Shlossman, Amy

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Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 8:51 AM
To: Chandler, Matthew
Subject: Fw: Statement

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Cc: [b](6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy
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Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:59 AM
To: Callahan, Mary Ellen; Sandweg, John; Shlossman, Amy; Colburn, Brent; Boogaard, Peter
Subject: FW: Statement

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Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy
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Just to be very clear ... they did not look at social media. They looked at traditional media reporting which may have been reporting/quoting social media. This is an important distinction.

William F. Flynn,
Acting Assistant Secretary,
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US Department of Homeland Security
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What is the violation of privacy standards?

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Subject: Re: Statement
I'm happy to talk with him, but need the talkers. Also, still think we need the pushback statement. We have included in the most recent draft that the info came from open source material.

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From: Durkovich, Caitlin 
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:16 AM 
To: Flynn, William; Spaulding, Suzanne; Boogaard, Peter; Kroloff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M 
Cc: [b](6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy 
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Again, I think we need to pick up the phone, and call Hastings. National security is his beat, but he can be provocative so we need to have a clear say of tps. Let's explain our mission, to include what FPS's role has been in OWS. 
And push back on the inaccuracies.

Caitlin Durkovich 
Chief of Staff 
National Protection and Programs Directorate U.S. Department of Homeland Security 

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Background: IP (POD division) compiles an open source report on critical infrastructure which is posted to HSIN. The contract for this service recently changed and the new contractor inappropriately conducted some "analysis" to the open source information (in this case). When it was brought to my attention the report was pulled (other steps have also been taken). However the fed staff undertook a thorough review and every source is traditional media. The report references social media resources but that was found in traditional sources. No monitoring of social media took place.

William F. Flynn 
Acting Assistant Secretary 
Office of Infrastructure Protection 
US Department of Homeland Security 

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Mr Flynn. I want to confirm that it was indeed on HSIN, and I am working that.

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Here is the link:


Please let me know if this is ok.

Bob
From: Sandweg, John
Sent: Sunday, January 01, 2012 8:06 PM
To: Shlossman, Amy; Sandweg, John
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7) (C)
Subject: Re: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

Muchas gracias

From: KROLOFF, NOAH
Sent: Sunday, January 01, 2012 08:03 PM
To: Krolloff, Noah; Shlossman, Amy; Sandweg, John
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7) (C)
Subject: Fw: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

"Occupy Movement" protest near Paso Del Norte port of entry in El Paso this afternoon (approx 80 protestors); no impact to traffic or operations; protest has concluded.

From: AGUILAR, DAVID V
To: MCALEENAN, KEVIN K.; WINKOWSKI, THOMAS
Cc: WINKOWSKI, THOMAS
Sent: Sun Jan 01 19:56:50 2012
Subject: Re: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

10-4.

Update DHS through Noah and Amy.

David

From: MCALEENAN, KEVIN K.
To: C1 BULLETS
Sent: Sun Jan 01 19:34:02 2012
Subject: Re: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

Protest now over without incident.

From: MCALEENAN, KEVIN K.
To: C1 BULLETS
Sent: Sun Jan 01 19:21:38 2012
Subject: Fw: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

FYSA, we are monitoring a minor "occupy movement" protest near Paso del Norte. No impact to traffic or operations at this time. We will provide updates as appropriate.

From: BALDWIN, JEFFREY O
To: MCALEENAN, KEVIN K.
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7) (C)
FYSA.

From: HINOJOSA, ANA
To: BALDWIN, JEFFREY O
Cc: 
Sent: Sun Jan 01 18:03:19 2012
Subject: Fw: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

FYI. We will send in more detailed information as it becomes available concerning the protest north of PDN, which is not impacting operations...yet.

From: [b] (6), (b) (7)(C)
To: HINOJOSA, ANA
Sent: Sun Jan 01 17:51:15 2012
Subject: Fw: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

Asst Port Director
El Paso Texas

From: [b] (6), (b) (7)(C)
To: [b] (6), (b) (7)(C)
Sent: Sun Jan 01 17:46:00 2012
Subject: Update #2 Protest - FW: Occupy movement protest at PDN

01/01/2012 - 15:45 Hours

- Protesters have grown to about 80 persons
- Not disruptive, not blocking traffic
- Security Guards monitoring crowd

From: [b] (6), (b) (7)(C)
Sent: Sunday, January 01, 2012 3:20 PM
To: 
Subject: Occupy movement protest at PDN
Importance: High

WC
Attached is the article from the El Paso Times.

We can only see about 5 individuals holding up home made signs and passing out flyers at the corner of El Paso and Sixth st.

Traffic has not been effected up to this point and the demonstrators have not attempted to enter the POE's footprint.

Chief CBP Officer
U.S. Customs and Border Protection
Port of El Paso, Texas
Paso Del Norte Inspection Station
1000 South El Paso Street
El Paso, Texas 79901

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Sandweg, John

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Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 7:18 AM
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If you go to the Daily Kos site, it appears that much of the social media section was
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Bob
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let me know when you have a draft. Thanks man
This is the updated statement we are working with. Still waiting for clearance.

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Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

+ Nelson.

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From: Kroloff, Noah
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 07:29 AM
To: Colburn, Brent; Boogaard, Peter; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Sandweg, John; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

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Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 10:05 PM
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Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

Concur---and Pete, (b)(5)

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From: Boogaard, Peter
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To: Callahan, Mary Ellen; Sandweg, John; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth
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Subject: RE: Michael Hastings

Concur.

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Based on all the other ongoing related issues, this seems appropriate.

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To: Sandweg, John; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

Caitlin durkovich

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From: Sandweg, John
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To: Boogaard, Peter; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings
Who in NPPD?

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I will reach out to the NPPD privacy officer to start to engage on compliance with this issue.

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Confirming with nppd leadership right now.

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I think this is pretty good. Is it accurate?

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Proposed statement. Thoughts? We may want to add in something about all of the information gathered coming from open source media.

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Mary Ellen Callahan  
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Work: [b](6)  
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Subject: FW: Statement  

MEC--if accurate, why would this violate DHS's privacy standards?

