



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

November 22, 2019

Case No. F-2019-06331

Segment: S/ES-S0001

S/ES-S0002

S/ES-S0003

Melanie Sloan
American Oversight
1030 15th Street NW, B255
Washington, DC 20005

Dear Ms. Sloan:

This is in response to your request dated May 21, 2019, under the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552. Thus far, the Department has located 15 documents responsive to your request. Upon review, we have determined 1 document may be released in full and 14 documents may be released in part. The processing of your request is ongoing.

An enclosure explains the FOIA exemptions and other grounds for withholding material. Where we have made excisions, the applicable FOIA exemptions are marked on each document. All non-exempt material that is reasonably segregable from the exempt material has been released and is enclosed.

We will keep you informed as your case progresses. If you have any questions, your attorney may contact Joshua C. Abbuhl, Trial Attorney at joshua.abbuhl@usdoj.gov; 202-616-8366. Please refer to the case number, F-2019-06331, and the civil action number, 19-cv-02934, in all correspondence about this request.

Sincerely,

Susan C. Weetman
Deputy Director
Office of Information Programs and Services

Enclosures: As stated.

The Freedom of Information Act (5 USC 552)

FOIA Exemptions

- (b)(1) Information specifically authorized by an executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy. Executive Order 13526 includes the following classification categories:
- 1.4(a) Military plans, systems, or operations
 - 1.4(b) Foreign government information
 - 1.4(c) Intelligence activities, sources or methods, or cryptology
 - 1.4(d) Foreign relations or foreign activities of the US, including confidential sources
 - 1.4(e) Scientific, technological, or economic matters relating to national security, including defense against transnational terrorism
 - 1.4(f) U.S. Government programs for safeguarding nuclear materials or facilities
 - 1.4(g) Vulnerabilities or capabilities of systems, installations, infrastructures, projects, plans, or protection services relating to US national security, including defense against transnational terrorism
 - 1.4(h) Weapons of mass destruction
- (b)(2) Related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency
- (b)(3) Specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than 5 USC 552), for example:
- | | |
|----------------|---|
| ARMSEXP | Arms Export Control Act, 50a USC 2411(c) |
| CIA PERS/ORG | Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, 50 USC 403(g) |
| EXPORT CONTROL | Export Administration Act of 1979, 50 USC App. Sec. 2411(c) |
| FS ACT | Foreign Service Act of 1980, 22 USC 4004 |
| INA | Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 USC 1202(f), Sec. 222(f) |
| IRAN | Iran Claims Settlement Act, Public Law 99-99, Sec. 505 |
- (b)(4) Trade secrets and confidential commercial or financial information
- (b)(5) Interagency or intra-agency communications forming part of the deliberative process, attorney-client privilege, or attorney work product
- (b)(6) Personal privacy information
- (b)(7) Law enforcement information whose disclosure would:
- (A) interfere with enforcement proceedings
 - (B) deprive a person of a fair trial
 - (C) constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy
 - (D) disclose confidential sources
 - (E) disclose investigation techniques
 - (F) endanger life or physical safety of an individual
- (b)(8) Prepared by or for a government agency regulating or supervising financial institutions
- (b)(9) Geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells

Other Grounds for Withholding

- NR Material not responsive to a FOIA request excised with the agreement of the requester

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[REDACTED]
From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2019 9:54 AM
To: S_All
Subject: 9:53am -- S finished speaking with Rudy Giuliani

[REDACTED]
Office Manager to the Secretary of State
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street NW| Washington, D. C. |20520
Office: [REDACTED] | **Email:** [REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2019 9:49 AM
To: S_All
Subject: 9:49am -- S is speaking with Rudy Giuliani

[REDACTED]
Office Manager to the Secretary of State
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street NW| Washington, D. C. |20520
Office: [REDACTED] | **Email:** [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
From: Operations Center
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 7:42 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: SES-O_S-Calls
Subject: RE: S Calls Update 03/29

Dear Sally,

Understood, will do.

[REDACTED]
Watch Officer | Operations Center
U.S. Department of State
202-647-1512

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 7:40 AM
To: Operations Center ; SES-O_S-Calls
Subject: RE: S Calls Update 03/29

Good morning Ops Colleagues,

[REDACTED] We can remove this from the tracker.

Thanks!

