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July 8, 2021

Austin Evers
American Oversight
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Washington, DC 20005
foia@americanoversight.org

Re: FOIA-2020-01314
FOIA-2020-01373
FOIA-2020-01640
FOIA-2020-01889
No. 20-cv-2153 (DDC)
VRB:TAZ:BRV

Dear Austin Evers:

This is the sixth interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests dated and received in this Office on June 4, June 10, July 17, and August 6, 2020, seeking specified records concerning the nationwide protests following the killing of George Floyd and specified orders, directives, or guidance governing the Department's officers, agents, or members.

By letter dated February 5, 2021, I informed you that 159 pages containing records responsive to your request had been processed and were pending consultation with other Department components and Executive Branch agencies. This consultation process is now complete and I have determined that forty-one pages are appropriate for release with withholdings made pursuant to Exemptions 5, 6, 7(A), 7(C), 7(D), 7(E), and 7(F) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(D), (b)(7)(E), and (b)(7)(F). An additional ninety pages are being withheld in full pursuant to 3, 5, 6, 7(A), 7(C), 7(D), and 7(E) of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(3), (b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(7)(A), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(D), and (b)(7)(E). Exemption 3 pertains to information exempted from release by statute, in this instance Rule 6(e) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, which pertains to the secrecy of grand jury proceedings, Exemption 5 pertains to certain inter- or intra-agency communications protected by the deliberative process privilege, Exemption 6 pertains to information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, Exemption 7(A) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, Exemption 7(C) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy of third parties, Exemption 7(D) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which would disclose the identities of confidential sources, Exemption 7(E) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which would disclose certain techniques or procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, and Exemption 7(F) pertains to records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, the release of which could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or personal safety of an individual. Finally, twenty-eight pages contain records that are duplicative of those released to you or withheld in full today and, as such, will not be provided to you again.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2018). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

If you have any questions regarding this response, please contact Keri Berman of the Department's Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch, at 202-305-7538.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy Ziese", with a horizontal line drawn through the middle of the signature.

Timothy Ziese
Senior Reviewing Attorney

Enclosures

Levi, William (OAG)

From: Levi, William (OAG)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 7:18 AM
To: JCC (JMD)
Subject: Re: MN

Thank you very much.

On May 30, 2020, at 7:16 AM, JCC (JMD) <Ex_JCC@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

Sir,

Both notified via phone.

R/

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

SUPERVISORY EMERGENCY ACTIONS SPECIALIST,
JUSTICE COMMAND CENTER (JCC)
SECURITY AND EMERGENCY PLANNING STAFF,
UNITED STATES DEPT. OF JUSTICE
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(b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per JMD

SIPR (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per JMD [@USDOJ.SGOV.GOV](mailto:USDOJ.SGOV.GOV)

JWI S (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per JMD [@DOJ.IC.GOV](mailto:DOJ.IC.GOV)

From: Levi, William (OAG) <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 7:01 AM
To: JCC (JMD) <Ex_JCC@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: MN

Good morning can you please call Murphy and Bowdich and let them know they have the below time sensitive email in their inboxes.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Levi, William (OAG)" <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Date: May 30, 2020 at 6:57:05 AM EDT
To: "Murphy, Paul B. (DO) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI (DO) (OGA) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI", "Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI) (b)(7)(E) per FBI">
Cc: "Sofer, Gregg (OAG)" <gsofer@jmd.usdoj.gov>

Subject: Fwd: MN

Gentleman See the time sensitive request below. Can you please let me know what resources are going to MN?