-----Original Message-----  
From: Flynn, William  
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 8:50 AM  
To: Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Kroloff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
Cc: [b](6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy  
Subject: RE: Statement  

Just to be very clear ... they did not look at social media. They looked at traditional media reporting which may have been reporting/quoting social media. This is an important distinction.

William F. Flynn,  
Acting Assistant Secretary,  
Office of Infrastructure Protection  
US Department of Homeland Security  
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----- Original Message -----
From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 8:25 AM
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Flynn, William; Krolhoff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M
Cc: Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy
Subject: Re: Statement

What is the violation of privacy standards?

----- Original Message -----
From: Spaulding, Suzanne
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:24 AM
To: Boogaard, Peter; Durkovich, Caitlin; Flynn, William; Krolhoff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M
Cc: Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy
Subject: Re: Statement

Most recent statement is attached.

----- Original Message -----
From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:19 AM
To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Flynn, William; Spaulding, Suzanne; Krolhoff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M
Cc: Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy
Subject: Re: Statement
----- Original Message -----  
From: Durkovich, Caitlin  
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:16 AM  
To: Flynn, William; Spaulding, Suzanne; Boogaard, Peter; Krolöff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
Cc: [redacted] Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy  
Subject: Re: Statement

Caitlin Durkovich  
Chief of Staff  
National Protection and Programs Directorate U.S. Department of Homeland Security  

----- Original Message -----  
From: Flynn, William  
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:08 AM  
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Boogaard, Peter; Krolloff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
Cc: [redacted] Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy  
Subject: Re: Statement

Background: IP (POD division) compiles an open source report on critical infrastructure which is posted to HSIN. The contract for this service recently changed and the new contractor inappropriately conducted some "analysis" to the open source information (in this case). When it was brought to my attention the report was pulled (other steps have also been taken). However the fed staff undertook a thorough review and every source is traditional media. The report references social media resources but that was found in traditional sources. No monitoring of social media took place.

William F. Flynn  
 Acting Assistant Secretary  
 Office of Infrastructure Protection  
 US Department of Homeland Security  

----- Original Message -----  
From: Spaulding, Suzanne  
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 06:47 AM
To: Boogaard, Peter; Krollof, Noah; Sandweg, John; Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M
Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy
Subject: Re: Statement

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 11:15 PM 
To: Krollof, Noah; Sandweg, John; Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M 
Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy 
Subject: Re: Statement

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Where r we on this

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Sandweg, John 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 11:12 PM 
To: Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M 
Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Krollof, Noah; Shlossman, Amy 
Subject: Re: Statement

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Definitely think that the more we can push back on any inaccuracies the better.

That said, assuming he isn't going to pull down the blog post, with other similar privacy related issues out there, we need a clear statement that explains that this report was drafted in violation of our privacy standards.

+ Noah and Amy.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 10:26 PM 
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M 
Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Sandweg, John; Callahan, Mary Ellen 
Subject: Re: Statement

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Also looping MEC.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 10:19 PM 
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
Cc: [redacted] Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Sandweg, John  
Subject: Re: Statement 

Looping Sandweg and Grossman. I think we need to move forward with the statement we proposed.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Spaulding, Suzanne 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 10:04 PM 
To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
Cc: [redacted] Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David  
Subject: Re: Statement 

DUS Spaulding is out of her speaking engagement and is going to review report, blog and statement. 

Caitlin Durkovich 
Chief of Staff  
National Protection and Programs Directorate U.S. Department of Homeland Security 

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:24 PM 
To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne  
Cc: [redacted] Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David  
Subject: Re: Statement 

Can you confirm that this accurate?

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:07 PM 
To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne  
Cc: [redacted] Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David
Subject: Re: Statement

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Durkovich, Caitlin 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:03 PM 
To: Boogaard, Peter; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne 
Cc: [redacted] 
Subject: RE: Statement 

If anything, I think we should consider calling Hastings and help him understand our mission.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 8:55 PM 
To: Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M; Durkovich, Caitlin; Spaulding, Suzanne 
Cc: [redacted] 
Subject: Re: Statement 

Couple changes.

Is this accurate? Our FO likes this approach. If there are different opinions, let me know.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Beland, Michael 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 08:35 PM 
To: Davis, Robert M; Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne 
Cc: [redacted] 
Subject: Re: Statement
We are still working the dates, but, based upon the document and our recollection, it was posted to hsin and one cannot access the materials on hsin without a password. Once we get the dates, we’ll pass them along, but that may not be before you push this out.

Michael Beland
Chief of Staff
Office of Infrastructure Protection
National Protection and Programs Directorate U.S. Department of Homeland Security

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Davis, Robert M 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 08:20 PM 
To: Beland, Michael; Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne 
Cc:  
Subject: Re: Statement 

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----- Original Message ----- 
From: Beland, Michael 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:55 PM 
To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne 
Cc:  
Subject: Re: Statement 

+ Mr Flynn. I want to confirm that it was indeed on HSIN, and I am working that.

Michael Beland
Chief of Staff
Office of Infrastructure Protection
National Protection and Programs Directorate U.S. Department of Homeland Security

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Durkovich, Caitlin 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:52 PM 
To: Boogaard, Peter; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne; Beland, Michael 
Cc:  
Subject: RE: Statement 

Can we get the link to the blog post? Need to understand the context. 

-----Original Message-----
From: Boogaard, Peter  
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 7:50 PM  
To: Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne; Beland, Michael 
Cc: [b](6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Durkovich, Caitlin 
Subject: Re: Statement 

If we are going this route, we need to push back stronger. We never approved of this approach and the individuals who published it did so without approval from NPPD leadership.

----- Original Message -----  
From: Davis, Robert M  
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:48 PM  
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Beland, Michael  
Cc: [b](6) Boogaard, Peter; Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Durkovich, Caitlin 
Subject: Re: Statement  

Suzanne and Mike,

Rolling Stone has posted a blog with a link to a document with the DHS seal and NPPD/Ip markings that was posted to HSIN without approval. Here is the draft statement I would like to send to OPN asap.

