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Washington, D.C. 20005

FOIPA Request No.: 1487359 & 1503371
Civil Action No.: 21-cv-2728
Subject: Communications, Directives, and
Meetings Related to Capitol Riots

Dear Ms. Shaw:

You were previously advised we were consulting with another government agency concerning information related to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) requests.

A portion of that information has been returned to the FBI and is enclosed. The documents were reviewed under the FOIA/FOIPA, Title 5, United States Code, Sections 552/552a. Below you will find check boxes under the appropriate statute headings which indicate the types of exemptions asserted to protect information which is exempt from disclosure. The appropriate exemptions are noted on the enclosed pages next to redacted information. The checked exemptions used to withhold information are further explained in the enclosed Explanation of Exemptions.

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29 pages were reviewed and 27 pages are being released.

- The appropriate redactions were made by the Federal Bureau of Information, Federal Emergency Management Agency and the Department of Interior.

Please refer to the enclosed FBI FOIPA Addendum for additional standard responses applicable to your request. **“Part 1”** of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. **“Part 2”** includes additional standard responses that apply to all requests for records about yourself or any third party individuals. **“Part 3”** includes general information about FBI records that you may find useful. Also enclosed is our Explanation of Exemptions.

Although your request is in litigation, we are required by law to provide you the following information:

If you are not satisfied with the Federal Bureau of Investigation's determination in response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, 441 G Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20530, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA STAR portal by creating an account following the instructions on OIP's website: <https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by emailing the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison at foipaquestions@fbi.gov. The subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified. You may also contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Please direct any further inquiries about this case to the Attorney representing the Government in this matter. Please use the FOIPA Request Number and/or Civil Action Number in all correspondence or inquiries concerning your request.



See additional information which follows.

Sincerely,



Michael G. Seidel
Section Chief
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Information Management Division

Enclosure(s)

In response to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) requests, enclosed is a processed copy of Bates-stamped documents, FBI (21-cv-2728)-42 through FBI (21-cv-2728)-44, FBI (21-cv-2728)-66 through FBI (21-cv-2728)-68, FBI (21-cv-2728)-173 through FBI (21-cv-2728)-178, FBI (21-cv-2728)-208 through FBI (21-cv-2728)-214, and FBI (21-cv-2728)-220 through FBI (21-cv-2728)-229. The enclosed documents represent the third interim release of information responsive to your requests.

Duplicate copies of the same page were not processed.

FBI FOIPA Addendum

As referenced in our letter responding to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request, the FBI FOIPA Addendum provides information applicable to your request. Part 1 of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. Part 2 includes standard responses that apply to requests for records about individuals to the extent your request seeks the listed information. Part 3 includes general information about FBI records, searches, and programs.

Part 1: The standard responses below apply to all requests:

- (i) **5 U.S.C. § 552(c).** Congress excluded three categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIPA [5 U.S.C. § 552(c)]. FBI responses are limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIPA. Additional information about the FBI and the FOIPA can be found on the www.fbi.gov/foia website.
- (ii) **Intelligence Records.** To the extent your request seeks records of intelligence sources, methods, or activities, the FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(1), (b)(3), and as applicable to requests for records about individuals, PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(1), (b)(3), and (j)(2)]. The mere acknowledgment of the existence or nonexistence of such records is itself a classified fact protected by FOIA exemption (b)(1) and/or would reveal intelligence sources, methods, or activities protected by exemption (b)(3) [50 USC § 3024(i)(1)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that any such records do or do not exist.

Part 2: The standard responses below apply to all requests for records on individuals:

- (i) **Requests for Records about any Individual—Watch Lists.** The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of any individual's name on a watch list pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that watch list records do or do not exist.
- (ii) **Requests for Records about any Individual—Witness Security Program Records.** The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records which could identify any participant in the Witness Security Program pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(3) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(3), 18 U.S.C. 3521, and (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.
- (iii) **Requests for Confidential Informant Records.** The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of confidential informant records pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(7)(D), (b)(7)(E), and (b)(7)(F) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552 (b)(7)(D), (b)(7)(E), and (b)(7)(F)] and Privacy Act exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. § 552a (j)(2)]. The mere acknowledgment of the existence or nonexistence of such records would reveal confidential informant identities and information, expose law enforcement techniques, and endanger the life or physical safety of individuals. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.