Begin forwarded message:

From: "MacDonald, Erica (USAMN)" (b)(6) per EOUSA
Date: May 30, 2020 at 6:54:29 AM EDT
To: "Bissex, Rachel (OAG)" <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Levi, William (OAG)" <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: MN

Hi all:

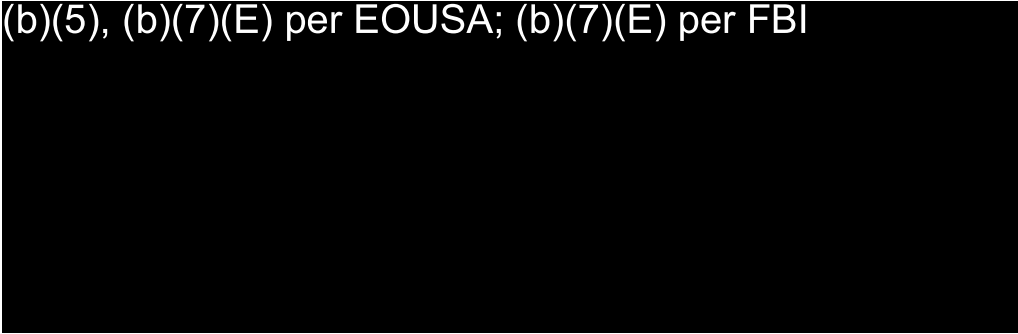
As you are aware, I have been speaking with our MN Commissioner of Public Safety. He is making the request for any and all federal law enforcement officers who can help. MN is tapped out and in crisis.

There is a rally today at 2:00 central. They expect 75,000 in attendance. They have been chasing rioters all night and expect another long night after the rally.

I have surveyed our federal LE agencies to determine what resources have already been deployed. Here is what I have:

FBI-
Has not dispatched resources yet

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



ATF-

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per ATF

Has been assisting St. Paul with surveillance of taverns

Has two team leaders from their National Response Team coming into town - SAC meeting with them this morning to assess and plan

Is bringing in other CFIs from WI, SD and ND to help triage with all of the arsons.

Should be noted St. Paul Fire Department only has one fire investigator on duty at a time.

DEA-

With forward thinking of Tim Shea, local DEA was able to assist Oakdale MN PD last night. Intel was 1,000 people intended to burn down the cop's home and intended to burn down Oakdale PD if police tried to stop them. Tim approved DEA to run shifts with Oakdale PD. House was not harmed last night.

SAC offered they could help with surveillance - including surveillance vans and equipment.

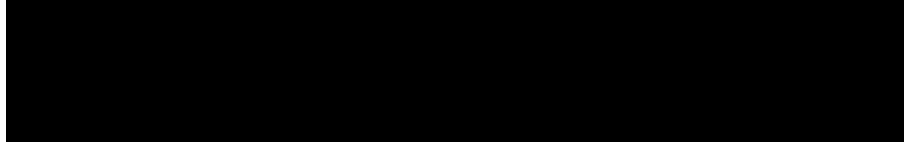
USMS-

1 Special Operations Group Deputy did an assessment yesterday and sent to HQ.

Marshal made clear their mission is to protect federal buildings.

USSS-

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA; (b)(7)(E) per USSS



In sum- all SACs were unanimous that they are not equipped to be in the front line but could give the above assistance as is consistent with their respective missions.

Erica

Levi, William (OAG)

From: Levi, William (OAG)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 7:25 AM
To: Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FBI)
Cc: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) per FBI (DO) (OGA) (FBI); Murphy, Paul B. (DO) (FBI); Sofer, Gregg (OAG)
Subject: Re: MN

Many thanks, Dave.

On May 30, 2020, at 7:20 AM, Bowdich, David L. (DO) (FB (b)(7)(E) per FBI wrote:

Will,

Am just seeing this now. I will talk with our SAC and provide requested resources and advise numbers..

Dave Bowdich

On May 30, 2020 6:57 AM, "Levi, William (OAG)" <William.Levi@usdoj.gov> wrote:

Duplicative Material (Document ID: 0.7.5603.7546)



Levi, William (OAG)

From: Levi, William (OAG)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 7:51 AM
To: MacDonald, Erica (USAMN)
Cc: Bissex, Rachel (OAG)
Subject: Re: MN

Just saw I missed your call Erica. Call back anytime.

> On May 30, 2020, at 7:28 AM, Levi, William (OAG) <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov> wrote:

>

> Thank you. The DD is calling your SAC and will provide support.

