

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)
To: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6) (b) (6) (OLA)"
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Cc: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)
Subject: FW: AG Briefing Book
Date: Mon, 6 Jul 2020 18:31:28 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: FRD_Talking_Points_-_AG_Testimony.7.5.2020.docx; FRD_Talking_Points_-_AG_Testimony.7.5.2020.redline.docx; 34_-_Madoff_Victim_Fund_-_Compassionate_Release_7-5-2020_clean.docx; 34_-_Madoff_Victim_Fund_-_Compassionate_Release_7-5-2020_rl.docx; 33_-_Civil_Asset_Forfeiture_7-5-2020.docx; 33_-_Civil_Asset_Forfeiture_7-5-2020.rl.docx; EOUSA_Talking_Pointsrevised_6.30.2020.docx; 35_-_OPIOID_CRISIS.CRM.FD.docx; 37_-_MARIJUANA_-_RESEARCH_APPLICATIONS_AND_BANKING_JMT_MLARS.docx; COVID_Talkers.docx; Draft_DEA_Support_for_Civil_Unrest_Talking_Points_CPC_06052020.docx; 38_-_STEMMING_THE_FLOW_OF_DRUGS_FROM_MEXICO_-_MEXICAN_DRUG_TRAFFICKING_ORGANIZATIONS.docx

(b) (6) and (b) (6)–

Sorry for the delay. I actually took today off and then remembered today's deadline for these.

I think these may be too many and too much. Let me know if any need to go back to the components.

Thanks

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DEA Support for Civil Unrest Talking Points (Updated: 06052020)

General Talking Points (b) (5)

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Temporary Designation of Non-Title 21 Authority

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CJS Questions (DRAFT Responses as of 06032020 – Will update when cleared)

Do you know how many agents have been pulled to now assist state and local authorities and in which locations.

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Are there any TDY or other costs associated with this?

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What surveillance assets referenced in the article are being used by DEA?

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Do you know how many times DEA has been granted non-Title 21 authority and what circumstances may have allowed that?

- (b) (5)

HSPCI and SSCI Committee Questions

- 1) Is the Buzzfeed reporting accurate, including the cited and attached DEA memorandum? Can you provide an official copy of the memorandum to the Committee?
- 2) Who or what prompted DEA to request the new authority?
- 3) Why is the authority necessary to carry out the DEA's mission?
- 4) How has the DEA used such authority since DOJ's approval on May 31, 2020? Please describe in detail — citing specific use cases and actual examples linked to the underlying authority — of how the DEA conducted such activities and provided support to federal, state, local, or tribal law enforcement.

5) How does the DEA intend to use such authority in the future? Please describe in detail — citing specific use cases and examples linked to the underlying authority — of how the DEA conducted such activities and provided support to federal, state, local, or tribal law enforcement.

6) Does the DEA intend to request an extension of the authority beyond the 14 days requested in the memorandum? If so, why and for how long?

7) What actions has the DEA taken or intends to take in order to notify congressional oversight committees, including our Committee, of activities authorized or related to this memorandum and any subsequent extensions thereof?

8) Has the DEA produced any intelligence products — Intelligence Information Reports (IIRs); situational, tactical, or strategic reports; or any other operational cables or leads to other departments or agencies — related to or in the wake of protests arising from the death of George Floyd?

9) Is the Office of National Security Intelligence participating in any way in furtherance of those efforts, whether via personnel or resources dedicated to such activities? If so, please explain.

10) Are there other instances in which ONSI is currently involved in ongoing domestic law enforcement efforts pertaining to the recent demonstration activity and/or response to the COVID-19 pandemic?

11) The memo states that DEA will “share intelligence with federal, state, local, and tribal counterparts.” What are the sources of such intelligence? Under what authorities and through which mechanisms will it be shared?

From: "Purdy, Nikita (JMD)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: "Lucas, Daniel (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: USMS Protest Response

Date: Thu, 11 Jun 2020 20:34:42 +0000

Importance: Normal

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Hi Prim,

We received the below question from House CJS regarding the chart we sent over last week. Attached for awareness. Budget has come back to say that it does not involve any subsidy or reimbursement. Are you fine with us sharing this back to CJS? Thanks!

CJS:

Noting the deputizing of DHS personnel (including CBP, TSA and FPS I assume) under USMS identified in this response. Are/were those deputized subsidized or reimbursed by USMS S&E?

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Justice Management Division, Department of Justice

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FBI	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Additional Legal Authorities: None• Personnel<ul style="list-style-type: none">(b)(7)(F) per FBI
BOP	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exercising Existing Legal Authorities<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Special deputation (USMS) of BOP staff members deployed to Washington, D.C. to enforce federal law and provide protection of the Department of Justice (Main Justice) and other federal buildings. [memo]. Valid to detain and make arrests and protect federal buildings and personnel. Special deputation lasts for 30 days (beginning June 1, 2020).○ Authority has been used previously, including for Inaugurations.○ There have been deputations through the USMS, as is typical in mass demonstration situations in Washington, D.C., such as during Inaugurations. The Department has ensured that law enforcement has sufficient resources to protect federal government buildings and personnel and to enforce federal law as needed.• Personnel<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ The BOP has (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP capable of responding to prison disturbances, and providing assistance to other law enforcement agencies during emergencies. The BOP's (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) also include (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP.○ Per the request of the Attorney General, the BOP has dispatched (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) to Miami, Florida, and Washington, D.C.
DEA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exercising Existing Legal Authorities<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ DEA temporarily has been granted non-Title 21 authority pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 878(a)(5) [memo]. This designates DEA with the authority to enforce federal law, as necessary, in relation to the protests over the death of George Floyd. The authority is granted nationwide for 14 days.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ There have been 27 similar instances of non-Title 21 authority provided to DEA in the last 15 years for disaster relief (e.g., hurricanes and floods), assistance to federal counterparts in the aftermath of serious crimes (Boston bombing, Pulse Nightclub, Las Vegas, etc.), and major events where people will gather (e.g., sporting events, Pope's visit, etc.).● Personnel<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Upon request, providing support to federal, state, and local partners in affected areas throughout the U.S., including to assist with site security, identification of subjects inciting violence or the destruction of property, and efforts responding to other violations of federal law.○ Investigating Title 21 offenses, including theft of controlled substances from looted pharmacies.○ On May 31, DEA deployed approximately (b)(7)(E) special agents in the D.C. area to accompany the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and National Guard units at traffic posts. Upon request, DEA increased personnel deployments to (b)(7)(E) per DEA on June 1, and (b)(7)(E) per DEA on June 2 and 3.○ Activated multiple quick response teams in the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area to respond to high-risk situations and any requests for assistance requiring specialized training, including Emergency Medical Services (EMS).○ Providing analytic support and sharing information in real-time with federal, state, and local partners.
ATF	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Exercising Existing Firearm, Explosive and Arson Legal Authorities● Personnel<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ The ATF Washington and Baltimore Field Divisions deployed (b)(7)(E) Special Agents to the Department of Justice Robert F. Kennedy Headquarters Building from May 29-31 for building security operations.○ The ATF Special Response Team (SRT) and other Special Agents have been deployed in Washington, D.C. for enforcement operations from May 30 to the present.○ The National Response Team (NRT) is processing multiple arson scenes in Minneapolis and Saint Paul, Minnesota, and Washington D.C.○ The FBI's Joint Terrorism Task Forces (JTTF) are engaged and supporting coordination and information sharing related to the federal law enforcement response to events related to the unrest. ATF representatives assigned to JTTFs are coordinating intelligence sharing and investigative response with the FBI across the country.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ ATF agents are coordinating with Federal, state and local LE partners to provide assistance, as needed.○ ATF agents are assisting state and local agencies in numerous metropolitan areas with enforcement operations involving criminal activity associated with the unrest including arsons, firearms, explosives and thefts from Federal Firearms Licensees (FFLs).• Other<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ As of June 3rd, ATF has responded to at least (b)(7)(E) FFL burglaries linked to the civil unrest. At least (b)(7)(E) per ATF firearms have been stolen in these thefts.○ ATF has sent more than (b)(7)(E) per ATF alerts to FFLs in areas impacted by civil unrest. Additionally, ATF Industry Operations Investigators (IOIs) have proactively reached out by telephone to FFLs in impacted areas to reinforce best practices and measures to secure firearms from theft. ATF's proactive measures and resulting steps taken by FFLs to secure firearms have proven highly successful; no firearms have been successfully stolen in several of the FFL burglaries to which ATF has responded.○ ATF is investigating the origin and cause or is providing investigative support to state and local law enforcement and fire service organizations at approximately 847 suspected incendiary fires in 37 cities. ATF has the only federally trained and certified fire investigators in the U.S. Government.○ ATF has responded to at least (b)(7)(E) incidents involving the illegal use of explosives associated with the unrest; the majority of these incidents involved the use of explosive materials to gain entry to ATM machines during thefts.○ ATF has responded to assist in the investigation of numerous shooting scenes at disturbances in dozens of cities; assistance has included conducting urgent firearm traces and collection and processing of shell casings and ballistic evidence for DNA analysis and entry into NIBIN.○ Shooting investigations that ATF has assisted in include the May 29th shooting of two Federal Protective Service officers at the Ronald V. Dellums Federal Building (Oakland, California), in which one officer was killed and another seriously wounded. ATF's role included processing of all ballistic evidence for DNA and National Integrated Ballistic Information Network analyses.
USMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Exercising Existing Legal Authorities<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ DAG order authorizing USMS to deploy USM in response to nationwide violent unrest.