Part 3: General Information:

- (i) **Record Searches and Standard Search Policy.** The Record/Information Dissemination Section (RIDS) searches for reasonably described records by searching systems, such as the Central Records System (CRS), or locations where responsive records would reasonably be found. The CRS is an extensive system of records consisting of applicant, investigative, intelligence, personnel, administrative, and general files compiled by the FBI per its law enforcement, intelligence, and administrative functions. The CRS spans the entire FBI organization, comprising records of FBI Headquarters, FBI Field Offices, and FBI Legal Attaché Offices (Legats) worldwide; Electronic Surveillance (ELSUR) records are included in the CRS. The standard search policy is a search for main entity records in the CRS. Unless specifically requested, a standard search does not include a search for reference entity records, administrative records of previous FOIPA requests, or civil litigation files.
 - a. *Main Entity Records* – created for individuals or non-individuals who are the subjects or the focus of an investigation
 - b. *Reference Entity Records*- created for individuals or non-individuals who are associated with a case but are not known subjects or the focus of an investigation
- (ii) **FBI Records.** Founded in 1908, the FBI carries out a dual law enforcement and national security mission. As part of this dual mission, the FBI creates and maintains records on various subjects; however, the FBI does not maintain records on every person, subject, or entity.
- (iii) **Foreseeable Harm Standard.** As amended in 2016, the Freedom of Information Act provides that a federal agency may withhold responsive records only if: (1) the agency reasonably foresees that disclosure would harm an interest protected by one of the nine exemptions that FOIA enumerates, or (2) disclosure is prohibited by law (5 United States Code, Section 552(a)(8)(A)(i)). The FBI considers this foreseeable harm standard in the processing of its requests.
- (iv) **Requests for Criminal History Records or Rap Sheets.** The Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division provides Identity History Summary Checks – often referred to as a criminal history record or rap sheet. These criminal history records are not the same as material in an investigative “FBI file.” An Identity History Summary Check is a listing of information taken from fingerprint cards and documents submitted to the FBI in connection with arrests, federal employment, naturalization, or military service. For a fee, individuals can request a copy of their Identity History Summary Check. Forms and directions can be accessed at www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks. Additionally, requests can be submitted electronically at www.edo.cjis.gov. For additional information, please contact CJIS directly at (304) 625-5590.

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

From: NCR Watch Desk
Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - Sunrise Brief, 1/4/21
To: Abbate, Paul M. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: January 4, 2021 6:56 AM (UTC-05:00)
Attached: 2021-01-04+NCR+Watch+Desk+Sunrise+Brief.pdf

I. WEATHER

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II. COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS)

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Arlington	9,250	+105	183	+2
City of Alexandria	7,487	+115	88	+0
Fairfax HD	46,242	+598	701	+0
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Prince William HD	30,392	+325	299	+0
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Sources: [MDH](#), [VDH](#)

World Case and Fatality Counts

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Recoveries	No Data	No Data	47,917,002	+43,163

Source: [Johns Hopkins University](#)

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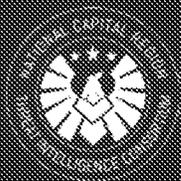
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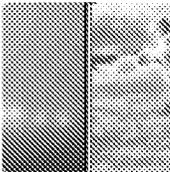
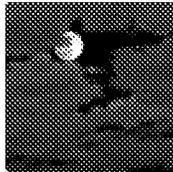
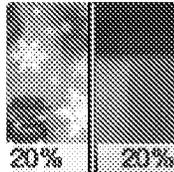