Here is the link:


Please let me know if this is ok.

Bob

----- Original Message -----  
From: Boogaard, Peter  
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:31 PM  
To: Davis, Robert M  
Subject: Statement  

let me know when you have a draft. Thanks man
From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 1:10 PM
To: Kroloff, Noah; Sandweg, John
Subject: Re: Where are we on stmtt?

Finally got hold of clark. Won't release unless we get asked, but they are comfortable with the statement below. If either or you have addition changes, please let me know.

Thanks and sorry for the delay.

----- Original Message -----
From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 12:35 PM
To: Kroloff, Noah; Sandweg, John
Subject: Re: Where are we on stmtt?

Yes. Been waiting for wh to sign off. Let me know if you have concerns. We haven't gotten any followups at this point.

Congress requires DHS' National Operations Center (NOC) "to provide situational awareness and establish a common operating picture for the entire federal government and for state, local, and tribal governments as appropriate, in the event of a natural disaster or terrorist attack and ensure that critical terrorism and disaster-related information reaches government decision-makers." Under this requirement, the NOC monitors social media only for situational awareness purposes during times of crisis, such as a terrorist attack or earthquake.

----- Original Message -----  
From: Kroloff, Noah
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 12:33 PM
To: Sandweg, John; Boogaard, Peter
Subject: Re: Where are we on stmtt?

Did u and MEC ever call npdp together?

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Sandweg, John
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 12:31 PM
To: Boogaard, Peter
Cc: Kroloff, Noah
Subject: Where are we on stmt?
Interesting. Thx.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Callahan, Mary Ellen
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 07:46 PM
To: Kroloff, Noah; john.sandweg
Subject: Fw: statement -- smaller group -- New Hastings Statement

Mary Ellen Callahan
Chief Privacy Officer
Department of Homeland Security
Work: (b)(6)
Cell: (b)(6)

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Flynn, William
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 07:32 PM
To: Callahan, Mary Ellen; Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin
Cc: Davis, Robert M; Colburn, Brent
Subject: RE: statement -- smaller group -- New Hastings Statement

We have no insight into why Stratfor was mentioned or if they somehow obtained a copy. Records indicate that they do not have a hsin account.

William F. Flynn,
Acting Assistant Secretary,
Office of Infrastructure Protection
US Department of Homeland Security

-----Original Message----- 
From: Callahan, Mary Ellen
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 7:29 PM
To: Flynn, William; Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin
Cc: Davis, Robert M; Colburn, Brent
Subject: Re: statement -- smaller group -- New Hastings Statement

Do you know why Stratfor is mentioned below?
No, Stratfor was not the contractor. The document was posted on HSIN. I don’t know how Stratfor may have obtained a copy but it’s plausible.

William F. Flynn,
Acting Assistant Secretary,
Office of Infrastructure Protection
US Department of Homeland Security

-----Original Message-----
From: Callahan, Mary Ellen
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 6:43 PM
To: Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin
Cc: Davis, Robert M; Colburn, Brent
Subject: statement -- smaller group -- New Hastings Statement

Bill, was stratfor the contractor who wrote the doc? If so, they were the ones hacked, not hsin. See below.

Rolling Stone contributing editor Michael Hastings tells Cenk how the Department of Homeland Security monitored Occupy Wall Street activists, according to emails from private intelligence contractor Stratfor that were released by Wikileaks. Hastings asks, "Do we want our taxpayer dollars going to the government monitoring what should be a natural part of the democratic process?"
Location: United States
Computer hackers are avenging the Occupy movement by exposing the personal information of police officers who evicted protesters and are threatening family-values advocates who led a boycott of an American Muslim television show.

In three Internet postings last week, hackers from the loose online coalition called Anonymous published the personal information of thousands of law enforcement officers all over the country.

One hacker posted the email and physical addresses, phone numbers and encrypted passwords of more than 2,400 police officers and corporate security executives. The targeted police officers and security personnel were members of the Coalition of Law Enforcement and Retail (CLEAR), a nonprofit group that promotes cooperation between local police forces and retail corporations throughout the United States.
Another hacker struck the website of the Florida Family Association. In an Internet posting, he told the family association he was reading its email, and he published email addresses and partial credit-card information of two dozen or so of the group’s supporters.

A third hacker posted 18,000 emails, names and passwords of customers from Specialforces.com, a website that sells military-style clothing and weapon accessories. A brief review suggested that many of the customers might be police officers or military personnel and identifiable as such by their emails.

**Traditional Media Sources** (some page content may change or not be available over time):
- Washington Times

Operations Analyst
DHS NOC Media Monitoring
Phone: (b) (6)
Cell: (b) (6)
Boogaard, Peter

From: Boogaard, Peter  
Sent: Monday, May 07, 2012 9:12 AM  
To: Boogaard, Peter  
Subject: RE: Publishing for Flight Attendants

yep

From: (b) (6)  
Sent: Monday, May 07, 2012 9:11 AM  
To: Boogaard, Peter  
Subject: FW: Publishing for Flight Attendants

Are you good with this? I think it's fine

From: (b) (6)  
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2012 4:58 PM  
To: (b) (6)  
Cc: SMITH, LAUREL  
Subject: FW: Publishing for Flight Attendants

Laurel is checking with her field folks, but is the below article still ok from the OPA perspective? (b) (6) called Laurel and said they would like to re-use this e-news article for the magazine. Thanks!

From: Susanne Lowen [mailto:(b) (6)]  
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2012 9:58 AM  
To: SMITH, LAUREL; (b) (6)  
Subject: Publishing for Flight Attendants

(b) (6) Laurel,

We are preparing to publish our membership magazine, Flightlog, and would like to run an article on the Blue Lightening campaign. We could run something similar to the article that appeared in our e-newsletter below. Is there any new information that we might add at this point in time? Also, are you still interested in input from our AFA Air Safety, Health and Security Department on the training video for Flight Attendants? I would very much like to mention this collaboration in the article, if possible. Thank you for all of your important work.

