From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Monday, October 15, 2018 9:30 PM

To: Hankey, Mary Blanche (OLA)

Subject: question re letter from Congressman requesting a third party meeting

Attachments: Requesting a meeting with Rabbi Moshe Arya Vise who is an ally in the religious

liberty realm to discuss the enforcement of the Religious Land Use and

Institutionalized Persons Act of 2000 (RLUIPA) (b) (6)

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Hi Mary Blanche,

Beth received the attached letter last month from Rep Gohmert, requesting that she meet with a friend of his about a religious liberty issue. We scheduled that meeting but have run into a bit of a wrinkle on which we'd like OLA's input. Is there a good time tomorrow when I could give you a quick call or stop by your office to fill you in and ask your advice?

Many thanks. Jennie

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, September 12, 2018 10:47 AM

To: Williams, Beth A (OLP) (b) (6)

Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP) <kcrytzer@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: FW: Requesting a meeting with Rabbi Moshe Arya Vise who is an ally in the religious liberty realm to discuss the enforcement of the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act of 2000 (RLUIPA)

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This is the OLA assignment of the Gohmert letter.

From: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Sent: Friday, September 7, 2018 11:37 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <ili>jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: FW: Requesting a meeting with Rabbi Moshe Arya Vise who is an ally in the religious liberty realm to discuss the enforcement of the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act of 2000 (RLUIPA)

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Monday, October 15, 2018 4:45 PM

To: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Subject: DRAFT letter re task force

Attachments: Response Letter_Nadler_10.10.docx

As we discussed.

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Monday, October 15, 2018 4:02 PM

To: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Subject: Fwd: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Tom Gjelten < TGjelten@npr.org>
Date: October 15, 2018 at 3:24:40 PM EDT

To: "'jennifer.lichter@usdoj.gov'" <jennifer.lichter@usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams

Jennie, I'm re-upping this request in case you didn't see it the first time. Thanks! Tom Gjelten

From: Tom Gjelten

Sent: Friday, September 28, 2018 4:40 PM

To: jennifer.lichter@usdoj.gov

Subject: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams

Hello Jennifer,

After being away from NPR for most of the summer, I'm trying to catch up with stories I missed during my absence. Among them is the formation of the Religious Liberty Task Force. In the next week or so, I'll be working on that, and it would be good to meet and interview Beth Williams. I'm thinking that she, as the vice chair for policy, might be a better subject for me than Jesse Pannuccio.

Might you help arrange a face-to-face, on-the-record (on tape) interview for me? My contacts are below.

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Tom G

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 4:33 PM

To: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Co: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Subject: response letter

Attachments: Response Letter_Nadler_10.10.docx

Hi Val, the attached letter is ready to go to OLA. Could you please upload it? The workflow ID is 4093419.

Thanks! Jennie

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Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

From: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 3:44 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)
Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Subject: RE: RL Interview Request T. Gjelten

I've got this info together so we can talk to Beth about this interview whenever is convenient now. Is there a time this afternoon or tomorrow on her schedule where we can chat with her for 5-10 minutes?

From: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:20 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP) <kcrytzer@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: Re: RL Interview Request T. Gjelten

Sounds great, thanks.

On Oct 10, 2018, at 10:13 AM, Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < ilichter@jmd.usdoj.gov > wrote:



From: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:09 AM

To: Hudson, Andrew (OLP) ahudson@jmd.usdoj.gov Cc: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov

Subject: RL Interview Request T. Gjelten

Drew.

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It would

be great to get the info today. Please feel free to work with/assign to an intern if the timing is tough. Thanks!

Tom Gjelten Correspondent, Religion and Belief NPR

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Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

From: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 2:15 PM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP)
Cc: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Subject: RE: research on NPR religion correspondent

Perfect. Thank you for your help!

From: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 12:53 PM

To: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)
Cc: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <jli>jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: research on NPR religion correspondent

Tom Gjelten:

From 2017, In Religious Freedom Debate, 2 American Values Clash https://www.npr.org/2017/02/28/517092031/in-religious-freedom-debate-2-american-values-clash

From 2015, Conservatives Call For 'Religious Freedom,' But For Whom? https://www.npr.org/2015/12/11/458969192/conservatives-call-for-religious-freedom-but-for-whom

Interview with Tom Gjelten and Greg Baylor (ADF) regarding Trump's Johnson Amendment Executive Order Promise

https://www.npr.org/2017/05/04/526838358/trump-order-would-relax-restrictions-on-political-activity-by-religious-groups

Christian Colleges Are Tangled In Their Own LGBT Policies https://www.npr.org/2018/03/27/591140811/christian-colleges-are-tangled-in-their-own-lgbt-policies

From: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 11:06 AM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) < dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov Cc: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov Subject: Re: research on NPR religion correspondent

Thank you.