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- Attorneys General have previously asked the USMS to perform such functions outside its usual statutory remit of protecting courthouses, judges, witnesses, etc. A recent example was the use of the USMS to enforce the CDC's quarantine zones for U.S. citizens who were repatriated from Wuhan, China, or cruise ships.
- Special deputation (USMS) of 1000+ DHS law enforcement personnel from CBP, ICE, and TSA [memo]. Valid to detain and make arrests and protect federal buildings and personnel. Special deputation lasts for 30 days (beginning June 1, 2020).
 - Used previously, including for Inaugurations.
- Personnel
 - As of June 3, 2020, the USMS has over (b)(7)(E) per USMS deputies deployed across the country in support of various law enforcement missions related to civil unrest.
 - On May 29-31, 2020, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS Deputy U.S. Marshals, including members of the (b)(7)(E) per USMS, to the Department of Justice Robert F. Kennedy building. These personnel provided specialized support to the Justice Protective Service as well as enhanced security for designees from the Office of the Attorney General and Deputy Attorney General due to the elevated threat level.
 - On May 28, 2020, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS additional Deputies and (b)(7)(E) per USMS members to Minneapolis to assist federal law enforcement operations. These personnel have integrated with local Marshals Service resources as well as agents from the FBI and ATF to conduct federal investigations.
 - On May 30, 2020, the USMS deployed members of the Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force and our regional Mobile Command Vehicle to Oakland, CA to assist in the shooting investigation of two contract Federal Protective Service employees at the Oakland, CA Federal building.
 - On May 31, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS members of the (b)(7)(E) per USMS to the Eastern District of Pennsylvania to assess current USMS operations and recommend changes to operational techniques and procedures to enhance the safety of the Federal Judiciary as well as that of local law enforcement.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ On June 1, 2020, the USMS deployed greater than (b)(7)(E) personnel to the National Capitol Region in support of the federal law enforcement operation to maintain the rule of law in the District of Columbia. These personnel performed key functions in support of the United States Park Police.○ On June 2, 2020, in the aftermath of the shooting of four local law enforcement officers, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) personnel from the (b)(7)(E) per USMS as well as (b)(7)(E) per USMS to St. Louis, Missouri. These personnel have integrated with other state and local law enforcement resources and will provide specialized support to the integrated law enforcement strategy.
COPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• While the COPS Office is not involved with any actions to address the recent riots and protests, it does make technical assistance on policing mass demonstrations available to law enforcement agencies through the Collaborative Reform Initiative Technical Assistance Center (CRI-TAC).• In previous years, the COPS Office has also produced reports like the following:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 2017: Maintaining First Amendment Rights and Public Safety in North Minneapolis: An After-Action Assessment of the Police Response to Protests, Demonstrations, and Occupation of the Minneapolis Police Department's Fourth Precinct – https://cops.usdoj.gov/RIC/ric.php?page=detail&id=COPS-W0836
CRS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• CRS is currently in communication with federal, state, and local government officials, as well as community and faith leadership, in approximately 30 U.S. cities, in response to the demonstrations sparking from the death of George Floyd.• (b)(3) per CRS (42 USC 2000g-2)• Continues to communicate with community leaders regarding community issues and concerns in anticipation of requests for support over the coming weeks and months as communities move on to conducting listening sessions and developing actions to address the tensions that underlie the civil unrest.
OJP	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) has several options for providing emergency funding for states impacted by civil unrest:• Emergency Federal Law Enforcement Assistance (EFLEA) - provides necessary assistance to (and through) a state government to provide an adequate response to an uncommon situation which requires law enforcement,

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	<p>which is or threatens to become of serious or epidemic proportions, and with respect to which state and local resources are inadequate to protect the lives and property of citizens, or to enforce the criminal law.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Budget modifications for current Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funding - BJA is proactively contacting State Administering Agencies to assure them that their JAG grants can be used to address law enforcement needs related to the riots. Merely submitting a budget modification is all that is required.• Additionally, the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) has Resources/Funding Options for Emergency Response Funding.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ From 2017 to 2019, Minnesota received a total of \$128,822,225 in federal assistance and compensation funding that the State administers and allocates to fund different victim assistance service programs and its state-run victim compensation program.○ Minnesota is currently providing more than \$400,000 in VOCA Victim Assistance funding to the Minneapolis City Attorney's Office and St. Paul City Attorney's Office to support crime victims.
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To: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: SJC letter re protests.

Date: Mon, 08 Jun 2020 21:21:22 -0000

Importance: Normal

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Here is what we shared with four corners and leadership. It may be helpful, but they may also not want to take on these issues. I believe that they are both pretty uninvolved.

Thanks!

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:48 PM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: SJC letter re protests.

Hi Prim,

Is there anything from the cleared info you reference below that would be helpful to provide to our witnesses tomorrow to help shape responses to anticipated questions? (b) (5)

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From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 5:26 PM
To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
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Subject: Re: SJC letter re protests.

Let's hold on that plan. (b) (5) The AG is also sending a letter that may touch on some of this. I can take the lead for now and will coordinate with Megan.

On Jun 6, 2020, at 5:01 PM, (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Adding (b) (6) and Prim who I believe are handling these inquiries.

Begin forwarded message:

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Date: June 6, 2020 at 4:57:19 PM EDT

To: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
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"Kellner, Kenneth E. (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: Fwd: SJC letter re protests.

Good afternoon:

Wanted to loop you in re request last night from SJC Min. Matt Blue from ODAG suggested that (b) (5)

We can discuss Monday this approach or alternative approaches (b) (5). (I didn't have the portfolio list readily available to put everyone on initial email. I think I now have covered the bases). Thanks!

Begin forwarded message:

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Date: June 6, 2020 at 3:35:59 PM EDT

To: "Toscas, George (NSD)" <(b) (6)> "Andrews, Kelli (NSD)" <(b) (6)>
"Wiegmann, Brad (NSD)" <(b) (6)> "Hardee, Christopher (NSD)"

<(b) (6)> "Vander Jagt, Virginia (NSD)" <(b) (6)> "Moossy, Robert (CRT)"

<(b) (6)> "Felte, James (CRT)" <(b) (6)> "Dunham, Christopher G.

(DO) (FBI)" (b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI>

Cc: "Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"

<(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> "Blue, Matthew (ODAG)"

<(b) (6)>

Subject: SJC letter re protests.

FYI: Please see the attached letter from SJC re the recent protests. Thoughts re who best to take pen in response?

Thank you,

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(b) (6) work cell

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Sawyer, Heather (Judiciary-Dem)" <(b) (6)>

Date: June 5, 2020 at 5:29:46 PM EDT

To: "Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"
<(b) (6)>

Cc: "Holmes, Lee (Judiciary-Rep)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: Letter for AG Barr

Hi Stephen/(b) (6) –

Please see the attached letter for AG Barr. Thank you –

Heather

Heather Sawyer

Staff Director & Chief Counsel
Ranking Member Dianne Feinstein
Senate Judiciary Committee
(b) (6)

<Letter to Departments about Deployed Forces 5JUN20_FINAL.pdf>

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: Hows this?

Date: Fri, 5 Jun 2020 17:29:17 +0000

Importance: Normal

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Running this by you. Let me know what you think?

Good Afternoon,

Please find attached the Department of Justice's law enforcement response to the civil unrest that has erupted throughout the nation. The document breaks down DOJ authorities and personnel by component.

Thank you,

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Office of Legislative Affairs

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From: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: LE Resource chart

Date: Fri, 05 Jun 2020 16:31:40 -0000

Importance: Normal

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Here's what went

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 11:35 AM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: LE Resource chart

Thanks!

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 11:05 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: LE Resource chart

ODAG cleared it yesterday and it went out last night.