Susanne

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Susanne Lowen
Moving Our Contracts Forward

PSA
PSA Flight Attendants ratified a five-year agreement on March 27 that includes pay increases and quality of life enhancements for the over 300 Flight Attendants.
Press Release

Hawaiian
Utilizing a Facilitated Problem Solving approach to negotiations through the National Mediation Board (NMB), the AFA Hawaiian Negotiating Committee was able to quickly reach a tentative agreement with management on March 12 that recognizes the contributions of the over 1,200 Flight Attendants. The tentative agreement, which would run through December 31, 2016, includes annual increases in rates of pay as well as improvements in per diem, uniform allowance and pension contribution. It was recommended unanimously by the AFA Hawaiian MEC for ratification by the membership. Ballots will be counted on April 18.
Press Release

US Airways
Flight Attendants from the pre-merger airlines, US Airways and former America West, voted against a tentative agreement offered by US Airways management on March 30. Ninety percent of the combined
6,700 Flight Attendants participated in the voting process. They sent an unequivocal message that their sacrifices must be recognized and that they will participate in the benefits of the merger. After five years of stalling and roadblocks by management, the Joint Negotiating Committee (JNC) delivered a tentative agreement that gave members a chance to voice their position directly to management. AFA leadership will meet next week to set in motion a plan that maximizes the leverage created by an engaged, unified workforce.

Press Release

Mesaba
Pinnacle Airlines, which merged with Mesaba Airlines in January, filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy reorganization. As the certified representative for Mesaba Flight Attendants, AFA will use its standing to participate in the bankruptcy process and ensure that the Flight Attendants' rights are protected throughout Pinnacle's restructuring.

Press Release

Spirit
On March 9, Spirit Flight Attendants officially asked the NMB to declare that negotiations are at an impasse and requested a proffer of arbitration, a step required by the Railway Labor Act prior to a 30-day "cooling off" period. This period leads to a strike deadline which often encourages focused negotiations. In October, Spirit Flight Attendants overwhelmingly authorized a strike by 98.4 percent should management fail to negotiate a new contract. With AFA's trademarked strike strategy, CHAOS™ or Create Havoc Around Our System™, a strike can affect the entire system or a single flight. The union decides when, where and how to strike without notice to management or passengers.

Press Release

American Eagle
American Airlines' bankruptcy is affecting the American Eagle Flight Attendants and their negotiations. American Eagle Flight Attendants are outraged that, under the cloak of bankruptcy, management is attacking their contract even though American Eagle is a profitable subsidiary of AMR. Just prior to the AMR bankruptcy filing, American Eagle Flight Attendants were negotiating for a new contract and management had already agreed to significant quality of life improvements. AFA continues to vigorously oppose unnecessary concessions and is working to minimize the impact of Chapter 11 on Flight Attendants.

American Eagle Picketing Events: April 10 (DFW) and April 12 (ORD). For more information, check www.aфаеagle.com.
When a flying partner shows signs of the need for professional assistance, there's a confidential way to help them before safety is jeopardized: AFA Professional Standards, a service of the AFA Employee Assistance Program (EAP). AFA Professional Standards not only assists Flight Attendants in resolving conflicts with co-workers in a confidential manner, but also enables you to refer a coworker who may be unaware of changes in her/his well-being.

Through the AFA EAP global network of over 200 professionally-trained peer support volunteers overseen by mental health professionals, AFA EAP provides resources to Flight Attendants around the world for resolving problems. A group of Continental Micronesia (CMI) Flight Attendants based in Guam recently received EAP training, increasing the ranks of AFA EAP volunteers.

As part of ensuring that their members have full access to EAP services, the new AFA leaders at CMI are coordinating an opportunity for management to learn about AFA EAP as well. AFA EAP Director Heather Healy will introduce CMI management representatives to the history, mission and range of AFA EAP services and will discuss how managers can assist Flight Attendants through AFA EAP. Heather will also be engaged in identifying EAP-related resources that are available in Guam, where the nearly 300 CMI Flight Attendants are based.

In addition to Professional Standards, helping members access appropriate health care around mental health issues, and responding to critical incidents, AFA EAP is constantly evolving to meet the needs of Flight Attendants in a changing industry. AFA EAP has developed the first occupational-specific alcohol screening tool and is currently working to develop the first occupational-specific drug screening tool. To create this screening instrument, input from as many Flight Attendants as possible is needed. Please watch for a survey in early April. It will only take five minutes and your responses are anonymous.

Strongly committed to the health, safety and well-being of AFA members, AFA EAP provides confidential support to Flight Attendants, their family members and partners with any concerns on or off the job. For confidential AFA EAP assistance, call 1-800-424-2406.

Rising to Reclaim Our Country: The 99%
Spring
Massive job loss. Home foreclosures. Children in poverty. This is increasingly the face of our country. Join Flight Attendants as part of the 99% standing up to the minority of people responsible for the deepening pain of the American people.

Inspired by Occupy Wall Street and the fight for workers in Madison, Wisconsin, this spring, the 99% will confront the rampant greed and deliberate manipulation of our democracy and our economy by the 1%.

From April 9-15, 100,000 activists will be trained to tell the story of what happened to our economy, learn the history of non-violent direct action, and get the tools to take action for change. Connecting with activists
within our local communities will strengthen our own campaigns and actions.

By embracing the principles of direct action, The 99% Spring movement will mobilize communities across America to have a lasting impact. Learn how to join together in the work of reclaiming our country through sustained non-violent action. Sign up for a local training near you and spread the word.

CWA-Recommended Trainings

Be a 'Force Multiplier' in the Fight Against Human Trafficking

Within a global struggle to combat a problem of epidemic proportions, Flight Attendants can play a key role in the fight against human trafficking. In a recent meeting between AFA International President Veda Shook and Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Secretary Janet Napolitano concerning aviation security issues, Secretary Napolitano invited AFA to participate in an initiative to involve aviation employees in the fight against human trafficking. The DHS Customs and Border Protection's "Blue Lightning" initiative provides a voluntary mechanism to identify potential human trafficking victims and to notify federal authorities for front line workers at U.S. commercial airlines that operate U.S.-bound international routes.