Office Manager to the Secretary of State
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street NW | Washington, D. C. | 20520
Office: [REDACTED] **Email:** [REDACTED]

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From: Operations Center <OperationsCenter@state.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 4:31 AM
To: SES-O_S-Calls <SES-O_S-Calls@state.gov>
Subject: S Calls Update 03/29

Confirmed Friday 03/29

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S 4 Mr. R. Giuliani 0815 ET
S 4 Mr. W. McKelvey 1230 ET
S 4 Mr. RJ Harris 1250 ET
S 4 Mr. G. Allison 1400 ET
S 4 Mr. W. Gates 1435 ET

Confirmed Monday 04/01

S 4 Representative Nunes (R-CA) 1330 ET (SECURE)
S 4 Reverend O'Callaghan 1445 ET/1345 Wichita

Confirmed Wednesday 04/03

S 4 Secretary of the Treasury Mnuchin 0730 ET (SECURE)

Ops is tracking the following calls

- pending S staff

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Regards,

State Department Operations Center
(202) 647-1512

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From: Operations Center
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 12:37 PM
To: S_SpecialAssistants; [REDACTED]
Cc: SES-O
Subject: March 2019 S Call Metrics
Attachments: 2019 March S Call Metrics.xlsx

Dear Colleagues,

Please find attached the "S Call Metrics" as tracked by Ops for the period 03/01/19 - 03/31/19.

Regards,

Watch Officer
State Department Operations Center
202-647-1512

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3/29/2019	8:15	S	Mr. R. Giuliani			N	Office	G	S	D	N								
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[Redacted]
From: [Redacted]
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 9:27 AM
To: JoAnn.Zafonte [Redacted]
Cc: S_Scheduling
Subject: Mr. Giuliani call with Secretary Pompeo

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Hello!

Mr. Giuliani just called our office and confirmed via phone a call with Secretary Pompeo for tomorrow, Friday March 29 at 8:15am ET.

We will plan for the State Operations Center to connect the call to Mr. Giuliani's cell.

Please let us know if there's any changes to Mr. Giuliani's schedule.

Many thanks,

[Redacted]
Office of the Secretary
U.S. Department of State
[Redacted]

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[REDACTED]
From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 9:37 AM
To: Hale, David
Subject: FW: S requested to speak with Mr. R. Giuliani

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From: Operations Center
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 9:34 AM
To: SES-O_S-Calls
Subject: S requested to speak with Mr. R. Giuliani

[REDACTED]
Ops will build the call Friday, March 29, at 0815 ET.

Please advise if there will be any monitors.

Regards,

Watch Officer
State Department Operations Center
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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 8:19 AM
To: S_All
Subject: 8:18am -- S finished speaking with Mr. R. Giuliani

[REDACTED]
Office Manager to the Secretary of State
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street NW | Washington, D. C. | 20520
Office: [REDACTED] **Email:** [REDACTED]

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From: Operations Center
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 8:15 AM
To: SES-O_S-Calls
Subject: S is speaking with Mr. R. Giuliani

Call up: 0814 ET

State Department Operations Center
(202) 647-1512

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 6:42 PM
To: S_All
Subject: 3/29 Calendars
Attachments: 3.29 Two Weeks.pdf; 3.29 Long Range.pdf

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Team,

Two weeks and long range attached. Updates below.

Best,

[REDACTED]
Office of the Secretary
U.S. Department of State
[REDACTED]

ADDED
3/29 0815-0835 CALL: Rudy Giuliani
4/1 1330-1350 CALL: Chairman Nunes (R-CA-22) (SECURE)

[REDACTED]
4/2 (H) 1745-1815 MTG: Jen, Lisa, and C
4/3 (H) 0706-0717 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with Hugh Hewitt (TAPED)
4/3 0730-0800 CALL: DCIA Haspel (SECURE)
4/3 (H) 1700-1730 BILAT: Canadian FM Freeland
4/4 (H) 0745-0815 BILAT: French FM Le Drian

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REMOVED
CANCELLED: MTG: Cabinet Quad

UPDATED
4/1 1600-1630 MTG: A/SecDef Shanahan
4/9 (H) 0730-0830 MTG: Cabinet Quad
4/10 (H) 1500-1515 CALL: Secretary Mnuchin (SECURE)
4/10 (H) 0930-1230 HEARING: Senate Foreign Relations Committee Hearing