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 10:57 AM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: LE Resource chart

Hi Prim-

I know you have a lot going on but FBI (OCA) is asking if there's still a need to update the LE resource chart you sent around on Wednesday. Also, if so, is it going to any Congressional committees and which ones?

I'm sorry to be bothering you with these details but I just didn't know what to say.

Thanks,

(b) (6)

From: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
To: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"
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Subject: FW:

Date: Fri, 05 Jun 2020 16:34:24 -0000

Importance: Normal

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Can you send HJC/SJC four corners and leadership? Also, SSCI and HPSCI four corners? (b) (6) and (b) (6) can help with those folks.

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 12:31 PM
To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Subject:

So that you have the latest doc.

Prim Escalona
Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legislative Affairs
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From: "Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Parker, Wyndee" <(b) (6)>
Cc: "Tyson, Jill C. (DO) (FBI)" (b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI, "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Who in the world?

Date: Fri, 5 Jun 2020 01:09:50 +0000

Importance: Normal

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Please find additional information attached, current as of this evening. As noted in the document, this information is considered law enforcement sensitive. We will provide additional information as it becomes available. SB

From: Parker, Wyndee <(b) (6)>
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 10:35 AM
To: Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Tyson, Jill C. (DO) (FBI) (b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Subject: Re: Who in the world?

Thank you.

On Jun 4, 2020, at 10:30 AM, Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Wyndee –

Hope you are well.

As I am sure you can appreciate, the situation has been fluid for the past few days. I anticipate that we will have additional agency-by-agency information available today and I will send that to you directly.

Stephen

SB
AAG/OLA
(b) (6)

From: Parker, Wyndee <(b) (6)>
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 9:02 AM
To: Tyson, Jill C. (DO) (FBI) (b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI
Cc: Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Subject: Re: Who in the world?

Please let me know if I should be in contact with anyone else. It is not just alarming to me.

“Michael Bromwich, the former inspector general of the Justice Department who oversaw internal investigations, said that allowing federal law

enforcement officers to operate anonymously “creates a huge problem” for oversight.

“It completely undermines the ability to hold law enforcement personnel who engage in misconduct accountable,” said Bromwich.” You’ve got to know who they are, and certainly which agency they represent.”

On Jun 4, 2020, at 7:44 AM, Parker, Wyndee <(b) (6)> wrote:

Thanks Jill. Stephen?

On Jun 3, 2020, at 11:25 PM, Tyson, Jill C. (DO) (FBI) (b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI wrote:

I have just confirmed that HRT has not been deployed this evening. As for SWAT, they have been out a few times today and always very clearly marked on all gear. I am assured that our operators, when called to respond, are marked FBI in very obvious ways.

Goodnight.

Jill C. Tyson
Assistant Director
FBI Office of Congressional Affairs
(b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI

On Jun 3, 2020 11:02 PM, "Tyson, Jill C. (DO) (FBI)" (b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI wrote:
I am not aware of an HRT deployment tonight, but will double check.

As the Director advised the Speaker this evening, our agents are advised to wear FBI on their vests, raid jackets etc. That has been my experience with them over the last week when I've been in DC with the agents.

I can't speak beyond FBI personnel.

Jill C. Tyson
Assistant Director
FBI Office of Congressional Affairs
(b)(6); (b)(7)(E) per FBI

On Jun 3, 2020 10:40 PM, "Parker, Wyndee" <(b) (6)> wrote:
Who are all of these armed guards all over DC? Yes, there are some National Guard members but there appear to be others also Yet, FBI principals don't seem to know.

Now we are receiving reports that many of them are from the Bureau of Prisons. We also heard days ago that hostage rescue teams could be deployed.

Have BOP guards and anti-riot teams in fact been deployed around town and/or beyond the National Capitol region?

Are any unmarked FBI SWAT team members also being used?
Others?

The lack of transparency is creating unneeded suspicion at this fragile moment in our nation's history.

I appreciate your assistance.
Thanks.

From: "Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)> "Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)"
<(b) (6)>

Subject: Federal Law Enforcement Response

Date: Fri, 5 Jun 2020 00:36:08 +0000

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See attached, which Prim has somehow managed to push through today. Thank you for that.

Prim, I made the edits we discussed but left the FBI authorities as is b/c I think it would be confusion to change it. We can wordsmith the next version if need be.

Let me know if either of you see any issues with this. We should send to SJC, HJC, CJS on both sides, and leadership, but wanted each of you to take a quick look if possible before doing so.

SB

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From: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Federal Law Enforcement Response

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Thanks, Alan. I fixed the COPS piece in the attached. It is cleared to go to CJS (OAG and ODAG have cleared). Thanks!

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 9:30 PM

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Subject: RE: Federal Law Enforcement Response

Way to go, Prim.

This is a very impressive document that offers a comprehensive overview of each federal LEA's role in the ongoing civil unrest response. Other than the COPS entry slipping into the first person, which I'm guessing you guys do not want, (and Stephen's noted differing "legal authorities" format for the FBI) this looks terrific to me and will be a good guide for our Budget folks to compile a resources document (the scope of which is still under consideration).

Please let us know when this is finalized and cleared to send, as this will provide very good answers to all of the CJS questions we have received to date (i.e., only Senate CJS Minority staff will be unhappy with its level of detail).

Thanks much, and please let us know if you need anything from JMD (the resources document that will take some time to compile once its scope is determined should be underway soon).

Alan

From: Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 8:36 PM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

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Subject: FW: Federal Law Enforcement Response to 2020 Riots - PERSONNEL UPDATED + edits from components + ODAG (Clean)

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FYSA

From: Boyd, Stephen E. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

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To: Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)> Levi, William (OAG) <(b) (6)>

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Subject: FW: Federal Law Enforcement Response to 2020 Riots - PERSONNEL UPDATED + edits from components + ODAG (Clean)

Will –

We have compiled the attached doc to provide to congressional committees and leadership offices on the Hill. As you know, there is a vacuum of information currently and we are taking a lot of incoming, most of which is legitimate. This will help greatly.

Do you or the AG have any concerns with sending this? ODAG cleared. We will mark FOUO and LES. That said, >50% it is leaked in whole or in part.

I'm fine with it & I think it shows a bold response.

SB

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Can everyone review this real quick and let me know of any concerns? Thanks!

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Subject: FLASH clearance -- Fed law enforcement personnel info to field questions from the Hill

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Prim Escalona is compiling information to use in fielding questions from the Hill today on the deployment of federal law enforcement personnel over the past few days.

This afternoon all of the relevant components updated and signed off on the facts and figures in the attached. But before ODAG clears the doc, I wanted to quickly check in with each of you because you've either been partnering with the relevant agencies or helping to work on some of the relevant legal authorities described in this doc. If you happen to spot any issues and have comments/edits by 4 or 4:30, I'd love to incorporate them. Sorry for the short turnaround.

Thank you!

Jenn

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From: Kilgallon, John (USMS) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 1:15 PM

To: Bacon, Antoinette T. (ODAG) <(b) (6)>

Subject: Fwd: FLASH - Need Quick Review of the attached

Toni - a few light edits. Doc looks tight.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Kilgallon, John (USMS)" <(b) (6)>

Date: June 4, 2020 at 11:23:00 AM EDT

To: "Delaney, William (USMS)" <(b) (6)> "Tyler, Jeff (USMS)"

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Cc: "Kilgallon, John (USMS)" <(b) (6)> <(b) (6)>

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All,

Just received the attached document from ODAG. They are trying to get clearance from all components on their portion by 1330. I had a few minor edits.

Request your review / edit as necessary and please return to me by 1330.

Looks pretty tight. Intent is for the Department to have a 1-pager to respond to RFIs from the Hill.

Vr,

John

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE RESPONSE TO 2020 RIOTS

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To: "Bacon, Antoinette T. (ODAG)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: FW: Overview of DOJ Response

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Hi Toni,

Can you verify or have USMS verify the USMS piece of this by 1:30 today?

Thanks

Chris

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 10:37 AM

To: Mascott, Jenn (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Plack, Laura (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Grieco, Christopher (ODAG) <(b) (6)>

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Can you please clear the attached? We need to use it today to answer significant incoming questions from the hill about personnel being deployed.

Thanks!

Prim

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Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General

Office of Legislative Affairs

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To: "Keith, Phillip E. (COPS)" <(b) (6)> "Chapman, Robert (COPS)" <(b) (6)>

Cc: "Christopher Grieco (ODAG)" <(b) (6)> <(b) (6)>

Subject: Time-Sensitive Clearance Request

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Phil/Rob,

I hope this email finds you both well!

I'm writing with a rather time-sensitive request. Would you please review the COPS section of the attached and provide any edits by 1:30 today to my colleague, Chris Grieco (cc'd hereon)? He's taking over the COPS portfolio for David Metcalf and I know you're going to enjoy working together.