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>> On May 30, 2020, at 6:54 AM, MacDonald, Erica (USAMN (b)(6) per EOUSA) > wrote:

Duplicative Material (Document ID: 0.7.5603.7546)

Kennedy, James (USANYW)

From: Kennedy, James (USANYW)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 3:37 PM
To: Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)
Cc: Ellis, Corey (USAEO); Bissex, Rachel (OAG); Levi, William (OAG)
Subject: RE: Time Sensitive Related to Civil Unrest and DOJ
Importance: High

Zach-

There are protests planned in both Buffalo and Rochester today (5/30) at 5 pm EST. Buffalo represents the larger concern as the location of the planned protest is Niagara Square in the heart of the City and proximate to virtually every federal office in the city. The Robert H. Jackson Federal Courthouse (with a large glass façade into

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

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA, (b)(7)(E) per FBI

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

My cell (b) (6)

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From: Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVA (b)(6) per EOUSA
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 2:31 PM
To: USAEO-USAttorneysOnl (b)(6) per EOUSA
Cc: Ellis, Corey (USAEO (b)(6) per EOUSA Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Levi, William (OAG) <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Time Sensitive Related to Civil Unrest and DOJ

Team USAs,

BLUF: The AG wants the USA and DOJ community activated to assist state and local law enforcement with the response to the civil unrest occurring across the country in the wake of the killing of George Floyd. In that vein, two things are asked of each of you:

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

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

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

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

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[REDACTED]

Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)

From: Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 6:10 PM
To: Levi, William (OAG); Bissex, Rachel (OAG); Barnett, Gary (OAG)
Cc: DuCharme, Seth (ODAG); Blue, Matthew (ODAG); Ellis, Corey (USAEO)
Subject: Reports from U.S. Attorneys Around the Country
Attachments: District Reports 053020.docx; ATT00001.txt

Alcon,

Please see the first table of reports compiled from the field directly from U.S. Attorneys. We will update this document and circulate again in a few hour (b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA

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Emergency Action Specialist: (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI | Watch Commander: SSA (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

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National Crisis Coordination Center Situational Report (SITREP)

30 May 2020

(U) May 2020 Civil Unrest 1800 SITREP #1 30 May 2020

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(U//~~FOUO~~) Transmittal of this report is to inform appropriate personnel who must account for the safety and security of facilities and personal. As an individual or groups ability to conduct lawful protests and seek redress from government is a right guaranteed by the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, no investigative activity is to be initiated solely based on such protected conduct unless some indication of criminal or terrorist activity is present.

(U) Executive Summary

(U//~~FOUO~~) As of 30 May 2020, civil unrest erupted sporadically in several U.S. cities after the 26 May 2020 death of Minnesota-based George Floyd while in law enforcement custody. (b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]. The unrest is impacting multiple FBI field offices with major protests, rioting, and looting in Minneapolis, Atlanta, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Washington, D.C. Activities have included Molotov cocktails, blockades, looting, arson, vandalism of property, scaling building walls, graffiti, rocks and bottles thrown at law enforcement. Due to this activity, many cities and states have declared a state of emergency.

(U//~~FOUO~~) George Floyd's body is scheduled to arrive in Houston on Sunday, 31 May 2020. His funeral is scheduled for Wednesday, 3 June 2020.

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**(U) Points of Contact**HQ CP:

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

(U) Field Office AOR Events(U) FO Command Posts

The following offices have established CPs:

- AT
- CG
- DE
- DN
- MP
- PX
- WFO

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

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(U) Current Curfews:

OH	Columbus	2200 - 0600	
WI	Milwaukee	2100 - 0600	
CO	Denver	2000 - 0500	Ends Monday morning
OH	Cincinnati	2200 - 0600	Weekend only for now
OR	Portland	2000 - 0600	State of Emergency
NY	Rochester	2100 - 0500	
KY	Louisville	Dusk to Dawn	
NC	Charlotte	Pending	State of Emergency



(U) Operational Support

(U) CIRG:

(U)(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//FOUO)(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//LES)(b)(7)(E) per FBI

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

(U) Intelligence

(U) Developments

(U) There were three protests scheduled for Washington DC on 30 May 2020. These may provide opportunity for actors to conduct criminal activity.

