

Non-Responsive Record: Sarah Flores Transmitting Email to OIP

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 11:09 PM
Subject: Fwd: So much for the honeymoon...
To: <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 9:10 AM
Subject: Re: So much for the honeymoon...
To: Paul Bedard <pbedard@washingtonexaminer.com>

Thanks...maybe? Haha:)

On Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 8:39 AM -0500, "Paul Bedard" <pbedard@washingtonexaminer.com> wrote:

BTW, congrats on the job...

On Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 6:45 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)> wrote:

I think its important to note that this was in the regular course of his work on armed services. He met 25 times with ambassadors last year. The day after this meeting, he met with the Ukranian ambassador. The meeting was in his senate office with two defense policy staffers--meaning, this wasn't some secret. It was in the Russell building.

He's said on the record all along he will recuse if himself if he needs to.

On Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 4:58 AM, Paul Bedard <pbedard@washingtonexaminer.com> wrote:
Just checking in for the latest...

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 8:19 AM
Subject: Fwd: From Chris at Bloomberg
To: sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov

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From: **Chris Strohm (BLOOMBERG/ WASHINGTON)** <cstrohm1@bloomberg.net>
Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 7:02 AM
Subject: From Chris at Bloomberg
To: peter.carr@usdoj.gov, (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

Here are follow-up questions regarding Sessions. I'll be in the press room starting around 9am if it's easier to talk in person or if you guys want to make Sessions available to answer questions directly.

Doesn't Sessions have an obligation to recuse himself from the Trump-Russia investigation now that he is a potential witness in the investigation? DoJ previously said Sessions would discuss recusal options with lawyers as needed. Is he going to talk to lawyers today about this?

What did he talk about with the Russian ambassador during their private meeting in September? Did the issues of election hacking or Russian sanctions come up?

Did Sessions tell Trump or other officials on the Trump presidential campaign that he had met with the Russian ambassador and, if so, when?

Did Sessions meet with any other Russian government officials during 2016 and, if so, what were the nature of those conversations?

Has Sessions talked with Russian government officials since becoming attorney general and, if so, what are the nature of those conversations?

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Subject: Fwd: From Chris at Bloomberg
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Chris Strohm (BLOOMBERG/ WASHINGTON)** <cstrohm1@bloomberg.net>
Date: Wed, Mar 1, 2017 at 9:24 PM
Subject: From Chris at Bloomberg
To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email, Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov

The Post is reporting that Sessions spoke twice with the Russian ambassador during the campaign. Is this accurate? What was the nature of these conversations?

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Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 11:10 PM
Subject: Fwd: Good morning / NBC
To: <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 8:17 AM
Subject: Re: Good morning / NBC
To: "Damberg, Chelsea (NBCUniversal)" <Chelsea.Damberg@nbcuni.com>
Cc: Jeff Sessions <kappell@crccpublicrelations.com>, sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov

appreciate it

On Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 8:14 AM, Damberg, Chelsea (NBCUniversal) <Chelsea.Damberg@nbcuni.com> wrote:

Hi Keith and Sarah,
Know you are getting tons of emails this am from all of us. I'm happy to jump on the phone at some point today and discuss an opportunity for NBC to sit down with AG Sessions when appropriate today or tomorrow to set the record straight. Whether that's a tape interview today to air across our many platforms, or live tomorrow on TODAY.

Let me know if you have a few to discuss...

Chelsea

Chelsea Damberg | NBC News | C: (b) (6)

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To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Damberg, Chelsea (NBCUniversal)** <Chelsea.Damberg@nbcuni.com>
Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 8:14 AM
Subject: Good morning / NBC
To: Jeff Sessions <kappell@crccpublicrelations.com>, Jeff Sessions <(b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email>

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From: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 9, 2017 at 1:42 PM
Subject: Fwd: FW: CNN / New Day: Sarah Isgur Flores (Fri, 8A)
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: Press <Press@usdoj.gov>
Date: Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 9:27 AM
Subject: FW: CNN / New Day: Sarah Isgur Flores (Fri, 8A)
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

I spoke with Melissa yesterday, and in addition to the below, she asked if you could send her your DOJ email address. Thanks.