Thanks so much and feel free to reach out to Chris or me with any questions.

-Toni

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 10:37 AM

To: Mascott, Jenn (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Plack, Laura (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Grieco, Christopher (ODAG) <(b) (6)>

Subject: Overview of DOJ Response

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Prim,

ODAG is ready to clear the attached document. We touched base with each of the relevant components. The attached document reflects updated/cleared info from each of the relevant components as well as review and edits by ODAG. I'm including both a clean copy and a redline version.

I should note that with facts developing so rapidly, some of the components wanted to emphasize that this info was accurate as of today, but that some of these numbers are developing and changing on a regular basis.

Thank you!

Jenn

From: Mascott, Jenn (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 3:40 PM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Plack, Laura (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Grieco, Christopher (ODAG) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Overview of DOJ Response

Prim,

We've run this doc by each of the relevant components. All have cleared, but most had updates – some had significant updates to the doc you forwarded this morning. ODAG is close to being able to clear the document. Because the doc describes the use of emergency legal authorities, I reached out for flash review by OLC, just in case they see any major problems. We'll be in touch very soon.

Jenn

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To: "Stephen E. Boyd (OLA)" <(b) (6)> <(b) (6)>

Subject: Federal Law Enforcement Response to 2020 Riots - PERSONNEL UPDATED - PFE

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This is what I have so far. I haven't cleared it with leadership yet. And I'm waiting for any funding info from Alan and co.

From: (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) <(b) (6)>
To: "Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: "Delaplane, Camellia Assefi (OAG)" <(b) (6)> "Downer, Matthew (OLP)" <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Info Requests
Date: Thu, 4 Jun 2020 10:03:12 +0000
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Hi all,

Attached please find a copy of the memo I prepared compiling all of the below information. I still need to look it over it once more but wanted to get it to you sooner rather than later.

Please let me know if you have any questions – I'll be heading out shortly. (b)(6) per ATR, and Bridget are all available to help.

Thank you,

(b)(6) per ATR

From: (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 12:06 AM
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For reference, here's the list of topics so far:

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To: (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: Re: Info Requests

Date: Thu, 04 Jun 2020 10:33:27 -0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: 2020-06-04_Prep_Memo.docx; ATT00001.htm

Hey (b)(6) per ATR, is someone working on the AG/DAG Memo? Thx!

On Jun 4, 2020, at 6:03 AM, (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000423

From: (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG)" <(b) (6)> (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)"
<(b) (6)>
Cc: "Delaplane, Camellia Assefi (OAG)" <(b) (6)> "Downer, Matthew
(OLP)" <(b) (6)> (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)"
(b) (6), (b)(6) per CRM (CRM)"
(b) (6)

Subject: RE: Info Requests

Date: Thu, 4 Jun 2020 10:37:01 +0000

Importance: Normal

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Hi Amanda and Matt,

Attached is an updated briefing memo. Please use this version.

Thanks,

(b)(6) per AT

From: Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG)
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 6:32 AM
To: (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Delaplane, Camellia Assefi (OAG) <(b) (6)> Downer, Matthew (OLP)
<(b) (6)> (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) (b) (6); (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)
<(b) (6)> (b)(6) per CRM (CRM) <(b) (6)>
Subject: Re: Info Requests

Thank you (b)(6) per ATR!

On Jun 4, 2020, at 6:29 AM, (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) <(b) (6)> wrote:

I'm actually going to head out and the other paralegals are going to proofread/make any last minute edits.

Thank you (b)(6) per ATR, and Patrick for all of your help on this!

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Assefi (OAG)" <(b) (6)> "Downer, Matthew (OLP)"
<(b) (6)> (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)"
(b) (6) (b)(6) per CRM (CRM)"
<(b) (6)>

Subject: Re: Info Requests

Date: Thu, 04 Jun 2020 10:40:57 -0000

Importance: Normal

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This looks great, thank you all for your work through the night on this!!

On Jun 4, 2020, at 6:37 AM, (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000432

From: "Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Downer, Matthew (OLP)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: FW: Info Requests

Date: Thu, 04 Jun 2020 10:56:40 -0000

Importance: Normal

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For (b) (5), we have a case we can cite (which is I think what Zach wanted). I'm including the highlight in the cases summaries for you. Thx!

From: (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 6:37 AM

To: Liskamm, Amanda N. (ODAG) <(b) (6)> (b)(6) per ATR (ATR)

<(b) (6)>

Cc: Delaplane, Camellia Assefi (OAG) <(b) (6)> Downer, Matthew (OLP)

<(b) (6)> (b)(6) per ATR (ATR) (b) (6); (b)(6) per CRM (CRM)

<(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Info Requests

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From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RIOT CHART UPDATED

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 23:02:54 +0000

Importance: Normal

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The only outstanding is FBI. Thanks!

(b) (6)
Office of Legislative Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

Office: (b) (6) | Cell: (b) (6)

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FBI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional Legal Authorities • Personnel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ (b)(7)(E) per FBI ■ ■ • Additional/Diverted Funding
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DEA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional Legal Authorities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ DEA has been granted non-Title 21 authority. There have been 27 instances of non-Title 21 authority provided to DEA in last 15 years. • Personnel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ On May 31, deployed approximately (b)(7)(E) per DEA special agents in the DC area to accompany the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and National Guard units at traffic posts. Increased personnel deployments to (b)(7)(E) per DEA on June 1, and (b)(7)(E) per DEA on June 2. ○ Activated multiple quick response teams to respond to high risk situations and any requests for assistance requiring specialized training, including Emergency Medical Services (EMS). ○ Providing analytic support and sharing information in real-time with our federal, state, and local partners. • Additional/Diverted Funding <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ There are TDY related costs to cover approximately (50) to one hundred (100) Special Agents associated with this request responding to the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area. The exact length

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	of TDYs is unknown at this time. However, it costs approximately \$330 per person per day to TDY Special Agents to Washington, DC.
ATF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional Legal Authorities • Personnel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ATF has responded to at least (b)(7)(E) per ATF Federal Firearms Licensee (FFL) burglaries, in which an estimated (b)(7)(E) per ATF firearms have been stolen ○ ATF has proactively sent alerts to FFLs in areas where there is a potential for unrest. Additionally, ATF Industry Operations Investigators (IOIs) have proactively reached out by telephone to FFLs concerning firearms safety and security measures. ○ ATF is investigating the cause and origin or is providing investigative support to state and local law enforcement and fire service organizations at approximately (b)(7)(E) suspected incendiary fires in (b)(7)(E) cities. ATF has the only Federally-trained and Federally-certified fire investigators in the U.S. Government. ○ ATF has responded to numerous shooting scenes at disturbances in dozens of cities to collect DNA from shell casings and ballistic evidence for entry into NIBIN. ○ On May 29, Special Agents and investigators with the ATF San Francisco Field Division (SFFD) Crime Gun Enforcement Team (CGET) responded to the scene of a homicide related to a Federal Protective Service Officer (FPSO) at the Ronald V. Dellums Federal Building in Oakland, CA. All ballistic evidence was provided to ATF for processing through the ATF Lab for DNA and NIBIN analyses. ○ ATF Special Agents are assisting Police Departments in numerous metropolitan areas on surveillance operations and security enforcement operations at high-value targets. ○ The Washington and Baltimore Field Divisions deployed (b)(7)(E) Special Agents to the Department of Justice Robert F. Kennedy Headquarters Building from May 29-31 for building security operations. The ATF Special Response Team (SRT) and other Special Agents have been deployed in Washington DC for enforcement operations from May 30 to the present. ○ The National Response Team (NRT) is standing by to provide assistance in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and Saint Paul, Minnesota. ○ ATF JTTF representatives are working with the FBI in multiple cities. ○ ATF agents are coordinating with Federal, state and local LE partners to provide assistance, as needed. • Additional/Diverted Funding
USMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional Legal Authorities • Personnel