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March 29, 2019

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March 2019

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April 2019

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FRIDAY

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← From Mar 19

NCAA Division Men's Basketball Tournament (March 19 - April 8)

To Apr 8 →

National Vietnam War Veterans Day

RESCHEDULE MTG: Libya External Office CDA Peter Bodde (S Outer Office)

6 AM

0645-0700 ENR HST

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0720-0730 MTG: D, M, ExecSec, S/A McKinley, S/A Kissel

0710-0720 MTG: Heather Nauert; S Inner Office

0735-0750 MTG: Comms Meeting; S Outer Office

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0800-0815 MTG: S/A Kissel; S Inner Office

0815-0835 CALL: Rudy Giuliani; Nonsecure, State Ops to connect

0835-0900 Executive Time; S Inner Office

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0900-1000 MEET WITH MIKE
Treaty Room

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1015-1100 MTG: Blumenthal with SRS Jeffrey
S Inner Office

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1100-1130 MTG: A/S Breier, S/A Abrams, CDA Story; S Outer Office

1130-1230 Executive Time
S Inner Office

12 PM

1230-1245 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with Wallace McKelvey, The Patriot News; N

1250-1259 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with RJ Harris, WHP 580 (TAPED); Nonsecure

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1300-1345 MTG: M Family Deep Dive
S Outer Office

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1400-1420 CALL: Graham Allison; Nonsecure, State Ops to connect

1435-1455 CALL: Bill Gates, Gates Foundation; Nonsecure, State Ops to connect

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1500-1530 BILAT: Meeting with UAE Amb. Yousef Otaiba; S Outer Office

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1600-1630 BILAT: Republic of Korea FM Kang; S Outer Office

1630-1700 Executive Time; S Inner Office

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1700-1715 ENR Residence

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Subject: 0949-0953 CALL: Rudy Giuliani
Location: Non-Secure; S OMS direct dial

Start: Tue 3/26/2019 9:49 AM
End: Tue 3/26/2019 9:53 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: S

Categories: S - Calls

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From:
 Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 6:49 PM
 To: S_All
 Subject: COB Notes - 28 March 2019

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Hi team –

No pending calls or stray items for tomorrow (at this time). The Secretary took his book with Schedule Card home.

Have a great evening!

29 March 2019 SecState Pompeo

0645-0700 ENR HST
 0710-0720 MTG: Heather Nauert
 0720-0730 MTG: D, M, ExecSec, S/A McKinley, S/A Kissel, S/A Bulatao
 0735-0750 MTG: Comms Meeting
 0800-0815 MTG: S/A Kissel
 0815-0835 CALL: Rudy Giuliani
 0835-0900 Executive Time
 0900-1000 MEET WITH MIKE [Treaty Room]
 1015-1100 MTG: Biweekly with SRS Jeffréy
 1100-1130 MTG: A/S Breier, S/A Abrams, CDA Story
 1130-1230 Executive Time
 1230-1245 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with Wallace McKelvery, The Patriot News
 1250-1259 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with RJ Harris, WHP 580 (Taped)
 1300-1345 MTG: M Family Deep Dive
 1400-1420 CALL: Graham Allison
 1435-1455 CALL: Bill Gates, Gates Foundation
 1500-1530 BILAT: Meeting with UAE Amb. Yousef Otaiba
 1600-1630 BILAT: Republic of Korea FM Kang
 1630-1700 Executive Time
 1700-1715 ENR Residence

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[REDACTED] S_Scheduling@state.gov

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Subject: 0814-0818 CALL: Rudy Giuliani
Location: Nonsecure, State Ops to connect

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Start: Fri 3/29/2019 8:14 AM
End: Fri 3/29/2019 8:18 AM

Recurrence: (none)

Organizer: S

Categories: S - Calls

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2019 11:26 AM
To: S_Scheduling
Cc: S_SpecialAssistants
Subject: Schedule Card: 29 March 2019