"We like to talk about 'boots on the ground'," said Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Acting Commissioner David V. Aguilar. "Flight Attendants and airline employees will be the 'boots in the air' fighting human trafficking." Human trafficking is a modern-day form of slavery. It is defined as:

- the recruitment, harboring, transport, provision or obtaining of a person by force, fraud, or coercion for the purpose of involuntary servitude, peonage, debt bondage, or slavery; or
- Sex trafficking, in which a commercial sex act is induced by force fraud or coercion—or the person induced to perform such acts is under age 18.

It is estimated that at least 12.3 million adults and children are enslaved around the world and that 56 percent are women and girls. The International Labor Organization (ILO) estimated that in 2005, 980,000 to 1,225,000 boys and girls were in forced labor situations as a result of trafficking. In 2000, Congress passed the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act, which launched a large-scale effort by the U.S. government to fight human trafficking.

In 2010, Secretary Napolitano launched the Blue Campaign—a first-of-its-kind initiative to coordinate and enhance the Department's anti-human trafficking efforts. The components of the Department of Homeland Security combat human trafficking through a variety of programs, and the Blue Campaign coordinates and unites this work.

The 'Blue Lightning Initiative' is coordinated as part of the Blue Campaign by CBP in collaboration with the Department of Transportation. The key to the success of this initiative, however, is the participation of the frontline workers in the airline industry.

As Flight Attendants, we are uniquely positioned to identify human traffickers and assist their victims. Flight crews are skilled observers, and with the appropriate training, they can be the frontline against trafficking, according to CBP. Indicators of human trafficking can include: physical control of travel documents of an adult traveler by a co-traveler; restricting the movement and social interaction of an adult traveler by a co-traveler; an adult traveler who is unclear on details of his/her final destination or point of contact; or a child traveler who appears to be accompanied by someone claiming to be the parent or guardian who is in fact not related to the child. Blue Lightning will roll out a training program in

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CWA-Recommended Training
2012 tailored for Flight Attendants who do U.S.-bound international flying, which will be available through AFA and participating airlines.

In-flight notification gives authorities time to investigate and formulate an appropriate response, which may include coordination with other federal agencies. With the appropriate training, Flight Attendants can become a 'force multiplier' in the fight against trafficking.

To Learn More About Human Trafficking
• Go to: www.dhs.gov/humantrafficking
• Take the DHS General Awareness Training

To Report Human Trafficking*
If you suspect a case of human trafficking:
• Call toll-free (866) 347-2423 from anywhere in the U.S., Mexico, and Canada.
• Call (802) 872-6199 (not toll-free) from any country in the world.
• Report the tip online at www.ice.gov/tips.
• Follow your airline's reporting policy and procedure, including using cockpit communications or other methods as part of the Blue Lightning Initiative.

* Please identify your tip as a Blue Lightning Initiative (BLI) report.

Flight Attendant Leaves Legacy to her Profession
Pre-merger Northwest Flight Attendant Diane Seward, who dedicated a 25-year career to flying and serving at times as an AFA elected leader, drew up her will on September 12, 2001, the day after the devastating attacks that forever changed the world. Although not an AFA member at the time, we infer that Diane was compelled by those events to take action in defense of the profession she loved when she named AFA as a beneficiary in her will. Diane passed away on January 26, 2012. We extend our deepest sympathy to Diane's family and friends. While her estate has not yet been settled, we will direct whatever funds are received to fulfill Diane's wishes.
Diane's Story

AFA's Negotiations Update page features a summary of negotiations or a statement of contract status at each AFA carrier.

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Susanne Lowen
AFA Sr. Writer/Editor
(b) (6)
Boogaard, Peter

From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2012 3:41 PM
To: Chiaramonte, Perry
Subject: RE: MEDIA INQUIRY: FOXNEWS.COM

Perry,

Off the record, FBI is the lead on this issue and you should discuss with them. Also, we haven't seen any intel to support this claim.

From: Chiaramonte, Perry [mailto:] (6)
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2012 12:26 PM
To: Peter.boogaard[6]
Subject: MEDIA INQUIRY: FOXNEWS.COM
Importance: High

Mr. Boogaard,

Perry Chiaramonte with FoxNews.com. I was referred to you by Mike Levine at our DC bureau. I'm currently writing up a story on the failed bomb plot in Cleveland. Reports have surfaced that the five men involved were involved in the local Occupy Wall Street movement. I want to ask if The Department is on the alert for more possible terroristic threats and attempts from people associated with Occupy. Being that it's such a loosely organized movement, is the raised concern that there might be more rogue protesters looking to incite violence or destruction. Any help would greatly be appreciated.

Perry Chiaramonte
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Boogaard, Peter

From: Boogaard, Peter  
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2012 10:34 PM  
To: Chandler, Matthew; Boogaard, Peter  

I did not.

From: Chandler, Matthew  
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2012 10:32 PM  
To: Boogaard, Peter; Boogaard, Peter  

Did anyone receive any incoming from the Caller?

From:  
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2012 10:30 PM  
To: Chandler, Matthew; Boogaard, Peter; Boogaard, Peter  

This is interesting... Just posted


-Matthew Boyle

May 1

A staffer for President Barack Obama’s Department of Homeland Security is praising the left-wing “May Day” protests. On Tuesday evening, Nate Snyder, the special adviser to Homeland Security Secretary Janet Napolitano for “Community Partnership and Strategic Engagement,” tweeted “Happy May Day! #solidarity.”

Snyder has his current Homeland Security post since March 2011, according to his LinkedIn page. He was previously the department’s Deputy White House Liaison. Before joining the Obama administration, Snyder worked for the Service Employees International Union, and for Obama’s 2008 presidential campaign.

May Day is a day on which socialist party faithful and labor unions have traditionally held massive anti-capitalist protests, and on Tuesday some liberal organizers used the occasion to rekindle the Occupy Wall Street movement’s flames.

