:42 PM
To: Thorley, Charles A. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted]) Johnson, Joanne E. (OLA (b)(6) [redacted])
Cc: Bergreen, Timoth (b)(6) Congressional Email [redacted]; Williams, Douglas A. Jr.

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Subject: Re: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

Good evening ?Chad and Joanne,

The FBI deferred the Committee's referenced priority request to DOJ, with respect to any communications between the Bureau and the Department of Defense on interagency coordination and support related to tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress. As set forth below, we are particularly interested in recent discussions at the leadership level, if any, between the Bureau and the Department of Defense. Please find a full copy of our request in the below email thread and the FBI's response.

Specifically, in that context and regarding tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress, please also clarify whether and to what extent Department of Defense leadership, including the Acting Secretary or his staff, have sought information from or are coordinating with FBI regarding activities or support related to tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress and/or any expected protests, rallies, or security events in the city. As you can imagine, given heightened public concern about the role of federal law enforcement and the military during this transition period, the Committee wants to ensure that the Bureau is transparent not only about its own preparations and planned activities, but also is not ensnared in any improper or questionable activities or requests for information by any other component of the government, including DOD.

Because the Joint Session of Congress is tomorrow, we respectfully request your response this evening or early tomorrow morning.

Many thanks in advance for your attention to this matter.

Best,
Lucian

Lucian D. Sikorskyj
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U.S. Capitol, HVC-304

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From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OCA) (FBI) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Date: January 5, 2021 at 17:56:01 EST
To: "Sikorskyj, Lucian (b)(6)
Cc: "Bergreen, Timothy (b)(6) Congressional Email
Subject: RFI on FBI Activities Related to Joint Session of Congress

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Lucian,

Good evening, relative to the Committee seeking information on the FBI's efforts and preparations concerning tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress, particularly on its assessment of the various threats, its overview of interagency coordination and support, and any recent discussions at the leadership level between the Bureau and the Department of Defense, please see below.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

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The FBI's mission is to protect the American people and uphold the Constitution of the United States. The FBI focuses on criminal acts, threats of violence, and violations of federal law, and does not investigate solely First Amendment-protected activity. Rather, the FBI investigates those activities that threaten the safety of our communities and will use authorized methods and available charging instruments when appropriate.

The FBI prides itself on robust partnership and coordination with local, state and federal law enforcement officials. For information related to DoD communications with the Department of Justice (to include the FBI), we defer you to DOJ.

As always, the FBI will continue to advise the committee on threats consistent with our law enforcement and national security obligations.

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI

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From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OCA) (FBI) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Date: January 5, 2021 at 11:50:50 EST
To: "Sikorskyj, Lucian (b)(6) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OCA) (FBI) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Cc: "Bergreen, Timothy (b)(6) Congressional Email
Subject: RE: Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

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Lucian,

Your request has been forwarded to the appropriate unit. Once I receive a

response, you will be notified. Attempts to have appropriate personnel on stand by for a call will be made, but their availability/logistics will determine. Any questions please advise.

Thanks,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI

From: Sikorskyj, Lucia (b)(6)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:41 AM
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(OCA) (FB (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Cc: Bergreen, Timothy (b)(6) Congressional Email
Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - Priority RFI on FBI Activities Related to Tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI,

The Committee requests a quick turn update on the FBI's efforts and preparations concerning tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress, including (1) its assessment of the various threats and (2) its overview of interagency coordination and support. In the latter regard, as set forth below, we are particularly interested in recent discussions at the leadership level, if any, between the Bureau and the Department of Defense.

A brief email should address the request, as the event is tomorrow; we also ask that appropriate personnel also stand ready to speak by telephone later today, and to address any follow up questions from Committee staff.

This matter is of high interest to the Committee, especially in light of recent press reporting suggesting that individuals, possibly with links to violent extremist groups, may be involved with violence or criminal activity in the vicinity of the U.S. Capitol or in relation to the event. The Committee believes it essential to ensure that security and law enforcement measures are lawful and appropriate, especially when there may be a nexus to First Amendment activities at National Special Security Events (NSSEs) or those with similar high profile characteristics.

In that context and regarding tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress, please also clarify whether and to what extent Department of Defense leadership, including the Acting Secretary or his staff, have sought information from or are coordinating with FBI regarding activities or support related to tomorrow's Joint Session of Congress and/or any expected protests, rallies, or security events in the city. As you can imagine, given heightened public concern about the role of federal law enforcement and the military during this transition period, the Committee wants to ensure that the Bureau is transparent not only about its own preparations and planned activities, but also is not

ensnared in any improper or questionable activities or requests for information by any other component of the government, including DOD.

Because the Joint Session of Congress is tomorrow, we respectfully request your response by COB today. Many thanks in advance for your attention and help.

Best,
Lucian

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From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 10:43 AM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: 10:00 Briefing update and updated list of predicated DT subjects
Attachments: U_LES_Predicated_Subjects_Travelers___20200106.xlsx

From CTS...

There are no credible threats as of the 10:00 brief.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

Finally, I have attached the updated list of predicated subject tha (b)(7)(E) per FBI shared.

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 9:41 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: Re: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

We only provided the initial blurb to one reporter and declined to comment with a number of others.

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
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On Jan 5, 2021, at 9:09 PM, Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) wrote:

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(b)(5)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 2:56 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
(b)(6) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Sherwin, Michael (USADC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)); Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

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From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 2:11 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
(b)(6) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

Sir, the DC Mayor just released a letter on her twitter page that is addressed to you regarding the planned events for this week. I have attached a JPG of it. We are being asked for comment by the media.

My recommendation is (b)(5)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2021 2:00 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

Marc (b)(5) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Thanks much.

Jeff

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 1:24 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

Sir, I don't see a need fo (b)(5) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

I suggest th (b)(5) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Respectfully,
Marc

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2021 1:09 PM
To: Engel, Steven A. (OLC (b)(6)); Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6))
Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C. (NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6)); Sherwin, Michael (USADC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

Ok. (b)(5) [REDACTED], but current text would be:

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

Mar (b)(5) ?

From: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 12:26 PM
To: Michel, Christopher (OA (b)(6)) Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODA (b)(6))
Murray, Claire M. (OAS (b)(6)) Donoghue, Richard (ODA (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C.
(NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6)); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

I think that would work.

From: Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 12:22 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6))
Engel, Steven A. (OLC (b)(6)); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
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(b)(5)

Chris Michel
Counselor to the Attorney General
(b)(6) (office)
(b)(6) (cell)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 12:20 PM
To: Murray, Claire M. (OAS (b)(6)) Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6));
Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6) Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C.
(NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6)); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

That change seems ok to me.

The one other question I have is (b)(5)

From: Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6))

Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 12:07 PM

To: Engel, Steven A. (OLC (b)(6)); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C.
(NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6)); Sherwin, Michael (USADC
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

I have some concerns about (b)(5), but an alternate suggestion o (b)(5) below:

(b)(5)
[Redacted]

From: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:50 AM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6)) Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C. (NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6)); Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6)) Sherwin, Michael (USADC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

Fine by me.

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:47 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6)); Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6)) Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C. (NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6)); Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6)) Sherwin, Michael (USADC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

I think this version is fine.

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:45 AM
To: Engel, Steven A. (OLC (b)(6)); Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6)) Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)); Demers, John C. (NSD (b)(6)); Burns, David P.

(NSD (b)(6); Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6) Sherwin, Michael (USADC)

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

I generally like this version, except (b)(5) Is there any disagreement? (b)(5)

If we agree (b)(5)

From: Engel, Steven A. (OL (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:14 AM

To: Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6) Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6)

Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)

Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)

(b)(6) (NSD (b)(6); Demers, John C. (NSD (b)(6) Burns, David P.

(NSD (b)(6); Murray, Claire M. (OASG (b)(6)

Subject: RE: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

A few suggested tweaks, for folks to take or leave:

(b)(5)

From: Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:01 AM

To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6) Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)

Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)

(b)(6) (NSD (b)(6); Demers, John C. (NSD (b)(6); Engel, Steven A.

(OLC (b)(6); Burns, David P. (NSD (b)(6); Murray, Claire M. (OASG

(b)(6)

Subject: Re: Acting AG statement for Jan. 6

Here's a crack at a revision. I've also pasted below links to a couple of statements from May/June, which I think are generally consistent with the tone here.