1400: "Say Their Names Protest DC" - Described as "A peaceful protest to honor the lives of George Floyd, Ahmaud Arbery, Breonna Taylor, Doug Lewis and the many other lives that have been lost at the hands of police and white supremacy. Remember their names. Say their names. Demand justice."



- Start: Archives Navy Memorial
- End: DOJ
- To follow the protest virtually, people are instructed to follow @Grassroots_CUA on Instagram and Facebook

1600: "Car caravan moving protest" organized by @DMVBlackLives #WeKeepUsSafe

- Start: Safeway parking lot, 322 40th St NE DC
 - End: Not specified
 - (b)(7)(E) per FBI
 - (b)(7)(E) per FBI
- . Protesters took multiple shields and continue to throw objects at officers, as of 1239 hours 30 May 2020.

1700:

- Start: McPherson Square, 15th St NW & K St
- End: Not specified

(U//LES) As of 1534 EST on 30 May 2020, a group of approximately 1000 were at Capitol and are beginning to move toward White House via Pennsylvania Ave and other routes.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

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



(U//LES) As of 1136 CST 30 May 2020, Houston Police Department received information three buses of Black Panther members were en route from Oklahoma to Houston, Texas. The Black Panther Members were traveling to Houston to “burn down a lot of homes.” No additional information was provided.

(U) Planning

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

**(U) Finance/Administration**

(U) EAN Authorization:



(U) An EAN has been issued if travel is necessary in support of FBI response to civil unrest. For the EAN number, contact the HQ CP.

(U) Logistics

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) Investigation

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

(U) Communications

(U) OPA:

(U) National Press Office POCs:

- UC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
- PAS (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI



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(U//~~FOUO~~) OPA received media inquiries asking whether the protest violence is being caused by groups with particular political views. Attorney General Barr made a public statement this afternoon, saying "far left extremists, using Antifa-like tactics" may be driving the violence. Officials in Minnesota mentioned a variety of possible actors, including white supremacists. OPA and MP field office are declining comment.

DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)

From: DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 10:31 PM
To: Levi, William (OAG)
Subject: 2020 05 30 Civil_Unrest_SITREP#1.docx
Attachments: 2020 05 30 Civil_Unrest_SITREP#1.docx; ATT00001.txt

Some intel is in

Levi, William (OAG)

From: Levi, William (OAG)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 10:37 PM
To: Ahern, Bill (OAG); William Barr
Attachments: District Reports 053020.docx

Preliminary reports from certain of the districts.

William R. Levi
Chief of Staff & Sr. Counselor to the Attorney General
U.S. Department of Justice
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William.Levi@usdoj.gov

Anderson, David (USACAN)

From: Anderson, David (USACAN)
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 11:19 PM
To: Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)
Cc: Ellis, Corey (USAEO); Bissex, Rachel (OAG); Levi, William (OAG)
Subject: Re: Time Sensitive Related to Civil Unrest and DOJ

Excellent. Thank you, Zach. Dave

David L. Anderson
United States Attorney
Northern District of California
[450 Golden Gate Avenue, 11th Floor](#)
[San Francisco, CA 94102](#)
Phone: [\(415\) 436-6968](#)
Email [\(b\)\(6\) per EOUSA](#)

On May 30, 2020, at 8:17 PM, Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVA [\(b\)\(6\) per EOUSA](#)) wrote:

Dav [\(b\)\(7\)\(E\), \(b\)\(5\) per EOUSA](#)

From: Anderson, David (USACAN [\(b\)\(6\) per EOUSA](#))
Sent: Saturday, May 30, 2020 10:04 PM
To: Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE [\(b\)\(6\) per EOUSA](#))
Cc: Ellis, Corey (USAEO [\(b\)\(6\) per EOUSA](#)); Bissex, Rachel (OAG) <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>; Levi, William (OAG) <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: RE: Time Sensitive Related to Civil Unrest and DOJ

Hi Zach. Copy to Corey, Rachel and William. I am writing with an update from the NDCA in response to the request below. If there is a different or better way to provide this information, please let me know. Happy to follow up. Thanks very much for your leadership. Dave

[\(b\)\(5\), \(b\)\(6\) per EOUSA](#)

[REDACTED]

(b)(5), (b)(6) per EOUSA

This evening there are smaller protests focused on San Francisco. These protests are not presently violent, but we are monitoring them closely.