On Oct 10, 2018, at 11:04 AM, Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov wrote:

NPR's coverage of the Religious Liberty Task Force

- NPR's Audie Cornish interviewed Emma Green, a reporter for The Atlantic.
- The interviewed focused on the meaning around the term "religious liberty."

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https://www.npr.org/2018/08/02/635047680/new-religious-liberty-task-force-highlightssessions-doj-priorities

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Katherine

From: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:45 AM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) < dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov Cc: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov Subject: Re: research on NPR religion correspondent

Perfect, thanks. (b) (5)

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On Oct 10, 2018, at 10:40 AM, Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov wrote:

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:29 AM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) < dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov >; Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

<ahudson@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: research on NPR religion correspondent

Thanks!

From: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:29 AM

To: Hudson, Andrew (OLP) ahudson@jmd.usdoj.gov; Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

<jli>chter@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: research on NPR religion correspondent

Yes. Will research this now!

From: Hudson, Andrew (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:28 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < <u>ilichter@jmd.usdoj.gov</u>>
Cc: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) < <u>dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov</u>>
Subject: Re: research on NPR religion correspondent

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Thanks for doing this!

On Oct 10, 2018, at 10:25 AM, Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) lichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>

wrote:

Hi Katherine, if you have the time today, (b) (5)

Thanks! Jennie

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Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

From: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:42 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Subject: FW: Expressing support for the AG's efforts to protect religious liberty in this

country

Attachments: Expressing support for the AG's efforts to protect religious liberty in this

country.msg

Good morning

Please provide an extension on the attached overdue correspondence and state reason and how long is required. Thank you.

Valorie Davis

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Washington, D.C. 20530 Telephone: 202-514-4601

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:38 PM

To: Champoux, Mark (OLP)

Subject: RE: TPs

Attachments: RL TPs for AG_10.3.18_redline.docx

Yes, sorry. Here you go.

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TPs and I haven't seen them. But I'll forward you John's suggestions and, again, if you have additional thoughts feel free to let me know.

From: Champoux, Mark (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:32 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: TPs

I don't see any red highlighting. Is there a different version you meant to send?

MC

(202) 514-6131

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:13 PM

To: Champoux, Mark (OLP) <mchampoux@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: TPs

See attached. (b) (5)

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Feel free to edit however you'd like. Thanks!

Jennie

Jennie Bradley Lichter

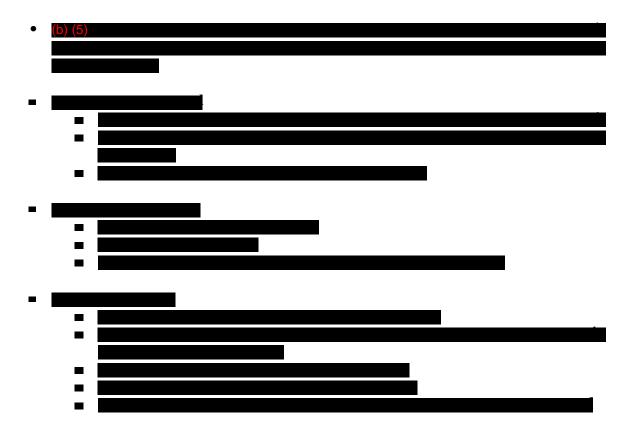
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<u>Religious Liberty Talking Points for LDS Meeting – 10/3/18</u>

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Background on LDS Attendees



Champoux, Mark (OLP)

From: Champoux, Mark (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 2:01 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Subject: RE: TPs

Attachments: RL TPs for AG_10.3.18_redline - MC.docx

Looks good. Here are my suggestions. (b)

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:38 PM

To: Champoux, Mark (OLP) <mchampoux@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: TPs

Yes, sorry. Here you go.

There is also meant to be another set of TPs, by the way. (b) (5)

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Jeff is handling those

TPs and I haven't seen them. But I'll forward you John's suggestions and, again, if you have additional thoughts feel free to let me know.