(b)(5)

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/attorney-general-william-p-barr-s-statement-death-george-floyd-and-riots>

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/attorney-general-william-p-barrs-statement-riots-and-domestic-terrorism>

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/attorney-general-william-p-barrs-statement-protests-washington-dc>

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 7:01 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Cc: (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: (U//LES) 1800 WFO/SIOC briefing

This write up is from our CTS Rep at SIOC. FBI is only planning o (b)(7)(E) per FBI

UNCLASSIFIED // LAW ENFORCEMENT SENSITIVE

Good evening: in the first briefing, WFO reported that they continue to monitor various threat streams as well as a number of individuals who have traveled to the DC area to participate in protests tomorrow. There is a larger presence in the District as compared to some prior gatherings; (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

Finally, CBS News plans to report in its nightly newscast that there is a threat against the United States Capitol involving an airplane for tomorrow, 6 January 2021.

Moran, John (ODAG)

From: Moran, John (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 12:48 PM
To: Philbin, Patrick F. EOP/WHO
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: Re: A/AG Statement re Demonstrations

(b)(5)

John

On Jan 5, 2021, at 12:46 PM, Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) wrote:

Pat,

As I understand it, the main driver has been the many inquiries we have been getting from the Hill and the press corps about whether DOJ is preparing for the demonstrations in light of the civil unrest this summer. At that time, AG Barr was putting out a lot of statements about response and preparedness. E.g.:

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/attorney-general-william-p-barrs-statement-protests-washington-dc>

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/attorney-general-william-p-barrs-statement-riots-and-domestic-terrorism>

We have also been receiving specific inquiries about whether A/AG Rosen will take a similar approach to AG Barr.

(b)(5)

Regards,
John

On Jan 5, 2021, at 12:07 PM, Philbin, Patrick F. EOP/WHO

(b)(6) wrote:

(b)(5)

Patrick F. Philbin
Deputy Counsel to the President
Office of White House Counsel

(b)(6)

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

From: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))

Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:59 AM

To: Philbin, Patrick F. EOP/WH (b)(6)

Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))

Subject: A/AG Statement re Demonstrations

Pat,

Below is a draft statement from A/AG reason about the demonstrations this week. We wanted to share for WHCO's awareness. And of course, if you have any thoughts we would welcome them.

(b)(5)
[Redacted text block]

Regards,

John

Underwood, Ryan M. (OLA)

From: Underwood, Ryan M. (OLA)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 9:08 AM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA); Thorley, Charles A. (OLA)
Subject: RE: BOP Deployment

No inquiries yet. BOP OPA is working on vetted responses to media requests, which are expected. Deployments may be in place through Friday, if necessary.

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:51 AM
To: Underwood, Ryan M. (OLA (b)(6))
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Thorley, Charles A. (OLA (b)(6))
Subject: BOP Deployment

Good morning,

BOP has about (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) for unrest related to the protests today/tomorrow. Once this information is public, we should be prepared for Hill inquiries. Can you reach out to Jennifer to see if she had had any Hill interest yet or to at least put her on notice?

As an FYSA, we expect to release a very short statement this morning describing the Department's efforts to maintain public safety.

-K

Kira Antell
Office of Legislative Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)
(b)(6)

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 2:02 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Cc: (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: Jan 6 reporting

Current CTS intel summary. Contains investigative information, **please do not distribute outside of DOJ.**

Date of Information: 4 January 2021 13:45

The CTS Intelligence Team has limited threat reporting from government sources at this point.

The CTS assignments distro group received a report from the district of Maryland thru the ATAC Coordinator:

- (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

WUSA9, a local news site, is reporting:

- One of the websites used for organizing the event was encouraging attendees to bring guns.
- The District government has posted signs reminding members of the public and anyone attending the events that District law prohibits anyone from carrying a firearm within 1,000 feet of any First Amendment activity.

The Mayor of DC, Muriel Bowser, in a press release:

- Directed the DC Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency (HSEMA) to stand up the District's Emergency Operations Center (EOC) beginning Monday, January 4, to coordinate the response for the upcoming First Amendment demonstrations, permitted by the National Park Service, scheduled for January 5 - 6.
- Advised Washingtonians and those who live in the region to stay out of the downtown area on Tuesday and Wednesday and not to engage with demonstrators.
- Reminded protest attendees that carrying firearms at the event was a violation of District and Federal Laws, and that DC does not have concealed carry reciprocity.

Best,

(b)(6)

Acting Chief
Counterterrorism Section
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, December 30, 2020 10:36 AM
To: Gamble, Nathaniel (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Suero, Maya A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: RE: Meeting with Acting AG Rosen:

As an interim measure, please go ahead and set up a call with Ken Kohl for later this afternoon, though I still want to get ahold of Mike Sherwin separately. Thanks.

From: Gamble, Nathaniel (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Tuesday, December 29, 2020 3:03 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Suero, Maya A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6))
Subject: FW: Meeting with Acting AG Rosen:

Sir:

Per our discussion, I've tried several times to reach USA Sherwin and have been unsuccessful. His Assistant returned my call this morning and stated that he was out of the office, but his Principal (Ken Kohl) was available for a meeting. In addition, I was able to get Sherwin's cell phone (b)(6).

Thank you,

From: Gamble, Nathaniel (ODAG)
Sent: Monday, December 28, 2020 10:59 AM
To: Sherwin, Michael (USAD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Cc: Suero, Maya A. (ODAG (b)(6)) Fischer, Elizabeth (USADC (b)(6))
Subject: Meeting with Acting AG Rosen:

Good Morning, Michael:

General Rosen would like to meet with you Tomorrow to discuss "Prep for Jan 6 protest" Please let me know if you are available at 3pm?

Thanks in advance,

Nathaniel Gamble II
U.S. Department of Justice
Office of the Deputy Attorney General
(b)(6)

1900 Call - Congressional Leaders + ^{Acting AG} DDD
- in HRL 228 w/ FBI DD DB + ATF SAC ^{Ch: 8/5/21} 11/6/21

- SEC DEF, Chairman M.
- Senate + House leadership - Pelosi, Schumer,
- POTUS, VP
- rm 137 - Food ? - Pelosi.



Call - 1800 1/6/21 Situation Room

- In HR 228 w/ FBI DD DS, ATF JAC Nelson & joined later
- speaking chambers

1. See call prep notes -

2. (b)(7)(E) per FBI

3. Perimeter Fencing - DHS will get it up in a few hours.

- 1st St + Constitution

- USSS - says vendor can get it up in 24 hours.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per DOD

6. Adjacent Police Forces - all are on standby or already helping

Reply for 1800 Sit-Vision Call

1/6/21

(b)(5); (b)(7)(E) per FBI



Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (USANYE)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:00 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: 1/6/21 Notes

DC Response - 1/6/21

Calls prior

SIOC

WFO - w/ DB

1545 Call - (b)(5), (b)(6) per DOD

Assembly Areas - 119 D St. NE

(b)(6) per DOD Chief Steve Sund

SEC Def McCarty
GC Nay
SECDEF Call - DOD (Miller, Peter, Miller), DOJ (DAB+VDP), Interven, 1/3/21
DHS (Ops. Div), NISIA (Ops)

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per DOD

Follow-up call Monday night - 15 minutes



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Sixth Floor
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Washington, DC 20530-0001

Telephone: (202) 514-3642

December 30, 2021

Austin Evers
American Oversight
1030 15th Street, NW
Suite B255
Washington, DC 20005
foia@americanoversight.org

Re: FOIA-2021-00563
21-cv-00624 (D.D.C.)
VRB:JMB:BPF

Dear Austin Evers:

This is a final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated and received on January 11, 2021, in which you requested communications of various Department of Justice officials concerning the events of January 6, 2021, at the U.S. Capitol from December 21, 2020, to January 7, 2021.

On August 13 and November 16, 2021, we provided you with interim responses to your request. We have now completed the processing of an additional ninety-one pages. At this time, I have determined that eighty-four of these pages are appropriate for release with excisions made pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, 7(A), 7(C), 7(E), and 7(F) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E), and b(7)(F), and copies are enclosed. Additionally, I have determined that seven pages containing records responsive to your request should be withheld in full pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, 7(A), 7(C), 7(D), 7(E), and 7(F) of the FOIA. Id.

Exemption 5 pertains to certain inter- and intra-agency communications protected by the attorney work-product and deliberative process privileges. Exemption 6 pertains to information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Exemption 7(A) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings. Exemption 7(C) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Exemption 7(D) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which would disclose the identity of a confidential source. Exemption 7(E) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which would disclose certain techniques and procedures or guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions. Finally, Exemption 7(F) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of an individual.

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For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2018). This response is limited to those records that are 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.

If you have any questions regarding this response, please contact Bradley Craigmyle of the Department's Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch, at 202-616-8101.