After a winter during which the Occupy movement appeared to have died off, organizers are trying to give it new life this spring by holding protests alongside traditional May Day protests.

This week Occupy organizers have been tied to sending letters containing white powder to executives at News Corporation — the parent company of Fox News and The Wall Street Journal — and Citicorp.

There have also been suspicions — despite vehement denials from movement leaders — that Occupy activists were involved in a failed plot to blow up a bridge in Cleveland, Ohio. FBI agents foiled the alleged plot by inserting an informant into the gang, and arrested five suspects on Tuesday.
White House spokesman Eric Schultz did not immediately respond when The Daily Caller asked him if the administration shares Snyder’s support for May Day, nor did two different DHS spokespersons.

Although he is a government official, Snyder qualified his comment — along with all his tweets — by posting at the top of his Twitter account: “Opinions expressed are my own.”
Haven't used. Don't plan to. Happy to discuss.

Pete,
Have we used this statement yet? There is still considerable angst over here about this so if we end up not using it that would be a good thing. Please keep me and [redacted] posted.
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Bob

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Occupy Wall Street activists are up in arms over a new report describing Homeland Security officials monitoring Occupy demonstrations, but a closer look reveals much ado about nothing.

The government paranoia machine took off last night after *Rolling Stone* contributor Michael Hastings published an exclusive on e-mails obtained from the global intelligence firm Stratfor via WikiLeaks. In his ominous appraisal of a Department of Homeland Security document, he notes that DHS officials read "OWS-related Twitter feeds" and other "publicly available sources" to keep tabs on the movement. "The government has a long and disturbing history of justifying the curtailing of civil liberties under the cover of perceived, and often manufactured, threats," he wrote. The article passed quickly through the Occupy information bloodstream.

"The DHS document appears to be more concerned with protecting the mechanisms of the financial sector than in ensuring the safety of citizens who are exercising their First Amendment rights," wrote Allison Kilkenny in Truthout. "The suppression of Occupy is nothing less than an attack on those who would try to exercises their civil liberties, their rights and seek to energize democracy," wrote Fire Dog Lake's Kevin Gosztola. The article was re-blogged across scores of Occupy tumblers including Anticapitalist, Occupy All Streets and #Occupy Wall Street.

On Current TV last night, host Cenk Uygur blasted the agency for focusing exclusively on Occupy Wall Street. "The Tea Party... that happens to be pro-corporate America is not anywhere to be found here [but] when Occupy Wall Street is not pro-corporate America, all of a sudden, they need to be investigated by the Department of Homeland Security." Of course, the Tea Party has also been observed by DHS but that's beside the point.

Is DHS really curtailing the rights of Occupiers? Outside of reading newspapers and Twitter about Occupy events, the report is merely a summary of the movement and an assessment of what dangers it may pose. As one line reads:

"Mass gatherings associated with public protest movements can have disruptive effects on transportation, commercial, and government services, especially when staged in major metropolitan areas. Large scale demonstrations also carry the potential for violence, presenting a significant challenge for law enforcement."
The report even acknowledges the peaceful nature of the movement. According to Hastings "The most ominous aspect of the report, however, comes in its final paragraph." He pastes this passage from the report:

The growing support for the OWS movement has expanded the protests’ impact and increased the potential for violence. While the peaceful nature of the protests has served so far to mitigate their impact, larger numbers and support from groups such as Anonymous substantially increase the risk for potential incidents and enhance the potential security risk to critical infrastructure (CI). The continued expansion of these protests also places an increasingly heavy burden on law enforcement and movement organizers to control protesters. As the primary target of the demonstrations, financial services stands the sector most impacted by the OWS protests. Due to the location of the protests in major metropolitan areas, heightened and continuous situational awareness for security personnel across all CI sectors is encouraged.

Perhaps Homeland Security's fear of the movement is exaggerated but this summary merely reads like a worst-case-scenario research document compiled from publicly available sources. Could Occupy protesters pose a risk to "critical infrastructure"? Sure. So could scores of Justin Bieber fans. In any event, it's not a breach of civil liberties to draw up such a document. Mostly, it shows how boring it must be to work at DHS, scheming up scenarios that are probably never going to happen.
Yes, we are aware.

Peter---Assuming you are aware of this but sending it along regardless.

I just received this link from a colleague at I&A. Apparently NPPD drafted a report on OWS that has now been leaked on wikileaks. The link is to the article not to wikileaks. Also, I have attached the 5-page report to which RS refers.

Obviously, this did not come before PRIV for review as it is a NPPD product. I&A is not very happy (me too) after all that we did to make sure I&A and the fusion centers didn’t create any reports like this.


Scott
J. Scott Mathews, CIPP, Senior Privacy Analyst for Intelligence
Privacy Office, Department of Homeland Security
Tel: (b) (6)  HSDN: (b) (6)
Yes, but don’t send it out unless we discuss first. WH doesn’t want us to react unless we get more requests.

From: Davis, Robert M
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 3:06 PM
To: Boogaard, Peter; [b] [6]
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To: Davis, Robert M; [b] [6]
Subject: Re: statement -- smaller group

It is the last one on this chain.

From: Davis, Robert M
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 02:49 PM
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Thanks and sorry for the delay.

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MEC says it would be more accurate to say they were "outside the scope of their authority"

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Subject: FW: Statement

MEC--if accurate, why would this violate DHS's privacy standards?

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Just to be very clear ... they did not look at social media. They looked at traditional media reporting which may have been reporting/ quoting social media. This is an important distinction.

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To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
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Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:55 PM  
To: Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne  
Cc:  
Subject: Re: Statement  

+ Mr Flynn. I want to confirm that it was indeed on HSIN, and I am working that.

Michael Beland  
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From: Durkovich, Caitlin  
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:52 PM  
To: Boogaard, Peter; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne; Beland, Michael  
Cc:  
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Can we get the link to the blog post? Need to understand the context.