KC

From: Giaimo, Melissa [mailto:Melissa.Giaimo@cnn.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 2, 2017 3:07 PM
To: press@usdoj.gov
Subject: CNN / New Day: Sarah Isgur Flores (Fri, 8A)

Hello,

I'm writing to request an interview with Sarah Isgur Flores for CNN's morning show.

As coverage focuses on AG Sessions, can Sarah join us on the show tomorrow to clarify the facts to our viewers?

The hit-time would be 8A. We would be happy to send a crew.

Kind Regards,

Melissa



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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
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Subject: Fwd: AG available at 8:33 or 8:52 AM EST or both? Loved the tweet
To: <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Hugh** (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 8:49 AM
Subject: Re: AG available at 8:33 or 8:52 AM EST or both? Loved the tweet
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Sarah: I'll be spending some time in air Monday at MSNBC first with Haille then with Steve Kornacki. If the AG joined me at 7:33 AM I could talk about whatever he has to say. Let me know. Hugh

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 3, 2017, at 5:12 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

Sorry! His schedule is full this am. But I'm sure we'll do it next week.

On Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 8:00 AM -0500, "Hugh" (b) (6) > wrote:

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
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To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Hugh** (b) (6) >
Date: Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 8:29 AM
Subject: Re: AG available at 8:33 or 8:52 AM EST or both? Loved the tweet
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Thanks for response. Looking forward to it. I'm in DC M-W so it will even be at a decent hour for me

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 3, 2017, at 5:12 AM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 11:08 AM
Subject: Fwd: coffee or a drink?
To: <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Josh Dawsey** <jdawsey@politico.com>
Date: Tue, Feb 28, 2017 at 5:56 PM
Subject: Re: coffee or a drink?
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Sounds good. How does Tuesday or Wednesday look?
Can do a breakfast or drink.

Best/Josh

From: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2017 5:49:39 PM
To: Josh Dawsey
Subject: Re: coffee or a drink?

That sounds great. Mind if we look at next week so I can get my sea legs under me a little?

On Tue, Feb 28, 2017 at 1:51 PM, Josh Dawsey <jdawsey@politico.com> wrote:

Hi Sarah, we haven't met but I cover the White House for POLITICO. I think you and I maybe emailed a while back on a Sessions story.

Am trying to get to know some of the administration folks better, and would love to have a meal or drink with you.

Let me know if you're game. Flexible to meet whenever is convenient.

Best, Josh

Josh Dawsey
White House Reporter
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jdawsey@politico.com
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Subject: Fwd: coffee or a drink?
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Tue, Feb 28, 2017 at 5:49 PM
Subject: Re: coffee or a drink?
To: Josh Dawsey <jdawsey@politico.com>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
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Subject: Fwd: Cancel Boyle
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 3:18 PM
Subject: Cancel Boyle
To: "Bryant, Errical (OAG)" <Errical.Bryant@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 9, 2017 at 1:46 PM
Subject: Fwd: Sessions interview
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 9, 2017 at 1:46 PM
Subject: Fwd: Sessions interview
To: "Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA)" <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Alex Pfeiffer** <pfeiffer@dailycaller.com>
Date: Sat, Mar 4, 2017 at 2:20 PM
Subject: Sessions interview
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Hi Sarah - Is Attorney General Sessions available for an interview in the upcoming week? I'd like to discuss his priorities at the DOJ, not Russia stuff

Thanks,
Alex Pfeiffer
Reporter
The Daily Caller

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Subject: Fwd: Fw: Statement from Mayor Rahm Emanuel - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Collins, Adam** <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>
Date: Thu, Mar 9, 2017 at 4:11 PM
Subject: Fw: Statement from Mayor Rahm Emanuel - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Hey Sarah-

I meant to send this to you last night, but wanted to be sure you saw the statement we put out yesterday evening regarding the Attorney General's announcement on prioritizing prosecution of the most violent offenders.

From: Mayor's Press Office
Sent: Wednesday, March 8, 2017 9:13 PM
Subject: Statement from Mayor Rahm Emanuel - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



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March 8, 2017

CONTACT:

Mayor's Press Office

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press@cityofchicago.org

STATEMENT FROM MAYOR RAHM EMANUEL

I want to commend Attorney General Sessions for taking action to prioritize the federal prosecution of those responsible for driving violent gun crime. The Attorney General and I agree on the need to increase federal gun prosecutions in Chicago, and strengthening this crime-fighting tool will be a welcome step for cities across the country. My hope is that today's action by the federal government is quickly followed by action by state government to also ensure stronger sentences for repeat gun offenders here in Illinois.