Sincerely,



Jonathan Breyan
Senior Supervisory Attorney
for
Vanessa R. Brinkmann
Senior Counsel

Enclosures

Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

From: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
Sent: Friday, January 8, 2021 9:26 AM
To: Moran, John (ODAG); Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
Cc: Antell, Kira M. (OLA); Raimondi, Marc (PAO); Greer, Megan L. (OLA); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); DiZinno, Richard (ODAG (b)(6) (NSD)); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Free at the times you suggest below.

From: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Friday, January 8, 2021 8:20 AM
To: Hanson, Alan R. (JM (b)(6))
Cc: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) Grieco, Christopher (ODA (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PA (b)(6)) Greer, Megan L. (OL (b)(6)) Creegan,
Erin (ODA (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard (ODA (b)(6) (NSD)
(b)(6)); Michel, Christopher (OAG (b)(6))
Subject: Re: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Happy to talk later today.

John

On Jan 7, 2021, at 11:39 PM, Hanson, Alan R. (JM (b)(6)) wrote:

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Thanks, and I expect that will work for me, Kira.

(b)(5)

On Jan 7, 2021, at 10:29 PM, Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) wrote:

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Thanks Alan. I think it would be helpful to have a quick call tomorrow to nail down how, and to what extent, we plan to respond to this type of inquiry. It looks like many of us are free at 12:00 or 1:30. I'm happy to send an invite if that works for others.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 7, 2021, at 10:19 PM, Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6) wrote:

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An additional set of inquiries from Senate CJS Minority staff, now shifting toward interactions with Capitol Hill Police:

Did the Capitol Police reach out to DOJ for any assistance before January 6 (possibility of backup if needed, advance intel, etc)? Did DOJ offer any assistance [before Wednesday](#) to Capitol Police (as in, there may be a large protest coming, let us know what you need)?

Regarding yesterday, did Capitol Police reach out directly to DOJ for assistance when the situation started spiraling out of control and if so, approximately when? If not, was it MPD or another LEA that called DOJ components for backup?

On Jan 7, 2021, at 5:34 PM, Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6) wrote:

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Thanks Chris. I think our emails crossed. OLA has reached out to FBI on this. As of this morning, FBI OCA represented that they spoke yesterday afternoon as events unfolded with staff for McCarthy, Pelosi, and McConnell. Those conversations were primarily about the FBI response in the moment i.e., the number of FBI personnel on the Hill (footage of whom was broadcast) and their limited supporting role. I was told that FBI is not doing ongoing briefings today. Happy to provide additional details by phone if that would be helpful.

From: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 5:29 PM
To: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6))
Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) Antell,
Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) Moran, John
(ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan,
Erin (ODAG (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard
(ODAG (b)(6)) (NSD)
(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

And oversight demanding briefing from FBI

<https://twitter.com/OversightDems>

(b)(5) [Redacted]
[Redacted]

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6) [Redacted])
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 5:22 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6) [Redacted])
Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6) [Redacted]) Moran, John
(ODA (b)(6) [Redacted]) Grieco, Christopher
(ODA (b)(6) [Redacted])
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6) [Redacted]) Creegan,
Erin (ODAG (b)(6) [Redacted]) DiZinno, Richard
(ODAG (b)(6) [Redacted]) (b)(6) [Redacted] (NSD)
(b)(6) [Redacted]; Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6) [Redacted]
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

New inquiry from House CJS Minority staff (I have already sent them the information provided to Senate CJS Minority staff thus far):

Could you possibly tell me the approximate number of FBI and ATF officers and agents and U.S. Marshals who were deployed to assist yesterday (by agency). I'm providing some materials to my boss, and I want to be a little more specific than yesterday's statement from Acting AG Rosen, if possible.

Thanks for anything more specific you can provide.

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6) [Redacted])
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 1:57 PM
To: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6) [Redacted]) Antell,
Kira M. (OLA (b)(6) [Redacted]) Moran, John
(ODAG (b)(6) [Redacted]) Grieco, Christopher
(ODA (b)(6) [Redacted])
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6) [Redacted]) Creegan,
Erin (ODAG (b)(6) [Redacted]) DiZinno, Richard
(ODA (b)(6) [Redacted]) (b)(6) [Redacted] (NSD)
(b)(6) [Redacted]; Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6) [Redacted]
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

I would say (b)(5) [Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

(b)(5)

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 12:40 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) Moran, John
(ODAG (b)(6)) Grieco, Christopher
(ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan,
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(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Thanks much. For awareness, ALO has received this follow-up inquiry from Senate CJS Minority(/incoming Majority) staff in response to this statement:

Yup, this has been reported by the media. So no one can give you more figures/details on resources used (b)(7)(E) per FBI

Also saw ATF agents assisting with cleanup of the Rotunda again in the publicly reported press. At a minimum, bot (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA have to have some kind figures as to the number of individuals being charged and components should know how many officers/agents were sent and what their duties were.

So is it that no one is coordinating at Main? Or that no one wants to give us the full information from Main?

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:02 PM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) Moran,
John (ODAG (b)(6)) Grieco, Christopher
(ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6)) Greer,
Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin
(ODAG (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard (ODAG)
(b)(6) (NSD)
(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

This is going out:

Acting Attorney General Jeffrey A. Rosen Statement “Yesterday, our Nation watched in disbelief as a mob breached the Capitol Building and required federal and local law enforcement to help restore order. The Department of Justice is committed to ensuring that those responsible for this attack on our Government and the rule of law face the full consequences of their actions under the law. Our criminal prosecutors have been working throughout the night with special agents and investigators from the U.S. Capitol Police, FBI, ATF, Metropolitan Police Department and the public to gather the evidence, identify perpetrators, and charge federal crimes where warranted. Some participants in yesterday’s violence will be charged today, and we will continue to methodically assess evidence, charge crimes and make arrests in the coming days and weeks to ensure that those responsible are held accountable under the law.”

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6))
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 11:17 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Grieco,
Christopher (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6)) Greer,
Megan L (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin
(ODAG (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard (ODAG
(b)(6)) (NSD)
(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
(b)(6)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA
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From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 10:58 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
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Christopher (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6)) Greer,
Megan L (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin
(ODA (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard (ODAG
(b)(6)) (NSD)

(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

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From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))

Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 10:56 AM

To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Grieco, Christopher (ODA (b)(6))

Cc: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6)) Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODA (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard (ODAG

(b)(6) (NSD)

(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

We are working on releasing a statement as soon as it is cleared by Mike Sherwin.

(b)(5)

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From: Antell, Kira M. (OL (b)(6))

Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 10:47 AM

To: Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) Grieco, Christopher (ODAG (b)(6)) Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))

Cc: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6)) Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODA (b)(6)) DiZinno, Richard (ODAG

(b)(6) (NSD)

(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Thanks John. Marc, can you please be sure to loop in ALO and OLA prior to release of any statement?

From: Moran, John (ODA (b)(6))

Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 10:34 AM

To: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG (b)(6))

Cc: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD (b)(6)) Antell, Kira M. (OLA (b)(6)) Greer, Megan L. (OLA (b)(6)) Creegan, Erin (ODAG

(b)(6) DiZinno, Richard (ODAG

(b)(6) (NSD)

(b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: Re: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

We have a draft statement in the works to that effect.

Regards,
John

On Jan 7, 2021, at 10:16 AM, Grieco, Christopher
(ODA (b)(6)) wrote:

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We should (b)(5)
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted] John, cc'd above, may have
more insight.

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
(b)(6)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 10:13 AM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
(b)(6)
Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
(b)(6) Greer, Megan L. (OLA)
(b)(6) Creegan, Erin (ODAG)
(b)(6) DiZinno, Richard
(ODAG (b)(6) (b)(6)
(NSD (b)(6); Michel,
Christopher (OAG (b)(6)
Moran, John (ODAG)
(b)(6)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

And a follow-on inquiry from Senate CJS Minority
(incoming Majority) staff from this morning:

We'd like more information/after action (and
ongoing action regarding prosecutions) on this
today.

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:51 PM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
(b)(6)
Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
(b)(6) Greer, Megan L. (OLA)
(b)(6) Creegan, Erin (ODAG)

(b)(6) DiZinno, Richard
(ODA (b)(6) (b)(6)
(NSD (b)(6); Michel,
Christopher (OAG (b)(6)
Moran, John (ODAG)
(b)(6)
Subject: Re: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Got it.

Thanks much, Kira.

On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:35 PM, Antell,
Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6) wrote:

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Marc Raimondi offered the following
cleared statement when I asked if we
had released anything:

“The Acting Attorney General is
coordinating with our law
enforcement partners to add
additional Federal law enforcement
support to the Capitol Grounds.”