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Hello Team –

The Schedule Card for tomorrow is saved in our share drive. Thx: Hill

28 March 2019 SecState Pompeo

0645-0700 ENR HST
0710-0720 MTG: Heather Nauert
0720-0730 MTG: D, M, ExecSec, S/A McKinley, S/A Kissel, S/A Bulatao
0735-0750 MTG: Comms Meeting
0800-0815 MTG: S/A Kissel
0815-0835 CALL: Rudy Giuliani
0835-0900 Executive Time
0900-1000 MEET WITH MIKE [Treaty Room]
1015-1100 MTG: Biweekly with SRS Jeffrey
1100-1130 MTG: A/S Breier, S/A Abrams, CDA Story
1130-1230 Executive Time
1230-1245 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with print outlet "The Patriot News"
1250-1259 INTERVIEW: Phone Interview with radio outlet RJ Harris, WHP 580
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1400-1420 CALL: Graham Allison
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1600-1630 BILAT: Republic of Korea FM Kang
1630-1700 Executive Time
1700-1715 ENR Residence

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From: Madeleine Westerhout
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 12:12 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: S_Scheduling
Subject: RE: Secretary Pompeo

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Thanks!!

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 12:03 PM
To: Westerhout, Madeleine E. EOP/WHO
Cc: S_Scheduling
Subject: RE: Secretary Pompeo

Hi Madeleine –

Jo Ann is welcome coordinate with us for S via our Scheduler, [REDACTED]

Outside of business hours, State Ops is best – 202-647-1512

And, of course, our best email is: S_Scheduling@state.gov

All best!! [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] | S_Scheduling@state.gov

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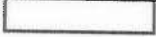
From: Westerhout, Madeleine E. EOP/WHO
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 11:52 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Secretary Pompeo

Hey [REDACTED] – this is Rudy Giuliani's assistant. What number can I give her for S?

From: Zafonte, Jo Ann [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2019 11:28 AM
To: Westerhout, Madeleine E. EOP/WHO [REDACTED]
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Secretary Pompeo

Hi Madeleine, hope all is well. It's been a while.

Hate to bother you but might you be able to send me a good number for above, I've been trying and getting nowhere through regular channels.

Jo Ann Zafonte
Senior Manager
Giuliani Partners
445 Park Avenue, 18th Fl.
New York, NY 10022


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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, April 01, 2019 8:04 AM
To: Erickson, Christopher B
Subject: RE: Senior Watch Officer Morning Brief to the ExecSec - 03/29 (SBU)

No problem, Chris. It was a quiet morning.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Chief, State-Defense Integration
State-Defense Integration Office
Bureau of Political-Military Affairs
United States Department of State
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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From: Erickson, Christopher B
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 10:55 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Senior Watch Officer Morning Brief to the ExecSec - 03/29 (SBU)

Thanks, [REDACTED], for stepping in this a.m.!
Chris

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From: Operations Center
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2019 8:06 AM
To: SES-O_ExecSecBrief
Subject: Senior Watch Officer Morning Brief to the ExecSec - 03/29 (SBU)

Below are the Senior Watch Officer's notes for the Executive Secretariat. Ops shares these notes only with the recipients of this email to facilitate deliberative discussion; they are not intended for publication. Please do not redistribute this email.

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STATE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS CENTER
The Watch | Crisis Management and Strategy
03/29 0815 Morning Notes

UNCLASSIFIED U.S. Department of State Case No. F-2019-06331 Doc. No. C06852072 Date: 11/22/2019

Calls: (SBU) The Secretary spoke with DHS Secretary Nielsen. The Secretary has confirmed calls with Mr. R. Giuliani, Mr. W. McKelvey, Mr. R. Harris, Dr. G. Allison, Mr. W. Gates, Rep. Nunes (R-CA), Reverend O'Callaghan, and Treasury Secretary Mnuchin. [REDACTED]

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Algeria

(SBU) Embassy Algiers reports thousands of protesters are gathered in central Algiers. Post comments while all parties see the end of the line for President Bouteflika, it will likely take weeks for him to step down.

Thailand

(SBU) Embassy Bangkok reports the Election Commission published and subsequently rescinded general election results showing the pro-junta Palang Pracharat Party won the popular vote. Activists and multiple political parties questioned the tally. Final results are expected May 9.

Arab League

(U) At the opening of an Arab League summit in Tunis, FM Jhinaoui announced Tunisia would seek to "contain the fallout" from the U.S. recognition of Israeli sovereignty over the Golan Heights by coordinating the response of Arab countries, media report.

Briefs & Alerts

(SBU) ARMENIA: Fulbright Scholar Found After Kidnapping Concerns

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