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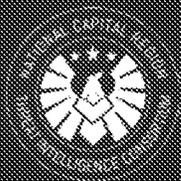
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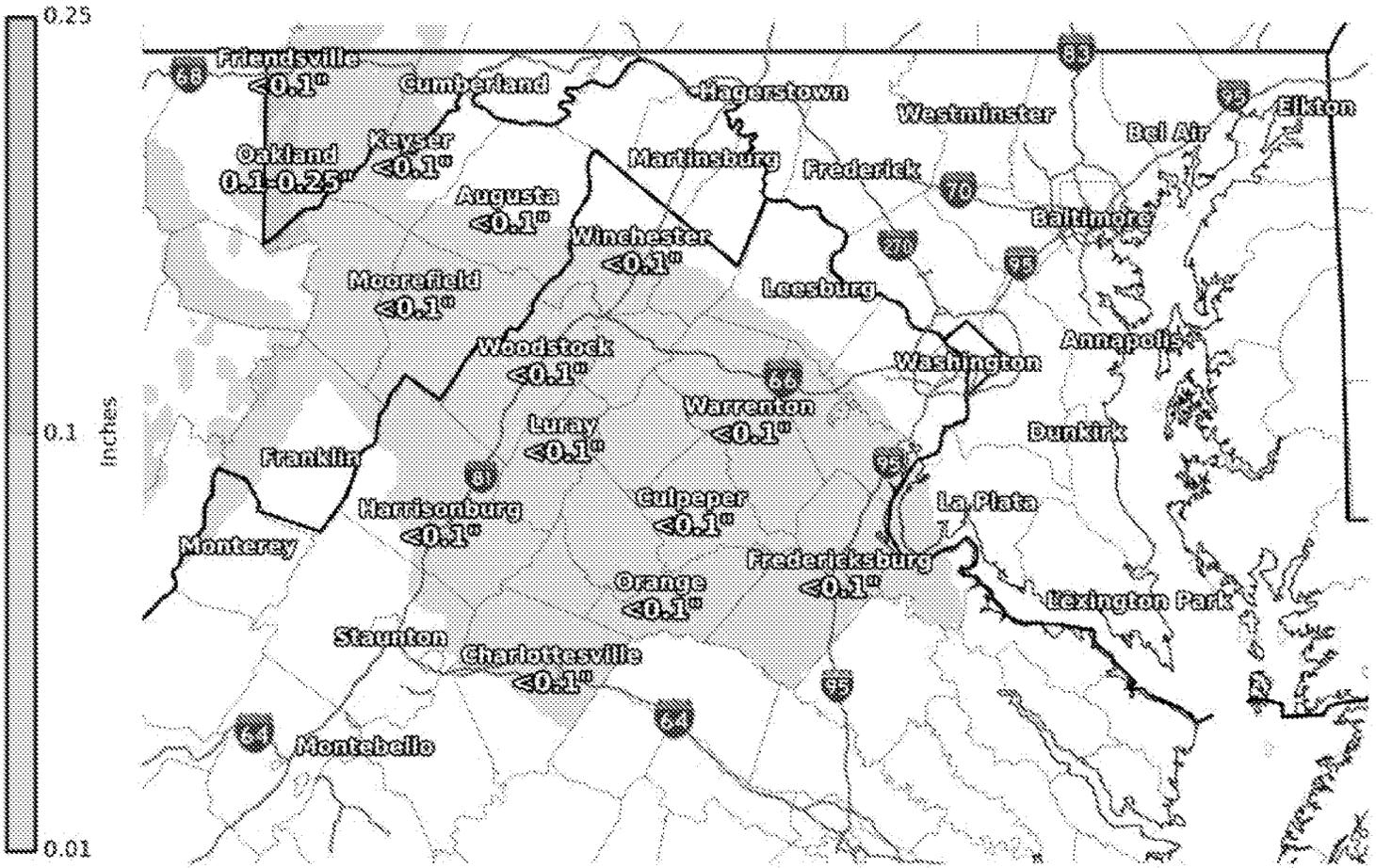


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From: NCR Watch Desk
Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - NCR Watch Desk: Situational Analysis Report (DC Civil Unrest (1/6/2021))
To: Abbate, Paul M. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: January 6, 2021 7:30 PM (UTC-05:00)
Attached: (~~U-FOUO~~)+DC+Civil+Unrest.pdf

Good evening. We are in a fluid situation as we integrate information from both official sources and open-source reporting. Our plan for these SITREPS is to share information we are receiving from our RESF partners in the Region through email, phone calls and our HSIN Chat Room. The next report will be issued in approximately 5 hours (12AM) unless the situation dictates an updated report be released prior to that time. Please reach out to us at ncric3.hsema@dc.gov if you have information to include in the next SITREP.

NCR Watch Desk

Incident Name: Civil Unrest (1/6/2021)

Situational Analysis Report #: 001

Report Date: 1/6/2021

Issue Time: 7PM

Current Situation Overview: The Capitol Building has been secured following the civil unrest at the US Capitol, later declared as a riot by DC Police. Several Capitol campus buildings were in a shelter-in-place status following a breach of the Capitol by the demonstrators, with Congress in recess since the breach. Shots were confirmed to have been fired inside the Capitol, with one reported fatality. FEMS has confirmed five transports as well as multiple officer injuries.