(b)(5)

I invite
others on the chain to chime in if
they have additional information to
add.

-K

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021
4:33 PM

To: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

(b)(6) Antell,
Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6) Creegan,
Erin (ODAG)

(b)(6)

DiZinno, Richard (ODAG)

(b)(6) (b)(6)

(NSD (b)(6)

Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Moran, John (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re:
January 6 Protests

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(b)(6)
I am passing along the following just-received update inquiry from Senate CJS Minority staff for Departmental response if and when such is deemed appropriate:

Soooo this has taken a turn for the worse. Can we have an update as to DOJ involvement, please? Capitol Police has apparently made an open appeal for LE assistance/back up.

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021
12:49 PM

To: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

(b)(6) Antell,
Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6) Creegan,
Erin (ODAG)

(b)(6)

DiZinno, Richard (ODAG)

(b)(6) (b)(6)

(NSD (b)(6)

Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Moran, John (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re:
January 6 Protests

Got it and will do. Thanks much.

From: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021

11:49 AM

To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6)

Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Creegan,
Erin (ODAG)

(b)(6)

DiZinno, Richard (ODAG)

(b)(6)

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(NSD (b)(6)

Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Moran, John (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re:

January 6 Protests

Good by me.

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021

11:46 AM

To: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6)

Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Greer,
Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Creegan,
Erin (ODAG)

(b)(6)

DiZinno, Richard (ODAG)

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(NSD (b)(6)

Michel, Christopher (OAG)

(b)(6)

Moran, John (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re:

January 6 Protests

Hi Alan,

Adding in others here. OPA coordinated with BOP as to an answer to the first question and provided the following bullets to a media inquiry:

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(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

[REDACTED]

I do not thin (b)(5)

[REDACTED]

Below is cleared language we are using for a HPSCI inquiry. It seems to m (b)(5)

[REDACTED]

LANGUAGE

Thanks for your inquiry. With respect to Department of Justice efforts, the Department has prepared to respond as necessary and appropriate to ensure that constitutional liberties and public safety are protected. That preparation has included close coordination with local authorities and federal agency partners, such as the Department of Defense. Given the ongoing and evolving nature of the protests this week and the need

to protect operational interests, we are not able to provide additional details at this time. We understand your interest and expect to continue to update you should additional information become available.

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021
11:38 AM

To: Moran, John (ODAG)

(b)(6)

Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

(b)(6) Antell,
Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6) Greer,
Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re:
January 6 Protests

John,

We have received the additional inquiries, below, on this subject from Senate CJS Minority. Please let me know if/how you would like for us to respond (b)(5)

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(b)(5).

Thanks.

Alan

Per the latest NDAA, federal law enforcement officers responding to “civil disturbances” must wear visible identification including the insignia of their agencies. Are the uniforms for BOP COs coming to DC in compliance with this regulation?

Were other agents and deputies flown in (like USM (b)(7)(E)) or are these all local DOJ LEOs? Who is in charge of these teams? One of my colleagues on another committee

indicated that while MPD has primary responsibility, that DOJ/FBI has first chair for assistance/aid to local LE and DHS has first chair for assistance with protection of federal property.

Doesn't the FBI have a command post set up as well? Are any DOJ air assets being used?

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 11:47 AM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
(b)(6) Moran, John (ODAG)
(b)(6)
Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
(b)(6) Greer, Megan L. (OLA)
(b)(6)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Agreed. Thanks much, John.

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
(b)(6)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 11:25 AM
To: Moran, John (ODAG)
(b)(6)
Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
(b)(6) Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
(b)(6) Greer, Megan L. (OLA)
(b)(6)
Subject: RE: DOJ Activities re: January 6 Protests

Thanks John. I think that is sufficient for our needs for now. We will let you know if we get further inquiries.

From: Moran, John (ODAG)
(b)(6)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021

11:25 AM

To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Cc: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

(b)(6) Hanson,
Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6) Greer,
Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Subject: Re: DOJ Activities re:
January 6 Protests

Kira,

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

MPD has primary responsibility here; the DC USAO is in close contact with MPD and ready to provide support and assistance as needed. It's fine to relay that, but I

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

Regards,
John

On Jan 4, 2021, at
10:44 AM, Antell, Kira
M. (OLA)

(b)(6)

wrote:

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Good morning,

Senate CJS Minority has reached out to Alan (copied here) to ask what the Department's plans are for protests on January 6 and whether there plans to deploy additional LEA personnel. I

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

Is there any information or a statement we can

share? Happy to
coordinate with others
or jump on a call.

Thanks,
Kira

Kira Antell
Office of Legislative
Affairs
Department of Justice

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 2:39 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 1430 update

Sir,

Here are the latest round of updates...

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

MPD: Nothing to report.

Capitol Police: Mobile fencing still being installed. Command Post at CP HQ, fifth floor conference room (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

[REDACTED]

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

[REDACTED]

National Guard: significant of personnel (b)(7)(E) troops on ground currently, primarily DC, some MD, some VA. Spread to Capitol grounds and outlying building (b)(7)(E) traffic points.

(b)(3) per ATF; (b)(7)(A), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per NSD, EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

Best,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

[REDACTED]

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 1:29 PM
To: Stueve, Joshua (PAO)
Subject: FW: Capitol response - DOJ LE numbers

From (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2021 12:03 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODA (b)(6)) Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
(b)(6) Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(6)) Hodes, Jarad (ODAG)
(b)(6) Moran, John (ODA (b)(6)) Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Subject: Capitol response - DOJ LE numbers

Sir,

Good afternoon. This is the most accurate DOJ LE response data according to FBI, ATF, and USMS senior management.

FBI appro (b)(7)(E) personnel

FBI response to US Capitol and grounds on Wednesday, January 6, 2021:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI
[Redacted]

[Redacted]

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(A) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

USMS (b)(7)(E) personnel

On January 6, 2021 at approximately (b)(7)(E), the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) personnel for the response to Capitol. This number includes (b)(7)(E) team with (b)(7)(E). The (b)(7)(E) personnel (b)(7)(E), conducted exterior (b)(7)(E). Meanwhile, Deputy U.S. Marshals including personnel from (b)(7)(E) Deputy Marshals conducted (b)(7)(E). Deputy Marshals also (b)(7)(E). Finally, Deputy Marshals (b)(7)(E). Deputy U.S. Marshals were relieved from their assignments (b)(7)(E).

ATF (b)(7)(E) personnel

(b)(7)(E) per ATF

Total DOJ personnel (b)(7)(E) per personnel

Best,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)

From: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:47 PM
To: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Subject: RE: Capitol response - DOJ LE numbers

Thanks.

From (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD (b)(6), (b)(7)(C))
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:45 PM
To: Grieco, Christopher (ODAG (b)(6))
Subject: FW: Capitol response - DOJ LE numbers

Chris,

Inadvertently left you off of this...

Best,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)

From (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:03 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6))
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODA (b)(6)) Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
(b)(6) Creegan, Erin (ODAG (b)(6)) Hodes, Jarad (ODAG)
(b)(6) Moran, John (ODA (b)(6)) Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Subject: Capitol response - DOJ LE numbers

Duplicative Material

Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:07 AM
To: Lombardo, Regina
Subject: Re: ATF Response - Capital Disturbance

Ha good! I tol (b)(6) per ATF to push it to at least a dozen reporters. We are putting out statements and press releases and doing backgrounders. We are in full proactive media mode. I'm just getting to usao dc now and will be between there and wfo all day.

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 7, 2021, at 11:05 AM, Lombardo, Regin (b)(6) per ATF wrote:

? Marvin just cleared the statement but i added a sentence lol

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 7, 2021, at 9:30 AM, Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
(b)(6) wrote:

? 10-4. Thank you for sharing.

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 7, 2021, at 9:28 AM, Lombardo, Regina
(b)(6) per ATF wrote:

? This is what I sent out yesterday For you only.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Lombardo, Regina (b)(6) per ATF"

Date: January 6, 2021 at 4:06:36 PM EST

To: "Chittum, Thomas L. (b)(6) per ATF"

Cc: "Richardson, Marvin G."

(b)(6) per ATF

(b)(6) per ATF

(b)(6) per ATF, "Allen, Joseph J."

(b)(6) per ATF, "Watson, Marcus S."

(b)(6) per ATF

Subject: Re: ATF Response - Capital Disturbance

? Perfect. Thank you. Ill send to rich and other ... thanks
Team

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:04 PM, Chittum, Thomas

(b)(6) per ATF wrote:

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Per our call.

Tom Chittum

(b)(6) per ATF

From: Watson, Marcus S.

(b)(6) per ATF

Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 4:03 PM

To: Chittum, Thomas L.