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San Francisco, CA 94102
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Email (b)(6) per EOUSA

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)

From: DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)
Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2020 12:06 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG)
Subject: Fwd: Siterep from JCC: Update and request for principals call for tomorrow
Attachments: District Reports 053020.docx; ATT00001.htm

Latest USAO reporting

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE) (b)(6) per EOUSA"
Date: May 30, 2020 at 11:59:57 PM EDT
To: "Levi, William (OAG)" <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Bissex, Rachel (OAG)" <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)" <seducharme@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Cc: "Blue, Matthew (ODAG)" <matblue@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Feith, Daniel (ODAG)" <dfeith@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG)" <phovakimian4@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Siterep from JCC: Update and request for principals call for tomorrow am

Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)

From: Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE)
Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2020 1:55 AM
To: Levi, William (OAG); Bissex, Rachel (OAG); DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)
Cc: Blue, Matthew (ODAG); Feith, Daniel (ODAG); NealyCox, Erin (USATXN); Herdman, Justin E. (USAOHN); Ellis, Corey (USAEO)
Subject: Latest updated Siterep from USA community
Attachments: District Reports 053120 0110AM.docx

Please see attached with most recent updates.

From: Plack, Laura (ODAG)
Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2020 6:08 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG); Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG); DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)
Cc: Blue, Matthew (ODAG)
Subject: (b)(7)(A) per FBI
Attachments:

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Cc: SIO (b)(7)(E) per FBI

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

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To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG)
Subject: Fwd: SITREP: May 31, 2020 - 0600 - May 2020 Civil Unrest
Attachments: 20200531 0600 - Civil Unrest #2.docx; ATT00001.htm

Latest

Sent from my iPhone

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From: "Terwilliger, Zachary (USAVAE) (b)(6) per EOUSA
Date: May 31, 2020 at 7:16:46 AM EDT
To: "Levi, William (OAG)" <wlevi@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Bissex, Rachel (OAG)" <rbissex@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)" <seducharme@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Blue, Matthew (ODAG)" <matblue@jmd.usdoj.gov>, "Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG)" <phovakimian4@jmd.usdoj.gov>
Subject: Fwd: SITREP: May 31, 2020 - 0600 - May 2020 Civil Unrest

Team,

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

BLUF: a great deal of violence across many different cities (b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA, (b)(7)(E) per FBI
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Things are bad, but without strong LE work from state and locals and federal / nat'l guard augmentation, could have been much worse.

G. Zachary Terwilliger
United States Attorney
Eastern District of Virginia
(b)(6) per EOUSA
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(703) 299-3822 (Legal Assistant, Fay Brundage)

Begin forwarded message:

From: SIO (b)(7)(E) per FBI >

Date: May 31, 2020 at 6:57:54 AM EDT

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

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Subject: SITREP: May 31, 2020 - 0600 - May 2020 Civil Unrest

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SITUATIONAL REPORT

INCIDENT/EVENT: May 2020 Civil Unrest

SITREP EDITION: 0600 | May 31, 2020

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CONTENT: National Crisis Coordination Center Situational Report (SITREP)

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(U) May 2020 Civil Unrest

0600 31 May 2020 SITREP #2

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(U//~~FOUO~~) Transmittal of this report is to inform appropriate personnel who must account for the safety and security of facilities and personal. As an individual or groups ability to conduct lawful protests and seek redress from government is a right guaranteed by the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, no investigative activity is to be initiated solely based on such protected conduct unless some indication of criminal or terrorist activity is present.