Current Impacts/Actions:

- Congress plans to resume the Electoral count at 8PM now that the Capitol has been secured.
- Mayor Muriel Bowser has instituted a citywide curfew for DC to begin at 6PM and last until 6AM.
- Arlington County and the City of Alexandria have instituted a curfew to begin at 6PM and last until 6AM.
- Metrorail will close at 8PM. Last trains will depart downtown transfer stations at that time. Inbound service (toward downtown) will end earlier than 8PM.
 - Metro trains continue to bypass Capitol South Metro Station.
 - Metrobus service will be suspended systemwide at 9PM.
- MEMA has activated their EOC to partial level activation as of 3:30PM in support of DC First Amendment Activities.
- Montgomery County Police Department (MCPD) currently has 1 SERT team of 20 officers deployed to the US Capitol. MCPD is working to secure the border at Friendship Heights tonight with units and is ready to deploy as necessary. Montgomery County Fire & Rescue Service currently has 4 EMS units operating in DC and a task force ready to deploy if needed.

- Fairfax, Arlington, and Alexandria Fire & Rescue departments have temporarily suspended all transports into DC hospitals.
- Per Governors Hogan and Northam, a combined 400 officers from Maryland and Virginia will be deployed in DC to provide support, as well as members of the Maryland and Virginia National Guard.

NTIC Impact Assessment

(U//FOUO) Violent demonstrations are expected to continue into tomorrow morning despite the Mayor's Order of a curfew for the District. This violence is currently focused at the US Capitol, but could spread throughout the city depending on law enforcement response. The breach of the US Capitol will likely encourage the demonstrators to continue their efforts to impact the Congressional verification of the 2020 Presidential Election whenever Congress resumes their session.

Agency Posture

EOC, JOCC and FOC are activated.



Demonstrators scale the wall of the Capitol Building

(Source: Michael Robinson Chavez / The Washington Post)



Chemical Munitions Deployed on Capitol Grounds

(Source: Leah Millis / Reuters)



Members of Congress Shelter in the House Gallery

(Source: Andrew Harnik / AP)



Guns are Drawn as Protesters Attempt to break into the Chambers

(Source: Drew Angerer/Getty Images)

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Additional Information: Please email ncric3.hsema@dc.gov with additional information to include in the next report.

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Report Date: 1/6/2021
Issue Time: 7PM

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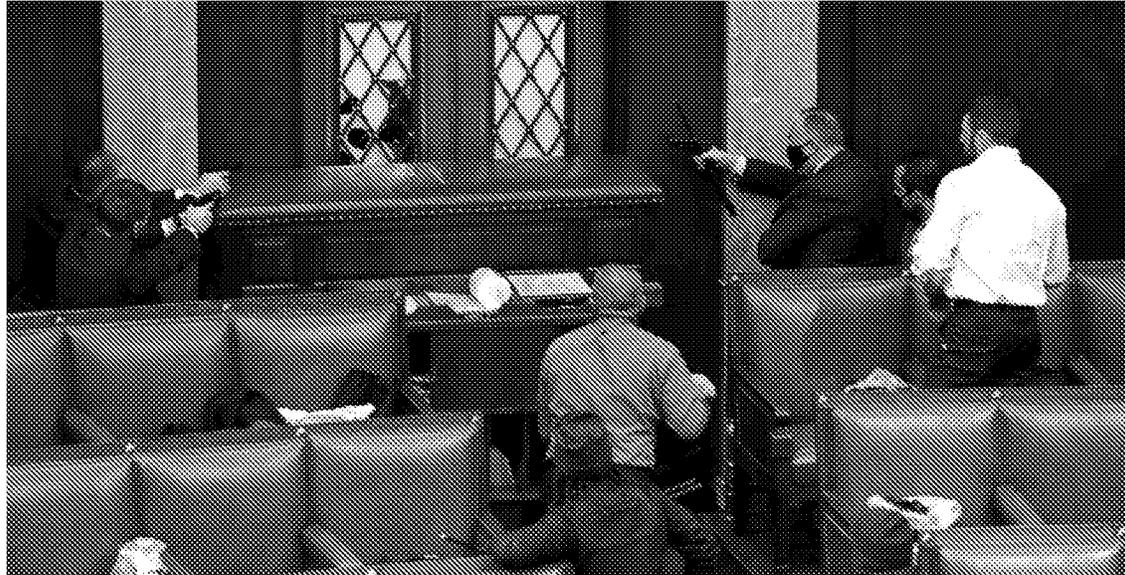