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ As of June 3, 2020, the USMS has over (b)(7)(E) per USMS deputies deployed across the country in support of various law enforcement missions related to civil unrest. ○ On May 29-31, 2020, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS Deputy U.S. Marshals, including members of the (b)(7)(E) per USMS, to the Department of Justice Robert F. Kennedy building. These personnel provided specialized support to the Justice Protective Service as well as enhanced security for designees from the Office of the Attorney General and Deputy Attorney General due to the elevated threat level. ○ On May 28, 2020, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS additional Deputies and (b)(7)(E) per USMS members to Minneapolis to assist federal law enforcement operations. These personnel have integrated with local Marshals Service resources as well as agents from the FBI and ATF to conduct federal investigations. ○ On May 30, 2020, the USMS deployed members of the Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force and our regional Mobile Command Vehicle to Oakland, CA to assist in the shooting investigation of two contract Federal Protective Service employees at the Oakland, CA Federal building. ○ On May 31, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS members of the (b)(7)(E) per USMS to Eastern District of Pennsylvania to assess current USMS operations and recommended changes to operational techniques and procedures to enhance safety of the Federal Judiciary as well as that of local law enforcement. ○ On June 1, 2020, the USMS deployed greater than (b)(7)(E) per USMS personnel to the National Capitol Region in support of the federal law enforcement operation to maintain the rule of law in the District of Columbia. These personnel performed key functions in support of the United States Park Police. ○ On June 2, 2020, in the aftermath of the shooting of four local law enforcement officers, the USMS deployed (b)(7)(E) per USMS personnel from the (b)(7)(E) per USMS as well as (b)(7)(E) per USMS to St. Louis, Missouri. These personnel have integrated with other state and local law enforcement resources and will provide specialized support to the integrated law enforcement strategy. ● Additional/Diverted Funding
COPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● While the COPS Office is not involved with any actions to address the recent riots and protests, we do make technical assistance on policing mass demonstrations available to law enforcement agencies through the Collaborative Reform Initiative Technical Assistance Center (CRI-TAC). ● In previous years, the COPS Office also produced the following reports: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2017: Maintaining First Amendment Rights and Public Safety in North Minneapolis: An After-Action Assessment of the Police Response to Protests, Demonstrations, and Occupation

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	<p>of the Minneapolis Police Department's Fourth Precinct – https://cops.usdoj.gov/RIC/ric.php?page=detail&id=COPS-W0836</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2015: After-Action Assessment of the Police Response to the August 2014 Demonstrations in Ferguson, Missouri – https://cops.usdoj.gov/RIC/ric.php?page=detail&id=COPS-P317
CRS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRS is currently in communication with federal, state, and local government officials, as well as community and faith leadership, in approximately 30 U.S. cities, in response to the demonstrations sparking from the death of George Floyd. • (b)(3) per CRS (42 USC 2000g-2) [REDACTED] • Continues to communicate with community leaders regarding community issues and concerns in anticipation of requests for support over the coming weeks and months as communities move on to conducting listening sessions and developing actions to address the tensions that underlie the civil unrest.
OJP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) has several options for providing emergency funding for states impacted by civil unrest: • Emergency Federal Law Enforcement Assistance (EFLEA) - provides necessary assistance to (and through) a state government to provide an adequate response to an uncommon situation which requires law enforcement, which is or threatens to become of serious or epidemic proportions, and with respect to which state and local resources are inadequate to protect the lives and property of citizens, or to enforce the criminal law. • Budget modifications for current Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funding - BJA is proactively contacting State Administering Agencies to assure them that their JAG grants can be used to address law enforcement needs related to the riots. Merely submitting a budget modification is all that is required. • Additionally, the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) have Resources/Funding Options for Emergency Response Funding. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Between 2017-2019, Minnesota received a total of \$128,822,225 in federal assistance and compensation funding that the State administers and allocates to fund different victim assistance service programs and its state run victim compensation program. ▪ Minnesota is currently providing more than \$400,000 in VOCA Victim Assistance funding to the Minneapolis City Attorney's Office and St. Paul City Attorney's Office to support crime victims.

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: CJS Updated

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 21:44:22 +0000

Importance: Normal

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Have only received update from (b) (6). I included everything she sent as I did not want to leave off anything that you found important to include.

Also, (b) (6) informed me Matt from ODAG cleared for us to share with CJS with a caveat once we have confirmed/updated everything.

Are we aiming to get this out tomorrow?

From: (b) (6) (OLA)

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 5:13 PM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: CJS Updated

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Activating nine 2-person quick response teams that will rove the area and respond to high risk situations and any requests for assistance requiring specialized (SRT) training, including Emergency Medical Services (EMS). ○ Coordinating all efforts with the Metropolitan Police department (MPD) as requested by the U.S. Attorney's office and other federal, state, and local counterparts, as well as the Department of Defense. ○ Continuing to funnel intelligence generated by all 23 Field Divisions through the El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC) watch for onward distribution to the Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI) Strategic Information and Operations Center (SIOC). ○ Staffing the FBI SIOC with DEA intelligence personnel to provide analytic support and facilitate real-time sharing of information. • Additional/Diverted Funding <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ There are TDY related costs to cover approximately (50) to one hundred (100) Special Agents associated with this request responding to the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area. The exact length of TDYs is unknown at this time. However, it costs approximately \$330 per person per day to TDY Special Agents to Washington, DC.
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From: "Bissex, Rachel (OAG)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Kupec, Kerri (OPA)" <(b) (6)> "Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA)" <(b) (6)>
"Lloyd, Matt (PAO)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: "Navas, Nicole (OPA)" <(b) (6)> "Barnett, Gary (OAG)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 19:48:37 +0000

Importance: Normal

I'm fine with that statement. Adding Gary for a related request.

+ Gary

Gary – DEA pulled together a list of all the times they have been deputized the enforce criminal statutes. Can you ask BOP to pull together a list? DEA's non-exhaustive list is below.

1. Security at Super Bowl XXXIX in Miami, Florida – February 2005
2. Assistance after Hurricane Katrina – August 2005
3. Assistance after Hurricane Rita – September 2005
4. Security at various events in Phoenix (Insight Bowl, Tempe Block Party, Fiesta Bowl, Fiesta National Championship Game, Super Bowl XLII, and PGA FBR Open) – December 2006 – January 2007
5. Investigative assistance after the Boston Marathon Bombing - April 2013
6. Security at Pittsburgh Marathon - May 2013
7. Security at Vermont Marathon - May 2013
8. Security at Boston [July 4th](#) Celebration – July 2013
9. Assistance after massive flooding in South Carolina - August 2015
10. Security at visit of Pope Francis in El Paso - February 2016
11. Security at Super Bowl - February 2016
12. Security at Copa America soccer tournament in California - June 2016
13. Investigative assistance after Pulse Nightclub Shooting in Orlando - June 2016
14. Security at U.S. Track & Field Trials - July 2016
15. Investigative assistance after shooting of six police officers in Baton Rouge - July 2016
16. Investigative assistance after shooting of Dallas police officer in July 2016
17. Security at presidential debate in St. Louis - October 2016
18. Assistance after Hurricane Matthew in Haiti – October 2016
19. Investigative assistance after shooting of San Antonio police officer - November 2016
20. Security at Boston Marathon – April 2017
21. Assistance after tornadoes in Dallas - April 2017
22. Security at Boston [July 4th](#) Celebration – July 2017
23. Security at Chicago Marathon – October 2017
24. Assistance in Aftermath of Las Vegas Shooting – October 2017
25. Security at Chicago Marathon - October 2018
26. Security at Super Bowl - February 2019
27. Security at funeral of NJ Detective Joseph Seals (threats to retaliate at event to be attended by high government officials) - December 2019

From: Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 3:45 PM

To: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <(b) (6)> Lloyd, Matt (PAO) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Navas, Nicole (OPA) <(b) (6)> Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Sounds right to me – copying in Rachel for final sign-off.

From: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 3:44 PM

To: Lloyd, Matt (PAO) <(b) (6)> Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Navas, Nicole (OPA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Would it be shorthand to say

BOP, like other federal, state, and local LEOs may be deputized under the authority granted the USMS to enforce federal criminal statutes and protect federal property and personnel?

From: Lloyd, Matt (PAO) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 03, 2020 3:25 PM

To: Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Hornbuckle, Wyn (OPA) <(b) (6)> Navas, Nicole (OPA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: Re: Delegations of authority

Huge. Thanks.

On Jun 3, 2020, at 2:54 PM, Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Please keep for your info only but below thread is very helpful.

From: Gannon, Curtis E. (OLC) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 2:15 PM

To: Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <(b) (6)> Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG)
<(b) (6)>

Cc: Thiemann, Robyn L (DEA) <(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per DEA>; Bacon, Antoinette T. (ODAG)
<(b) (6)> Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)> Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)
<(b) (6)> Levi, William (OAG) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Another recent example was the use of the USMS to enforce the CDC's quarantine zones for U.S. citizens who were repatriated from Wuhan, China, or cruise ships.

From: Gannon, Curtis E. (OLC)

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 2:08 PM

To: Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)
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Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Yes, the USMS order is entirely consistent. (b)(5) per OLC

Thus, Attorneys General have previously asked the USMS to perform such functions outside its usual statutory remit of protecting courthouses, judges, witnesses, etc.