*New information since the last SITREP is highlighted in **RED** font.*

(U) Executive Summary

(U//~~FOUO~~) As of 30 May, civil unrest erupted sporadically in several U.S. cities after the **25** May death of Minnesota-based George Floyd while in law enforcement custody. (b)(7)(E) per FBI [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The unrest is impacting multiple FBI field offices with major protests, rioting, and looting in Minneapolis, Atlanta, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Washington, D.C. Activities have included Molotov cocktails, blockades, looting, arson, vandalism of property, scaling building walls, graffiti, rocks and bottles thrown at law enforcement. Due to this activity, many cities and states have declared a state of emergency.

(U//~~FOUO~~) George Floyd's body is scheduled to arrive in Houston on Sunday, 31 May. His funeral is scheduled for Wednesday, 3 June, **in the vicinity of Ft. Bend County, Texas.**

(U) Points of Contact

HQ CP:

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

(U) Field Office AOR Events

(U) FO Command Posts

The following offices have established CPs:

AL	DN	NH	WFO
AN	JK	OM	SC
AT	LV	OC	SA
BF	LR	PX	SD
CG	LA	PH	SF
DE	MP	PG	SU
DL	MW	PD	IP

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

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

(b)(7)(A) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) Current Curfews:

GA	Atlanta	2100 0600	
WI	Milwaukee	2100 - 0600	
CO	Denver	2000 - 0500	Ends Monday morning
OH	Cincinnati	2200 0600	Weekend only for now
	Columbus	2200 0600	Until further notice
	Dayton	2100 0600	Until further notice
	Toledo	2100 0600	Through Sunday
OR	Portland	2000 - 0600	State of Emergency
NY	Rochester	2100 - 0500	
KY	Louisville	Dusk to Dawn	
NC	Charlotte	Pending	State of Emergency
IL	Chicago	2100-0600	
UT	Salt Lake City	2200 30 May -0600	Ends 1 June
PA	Pittsburgh	2030 UNK	Ends 1 June
FL	Miami-Dade Co.	2200 - UNK	
CA	La Mesa	0130 077	
	San Francisco	2200 0530	
	Los Angeles	2200 - 0530	
WA	Seattle	1700 -0500	

All times EST

(U) National Guard Mobilization

- (U//~~FOUO~~) FBI Salt Lake City reports Utah National Guard mobilized.
- (U//~~FOUO~~) FBI Little Rock reports governor has placed National Guard security forces on standby for deployment.
- (U//~~FOUO~~) FBI Indianapolis reports Indiana National Guard on standby.
- (U) The Minnesota National Guard is moving toward having 10,800 airmen and soldiers deployed, media reported Saturday, currently 4,100 troops deployed in the Twin Cities.
- (U) Open source reporting San Francisco has National Guard on standby.

(U) Major Highway Closures

- NSTR

(U) Operational Support

(U) CIRG:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

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

(U) Intelligence

(U) Threats to FBI Facilities

NSTR

(U) Attacks on Federal Buildings

(U) Philadelphia, PA - As of 2044 EST on 30 May, protesters allegedly broke windows and set fire to the City Hall building in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. A reporter stated people broke into the building and

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) Counter-Protest Violence

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

(U) Cyber Attacks

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

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

[REDACTED]

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

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

[REDACTED]

(U//~~LES~~) As of 1136 CST 30 May, Houston Police Department received information three buses of Black Panther members were en route from Oklahoma to Houston, Texas. The Black Panther Members were traveling to Houston to “burn down a lot of homes.” No additional information was provided.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

(U) Planning

(U) CICC Action Items:

(U) At the request of FBI MP, the following additional support is being deployed:

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

[REDACTED]

(U) FBI MP has requested the following additional support which is pending deployment:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) Requests for CP Support: NSTR

(U) Personnel Deployment: The following have deployed to MP:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) Resource Deployment: On 30 May, (b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

(U) Finance/Administration

(U) EAN Authorization:

(U) An EAN has been issued if travel is necessary in support of FBI response to civil unrest. For the EAN number, contact the HQ CP.

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(U) Logistics

(U) ITAD:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) ITED:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U) ITESD:

(U) ITESD stands by to assist as necessary.