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Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

From: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 10:44 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Subject: FW: Commenting AG to protect religious liberty through Creation of the religious

liberty task force

Attachments: Commenting AG to protect religious liberty through Creation of the religious

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Good morning

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Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

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Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:40 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Subject: FW: Religious Liberty Task Force
Attachments: Religious Liberty Task Force.msg

Good morning

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Valorie Davis

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Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

From: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 10:06 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

RE: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams Subject:

Thanks, Jennie.

Katie Crytzer Chief of Staff

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 9:53 AM

To: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP) <kcrytzer@jmd.usdoj.gov> Subject: FW: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams

This is the most recent email I sent re NPR.

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Monday, October 1, 2018 9:18 PM

To: Williams, Beth A (OLP) (b) (6)

Cc: Hudson, Andrew (OLP) Subject: FW: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams

Beth, I shared this invite with Drew and with Sarah as we'd discussed. (b) (5

This reporter left me a follow-up voicemail today but of course I haven't called him back. (b) (5)

Jennie

From: Tom Gjelten <TGjelten@npr.org> Sent: Friday, September 28, 2018 4:40 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < ilichter@jmd.usdoj.gov> Subject: Interview with Asst AG Beth Williams

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 10:48 AM

To: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Subject: RE: Commenting AG to protect religious liberty through Creation of the religious

liberty task force

Thanks! I have been in touch with OLA about all of these. I appreciate the reminder.

Jennie

From: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 10:44 AM

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Reminder: The attached is due Tuesday, October 9

Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

From: Davis, Valorie A (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 10:39 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Subject: FW: Religious Liberty Task Force
Attachments: Religious Liberty Task Force.msg

Good morning

Reminder: T Valorie Davis

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he attached correspondence is due Friday, October 5.

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 2:47 PM

To: Williams, Beth A (OLP)

Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Subject: RE: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

Attachments: RL TPs for AG_10.3.18.docx

Beth, I checked with Brinton Lucas in CIV about (b) (5)

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Is this ok to send up to OAG?

From: Williams, Beth A (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 12:50 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP) <kcrytzer@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

Thanks, Jennie. Looks good. (b) (5)

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Beth A. Williams

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Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 11:54 AM

To: Williams, Beth A (OLP) (b) (6)

Subject: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

Beth, here are proposed TPs per Patrick's request. (b) (5)

Please let me know if you'd like to make any changes before I send to Pat.

Thanks! Jennie

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Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:40 PM

To: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Subject: RE: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

Attachments: RL TPs for AG_10.3.18_redline.docx

Attached. The redlines are changes I will probably make in the final, (b) (5)

From: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:17 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov> Subject: RE: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

Thanks, Jennie. Would you mind sending a copy of the TPs?

Katie Crytzer Chief of Staff

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Katherine.Crytzer2@usdoj.gov

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:14 PM

To: Williams, Beth A (OLP)(b) (6)

Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP) <kcrytzer@jmd.usdoj.gov> Subject: RE: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

Thanks! (D) (5)

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Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 12:50 PM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < ilichter@jmd.usdoj.gov> Cc: Crytzer, Katherine (OLP) <kcrytzer@jmd.usdoj.gov> Subject: RE: TPs for AG's meeting with LDS Church

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From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 1:44 PM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP)

Subject: RE: religious liberty materials
Attachments: RL TPs for AG_10.3.18.docx

Finished product looks like this, FYI.

From: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 11:18 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) < jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: religious liberty materials

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Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 10:38 AM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) < dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: religious liberty materials

This looks great - thank you very much. (b) (5)

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From: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP)

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 9:34 AM

To: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP) <ili>jlichter@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: RE: religious liberty materials

Here are the remarks. Let me know if you need any additional work on it, I did go with over inclusive so I can trim it down if needed.

Thanks!

From: Lichter, Jennifer (OLP)

Sent: Monday, October 1, 2018 5:43 PM

To: Beck, Dorothy K. (OLP) < dkbeck@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: religious liberty materials

So sorry for the delay! Have not had much time at my computer this afternoon. See attached task force memo.

And here are a couple of the AG speeches:

https://www.justice.gov/opa/speech/attorney-general-sessions-delivers-remarks-department-justice-s-religious-liberty-summit

https://www.justice.gov/opa/speech/attorney-general-jeff-sessions-delivers-remarks-alliance-defending-freedoms-summit

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