For instance, after violent attacks on women's health clinics or doctors who performed abortions, Attorneys General Holder and Reno dispatched the USMS to protect such clinics in 2009 and 1994. See <https://www.justice.gov/opa/speech/attorney-general-murder-doctor-george-tiller> and <https://www.washingtonpost.com/archive/politics/1994/08/02/us-marshals-dispatched-to-guard-abortion-clinics/80067334-dd30-4a0a-9a00-bfa438da968a/>.

From: Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 1:57 PM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <(b) (6)> Gannon, Curtis E. (OLC) <(b) (6)> Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Thiemann, Robyn L (DEA) <(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per DEA>; Bacon, Antoinette T. (ODAG) <(b) (6)> Kupec, Kerri (OPA) <(b) (6)> Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE) <(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per EOUSA>; Levi, William (OAG) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Note that the AG USMS memo is consistent with all of this, in that it authorizes them:

to take all reasonable and necessary actions, in response to nationwide violent unrest, **to enforce federal criminal statutes and protect federal property and personnel**. The Director shall, as appropriate, coordinate enforcement actions with federal, state, and local law enforcement authorities charged with enforcing any related offenses, or, with respect to assistance in the enforcement of federal statutes, to deputize federal, state, and local law enforcement officials as necessary and appropriate.

From: Weinsheimer, Bradley (ODAG)
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 1:47 PM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <(b) (6)> Gannon, Curtis E. (OLC) <(b) (6)> Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG) <(b) (6)>
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Subject: RE: Delegations of authority

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000017

From: "Dearden, Dawn N" (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per DEA

To: "Kupec, Kerri (OPA) (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Navas, Nicole (OPA) (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Cc: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F) per DEA

Subject: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 14:40:19 +0000

Importance: High

Just FYI for today's presser-- House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence is inquiring about the BuzzFeed article.

Dawn

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

From: Sikorskyj, Lucian <(b) (6)>

Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 11:36 PM

To: Bleich, David J <(b) (6)>

Cc: Bitar, Maher <(b) (6)> Bennett, Wells <(b) (6)> Wu, William

<(b) (6)>

Subject: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000356

From: "Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)> | (b) (6) (OLA)"
<(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 14:40:19 +0000

Importance: Normal

Nope.

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 10:35 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

MBH –

[Did you know about this?](#)

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 10:30 AM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000355

From: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"
<(b) (6)> "Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Cc: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Date: Wed, 03 Jun 2020 16:05:41 -0000

Importance: Normal

I'm checking with OLC about releasing the memo. DEA is apparently working on some talking points on the memo/activity. Hope to have those soon!

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 12:00 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Thanks – from whom can we learn the “final answer” about whether we are going to provide to CJS?

If (b) (5)

What about this?:

(b) (5)

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 03, 2020 11:51 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

(b) (6) and I just discussed. He concurs that (b) (5)
(b) (6), I would have (b) (5)

I should add, if (b) (5)

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:41 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey,

Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Who should send the email? (b) (5)

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 03, 2020 11:38 AM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

No, it does not constitute a formal oversight request. I would suggest responding with something along the following:

(b) (5)

Happy to discuss,

(b) (6)

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:19 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

(b) (6) — is this something we need to respond to? Do we need a general statement to start?

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 10:30 AM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000355

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"
<(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 17:29:33 +0000

Importance: Normal

No, we typically would not provide such information absent a formal request. I would (b) (5)

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 1:08 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6)
(OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

(b) (6) - are these questions that we would answer?

We are having to provide info to CJS, but they haven't asked these exact ones.

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 1:06 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6)
(OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: FW: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

DEA now was questions from SSCI -

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F) per DEA

Sent: Wednesday, June 03, 2020 12:58 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Looks like SSCI has joined the group...they just emailed these two questions:

- Is the Office of National Security Intelligence participating in any way in furtherance of those efforts, whether via personnel or resources dedicated to such activities? If so, please explain.
- Are there other instances in which ONSI is currently involved in ongoing domestic law enforcement efforts pertaining to the recent demonstration activity and/or response to the COVID-19 pandemic?

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F) per DEA

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 12:23 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

We are standing by ☺

From: (b) (6) (OLA) (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 12:17 PM

To: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F) per DEA

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Apparently DEA is drafting Talking Points on this issue. OLA wants to see those to see how much we can include in a response to this request – and (b) (5). So stand by

From: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(F) per DEA

Sent: Wednesday, June 03, 2020 10:08 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: FW: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000355

From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 17:33:09 +0000

Importance: Normal

(b) (6) or I can also call SSCI to explain the reasoning if needed.

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 1:08 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Priority Oversight Request — DEA Reportedly Sought and Received New Investigative Authorities

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000462

From: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Purdy, Nikita (JMD)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"
<(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> "Lucas, Daniel (JMD)"
<(b) (6)> "Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Date: Wed, 03 Jun 2020 13:35:38 -0000

Importance: Normal

This is what we have from the LE components, although it has likely changed in the interim. They are essentially pulling in all the people they can. Things are changing so rapidly that we don't have the latest information and by the time we get it it is OBE. (b) (5)

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 9:23 AM
To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi (b) (6),

We received two additional separate requests last night from CJS. Thanks!

CJS:

#1

And now there's a story that DEA was given permission to conduct surveillance on protestors and investigate them. I would ask for confirmation, but the article has the memo approving this: <https://www.buzzfeednews.com/article/jasonleopold/george-floyd-police-brutality-protests-government?ref=bfnsplash>

This goes to our prior questions that have not been fully answered—what are the defined roles for the DOJ LEAs right now? What has been asked of them, what are they doing? How many have been pulled from their regular course of work for this? What other DOJ LEAs have been given this authority to conduct surveillance? Has an official request for assistance gone out from DOJ to other federal agencies with LEOs (DHS, Treasury, Interior, Transportation, etc) asking for assistance like DHS did in November 2018 along the SWB?

In terms of DEA, what surveillance assets are they using and where? How many times has non-Title 21 authority been provided to DEA in the past (please list the dates/reasons)?

How many other LEOs have been specially deputized by USMS to respond to protestors to include a further breakout of the number by LEA, the purpose for the deputation and the length of time for the deputation?

#2

It looks like the DAG's office authorized the assignment of non-Title 21 authorities to DEA on Sunday afternoon. Why was that information withheld yesterday?

I think we're still also waiting on an answer to the question of whether any DoD or National Guard personnel are operating under the direction of the AG.

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)

Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 7:02 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi (b) (6),

We received an additional question from CJS regarding DOJ's involvement at St. John's Episcopal church. Please see question below. Thanks!

CJS:

According to the Washington Post, "The FBI, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Marshals and Bureau of Prisons were all involved in the federal response, according to a Justice Department spokeswoman."

Could you confirm? I'd be interested in knowing the nature and extent of the support, if you can provide that.

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)

Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 5:29 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: Re: Minneapolis CJS Question

Thanks, (b) (6)!

Nikita Purdy
Appropriations Liaison Officer
Department of Justice

(b) (6)

(b) (6)

On Jun 2, 2020, at 5:17 PM, (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Thanks! I will let you know if there is another way but sent to me is fine for now. I'm working on them but know that many leadership office folks are engulfed in and focused on responding to the continuing events. I'll get you info as soon as we can.

(b) (6)

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On 2 Jun 2020, at 4:20 PM, Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Hi (b) (6),

We just received another inquiry from CJS regarding the below. Please let us know if there is another way that you would like us to send these questions. Thanks!

CJS:

Under what authority does DEA have to close public streets in DC? Isn't that the role of state/local police, not federal law enforcement?

<https://www.popville.com/2020/06/dea-and-military-police-closing-off-streets-downtown/>

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)

Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 3:49 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)

<(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi (b) (6),

We received the follow question regarding the most recent press release from the AG. Thanks in advance!

CJS:

What does "even greater law enforcement resources and support in the region tonight" entail?

The United States Department of Justice

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TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2020

ATTORNEY GENERAL WILLIAM P. BARR'S STATEMENT ON PROTESTS IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

WASHINGTON – Attorney General William P. Barr released the following statement:

"Last night was a more peaceful night in the District of Columbia. Working together, federal and local law enforcement made significant progress in restoring order to the nation's capital.

I am grateful to Chief Peter Newsham and the Metropolitan Police Department for their outstanding work and professionalism. The District is well served by this exceptional police force.

I also thank Secretary of Defense Mark Esper, Joint Chiefs of Staff Chairman General Mark Milley, and the men and women of the Department of Defense for their support. I am particularly impressed by the citizen-soldiers of the D.C. National Guard, who are committed to serving their community, and did so with great effectiveness last night.

Not least, I am grateful to the many federal law enforcement agencies and personnel who helped protect the District, including the FBI, Secret Service, Park Police, ATF, DEA, Bureau of Prisons, U.S. Marshals Service, Capitol Police, Department of Homeland Security's CBP and Border Patrol units, and others.