(b)(6) per ATF

Subject: ATF Response - Capital Disturbance

AD Chittum,

The ATF Washington Field Division received a request today, January 6, 2021, at approximately 2:40 PM, from the US Capital Police relating to suspected explosive devices discovered around the US Capital Building. Subsequent to the initial request, there was a breach of the outer and inner perimeter of the building by a unruly mob of protesters who were assembled on the Capital grounds.

(b)(7)(E) per ATF

(b)(7)(E) per ATF

Marcus Watson
Departemnt of Justice
Bureau of ATF
Deputy Assitant Director-East
(b)(6) per ATF

(b)(6)

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:48 PM
To: (b)(6) per ATF
Cc: Lombardo, Regina
Subject: Re: ATF Response - Capital Disturbance

I got it. Thanks

On Jan 6, 2021, at 4:46 P (b)(6) per ATF wrote:

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Sir, wanted to ensure you received the message. Deputy Director Lombardo is getting an error message from your account.

Thanks.

From: Lombardo, Regin (b)(6) per ATF
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:14 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6) (b)(6) per ATF
(b)(6); Allen, Joseph (b)(6) per ATF (b)(6) Marvin Richardson per ATF
Cc: Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI; Washington, Donald (USMS)
(b)(6)
Subject: FW: ATF Response - Capital Disturbance

Rich, here is a quick brief of our ATF resources at the US Capital. We are in good communication with Capital Police. . See below for the details.

In addition : ATF Arson and Explosives group is working the explosive device with both USCP and the FBI. We will keep you informed as operational incidents progress. We have a solid plan to continue to deploy as needed for however long is necessary. RL

From: Chittum, Thomas (b)(6) per ATF
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:04 PM
To: Lombardo, Regin (b)(6) per ATF; Richardson, Marvin G.
(b)(6) per ATF (b)(6) per ATF; Allen, Joseph J.
(b)(6) per ATF
Cc: Watson, Marcus (b)(6) per ATF
Subject: FW: ATF Response - Capital Disturbance

Duplicative Material

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 11:00 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 1100 update

Sir,

We will have the final LE numbers for you from all DOJ agencies in approximately 20 minutes.

Mayor's press conference is scheduled for 1100 today. The FBI and other federal agencies have declined to participate.

The Intel division is tracking a national fascism call. The call asks for people to go to the state capitols around 1700 today.

DC Metro system reported 40,000 riders yesterday. Ridership is down today- approximately 17,000 which is on track with the numbers from last week

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

The National Capitol Police- their command post remains open. Repairs are ongoing within the capitol. They will be adding concrete barriers to surround the Capitol's perimeter.

(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

DC National Guard- current (b)(7)(E) personnel are currently deployed with up to (b)(7)(E) who will be deputized as special police officers. An addition (b)(7)(E) will arrive from surrounding jurisdictions to assist.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per FBI

DC National Guard: 30 traffic control points in the city (b)(7)(E) personnel currently deployed, up to as much as (b)(7)(E) personnel, who will be deputized by MDP and Capitol Police as special police officers. MD National Guard will also replace some DC national guard. Addition (b)(7)(E) will arrive from surrounding states to augment DC National Guard personnel. Close to (b)(7)(E) national guard total.

Best,

(b)(6)

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(b)(6)

Benedict, Ashan M.

From: Benedict, Ashan M.
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 8:58 AM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: (b)(6) (ODAG)
Subject: Re: Yesterday's Numbers

Thanks, Rich.

I had approximatel (b)(7)(C) ATF special agents including our AT (b)(7)(E) in that number working inside the Capitol yesterday. In concert with USCP Tactical.

I had anothe (b)(7)(C) ATF agents working the explosive device scene with USCP bomb squa (b)(7)(E) (b)(6)

Let me know if you need anything further. Thanks. Ashan

Ashan M. Benedict
Special Agent in Charge
Washington Field Division
Cel (b)(6)

> On Jan 7, 2021, at 8:46 AM, Donoghue, Richard (ODAG (b)(6)) wrote:
>
> Ashan,
>
> I'm seeing some preliminary reporting that indicates that ATF has approximatel (b)(7)(C) personnel on site at the Capitol yesterday. I would estimate a higher number. Any idea how many you had over there before all was said and done?
>
> I'm cc'in (b)(6) from the National Security Division as he's helping to gather some of this info.
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> Thanks and, once again, great job yesterday.
>
> Rich

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Thursday, January 7, 2021 12:42 AM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: RE: 2315 update

Will do

Best,

(b)(6)

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950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODA (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 11:59 PM
T (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6))
Subject: Re: 2315 update

Thank (b)(6). Call me if anything happens tonight.

On Jan 6, 2021, at 11:21 PM (b)(6) (NS (b)(6)) wrote:

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Sir,

Congress remains in session. Additional fencing is being sent to protect the Capitol square; the bomb techs have been released from the Capitol grounds.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(A). MPD is arresting curfew violators as they leave their hotels; some have had tasers, pipes, nunchucks, etc.

Th (b)(7)(A) and come to D (b)(7)(A) has been located in (b)(7)(A)

(b)(6), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

US Secret Service is looking into Twitter threats concerning the Naval Observatory and the Vice President-elect.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

A documentary film maker has been identified who might have footage of the US Capitol being breached.

A total of 5,000 National Guard troops are being sent to DC from a variety of states including VA, MD, PA, DE, NY.

Best,

(b)(6)

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Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 10:45 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creggan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: 2230 update

Sir,

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

We don't have further information at this time.

According to media reports, Twitter has locked President Trump out his account (the lockout will last for 12 hours), and Facebook has also blocked the president's account for 24 hours citing policy violations related to a video he posted to his supporters.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

State Update:

NY NY is reportedly sendin (b)(7)(E) National Guard members to assist in DC
MA MA is sendin (b)(7)(E) National Guard members to DC and 200 state troopers
VA VA is sendin (b)(7)(E) National Guard members

Best,

(b)(6)

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U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 9:26 PM
To: (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: Re: 2100 update

(b)(6) can you call me at office , and send me your current cell?

Jeff

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 6, 2021, at 9:07 PM (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6) wrote:

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(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

[More on that in the next update.](#)

Best,

(b)(6)

Acting Chief of Counterterrorism
National Security Division
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

From (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 9:02 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODA (b)(6) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
(b)(6)
Cc: Moran, John (ODA (b)(6) Creegan, Erin (ODAG)
(b)(6) Hodes, Jarad (ODA (b)(6)
Subject: 2100 update

Sir,

U.S. Capitol: House and Senate are in session. Source reporting indicate (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

ATF is running traces on the firearms found in the truck and on the owner. (*Please note we have been told that the NYTimes has run a story on the pickup that contains

incorrect information.) FBI ha (b)(7)(E) per FBI

Enforcement: MPD is preparing to aggressively enforce violators to clear the area around the capitol, which may lead to APO charges. They are also prepared to engage with protestors that were expected to leave the JW Marriot at 2030.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

State updates:

DC the memorials will remain closed after two individuals attempted to enter the Lincoln Memorial; the subjects are in custody.

MD The Maryland National Guard (b)(7)(E) personnel) has been activated to assist DC law enforcement.

CA Sacramento 11 have been arrested in Sacramento following gatherings near the capitol.

Best,

(b)(6)

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Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 8:05 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Creegan, Erin (ODAG); Hodes, Jarad (ODAG)
Subject: 2000 update

Sir,

The U.S. Capitol Police have announced that the U.S. Capitol is clear; the A/DAG has been through the House and Senate Chambers personally and can confirm the interior is secure. Law enforcement is stationed throughout the building. The VP is back in the Senate Chamber, and the House Speaker has told House members that Congress will continue counting electoral votes starting at 2000. Some protestors continue to linger outside.

MPD continues to investigate multiple assaults in and around the US Capitol. Media is reporting 15 arrests and 8 EMS transports over the course of today's events. There was a confirmed stabbing at 12th and Penn; MPD has units on the scene. [There is an unconfirmed report of a controlled disruption of a device near 4th and Mass.] MPD has arrested a subject in possession of a Molotov cocktail and an AR; it is unclear if he has any connection to other incidents.

DOJ/FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

State updates:

VA has issued a State of Emergency and ordered curfews in Alexandria and Arlington. According to the media, the governor is mobilizing members of the VA National Guard and (b)(7)(E) Virginia state troopers to help DC.

WA state patrol have cleared the state governor's mansion grounds after people breached the fence in Olympia, WA.

There are reports that the Illinois state police is investigating a "credible" bomb threat at its Route 51 headquarters in Du Quoin, IL.