In addition to these crucial law enforcement tools, we will continue to increase training for officers, to improve community policing strategies and to advocate for added investments in prevention, including job training, summer jobs, after-school programming and mentoring.

<https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/attorney-general-sessions-directs-federal-prosecutors-target-most-significant-violent>

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Subject: Fwd: US Attorneys
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Jon Allen** <jon@sidewire.com>
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 3:27 PM
Subject: US Attorneys
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Sarah — Want to do a Sidewire chat on the US attorneys' departure and the historical context?

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Head of Community & Content
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(b) (6) | [@jonallenc](https://twitter.com/jonallenc)

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 4:00 PM
Subject: Fwd: press list?
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Berenson, Tessa - Time U.S.** <Tessa.Berenson@time.com> <Tessa.Berenson@time.com>
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 3:18 PM
Subject: press list?
To: Sarah Flores <(b) (6)>

Hey Sarah -- can you add me to the DOJ press list or whatever press list you have for news coming out of AG Sessions' office?

Thank you! Have a great weekend

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 6:56 PM
Subject: Fwd: Follow Up
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <Sarah.Isgur.Flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: "**Luis Baco**" (b) (6)
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 5:57 PM -0500
Subject: Re: Follow Up
To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6) >

Sarah - Hi. Hope you are doing well. I was told that you are working as spokesperson for Attorney General Sessions. As you probably know, Jenniffer was elected to Congress and I'm back on the Hill as her CoS. I was hoping you could refer me to the right person at DOJ to talk about Puerto Rico's US Attorney, Rosa Emilia Rodriguez. Rosa Emilia is a Bush appointee and a Republican and Jenniffer strongly supports her staying in the position. Any guidance you can provide will be greatly appreciated. Best, Luis

On Sep 23, 2016 11:16 PM, "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6) wrote:

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 8:00 PM
Subject: Fwd: Statement regarding attorney generals asked to resign?
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <Sarah.Isgur.Flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: "**Eversley, Melanie**" <meversle@usatoday.com>
Date: Fri, Mar 10, 2017 at 7:42 PM -0500
Subject: Statement regarding attorney generals asked to resign?
To: "Sarah Isgur Flores" (b) (6) >

Hello.

I was just wondering if there was anything you could share.

Thank you!

Melanie Eversley

Reporter, Breaking News, Civil Rights

USA TODAY New York Bureau

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Mon, Mar 13, 2017 at 11:43 AM
Subject: Fwd: Sarah, David Brody here with CBN News
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Brody, David** <David.Brody@cbn.org>
Date: Mon, Mar 13, 2017 at 11:13 AM
Subject: Sarah, David Brody here with CBN News
To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

Hey Sarah,

Hope all is well. It's been awhile. Keith with CRC (we're good friends) said i should reach out to you.

Really trying to get an on camera sit-down with Attorney General Sessions. Will you make this request known to him? I say it that way because he's known me for a long time; I've been to his home in Mobile and he and I have a good relationship.

Also, let me just say that since the Trump Administration began, CBN's media profile has risen significantly. Fox & Friends and MSNBC want me on multiple times a week and Meet The Press has contacted me about a regular slot on their Sunday Show panel. With all of this, comes great responsibility to provide accurate and fair coverage with proper perspective. I want to make sure I provide proper, fact based analysis. For him to sit with me (like President Trump did in his first week in office) will be effective way to cut through all the clutter that is out there. We have one of the largest cable audiences in the country and they don't just watch television. They are active. They are precinct captains and they call their member of congress!

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They are proudly deplorable.

Thoughts?

Thanks Sarah!