There will be even greater law enforcement resources and support in the region tonight. The most basic function of government is to provide security for people to live their lives and exercise their rights, and we will meet that responsibility here in the nation's capital."

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From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)
Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 8:57 AM
To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
<(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Thanks, (b) (6)!

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 8:57 AM
To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
<(b) (6)>
Subject: Re: Minneapolis CJS Question

I will see what I can find out!

(b) (6)
Office of Legislative Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

On 2 Jun 2020, at 8:51 AM, Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Good morning (b) (6),

We received some additional questions from CJS last night. Please see below. Thanks in advance!

CJS:

There has been an impact on USMS appropriations and time for large scale deputations for Presidential inaugurations (most recently Obama's first inauguration as that was the larger number). Please follow up on this as well as what that deputation looks like. For example, inaugurations were typically 7 days.

What's the time frame on this?

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)
Sent: Monday, June 1, 2020 2:59 PM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
<(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi (b) (6),

We received some additional questions which are below from CJS this afternoon. CJS also relayed that they would like to know what is being done with the resources they provided. Thanks again! Nikita

CJS:

[Politico Playbook's afternoon edition](#) reported that the President stated he's "activating" the Attorney General so please keep us updated as to what this means.

They also reported that the AG sent "riot teams" from BOP to Miami. What constitutes a "riot team"? How many individuals are going and for how long? What's the cost? What other DOJ components have LEOs assisting state and local law enforcement? Again, is CRS being deployed alongside these LEOs?

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)
Sent: Monday, June 1, 2020 12:01 PM
To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
<(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Thanks, (b) (6) !

We received the following additional questions from CJS this morning as well.

CJS:

What is the Department doing generally to respond? Specifically, has CRS been deployed anywhere in the country?

From: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Monday, June 1, 2020 9:58 AM
To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)
<(b) (6)>
Subject: Re: Minneapolis CJS Question

I'll let y'all know! Thanks

(b) (6)
Office of Legislative Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

On 1 Jun 2020, at 9:30 AM, Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Great, thanks Prim. (b) (6), let us know if there is anything we can provide back to CJS. Thanks again!

Nikita

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Monday, June 1, 2020 9:29 AM

To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

(b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Everyone is pretty focused on the response right now. I don't think we have updates, but we are trying to figure out supplemental needs, if any.

Copying (b) (6) who is helping run point.

Thanks!

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Monday, June 1, 2020 9:26 AM

To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)

<(b) (6)>

Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Good morning Prim,

We received the following follow-up questions from CJS yesterday and this morning. Understanding that there may not be any additional information at this time, please let us know if there is anything we can share back with CJS?

CJS:

5/31/20: Besides the AG issuing press releases (saw there was another one today), is there any additional information as to what DOJ is doing in terms of investigations and other assistance that you can provide in response to my questions?

6/1/20: Are there any other announcements coming soon, particularly those that would impact resources and/or personnel? Wasn't sure if something was being announced at this AM's press conference mentioned in Politico:

TRUMP'S MONDAY -- The president will meet with A.G. Bill Barr at 10:30 a.m. in the Oval Office. He will host a teleconference on "keeping American communities safe" with governors, law enforcement and national security officials at 11 a.m. in the Situation Room.

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Friday, May 29, 2020 2:09 PM

To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

(b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

(b) (5) . This is a very fluid situation and (b) (5) . I think (b) (5) . My preference is (b) (5) . (b) (6) and I just spoke and she is going to do the same with the inquiries that she is getting from other members.

Thanks!

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2020 2:07 PM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
(b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Thanks, Prim. If the BJA comments are cleared this afternoon, would those be fine to share back with CJS?

Nikita

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2020 1:55 PM
To: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)>
Cc: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Guys – this is a fluid situation and the AG is personally involved. We probably (b) (5)

Thanks!

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2020 1:53 PM
To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: Re: Minneapolis CJS Question

Thanks.

Also, agreed that OJP/BJA would have at least some of these answers, but I have not yet seen anything from them.

Perhaps contact them directly, Nikita.

On May 29, 2020, at 1:50 PM, (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Moosy was not aware of anything. Haven't heard back from FBI - I will ping them again.

On May 29, 2020, at 1:47 PM, Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

(b) (6) – any info about the below?

Nikita – the only thing we had yesterday was something from OJP and they said that they were going to send it directly to you?

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2020 1:42 PM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi Prim,

Checking in on this for an update. Also, we received some additional questions this afternoon with a deadline of COB today. Can you please let us know if there will be information we will be able to share back today. Thanks!

CJS:

I caught the [press release](#) yesterday from the USAO in D/MN—is the FBI investigation a civil rights one? Are they investigating for color of law violations? Is there an investigation in pattern/practice of misconduct? Is the COPS Office assisting? Is CRS assisting? What additional personnel (FBI agents, CRS mediators, etc) have been deployed or plan to be deployed? What's going on with any JAG precipitous increase in crime funding (or other grant funding)?

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2020 11:55 AM
To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Nikita,

I'll see what we can find out. Who is the question from (House/Senate; Majority/Minority)?

Thanks!
Prim

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2020 11:48 AM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi Prim,

We received the following question regarding the recent death of George Floyd in Minneapolis. Can you please advise? Thanks.

CJS:

Has Minneapolis reached out for any assistance of DOJ outside of the FBI investigation?

Destructive protests erupted in Minneapolis overnight and the police fired tear gas, days after George Floyd, a black man, died in police custody.

Thursday, May 28, 2020 9:36 AM EST

Fires were smoldering at stores that were set alight near a police precinct building in South Minneapolis on Thursday morning.

Mr. Floyd's death also spurred protests in Memphis and Los Angeles, where law enforcement officials faced off with people blocking a highway.

[Read the latest](#)

Nikita Purdy
Appropriations Liaison Officer
Justice Management Division, Department of Justice

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From: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Purdy, Nikita (JMD)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"

Cc: "(b) (6)" <(b) (6)> "Lucas, Daniel (JMD)"
<(b) (6)> "Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Date: Wed, 03 Jun 2020 13:38:00 -0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: Federal_Law_Enforcement_Response_to_2020_Riots.docx

[Forgot attachment. Here you go.](#)

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 9:23 AM

To: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

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From: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: "Purdy, Nikita (JMD)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)"
<(b) (6)> "Lucas, Daniel (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Hanson,
Alan R. (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: Re: Minneapolis CJS Question

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 13:49:09 +0000

Importance: Normal

Yep!

(b) (6)
Office of Legislative Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

On 3 Jun 2020, at 9:48 AM, Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

This hasn't been cleared by leadership.

(b) (6) – can you send it to Matt Blue and see if it is cleared?

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 9:46 AM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Thanks, Prim. Alan and Prim, please let us know if this is ok to share back with CJS with a caveat that is constantly evolving.

Nikita

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 9:38 AM
To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Duplicative Material, Bates Number 23-cv-1207_20-01806_000474

From: "Purdy, Nikita (JMD)" <(b) (6)>
To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)" <(b) (6)> "Hanson, Alan R. (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Singh, Carolyn (OLA)" <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)" <(b) (6)> "Lucas, Daniel (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 16:19:38 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: Outstanding_CJS_Questions_Minneapolis.docx

Here team, please see attached!

Thanks
Nikita

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD)
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:50 AM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)> Singh, Carolyn (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi Prim,

Sure, I will do that now.

Thanks,
Nikita

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Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:42 AM
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Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Nikita,

Can you put together a list of all the outstanding questions (including who they are from) from CJS in a word document and circulate it to this group?

Thanks!
Prim

From: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA)
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:24 AM
To: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)> Singh, Carolyn (OLA) <(b) (6)>

Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Yes. I think Carolyn has an update from CRS too that you could share. Adding her here.

From: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 11:19 AM
To: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)> Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA)
<(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: RE: Minneapolis CJS Question

Hi Prim,

We just got a cleared response from OJP from the initial ask Thursday. Are we fine with sharing back to CJS? Thanks!

OJP:
The Minnesota Office of Justice Programs reached out to the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) the evening of Friday, May 29, seeking emergency funding assistance.

In addition to the city and state's use of their Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funding, the state may be eligible for Emergency Federal Law Enforcement Assistance (EFLEA) funds. The unobligated balance of prior year EFLEA funds is \$4.5 million. The EFLEA program allows the Bureau of Justice Assistance to make funds available to a state government to respond effectively to an "uncommon situation," one that is, or threatens to become, serious or epidemic in scope and in which state and local resources are inadequate to protect the lives and property of citizens. The funding provided under this award can provide much-needed equipment for officers and overtime expenses to perform saturation patrols in high crime areas. This program supports the Department of Justice's mission of reducing crime and supporting public safety personnel in the context of an emergency situation.