GA Fulton County's ballot counting process has been postponed out of an abundance of caution for safety concerns, according to a county spokesperson.

Utah US Attorney confirmed that protests at the UT State Capitol are peaceful.

Best,

(b)(6)

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Washington, DC 20530

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JCC (JMD)

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Subject: (U) Maryland Sending National Guard Members, State Police; FBI Also Deploying- MMC Update 890 [Security Incident US Capitol - Washington, DC] NOC 0378-20

This report is forwarded for your situational awareness.

(b)(6)
Justice Command Center
202-514-5000

Unclassified

Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- Maryland is sending National Guard members and Maryland State Police to Washington, D.C., to assist District police and U.S. Capitol Police (USCP) on Wednesday
 - The FBI also said it is deploying to assist USCP and protect federal property as requested
 - Several law enforcement officials said at least one improvised explosive device was found on the U.S. Capitol grounds

New Media Sources (some page content may change or not be available over time):

- **Twitter [Baltimore Sun - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/yxg6faz3>

- **Twitter [NPR - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y5vshode>

- **Twitter [NBCNews]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/yygdvtoz>

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Jordan Indermuehle
Operations Analyst
DHS NOC Media Monitoring
Phon (b)(6) per DHS
Cel (b)(6) per DHS

Unclassified

Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 4:27 PM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG (b)(6) (ODAG (b)(6) (NSD)
Subject: Fwd: (U) D.C. National Guard Activating 1.1K Members; VA Sending Additional National Guard Member (b)(7)(E) State Troopers-MMC Update 886 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

(b)(7)(E) NG heading to Capitol now as per Sec Army.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "JCC (JMD)" <JCC@usdoj.gov>
Date: January 6, 2021 at 3:51:16 PM EST
To: "Abraham, Jeffrey R (JMD) (b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD)"
(b)(6), "Anderson, Brian W (JMD) (b)(6)", "Andrews, Kelli (NSD) (b)(6)", "Avery, Charles W (JMD)"
(b)(6), "Barnes, James J. (ODAG) (b)(6)",
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Burns, David P. (NSD)"
(b)(6), "Clarke, Mark M (JMD) (b)(6)", "Collier, Isaac M. (b)(6)", "Creegan, Erin (ODAG) (b)(6)",
(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI", "CTSIntell (NSD) (b)(6)", "Curley, Alexandra (JMD) (b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6)",
"DiZinno, Richard (ODAG) (b)(6) "Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)"
(b)(6) "Dubriel, Laurie (ENRD) (b)(6)",
"Dunlap, James L (JMD) (b)(6)", "EPG (JMD) (b)(6)",
"Gadsden, Paul S (JMD) (b)(6)", "Gibbs, Trella N (JMD)"
(b)(6), "Gunning, Christine E. (JMD) (b)(6)",
"Hart, Rosemary (OLC) (b)(6)", "Haufe, Robert W. (OIG)"
(b)(6), "Hornbuckle, Wyn (PAO) (b)(6)",
"Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG) (b)(6)", "Levi, William (OAG)"
(b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6)", "McAtamney, James A. (USAEO) (b)(6)", "McCloskey, Sharon (JMD)"
(b)(6) (b)(6) per ATF", "McDermond, James E. (b)(6) per ATF", "McManus, Doug (CIV)"
(b)(6), (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI
(DO) (FBI) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (OAG) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI,
"NSD CTS Coordinators (JMD) (b)(6) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)"
(USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Rogers, Melinda (JMD) (b)(6)",
seps_cas <seps_cas@usdoj.gov>, SEPS_IncidentRpt <SEPSIncidentRpt@usdoj.gov (b)(6)
(NSD) (b)(6) (b)(6) per ATF
(b)(6), "Smith, Andrew (USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)", "Smith, Justin (ENRD) (b)(6) (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6)",
"Swartz, Bruce (CRM) (b)(6)", "Toscas, George (NSD)"
(b)(6), "Valladares, Brian (ODAG) (b)(6)",

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (USMS) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), "Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG)"
(b)(6), "Westberg, Kevin L. (CIV) (b)(6)"
Subject: FW: (U) D.C. National Guard Activating 1.1K Members; VA Sending Additional National Guard Member (b)(7)(E) State Troopers-MMC Update 886 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

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FYSA

(b)(6)
Justice Command Center (JCC)
Security and Emergency Planning Staff,
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From: NOC Media Monitoring <mmc@techopsolutions.net>

Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:49 PM

T (b)(6) per DHS

Subject: (U) D.C. National Guard Activating 1.1K Members; VA Sending Additional National Guard Member (b)(7)(E) State Troopers-MMC Update 886 [Civil Disturbances - U.S.] NOC 0378-20

Unclassified

Location(s): Washington, D.C.

- The entire Washington, D.C., National Guard will be activated Wednesday, putting about 1,100 guardsmen on duty tonight
 - Additionally, Virginia is sending members of its National Guard along with Virginia State Police Troopers to the District at the request of D.C. officials (b)(7)(E)

New Media Sources (some page content may change or not be available over time):

- **Twitter [Washington Post - Reporter]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y5g8o6oh>

- **Twitter [ABC7News]**

-- <https://tinyurl.com/y4h7bow5>

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Operations Analyst
DHS NOC Media Monitoring
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Subject: UPDATE 3: National Guard Deployed in DC (SBU)

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(b)(6)
Justice Command Center
202-514-5000

(SBU) The Department of Defense authorized the mobilization of the DC National Guard to provide support to federal law enforcement. Separately, media reports at least one explosive device was found on the grounds of the US Capitol. The earlier reported gunfire resulted in one casualty.

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From: Operations Center <OperationsCenter@state.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:04 PM

To: SES-O <SES-O@state.gov>
Subject: UPDATE 2: Shots fired on House Floor (SBU)

(SBU) DHS National Operations Center reported shots were fired on the floor of the House of Representatives. The report did not indicate whether it was law enforcement or civilian gunfire.

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From: Operations Center <OperationsCenter@state.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 2:45 PM
To: SES-O <SES-O@state.gov>
Subject: UPDATE 1: DC Mayor Issues Curfew (SBU)
Importance: High

(SBU) Mayor Muriel Bowser instituted a curfew from 1800 ET to 0600 ET on January 6-January 7.

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From: Operations Center <OperationsCenter@state.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 2:27 PM
To: SES-O <SES-O@state.gov>
Subject: U.S. Capitol Complex on Lockdown (SBU)
Importance: High

(SBU) Media reports the U.S. Capitol complex is on lockdown due to protesters breaching the Capitol building. Congress is in recess and VPOTUS was escorted from the Capitol building.

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Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)

From: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 3:06 PM
To: Moran, John (ODAG)
Cc: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: Re: DOJ Employees Early Departure

Yes, good.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 6, 2021, at 2:58 PM, Moran, John (ODAG (b)(6)) wrote:

>

> I spoke to Lee. In light of the City's riot and curfew announcement, they are going to dismiss staff early and work with BOP to ensure the security of Main Justice.

>

> Regards,

> John

Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 6:54 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO); Michel, Christopher (OAG); (b)(6) (NSD); Sherwin, Michael (USADC); Antell, Kira M. (OLA); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: RE: BOP (b)(5)

That makes sense and all sounds good. I'll send your proposed reply (bullets) to Justin at BOP if no concerns raised by 7pm.

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 6:37 PM
To: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6); Michel, Christopher (OAG) (b)(6) (NSD) (b)(6) Sherwin, Michael (USADC) (b)(6), (b)(7)(C); Antell, Kira M. (OLA) (b)(6) Donoghue, Richard (ODAG) (b)(6)
Subject: RE: BOP (b)(5)

Kristina, (b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)
[Redacted]

Please let us know by 7PM if anyone has any issues with the points below.

Proposed response:

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 6:04 PM

To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)

Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

(b)(5)

LMK if any concerns.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Proposed response:

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Also an update FYA - (b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Kristina Mastropasqua

Office of Public Affairs

Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 5, 2021, at 8:49 AM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6) wrote:

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Sorry, didn't look through the threat. Please disregard. Kristina will certainly know who we should reach out to.

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2021 8:48 AM

To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6); Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

(b)(6)

Cc: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6); Navas, Nicole (PAO)

(b)(6); Greer, Megan L. (OLA) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: BOP (b)(5)

Hi Marc – I don't think Alan is the right POC for this request. OLA should be able to track down a BOP media contact for you.