Best to you,

David Brody

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Subject: Fwd: THE CIRCUS
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Lauryeblackford** (b) (6) >
Date: Fri, Mar 3, 2017 at 10:11 AM
Subject: THE CIRCUS
To: (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

Hi Sarah,

We corresponded during the early days of the 2016 campaign -- (b) (6)

I'm reaching out to see if you have a minute sometime today or Monday for a quick off the record conversation. In addition to having worked for many years in republican politics, I'm also a television producer and currently the senior producer of *The Circus* which airs on Showtime and is coming back in mid March for 6 episodes. We have an idea for something that I wanted to run by you to get your thoughts before we go any further.

Apologies if I sound cryptic, but easier to explain over the phone if possible.

I can always be reached on this email or my mobile at (b) (6) I won't take much of your time but would love 5 minutes if you can.

All best

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Sent from my iPhone

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)** >
Date: Wed, Mar 15, 2017 at 8:40 PM
Subject: Fwd: Hi! I don't have your DOJ email...
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <Sarah.Isgur.Flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: "**Jackson, Hallie (NBCUniversal)**" <Hallie.Jackson@nbcuni.com>
Date: Wed, Mar 15, 2017 at 8:14 PM -0400
Subject: Hi! I don't have your DOJ email...
To: **(b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email** >

But am handling the story on the Hawaii TRO for the TDY show. Do you anticipate any statement from DOJ, and/or do you have any guidance for me re: next steps on background?

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
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Subject: Fwd: Comey statement
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Michael Isikoff** <misikoff@yahoo-inc.com>
Date: Mon, Mar 20, 2017 at 11:02 AM
Subject: Comey statement
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Sarah- Comey said he got approval from DOJ for his statement. Was Ag recused from that decision ?

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

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Subject: Fwd: Hi from Katie

To: <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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

Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 10:57 PM

Subject: Fwd: Hi from Katie

To: sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov

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From: **Katie Couric** (b) (6) >

Date: Thu, Mar 2, 2017 at 8:25 PM

Subject: Re: Hi from Katie

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

Cc: Nancy Baker <nbaker@yahoo-inc.com>

Hi Sarah,

Thanks for keeping me in mind for this request. I know you had a lot on your plate today, but should the AG want to talk sooner Russia etc I would be happy to do an interview with him on that. I'll come to DC and you can reach me on my cell anytime to discuss further. On a side-note, I will also be in DC next Weds if it's possible for you to meet for coffee or for coffee or an off the record with the AG.

Best,
Katie

Katie

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On Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 11:32 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:

This sounds really interesting. We aren't accepting interview requests at this point--like you said, still getting set up over here. But will keep this in mind and circle back when we get a little further along.

Thanks for being in touch!

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On Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 6:36 PM, Katie Couric (b) (6) wrote:

Hi Sarah!

I hope this note finds you well. I had a lot of fun when you joined us for Yahoo's debate coverage and hope it was a good experience for you, as well.

I understand that you worked with AG Sessions on his confirmation hearing. He was well served to have you advising him! In fact, I was on the hill last week and I happened to pass by his senate office. I went in and was able to say hi to him (off the record of course!) for a few minutes. He was confirmed later that evening.

I wanted to tell you about a new initiative that Yahoo is launching this year, a series of tentpole editorial events around major societal issues. The first event will be about marijuana in America and it will be called: Weed & The American Family. From legalization, to health, to pop culture--we want to analyze the debate and discussion surrounding marijuana use from a variety of angles.

Given his role as the chief lawyer for the country, I would like to give AG Sessions an opportunity to outline his views on the legalization of marijuana. As you know, this has been a hot button "state to state" issue with many implications from sentencing to mandatory minimums, etc. It would be great to have him outline his views on criminal justice reform, too, which has tended to be a more bipartisan issue.

I realize that as his office is being set up there will be a public relations team put in place, but I was hoping that you might be able to get this into the right hands early for consideration. We would be happy to take a meeting with anyone you suggest in D.C. to help flesh this out further or answer any questions.

This would consist of a sit down interview with AG Sessions sometime in April and I am happy to come to his office for the interview. We would like to request 30 minutes for the interview, which will have prominent placement on Yahoo, a site that remains the #1 online news destination in America.

Here are Yahoo's latest numbers as well. I look forward to speaking with you soon!

Best,
Katie

Overall, Yahoo has approximately **a billion users worldwide in 60+ nations.**

Yahoo News has **65 million** users monthly in the U.S., and Yahoo Finance attracts an additional **63 million** users each month.