The Office for Victim of Crime's Collective Healing Initiative supports law enforcement and community leaders in developing and implementing a collaborative approach to supporting victims, improving community relationships, and reducing crime. This is accomplished through assisting law enforcement agencies in developing and implementing comprehensive and trauma-informed response strategies, protocols, and interventions that promote community engagement and healing before and after incidents of violence. Additionally, Collective Healing provides comprehensive, expert technical assistance to law enforcement on trauma-informed culture and practice.

OVC competitively awarded \$7 million dollars to IACP in FY 2016 to fund five law enforcement demonstration sites and provide training and technical assistance (TTA) on the subject of law enforcement and community healing in the wake of an officer involved high-priority incident, both when the victim was an officer or a member of the community.

Through a competitive application process in December 2017, the IACP and OVC selected five diverse law enforcement demonstration sites, and their community partners. These sites illustrated a desire to strengthen relationships within their communities and implement innovative measures in reaching underserved communities who are most victimized and receive the least support. The Minneapolis Police Department was one of the five sites. The others sites included police departments in Baton Rouge, LA; Houston, TX; Oakland, CA; and Rapid City, SD.

From: Hanson, Alan R. (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Sent: Wednesday, June 3, 2020 9:52 AM
To: Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)>
Cc: Purdy, Nikita (JMD) <(b) (6)> (b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)>
(b) (6) (OLA) <(b) (6)> Lucas, Daniel (JMD) <(b) (6)>
Subject: Re: Minneapolis CJS Question

If and when this is cleared, let's convert it to PDF and share it with all four corners, as we have gotten some level of inquiry from the House folks too. We should include Prim's caveat that these matters are continuing to evolve and (b) (5)

On Jun 3, 2020, at 9:48 AM, Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) <(b) (6)> wrote:

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Outstanding CJS Questions

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Senate Minority- Jennifer Eskra: Besides the AG issuing press releases (saw there was another one today), is there any additional information as to what DOJ is doing in terms of investigations and other assistance that you can provide in response to my questions?

Are there any other announcements coming soon, particularly those that would impact resources and/or personnel? Wasn't sure if something was being announced at this AM's press conference mentioned in Politico:

TRUMP'S MONDAY --

Senate Minority- Jennifer Eskra: What is the Department doing generally to respond?

Senate Minority-Jennifer Eskra: Just saw a story on the news that both USMS and DEA are now assisting MPD (as in DC MPD not Minneapolis PD).

If this is the case, how many deputies and agents are being deployed from each agency, are they from the DMV or are there TDY costs (and if there are expected costs what are they), what is the expected OT cost, what equipment are they using (pretty sure DEA doesn't have equipment to respond to riots), how long are they expected to be deployed, and what are their roles? Is this happening (deployment of DOJ LEOs to assist local PD) anywhere else or is this just in DC?

Senate Minority-Jennifer Eskra: Politico Playbook's afternoon edition reported that the President stated he's "activating" the Attorney General so please keep us updated as to what this means.

They also reported that the AG sent "riot teams" from BOP to Miami. What constitutes a "riot team"? How many individuals are going and for how long? What's the cost? What other DOJ components have LEOs assisting state and local law enforcement? Again, is CRS being deployed alongside these LEOs?

Senate Minority-Jennifer Eskra: There has been an impact on USMS appropriations and time for large scale deputations for Presidential inaugurations (most recently Obama's first inauguration as that was the larger number). Please follow up on this as well as what that deputation looks like. For example, inaugurations were typically 7 days. What's the time frame on this?

Senate Majority-Brian Daner: What does “even greater law enforcement resources and support in the region tonight” entail?

ATTORNEY GENERAL WILLIAM P. BARR'S STATEMENT ON PROTESTS IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

WASHINGTON – Attorney General William P. Barr released the following statement:

“Last night was a more peaceful night in the District of Columbia. Working together, federal and local law enforcement made significant progress in restoring order to the nation’s capital.

I am grateful to Chief Peter Newsham and the Metropolitan Police Department for their outstanding work and professionalism. The District is well served by this exceptional police force.

I also thank Secretary of Defense Mark Esper, Joint Chiefs of Staff Chairman General Mark Milley, and the men and women of the Department of Defense for their support. I am particularly impressed by the citizen-soldiers of the D.C. National Guard, who are committed to serving their community, and did so with great effectiveness last night.

Not least, I am grateful to the many federal law enforcement agencies and personnel who helped protect the District, including the FBI, Secret Service, Park Police, ATF, DEA, Bureau of Prisons, U.S. Marshals Service, Capitol Police, Department of Homeland Security’s CBP and Border Patrol units, and others.

There will be even greater law enforcement resources and support in the region tonight. The most basic function of government is to provide security for people to live their lives and exercise their rights, and we will meet that responsibility here in the nation’s capital.”

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Senate Minority-Jennifer Eskra: Under what authority does DEA have to close public streets in DC? Isn’t that the role of state/local police, not federal law enforcement?

<https://www.popville.com/2020/06/dea-and-military-police-closing-off-streets-downtown/>

House Majority-Jeff Ashford: According to the Washington Post, “The FBI, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Drug Enforcement Administration, U.S. Marshals and Bureau of Prisons were all involved in the federal response, according to a Justice Department spokeswoman.”

Could you confirm? I’d be interested in knowing the nature and extent of the support, if you can provide that.

Senate Minority-Jennifer Eskra: And now there’s a story that DEA was given permission to conduct surveillance on protestors and investigate them. I would ask for confirmation, but the article has the memo approving this: <https://www.buzzfeednews.com/article/jasonleopold/george-floyd-police-brutality-protests-government?ref=bfnsplash>

This goes to our prior questions that have not been fully answered—what are the defined roles for the DOJ LEAs right now? What has been asked of them, what are they doing? How many have been pulled from their regular course of work for this? What other DOJ LEAs have been given this authority to conduct surveillance? Has an official request for assistance gone out from DOJ to other federal agencies with LEOs (DHS, Treasury, Interior, Transportation, etc) asking for assistance like DHS did in November 2018 along the SWB?

In terms of DEA, what surveillance assets are they using and where? How many times has non-Title 21 authority been provided to DEA in the past (please list the dates/reasons)?

How many other LEOs have been specially deputized by USMS to respond to protestors to include a further breakout of the number by LEA, the purpose for the deputation and the length of time for the deputation?

Senate Majority-Brian Daner: It looks like the DAG's office authorized the assignment of non-Title 21 authorities to DEA on Sunday afternoon. Why was that information withheld yesterday?

I think we're still also waiting on an answer to the question of whether any DoD or National Guard personnel are operating under the direction of the AG.

From: "Thiemann, Robyn L" (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per DEA

To: "Escalona, Prim F. (OLA) (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Subject: Fwd: Information for possible AG press conference tomorrow

Date: Wed, 3 Jun 2020 16:22:52 +0000

Importance: Normal

FYSA

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Thiemann, Robyn L" (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per DEA

Date: June 2, 2020 at 8:31:17 PM EDT

To: "Bissex, Rachel (OAG) (JMD)" <(b) (6)>

Cc: "Allen, Joseph J. (ATF)" <(b) (6)> (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per BOP, "Kilgallon, John

(USMS)" (b) (6), "Delaplane, Camellia Assefi (OAG) (JMD)"

<(b) (6)> "Kupec, Kerri (OPA) (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Levi,

William (OAG) (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)"

(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per EOUSA, "Sherwin, Michael (USADC)" (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per EOUSA, "Sofer,

Gregg (OAG) (JMD)" <(b) (6)> "Blue, Matthew (ODAG) (JMD)"

<(b) (6)>

Subject: Re: Information for possible AG press conference tomorrow

For DEA:

(b)(5) per DEA

(b)(5) per DEA

On Jun 2, 2020, at 6:09 PM, Bissex, Rachel (OAG) (JMD) <(b) (6)> wrote:

Hi everyone –

The AG may be doing a press conference on law enforcement operations. Can you please provide me with an update of the information you gave last night (each one of your responses is attached to this email in case it's helpful to you) by **8:00pm tonight**. Specifically, we are looking for:

- the number of additional agents/deputies and special operations teams you've brought to DC and any other additional assets you brought (bearcats, K-9, air support, etc.)
- areas where your people have been deployed and who they've been teamed up with (e.g., MPD, Park Police, etc)
- what roles they're fulfilling (e.g., reinforcement, detainee operations, etc.)

Any other information is welcomed as well. Thanks all.

Rachel P. Bissex
Deputy Chief of Staff & Counselor to the Attorney General

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