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Members of Congress Shelter in the House Gallery
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Guns are Drawn as Protesters Attempt to break into the Chambers
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To: Abbate, Paul M. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: January 7, 2021 12:57 AM (UTC-05:00)
Attached: (UNFOUO)+First+Amendment+Events+-+01_07_0100.pdf

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Situational Analysis Report #: 002

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Issue Time: 0100

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To: Abbate, Paul M. (DO) (FBI)
Sent: January 7, 2021 1:31 PM (UTC-05:00)
Attached: (U-FOUO)+SITREP+DC+Civil+Unrest+-+01-07-21+1PM+Update.pdf

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Situational Analysis Report

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Situational Analysis Report #: 003
Report Date: 1/7/2021
Issue Time: 1PM

Updates in Blue:

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- The FEMA National Watch Center (NWC) will continue to operate from Mt. Weather until further notice. The primary email, and main phone number, remain operational.
- Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (MWAA) - Two SWAT Teams deployed to the US Capitol yesterday. MWAA held all officers at the airports for the remainder of the evening yesterday. No impact to airport operations.

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- NCR airports continue to operate as normal. United Airlines and American Airlines boosted staffing at Washington-area airports and were working with law enforcement agencies to ensure the safety of travelers and crew.

District of Columbia:

- MPD arrests: 69 arrests on 1/6/2021, with the majority of those due to curfew violations and the majority of offenders were from out of state.
- MPD and USCP reported injuries: 56 officers were injured yesterday.
- The Washington Monument will be closed for today, and seven-foot anti-climb fences have been erected around the Capitol Building.

Maryland

- The SEOC was raised, and remains at a "Partial" State Activation Level (SAL) to support State and local partners during this event. The MJOC will continue to monitor and provide support to local, state, and federal partners as necessary.
- Montgomery County EOC is at Partial Activation (virtual) for COVID.

Virginia

- Governor Ralph Northam has issued a State of Emergency due to Civil Unrest in the District, and Potential Civil Unrest in the Commonwealth. The Executive Order also activated the Virginia Army National Guard to State Active Guard.
- Virginia Army National Guard - On 1/6 - Staging forces in Manassas by 0700 January 7 and providing an LNO to VSP Division 7. (we are monitoring for updates)

Overview of Northern Virginia's posture on 1/6:

- VDEM Region 7 Regional Coordination Center (RCC) Status - Partially Activated (Orange). Region VII RCC In-person staffing continued at 0800 January 7. VDEM Region VII RCC coordinated with VDEM Region II for potential transportation-related concerns as residents returned from DC
- NCR Communications Cache activated.
- Virginia State Police - On 1/6 - Deployed VSP troopers from staging area in Fairfax County. EMAC request approved.
- City of Alexandria EOC - Partially Activated.
- Arlington County - Arlington EOC is Partially Activated (Monitoring). 42 Civil Disturbance Unit (CDU) officers and 8 other officers deployed under pre-event established MOU.
- Fairfax County - 30 CDU arrived in DC. Fairfax County EOC closed as of 2100.
- City of Fairfax - EOC is Partially Activated (Monitoring).
- Loudon County - EOC is Partially Activated (Monitoring).
- Prince William County - 20 CDU have deployed to DC. Will consider additional requests as needed.
- Regional Healthcare Coordination Center (RHCC) - The RHCC is activated. Hospitals were requested to update their blood status.

Open-Source Resources and Actions

- The online investigative journalism website Bellingcat has created a spreadsheet to compile all visual materials of the breach of the Capitol Building yesterday. [The spreadsheet can be found on-line.](#)
- Facebook has announced that it will remove all photos and videos posted from the protest due to the promotion of criminal activity.

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Thanks Steve

On Jan 5, 2021 11:54 AM, "Laycock, Stephen C. (IB) (FBI)" [REDACTED] wrote:
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Latest from US Park Police Intell Unit

From: Booker, Steven <Steve_Booker@nps.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 5, 2021 11:24 AM
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Mayors Office: "to the citizens of DC - stay away:".....

Greatest fear:

DVE//Lone Wolf - Extremist/ Apocalyptic Rhetoric, location of events, world stage, political environment.... All add up to time and location being desirable for action.

Sent from my iPhone.

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Good morning Chief.

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Good morning Chief.

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I have to meet with the Deputy Director later today and was wondering if [REDACTED] b7E per DOI

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