KATIE COURIC VIDEO STATS

Katie Couric and original Yahoo News video generated 640M views in 2016 on Yahoo, up from 217M in 2015, up nearly 300% YoY.

STATS: Yahoo News with Katie Couric

- Katie Couric and the Yahoo original video team generate an average of 13+ million streams a week.
- Viewers between the ages of 18 and 34 watched Katie Couric videos 30% longer than they did other Yahoo videos.

Highlights:

- The Katie Couric Interview with Edward Snowden received more than 2.6 million video views and had more than 1.5 million completes.
- Katie Couric's interview with DJ Khaled received over 2.1 million views and had a completion rate of 1.9 million.
- **Media Impressions:**
 - Katie Couric's exclusive rare face-to-face interview with Edward Snowden received over 6 million broadcast media impressions and online more than 616 million media impressions.
 - Katie Couric's interview with Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg received over 1.5 billion media impressions.
- **Election 2016:**
 - Yahoo News' coverage of Election 2016 was the most comprehensive election coverage of any digital native media company - rivaling that of major networks.
 - Yahoo News video saw it's two highest weeks ever during the coverage of the 2016 political conventions generating 44 million video views from the RNC and DNC combined.
 - Yahoo News' coverage of all of the 2016 presidential debates received more than 20 million views. (Live + VOD)
 - Yahoo's election night live stream anchored by Katie Couric received a staggering 16.6 million total video views (Live + VOD), 6.2 million of which were live and nearly 8 million live views on Facebook Live.

Sarah Isgur Flores

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Thu, Mar 9, 2017 at 1:44 PM
Subject: Fwd: Hi from Katie
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Nancy Baker** <nbaker@yahoo-inc.com>
Date: Wed, Feb 15, 2017 at 2:05 PM
Subject: Re: Hi from Katie
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

OK great... and if you are back in DC would love to finally meet. Back at Buzz or Rustico or in DC ...let me know. My treat.

Nancy Baker
Yahoo News with Katie Couric
(b) (6)
@NancyABaker

On Wednesday, February 15, 2017, 11:16:43 AM EST, Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) > wrote:
Not official yet--but probably.

On Wed, Feb 15, 2017 at 7:34 AM -0500, "Nancy Baker" <nbaker@yahoo-inc.com> wrote:

Hi Sarah! Are you going with to DOJ?

On Tuesday, February 14, 2017, 11:32 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6) > wrote:

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6) >
Date: Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 1:40 PM
Subject: Fwd: Hi from Katie
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Nancy Baker** <nbaker@yahoo-inc.com>
Date: Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 12:39 PM
Subject: Re: Hi from Katie
To: Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)>

Hi Sarah --

I wanted to follow up with you on this proposal re Yahoo's initiative: Weed and the American Family. Do you have a few minutes to chat this week? I'd be happy to come by your office and meet or take you to lunch nearby to discuss further.

Also, Katie will be in DC on April 4th if that date might work for an interview about this -- or for her to come by and say hi to you and the AG.