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Subject: Re: Statement

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Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 07:48 PM
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Beland, Michael
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Subject: Re: Statement

Suzanne and Mike,

Rolling Stone has posted a blog with a link to a document with the OHS seal and nppd/ ip markings that was posted to HSIN without approval. Here is the draft statement I would like to send to opa asap.

Here is the link:


Please let me know if this is ok.

Bob

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let me know when you have a draft. Thanks man
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Point taken, please push this out soon. It is important.

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How about this?

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Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David  
Subject: Re: Statement  

(b)(5)
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Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:43 PM  
To: Boogaard, Peter; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M; Spaulding, Suzanne  
Cc: Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David  
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Caitlin Durkovich
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Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 08:28 PM  
To: Beland, Michael; Durkovich, Caitlin; Boogaard, Peter; Spaulding, Suzanne  
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Bob
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To: Davis, Robert M 
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let me know when you have a draft. Thanks man
I’m happy to talk with him, but need the talkers. Also, still think we need the pushback statement. We have included in the most recent draft that the info came from open source material.

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Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:26 AM  
To: Flynn, William; Spaulding, Suzanne; Boogaard, Peter; Kroloff, Noah; Sandweg, John; Beland, Michael; Davis, Robert M  
Cc: (b)(6) Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Shlossman, Amy  
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Background: IP (POD division) compiles an open source report on critical infrastructure which is posted to HSIN. The contract for this service recently changed and the new contractor inappropriately conducted some “analysis” to the open source information (in this case). When it was brought to my attention the report was pulled (other steps have also been taken). However the fed staff undertook a thorough review and every source is traditional media. The report references social media resources but that was found in traditional sources. No monitoring of social media took place.

William F. Flynn
Acting Assistant Secretary
Office of Infrastructure Protection
US Department of Homeland Security
Based on his review and facts presented to him at the time, Bill Flynn does not believe the report in fact reflects folks having scoured the OWS twitter feeds or otherwise accessing social media in violation of privacy standards. He is double-checking to confirm.

Plan is to push back on the inaccuracies and issue the statement, but we are waiting on the WH.

Definitely think that the more we can push back on any inaccuracies the better.

That said, assuming he isn't going to pull down the blog post, with other similar privacy related issues out there, we need a clear statement that explains that this report was drafted in violation of our privacy standards.
Also looping MEC.

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In statements to press recently?

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From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:09 AM
To: Boogaard, Peter; Chandler, Matthew; Colburn, Brent
Subject: RE: Hastings

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Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 08:06 AM
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To: (b) (6)
Cc: Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew
Subject: Re: Hastings

Any updates?

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To: (b) (6)
Cc: Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew
Subject: Re: Hastings

No.

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Boogaard, Peter

From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 7:41 AM
To: Sandweg, John; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth; Peacock, Nelson
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

This is the updated statement we are working with. Still waiting for clearance.

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From: Sandweg, John
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 07:35 AM
To: Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Boogaard, Peter; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth; Peacock, Nelson
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

+ Nelson.

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From: Kroloff, Noah
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 07:29 AM
To: Colburn, Brent; Boogaard, Peter; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Sandweg, John; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

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From: Colburn, Brent 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 10:05 PM 
To: Boogaard, Peter; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Sandweg, John; Kroloff, Noah; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth 
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Concur—and Pete, WH Comms is good with this response too, right?

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Thanks.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Callahan, Mary Ellen 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:58 PM 
To: Sandweg, John; Boogaard, Peter; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth 
Subject: RE: Michael Hastings 

Concur.

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From: Sandweg, John 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:57 PM 
To: Boogaard, Peter; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth 
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings 

Based on all the other ongoing related issues, this seems appropriate.

----- Original Message ----- 
From: Boogaard, Peter 
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 09:40 PM 
To: Sandweg, John; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Grossman, Seth 
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Caitlin durkovich

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Subject: Re: Michael Hastings
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Nppd says it is accurate, but has concerns we are over reacting. I disagree, but wanted to make sure others didn’t have a similar opinion.

Final statement is below.

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To: Callahan, Mary Ellen; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Sandweg, John; Grossman, Seth
Subject: Re: Michael Hastings

I don’t think we lose too much with privacy standards.

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Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 08:59 PM
To: Boogaard, Peter; Kroloff, Noah; Colburn, Brent; Chandler, Matthew; Shlossman, Amy; Sandweg, John; Grossman, Seth
Cc: Callahan, Mary Ellen
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I will reach out to the NPPD privacy officer to start to engage on compliance with this issue.

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Confirming with nppd leadership right now.

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I think this is pretty good. Is it accurate?

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Cc: Chandler, Matthew
Subject: Re: Hastings

Looks like this was in playbook this AM, so expect follow ups--Pete, can you work the changes below?

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Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 07:14 AM
To: Colburn, Brent; Boogaard, Peter
Cc: Chandler, Matthew
Subject: Re: Hastings

(b) (5)

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Cc: Epley, Veronica; Flores, Gina; Flynn, William; Hess, David; Grossman, Seth; Callahan, Mary Ellen; Kroloff, Noah; Shlossman, Amy
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Definitely think that the more we can push back on any inaccuracies the better.

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From: Michael Hastings [b] (6)
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2012 05:14 PM
To: medainquiry@dhs.gov <medainquiry@dhs.gov>
Subject: Urgent: Request for comment for Rolling Stone story

Dear Sir:

Hope this email finds you well. I'm doing a story about a DHS report called "SPECIAL COVERAGE: Occupy Wall Street" written in October 2011. Stratfor, the private intelligence firm, was in possession of this report. The report states: "The growing support for the OWS movement has expanded the protests impact and increased the potential for violence," among other things.

1) Do you have any comment on this? The report indicates that DHS views the Occupy Wall Street movement as a threat to homeland security.

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3) Did DHS, at a federal level, help local authorities coordinate its response to OWS?

4) What other kinds of monitoring did DHS do on the Occupy Wall Street movement?

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Subject: Re: Urgent: Request for comment for Rolling Stone story

Dear Sir:

Hope this email finds you well. I'm doing a story about a DHS report called "SPECIAL COVERAGE: Occupy Wall Street" written in October 2011. Stratfor, the private intelligence firm, was in possession of this report. The report states: "The growing support for the OWS movement has expanded the protests impact and increased the potential for violence," among other things.

