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VIA EMAIL

Christine Monahan
 American Oversight

Dear Ms. Monahan:

Attached please find documents responsive to your public records requests for the following:

“1. All email communications (including emails, complete email chains, calendar invitations, and attachments thereto) between (a) any of the Florida Attorney General officials listed in Column A, below, and (b) any of the external parties listed in Column B, below.

| Column A: Florida Attorney General Officials | Column B: External Parties |
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| a) Ashley Moody, Attorney General, or anyone communicating on her behalf (such as an assistant or scheduler) b) Anyone serving as Chief of Staff to Attorney General Moody c) Amit Agarwal, Solicitor General | <u>State Attorneys General (including the named attorneys general and anyone communicating on their behalf, such as a Chief of Staff, assistant or scheduler):</u> i. Eric Schmitt, Missouri Attorney General, or Justin Smith, Deputy Attorney General ii. Steve Marshall, Alabama iii. Leslie Rutledge, Arkansas iv. Curtis Hill, Indiana (former) v. Derek Schmidt, Kansas vi. Jeff Landry, Louisiana vii. Lynn Fitch, Mississippi |

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| | <p>viii. Tim Fox, Montana (former)</p> <p>ix. Doug Peterson, Nebraska</p> <p>x. Wayne Stenehjem, North Dakota</p> <p>xi. Mike Hunter, Oklahoma</p> <p>xii. Alan Wilson, South Carolina</p> <p>xiii. Jason Raynsborg, South Dakota</p> <p>xiv. Herbert Slatery, Tennessee</p> <p>xv. Ken Paxton, Texas</p> <p>xvi. Sean Reyes, Utah</p> <p>xvii. Patrick Morrissey, West Virginia</p> <p><u>U.S. Department of Justice:</u></p> <p>i. Bill Barr, former Attorney General</p> <p>ii. Jeffrey Rosen, former Acting Attorney General</p> <p>iii. Will Levi, former Chief of Staff to Attorney General Barr</p> <p>iv. Rachel Bissex, former Deputy Chief of Staff to Attorney General Barr</p> <p>v. Patrick Hovakimian, Chief of Staff to former Acting Attorney General Rosen</p> <p>vi. Jeffrey Wall, former Solicitor General</p> <p>vii. Jeffrey Clark, former Acting Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division</p> |
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2. All text messages or communications on messaging applications similar in form to text messages (including, but not limited to, Signal, WhatsApp, Facebook Messenger, and Twitter direct messages) between (a) any of the Florida Attorney General officials listed in Column A, below, and (b) any of the external parties listed in Column B, below.

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3. All records reflecting the content of any meetings or calls between (a) any of the Florida Attorney General officials listed in Column A, below, and (b) any of the external parties listed in Column B, below, including, but not limited to, agendas, meeting minutes or summaries (including handwritten notes and informal email summaries), and any materials exchanged by participating parties.

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Please provide all responsive records from November 3, 2020, through January 20, 2021.”

This office has compiled the responsive non-exempt public records materials, as of the date of the requests, and has attached the records to this email for production.

This office will not be imposing any costs for time spent or copying charges incurred in compiling these documents for these requests.

The attached documents will serve to complete your public records requests to this office. Please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (850) 414-3634 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

s/ Nicholas J. Weilhammer

Nicholas J. Weilhammer

Attachments: Records

From: [Landry, Jeffrey](#)
Subject: NAAG Letter Revisions Regarding Violence
Date: Tuesday, January 12, 2021 3:46:27 PM
Attachments: [NAAG Letter Revisions Regarding Violence.pdf](#)

Dear Colleagues,

Please see my attached letter regarding the letter being circulated today on recent violence.
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Sincerely,
Jeff Landry
Louisiana Attorney General???

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Jeff Landry
Attorney General

January 12, 2021

Dear Colleagues,

Today I received the proposed letter to Acting Attorney General Rosen with a request other state Attorneys General sign and add their voices.

As former President of NAAG, I believe in finding common ground on issues. I value you as colleagues and many of you as friends. I believe in finding bipartisan solutions wherever they can be found. What unites us is truly more than what divides us as a Nation and as Attorneys General.

In this instance, however, I am deeply concerned we may be sending a message that some violence is acceptable.

We should all – collectively – decry political violence in whatever shape, form, or fashion it arises. We should be able to stand together, arm-in-arm, to say that all violence and destruction is wrong, no matter what the political motive. We should stand up and fight for the First Amendment, now more than ever, with the message that violence has no part in our Freedom of Speech.

However, over the course of the last summer, when fires were set on the White House grounds and at a church nearby, when buildings of hard working minority small business owners were burned to the ground, when windows were smashed throughout city streets, and widespread looting took place; many of my colleagues, especially those from the other Party, sat silent or tacitly approved of the burning. All of this violence and criminal activity was done in the name of a political motive - ironically, much in the name of social justice. People lost their lives, courthouses and police stations were attacked, small business people and their employees lost their incomes, and some cities were even “occupied” by armed thugs. However, there was silence from many colleagues.

Now when the same type of outrageous and misplaced violence has occurred, this time right within the heart of our Nation’s government, suddenly some of those same Attorneys General want to speak out... seemingly because they view this violence can be tied to a political party other than their own.

I would say that now is the time for all of us, as one voice, to come together and strongly decry all political violence. We should make it clear that no matter what your political ideology, your political party, or your policy goals; no violence is permissible, ever. Modern day violence cannot make up for past transgressions. Violence is not a solution. Violence only begets more violence.

We should set an example. We should rise to the occasion. If we cannot, we should all fear for the future.

Sincerely,


Jeff Landry
Louisiana Attorney General

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