Best,

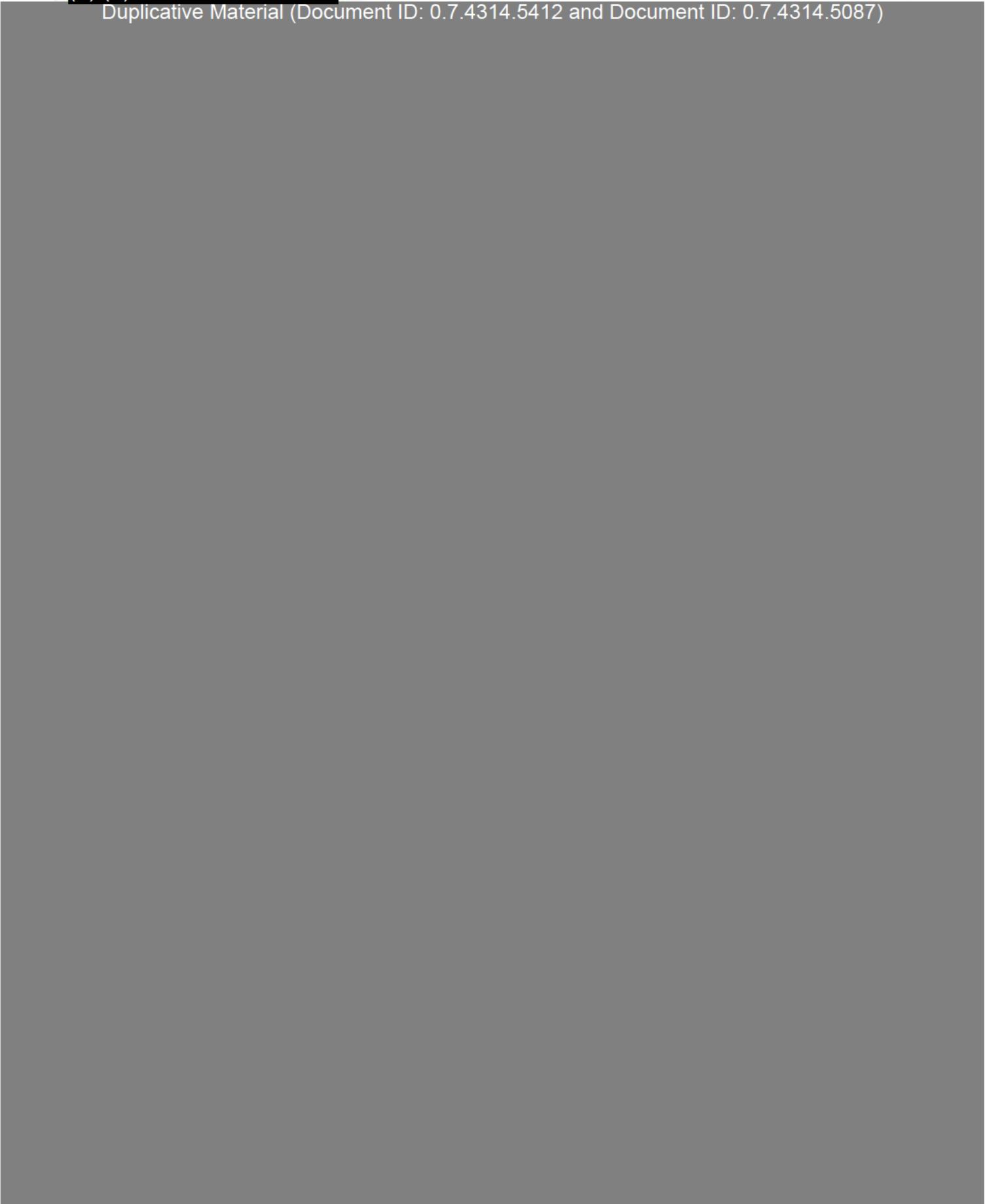
Nancy Baker
Yahoo News with Katie Couric
(b) (6)
@NancyABaker

On Wednesday, February 15, 2017, 10:16:43 AM EST, Sarah Isgur Flores

On Wednesday, February 16, 2017, 10:10:10 AM EST, Sarah Leggett wrote:

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** (b) (6)
Date: Thu, Mar 23, 2017 at 2:53 PM
Subject: Fwd: want to get lunch tomorrow?
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Lichtblau, Eric** <ericl@nytimes.com>
Date: Thu, Mar 23, 2017 at 2:51 PM
Subject: want to get lunch tomorrow?
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >

Eric Lichtblau
New York Times
Washington Bureau
Reporter

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 30, 2017 at 4:35 PM
Subject: Fwd: Hi, Sarah.
To: Flores, Sarah Isgur (OPA) <sarah.isgur.flores@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores** <(b) (6)>
Date: Thu, Mar 30, 2017 at 4:35 PM
Subject: Re: Hi, Sarah.
To: "Johnson, Kevin" <kjohnson@usatoday.com>

Please email my work account. Its a records nightmare when things go to my gmail:)

On Thu, Mar 30, 2017 at 4:34 PM, Johnson, Kevin <kjohnson@usatoday.com> wrote:

Would there be a chance to get some time with the AG to discuss in more detail what the federal govt can provide to cities to assist with anti-violence efforts?

Specifically, would be interested in what resources might be deployed to Chicago. Have been told that ATF has been developing a fairly elaborate re-deployment plan.