(U) Security:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

(U) Facilities

(U) NSTR

(U) Investigation

(U) Investigations Impacted:

(b)(7)(A) per FBI

(U) New Investigations:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI

[REDACTED]

(U) Communications

(U) OPA:

(U) National Press Office POCs:

- UC (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI
- PAS (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), (b)(7)(E) per FBI

(U//FOUO) OPA received media inquiries asking whether the protest violence is being caused by groups with particular political views. Attorney General Barr made a public statement this afternoon, saying "far left extremists, using Antifa-like tactics" may be driving the violence. Officials in Minnesota mentioned a variety of possible actors, including white supremacists. OPA and MP field office are declining comment.

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From: DuCharme, Seth (ODAG)
Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2020 8:46 AM
To: Rosen, Jeffrey A. (ODAG)
Cc: Hovakimian, Patrick (ODAG)
Subject: Fwd: Documents broken down by call
Attachments: Insurrection Act Minnesota AG Recommendation OLC 11 pm draft.docx; ATT00001.htm; AG JTTF Memo v1.1.docx; ATT00002.htm; 20200531 0600 - Civil Unrest #2.docx; ATT00003.htm; District Reports 053120 0700AM.docx; ATT00004.htm; operational resources.docx; ATT00005.htm

Read-Aheads for calls

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

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Subject: Documents broken down by call

Will,

Here are the documents for the call(s) this morning.

1. Insurrection Act briefer (for internal DOJ call and situational awareness) provide to internal DOJ team (doesn't need to be discussed this am)
2. AG JTTF mem (b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA
(b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA
3. Surge in Operational Federal Resources document (b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA
4. FBI Siterep- share with DOJ team for internal call
5. USA Siterep doc-share with DOJ team for internal call

(b)(5), (b)(7)(E) per EOUSA
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Operational Assets

DOD

- (b)(5) per DOD
- State Guard resources immediately available.
- Federal resources available if Insurrection Act invoked.
- Historical examples: LA riots used +6,000 CANG under state orders and then federalized +6,000 CANG, + 1,500 active duty Army, +500 active duty Marines. Troops used to secure sites and provide backline to law enforcement. Similar use of state status NG in Ferguson and Baltimore riots.
- Contacts:
 - Kenneth P. Rapuano Assistant Secretary of Defense for Homeland Defense & Global Security ((b)(6) per DOD
 - RADM Brendan McPherson/USCG Military Assistant to Secretary of DHS ((b)(6) per DOD
 - Bob Salesses DASD for Homeland Defense Integration & DSCA ((b)(6) per DOD

DHS

- Concentrating their effort to guard high profile locations such as court houses, federal buildings, etc.
- Deployments:
 - Team of 25 officers to assist the Secret Service at the WH.
 - Team of 25 officers assigned Main DOJ.
 - Redeployed a small group of FPS officers to Minneapolis to support their organic force assigned to that area.
 - Report of additional deployable law enforcement personnel and other assets expected in AM of 5/31/20.
- Contacts:
 - RADM Brendan McPherson/USCG Military Assistant to Secretary of DHS ((b)(6) per DOD

DOJ

Uncommitted strategic enforcement resources

Contributing LE	Total PAX available	PAX type	Current PAX location
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
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BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
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FBI	(b)(7)(E) per FBI		
FBI			
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
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Total	(b)(7)(E) per FBI		

Regional snapshot:

Contributing LE	Total PAX available	PAX type	Current PAX location
Northeast Region			
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
Mid-Atlantic Region			
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
Southeast Region			
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		

Northern Region			
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
Western Region			
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		

D.C.

Contributing LE	Total PAX available	PAX type	Current PAX location
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
BOP	(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP		
Total	153		

Minneapolis

Contributing LE	Total PAX available	PAX type	Current PAX location
USMS	(b)(7)(E) per USMS		
USMS			
Total			

Transportation and other resources:

DOD

(b)(5) per DOD

BOP

(b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F) per BOP

DEA

- Available to convert from dedicated Title 21 duties to protect DEA-linked facilities.

FBI

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- Miscellaneous resources:

(b)(7)(E) per FBI