From: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:46 AM

To: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) (b)(6)

Cc: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6); Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6); Navas, Nicole (PAO) (b)(6); Greer, Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: BOP (b)(5)

Thank you Alan, can you please ask BOP to keep us in the loop on any media interest they receive and who their public affairs contact for this deployment will be. I'd like to meet with whomever that is going to be and/or, the team leader, at main justice when they arrive, to make sure we know how to get in contact with each other.

Thank you,

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6)

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From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 05, 2021 7:35 AM

To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)

Cc: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6); Antell, Kira M. (OLA)

(b)(6); Navas, Nicole (PAO) (b)(6); Greer, Megan L. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

Thanks. We will plan to go back to CJS with this updated statement.

On Jan 4, 2021, at 8:07 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6) wrote:

? Thanks

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 4, 2021, at 8:01 PM, Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

? FYA (b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 4, 2021, at 7:51 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

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Yes

From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA) (b)(6)
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 7:46 PM
To: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6)
Cc: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6); Navas, Nicole (PAO) (b)(6); Greer, Megan L. (OLA) (b)(6); Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) (b)(6)
Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

+Megan and Alan

Was this language cleared by ODAG?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 4, 2021, at 6:09 PM, Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

? Sounds good. Thanks, Marc.

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 4, 2021, at 6:03 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6) wrote:

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(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)
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[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)
[Redacted]

Thank you,

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice
(b)(6)
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From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
(b)(6)
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 5:34 PM
To: Navas, Nicole (PAO)
(b)(6) Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
(b)(6)
Subject: BOP (b)(5)

FYA (b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) assembled and are on alert in case needed this week. Bop drafted the below statement in case of inquiries.

(b)(5)
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted] LMK if any issues or concerns.

Proposed Response:
(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)
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(b)(5)

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice

(b)(6)

Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 1:46 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Subject: Re: BO (b)(5)

LMK if you spoke with USMS and if I'm good to send the proposed response to Zach to confirm.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 6, 2021, at 1:16 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) wrote:

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Whoever your contact is there.

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO (b)(6))
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 2021 1:16 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6))
Subject: Re: BO (b)(5)

Ok will do. Zach Kelton, yeah?

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 6, 2021, at 1:15 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO (b)(6)) wrote:

? Call Zach and make sure that is true and please let him know we want to know if their mission changes.

Marc Raimondi
Acting Director of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 6, 2021, at 1:14 PM, Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

? Clare followed up wonderin (b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

My thought (b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

LMK if that works for you.

Kristina Mastropasqua

Office of Public Affairs

Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 5, 2021, at 7:46 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

? My talking points are accurate then.

Marc Raimondi

Acting Director of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 5, 2021, at 7:24 PM, Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

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(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Kristina Mastropasqua

Office of Public Affairs

Department of Justice

(b)(6)

On Jan 5, 2021, at 6:37 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO)

(b)(6) wrote:

Duplicative Material



Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 8:05 PM
To: Navas, Nicole (PAO)
Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

Yes definitely avoiding! (b)(5)

Kristina Mastropasqua
Office of Public Affairs
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

On Jan 4, 2021, at 8:04 PM, Navas, Nicole (PAO) (b)(6) wrote:

? Wow, I suggest stay clear of going into RFK.

Thank you,

Nicole Navas Oxman
Spokesperson
U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ)
(b)(6) (cell)
Nicole.Navas@usdoj.gov

On Jan 4, 2021, at 3:01 PM, Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO)
(b)(6) wrote:

Duplicative Material

Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:30 AM
To: Antell, Kira M. (OLA)
Cc: Greer, Megan L. (OLA)
Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

Thanks for the additional info, Kira. ALO will sit tight for now. (b)(5)

Much appreciated.

On Jan 5, 2021, at 7:38 AM, Antell, Kira M. (OLA) (b)(6) wrote:

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Alan – you may want to wait a bit. (b)(5)

Regardless, it is up to you if you want to share this with approps now and update later or hold.

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) (b)(6)
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 7:35 AM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6)
Cc: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6); Antell, Kira M. (OLA) (b)(6); Navas, Nicole (PAO) (b)(6); Greer, Megan L. (OLA) (b)(6)
Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

Duplicative Material

Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)

From: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 7:59 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

This is fine.

On Jan 4, 2021, at 5:49 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6) wrote:

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Rich/John, if you have a specific counsel you'd like me to coordinate this please let me know. Please see the BOP draft response below and then my recommended response, which is shorter,

Proposed OPA Response:

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: Mastropasqua, Kristina (PAO) (b)(6)
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2021 5:34 PM
To: Navas, Nicole (PAO) (b)(6); Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
(b)(6)
Subject: BOP (b)(5)

Duplicative Material

(b)(6) Richard Donoghue

From: (b)(6) Richard Donoghue
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 7:59 PM
To: Raimondi, Marc (PAO)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG)
Subject: Re: BOP (b)(5)

This is fine. The JCS Chairman suggested that we and others put out a statement in advance tomorrow - 1st A

On Jan 4, 2021, at 5:49 PM, Raimondi, Marc (PAO) (b)(6) wrote:

Duplicative Material

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 1:12 PM
To: Sherwin, Michael (USADC); Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Subject: FW: Report of suspecte (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA near the Capitol .

fysa

(b)(6)
Acting Chief
Counterterrorism Section
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

From (b)(6) (NSD (b)(6)
Sent: Wednesday, January 6, 2021 1:11 PM
To: NSD CTS OP (b)(6)
Subject: Report of suspect (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA near the Capitol .

All,

Park Police reports a suspecte (b)(7)(A) per EOUSA near the Capitol.

(b)(6), do you want to reach out to USAO?

Best,

(b)(6)



U.S. Department of Justice

United States Marshals Service

Tactical Operations Division

Washington, DC 20530-0001

January 5, 2021

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

FROM: Andrew Smith (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)
Assistant Director

SUBJECT: Special Deputation Request

PURPOSE: To obtain the Deputy Attorney General's approval or disapproval for a Special Deputation request from the Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP).

CATEGORY: This is a Category 5 request for Special Deputation.

TIMETABLE: Expedite.

SYNOPSIS: Special Deputation is requested by BOP to grant federal law enforcement authority to (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

DISCUSSION: Per BOP, Acting Attorney General Rosen has requested that BOP provide support to assist with the management of potential civil unrest in the Washington, D.C. area beginning on January 5, 2021. Accordingly, BOP has identified (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) be deployed to provide protection for the Main United States Department of Justice (DOJ) Building at 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C.

(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

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(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

Pursuant to the Deputy Attorney General's memorandum dated December 9, 1999, the Deputy Attorney General retains authority in seven categories of Special Deputations. This request falls within Category 5, where the deputation is for the purpose of granting additional federal law enforcement authority to a federal employee.

RECOMMENDATION:

(b)(5)

APPROVE: _____

DISAPPROVE: _____

OTHER: _____

Attachments: Form USM-3C (Application for Group Special Deputation), re: (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)
Memorandum from BOP

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U.S. Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Prisons

Washington, DC 20534

January 5, 2021

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)

Chief Inspector (b)(7)(E)-Special Deputations
United States Marshals Service
United States Marshals Headquarters
1215 S. Clark Street
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Dear (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F):

The Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) has (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

(b)(7)(E) to assist with the management of potential civil unrest in the Washington, DC area. See attached for names.

(b)(7)(E) and do
I have full confidence in their ability to represent the BOP.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter of mutual concern.

Sincerely,

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)

Acting Assistant Director
Correctional Programs Division

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)

Application for Group Special Deputation

SPONSORING AGENCY/DISTRICT/DIVISION

1. Sponsoring Agency/District/Division: * Federal Bureau of Prisons		2. Point of Contact: * (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)		3. Work E-mail Address: * (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)	
4. Phone Number: * (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)	5. District Address - Street: * 320 1st Street, NW	6. City: * Washington	7. State: * DC	8. ZIP Code: * 20534	

AGENCY BEING SPONSORED

9. Agency Being Sponsored: * District of Columbia (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)		10. Agency Point of Contact: * (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)		11. Work E-mail Address: * (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F)	
12. Phone Number: * (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)	13. Agency Address - Street: * 320 1st Street, NW	14. City: * Washington	15. State: * DC	16. ZIP Code: * 20534	

LIMIT OF SPECIAL DEPUTATION AUTHORITY

17. To seek and execute arrest and search warrants supporting the DC CIVIL UNREST Task Force, Operation, or Mission. *

This Deputation is valid from (b)(7)(E)
(Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)

NOTE: Special Deputations cannot be back-dated and are not retroactive. Special Deputations will be valid from the date the applicant(s) are sworn-in to the expiration date indicated on Page 1, Question 17 of this form.

18. I have reviewed the attached form submitted by the applicants for Special Deputation and verify that the information submitted by them is true and accurate.