I could be available at the AG's convenience.

Many thanks,

Kevin

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Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6)

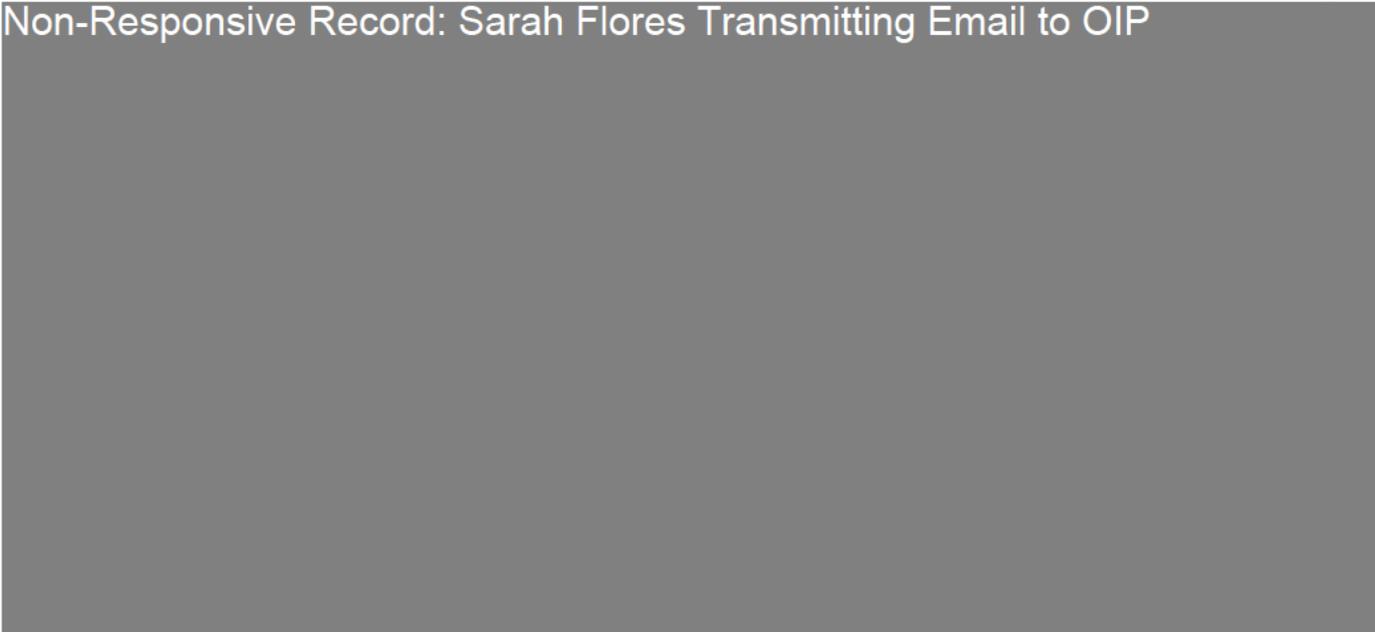
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From: **Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)** >

Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 11:37 AM

Subject: Fwd: Sessions Draft Email to All Staff (SDK edits 2-6-17)

To: <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>

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From: **Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG)** <Zachary.Terwilliger2@usdoj.gov>

Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 1:58 PM

Subject: Contact Information

To: **(b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email** Carr, Peter (OPA) <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>, Hunt, Jody (CIV) <Jody.Hunt@usdoj.gov>

Cc: Crowell, James (ODAG) <James.Crowell@usdoj.gov>, Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <Rachael.Tucker@usdoj.gov>, Rybicki, David (OAG) <David.Rybicki@usdoj.gov>, Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <Mary.Blanche.Hankey@usdoj.gov>

Team,

Good to meet with you today. Our pertinent emails are above and here is additional contact information:

PADAG Jim Crowell **(b) (6)**

OAG Chief of Staff Jody Hunt **(b) (6)**

OPA Peter Carr **(b) (6)**

Sarah Flores **(b) (6)**

Zach Terwilliger (b) (6)

In addition, I have looped in the current OAG staff members Mary Blanche Hankey (White House Liaison); David Rybicki (Counselor); and Rachel Tucker (Counselor)

I am planning on passing off the materials to Rachael and Mary Blanche momentarily and will stand by to support in any way that you all need.