Authorized Signature: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F) Date: 1/5/21
Sponsor, U.S. Marshal, Chief Deputy, or Designee

SDB Staff Only: Approval Disapproval Application Incomplete Other

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____
Chief, Special Deputation Branch or Designee

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F)

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Application for Group Special Deputation (continued)

1. Agency Being Sponsored:

District of Columbia

2. Applicant's District (District of Swearing in Location):

District of Columbia

3. I certify that the following statements are true and accurate. (False or fraudulent information knowingly provided on this form is criminally punishable pursuant to federal law, including Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001.)

- I am a citizen of the United States (includes naturalized citizens).
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- I have qualified with my primary authorized firearm within the past 6 months.
- I understand I am not authorized to participate in federal drug investigations unless authorized by DEA or FBI.
- I have read and agree to comply with the deadly force policy of either my agency or the Department of Justice.
- I have included a copy of my employer's authorization letter stating that they concur with my participation and that I have no internal investigations pending within the organization. (Exception: ESF-13)
- I understand that Special Deputy United States Marshals are prohibited from conducting electronic surveillance in USMS and USMS-adopted investigations without the written approval of the USMS Investigative Operations Division, Technical Operations Group.
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Hart, Rosemary (OLC)

From: Hart, Rosemary (OLC)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 6:59 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG); Moran, John (ODAG); Michel, Christopher (OAG)
Cc: Whitaker, Henry C. (OLC); Heim, Laura; Craft, Conor (OLC)
Subject: DC National Guard
Signed By: (b)(6) Rosemary Hart (OLC)

Gentlemen: I was just contacted by the Secretary of the Army's staff, who told me that it is their understanding that the Acting AG orally approved the Secretary of the Army's plan to approve DC National Guard support to the DC Government this week to cover the planned First Amendment activities. They are going to send me a written request (maybe tonight) from the Secretary of the Army formally asking the Acting AG to memorialize his approval.

Can you confirm that the Acting AG approved the request today in a meeting with the Acting SecDef and the SecArmy? If so, the approval has already been given, and the support can go forward all OLC will need to do tomorrow is prepare paperwork that would memorialize the oral approval.

Thanks,
Rosemary

*Rosemary Hart
Special Counsel
Office of Legal Counsel
U.S. Department of Justice
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From: Hart, Rosemary (OLC)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 6:49 PM
T (b)(6) per DOD
C (b)(6) per DOD Heim, Laura
(b)(6) (b)(6) per DOD; Craft,
Conor (OL (b)(6)
Subject: RE: Updated Memo to DoJ

(b)(6) per DOD: Thank you very much for the call just now, advising me that Acting Attorney General Rosen has given his oral concurrence today to the request from Secretary McCarthy for approval of the plan to provide the District of Columbia government with specified support from the D.C. National Guard this week. We await a written request from the Secretary of the Army for memorialization of the Acting Attorney General's oral approval, which we will facilitate as expeditiously as we can tomorrow.

Again, I appreciate the call tonight and will be in touch tomorrow for final coordination.

All best,
Rosemary

*Rosemary Hart
Special Counsel*

Office of Legal Counsel
U.S. Department of Justice

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From (b)(6) per DOD
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 6:34 PM
To: Hart, Rosemary (OL (b)(6)
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(b)(6) (b)(6) per DOD Craft,
Conor (OL (b)(6)
Subject: RE: Updated Memo to DoJ

Ms. Hart,

Good evening.

Ma'am, I a (b)(6) per DOD for the Secretary of the Army.

We are finalizing a concurrence memorandum from Secretary McCarthy to Mr. Rosen that permits the DC National Guard to support Mayor Bowser's request for support this weekend.

I was informed that Mr. Rosen participated in a meeting with the Acting Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of the Army earlier today regarding the support. We will follow this email with Secretary McCarthy's letter to Mr. Rosen requesting his concurrence.

Thank you for your time. More to follow this evening.

v/r

(b)(6) per DOD

Secretary of the Army

101 Army Pentago (b)(6) per DOD
Washington, DC 20310-0102

Offic (b)(6) per DOD

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(b)(6) per DOD

The wonderful folks that I work with for concurrence from the DAG are cc'd. I usually correspond and discuss actions with Rosemary directly. Her number (b)(6) per DOD .
v/r,

(b)(6) per DOD

Operations & Personnel Practice Group
Office of the General Counsel
104 Army Pentago (b)(6) per DOD
Washington D.C. 20310-0104

(b)(6) per DOD

From (b)(6) per DOD

Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 5:41 PM

T (b)(6) per DOD

Subject: RE: Updated Memo to DoJ

(b)(6) per DOD

Please send your POC in Mr. Rosen's office. I understand your POC is staff level.

Ma'am, thank you for all your help and for your responsiveness today.

v/r

(b)(6) per DOD

From (b)(6) per DOD

Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 5:12 PM

T (b)(6) per DOD

Subject: Re: Updated Memo to DoJ

Sorry for the delay; correct!

From (b)(6) per DOD

Date: Monday, January 4, 2021 at 5:02:28 PM

To (b)(6) per DOD

Subject: RE: Updated Memo to DoJ

(b)(6) per DOD

Thank you for the quick turn. I assume at this point your official position is NLO on each memo?

Thank you.

v/r

(b)(6) per DOD

(b)(6) (NSD)

From: (b)(6) (NSD)
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:21 PM
To: Donoghue, Richard (ODAG)
Cc: Moran, John (ODAG); Sherwin, Michael (USADC)
Subject: NCR Civil Unrest Prep Planning Update - 4 January 2021
Attachments: Preparations for Civil Disturbances Week of 4 January 2021.docx

Rich,

Good afternoon. For your background and awareness, the attached document is a good overview of the USG posture going into Jan 6.

Best,

(b)(6)

Acting Chief
Counterterrorism Section
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20530

(b)(6)

From: (b)(6) per DHS
Sent: Monday, January 4, 2021 12:03 PM
T: (b)(6) (NS (b)(6))
C: (b)(6) per DHS
Subject: NCR Civil Unrest Prep Planning Update - 4 January 2021

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As requested, attached please find an updated version of civil unrest planning efforts for the 5 to 6 January planned events in Washington, DC. DHS OPS Director Tomney has shared this with the DHS front office.

Following is an iPhone version of the attached.

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DOJ FBI

- FBI operations relative to the potential unrest will be conducted out of their Washington, DC Field Office (WFO) (b)(7)(E) per FBI [REDACTED]

DOD

- The National Guard Bureau (NGB) advise (b)(7)(E) DC Guardsmen will be under an active recall for 5 and 6 Jan, to include (b)(7)(E) Civil Support Team.
- NGB and the US Army (DOD Executive Agent for defense support of civil authorities) will participate in the DHS virtual SITROOM on 5 and 6 January.

(b)(7)(E) per DHS

Vr, Chip
Chip Strangfeld
Duty Director
DHS Office of Operations Coordination
National Operations Center

Comm (b)(6)
 Secur (b)(6); CM (b)(6)
 (b)(6) per DHS

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4 January 2021

Preparations for Civil Disturbances - Week of 4 January 2021

(b)(7)(E) per DHS



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- NGB and the US Army (DOD Executive Agent for defense support of civil authorities) will participate in the DHS virtual SITROOM on 5 and 6 January.

(b)(7)(E) per DHS

Call w/ Miller Shewby

12/30/20

- Social media suggests $\leq 10K$
- also looking at hotel res. + travel

This far, solely pro-Trump protesters planning to come in.

- no intel re. counter-protesters

This weekend trip is a coordination call with:

- NS
- WFO
- Park Police
- MPD

MS

- Will send email update on Friday describing details + planning - including what specific planning is for DOS HQ Bldg.
- will send daily email thereafter - he is having evening calls at 1900 each night.

(b)(7)(C) (b)(6)

11/4/21 Call - M. Shewby, (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) DRAG, (b)(7)(D)

- No need for additional resources now.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

- MPD estimates $\leq 10K$

- Mayor authorized DC NS - (b)(7)(E) available for road closure

- ~~WFO will have to~~

+ ground control

- 0700 MPD TOC on Thursday - MPD UCs will feed intel thru

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

- 0500 + 2000 Intel Report

- No credible reports of attacks on targets

SECDEF + call - DHS, DOJ, NSC,

1/4/21

MVD - (b)(7)(E) officers + Capital Police

0600 tomorrow - Ops Ctr.

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per DOD

IRMWBE

Amirya

DAG:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(5), (b)(7)(A) per DOD; (b)(7)(E) per FBI