Zach

Zachary Terwilliger

Associate Deputy Attorney General

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From: McKinney, Suzanna (Sessions) (b) (6) >
Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 4:18 PM
Subject: RE: All Employee Speech/E-mail
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6) >
Cc: jody.hunt@usdoj.gov <jody.hunt@usdoj.gov>, Hanrahan, Peggi (Sessions) (b) (6) >

Great. Much appreciated, Sarah!

Jody, please use the final version that Sarah attached.

Thanks, everyone.

From: Sarah Isgur Flores [mailto:(b) (6)]
Sent: Tuesday, February 07, 2017 4:03 PM
To: McKinney, Suzanna (Sessions) (b) (6)
Cc: jody.hunt@usdoj.gov; Hanrahan, Peggi (Sessions) (b) (6)
Subject: Re: All Employee Speech/E-mail

Hey sorry Suzanna! I made a few edits since I saw you. Here's the version for the teleprompter tomorrow.

On Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 3:52 PM, McKinney, Suzanna (Sessions)

(b) (6) > wrote:

Hey Jody,

Please see the attached speech. Let me know what else I can provide to you!

Best,

Suzanna McKinney

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Sarah Isgur Flores

(b) (6)

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From: **Carr, Peter (OPA)** <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov>
Date: Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 5:52 PM
Subject: Re: Video Message
To: Sarah Isgur Flores (b) (6)

Thx

On Feb 7, 2017, at 5:49 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)> wrote:

Works for me!

On Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 5:44 PM -0500, "Carr, Peter (OPA)" <Peter.Carr@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Here is draft language for the website title and description. Let me know if you had any edits:

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On Feb 7, 2017, at 3:19 PM, Sarah Isgur Flores <(b) (6)> wrote:

I've attached the final draft for the script for the teleprompter tomorrow. IPS has told me he plans to make edits in the room, so please let the

Jody has told me he plans to make edits in the room--so please let the teleprompter operator know that he'll be making line edits.

I am fine with this on justice.gov and youtube if others are good with that option. I also think we should send out the script as text for the email in the body with the video so people can read it if they'd prefer.

For the background, I think we'll want him sitting at a desk and with the two flags behind him. I also want to make sure we've got good lightening so its not too dark.

Let me know what else we need! Thanks all!

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On Tue, Feb 7, 2017 at 3:05 PM, Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <Mary.Blanche.Hankey@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Thanks-adding Errical.

From: Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG)
Sent: Tuesday, February 7, 2017 2:42 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Hunt, Jody (CIV) <JHunt@CIV.USDOJ.GOV>; (b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email
[REDACTED] Hankey, Mary Blanche (OAG) <mbhankey@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Tucker, Rachael (OAG) <ratucker@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Terwilliger, Zachary (ODAG) <Zachary.Terwilliger2@usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Video Message

Peter,

Adding Office of Attorney General Staff Mary Blanche, Rachael, and David.

Zach

From: Carr, Peter (OPA)
Sent: Tuesday, February 7, 2017 2:36 PM
To: Hunt, Jody (CIV) <JHunt@CIV.USDOJ.GOV>;

(b)(6): Sarah Flores personal email

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Cc: Terwinger, Zachary (ODAG) <zterwinger@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: FW: Video Message

Confirmed for tomorrow at 3pm. Note the 2pm deadline for the teleprompter.

Also, we have two options for (b) (5)

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2) (b) (5)

[Redacted]

OPA's preference is (b) (5)

Thx,

Peter

From: McGowan, Ashley L. (OPA)
Sent: Tuesday, February 07, 2017 2:23 PM
To: Carr, Peter (OPA) <pcarr@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Video Message

Peter –

Lisa MacLeod confirmed that we're good to go for recording the message in the studio tomorrow from 3-3:30pm, with the standard background for messages from the AG. We will need to send the script to her and Robert by 2pm to be loaded into the teleprompter. The video will be on the g-drive by tomorrow evening for us to have ready to put on the website after confirmation/oath of office. If I've missed anything or you need anything else, please let me know.

Thanks,

Ashley

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Sarah Isgur Flores
(b) (6)
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