1) Do you have any comment on this? The report indicates that DHS views the Occupy Wall Street movement as a threat to homeland security.

2) What actions did DHS take to respond to this threat?

3) Did DHS, at a federal level, help local authorities coordinate its response to OWS?

4) What other kinds of monitoring did DHS do on the Occupy Wall Street movement?

Please let me know your thoughts if you have a moment, I'm at 212-945-8073 or 802-864-3142.

All the best, and thanks,

Michael

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Michael Hastings
Rolling Stone
Boogaard, Peter
From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Monday, May 07, 2012 9:12 AM
To: (b) (6)
Subject: RE: Publishing for Flight Attendants

yep

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Monday, May 07, 2012 9:11 AM
To: Boogaard, Peter
Subject: FW: Publishing for Flight Attendants

Are you good with this? I think its fine

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2012 4:58 PM
To: (b) (6)
Cc: SMITH, LAUREL
Subject: FW: Publishing for Flight Attendants

Laurel is checking with her field folks, but is the below article still ok from the OPA perspective? Susanne called Laurel and said they would like to re-use this e-news article for the magazine. Thanks!

From: Susanne Lowen (mailto:(b) (6))
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2012 9:58 AM
To: SMITH, LAUREL; (b) (6)
Subject: Publishing for Flight Attendants

(b) (6) Laurel,

We are preparing to publish our membership magazine, Flightlog, and would like to run an e article on the Blue Lightning campaign. We could run something similar to the article that appeared in our e-newsletter below. Is there any new information that we might add at this point in time? Also, are you still interested in input from our AFA Air Safety, Health and Security Department on the training video for Flight Attendants? I would very much like to mention this collaboration in the article, if possible. Thank you for all of your important work.

Susanne

 Susanne Lowen
6,700 Flight Attendants participated in the voting process. They sent an unequivocal message that their sacrifices must be recognized and that they will participate in the benefits of the merger. After five years of stalling and roadblocks by management, the Joint Negotiating Committee (JNC) delivered a tentative agreement that gave members a chance to voice their position directly to management. AFA leadership will meet next week to set in motion a plan that maximizes the leverage created by an engaged, unified work force.

Press Release

Mesaba

Pinnacle Airlines, which merged with Mesaba Airlines in January, filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy reorganization. As the certified representative for Mesaba Flight Attendants, AFA will use its standing to participate in the bankruptcy process and ensure that the Flight Attendants' rights are protected throughout Pinnacle’s restructuring.

Press Release

Spirit

On March 9, Spirit Flight Attendants officially asked the NMB to declare that negotiations are at an impasse and requested a proffer of arbitration, a step required by the Railway Labor Act prior to a 30-day “cooling off” period. This period leads to a strike deadline which often encourages focused negotiations. In October, Spirit Flight Attendants overwhelmingly authorized a strike by 98.4 percent should management fail to negotiate a new contract. With AFA’s trademarked strike strategy, CHAOS™ or Create Havoc Around Our System™, a strike can affect the entire system or a single flight. The union decides when, where and how to strike without notice to management or passengers.

Press Release

American Eagle

American Airlines’ bankruptcy is affecting the American Eagle Flight Attendants and their negotiations. American Eagle Flight Attendants are outraged that, under the cloak of bankruptcy, management is attacking their contract even though American Eagle is a profitable subsidiary of AMR. Just prior to the AMR bankruptcy filing, American Eagle Flight Attendants were negotiating for a new contract and management had already agreed to significant quality of life improvements. AFA continues to vigorously oppose unnecessary concessions and is working to minimize the impact of Chapter 11 on Flight Attendants.

American Eagle Picketing Events: April 10 (DFW) and April 12 (ORD). For more information, check www.afaeagle.com.

AFA EAP/Professional Standards: An Evolving Global Network
within our local communities will strengthen our own campaigns and actions.

By embracing the principles of direct action, The 99% Spring movement will mobilize communities across America to have a lasting impact. Learn how to join together in the work of reclaiming our country through sustained non-violent action. Sign up for a local training near you and spread the word. 

CWA-Recommended Trainings

Be a 'Force Multiplier' in the Fight Against Human Trafficking

Within a global struggle to combat a problem of epidemic proportions, Flight Attendants can play a key role in the fight against human trafficking. In a recent meeting between AFA International President Veda Shook and Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Secretary Janet Napolitano concerning aviation security issues, Secretary Napolitano invited AFA to participate in an initiative to involve aviation employees in the fight against human trafficking. The DHS Customs and Border Protection's "Blue Lightning" initiative provides a voluntary mechanism to identify potential human trafficking victims and to notify federal authorities for front line workers at U.S. commercial airlines that operate U.S.-bound international routes.

"We like to talk about 'boots on the ground'," said Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Acting Commissioner David V. Aguilar. "Flight Attendants and airline employees will be the 'boots in the air' fighting human trafficking." Human trafficking is a modern-day form of slavery. It is defined as:

- the recruitment, harboring, transport, provision or obtaining of a person by force, fraud, or coercion for the purpose of involuntary servitude, peonage, debt bondage, or slavery; or
- Sex trafficking, in which a commercial sex act is induced by force fraud or coercion—or the person induced to perform such acts is under age 18.

It is estimated that at least 12.3 million adults and children are enslaved around the world and that 56 percent are women and girls. The International Labor Organization (ILO) estimated that in 2005, 980,000 to 1,225,000 boys and girls were in forced labor situations as a result of trafficking. In 2000, Congress passed the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act, which launched a large-scale effort by the U.S. government to fight human trafficking.

In 2010, Secretary Napolitano launched the Blue Campaign—a first-of-its-kind initiative to coordinate and enhance the Department's anti-human trafficking efforts. The components of the Department of Homeland Security combat human trafficking through a variety of programs, and the Blue Campaign coordinates and unites this work.

The 'Blue Lightning Initiative' is coordinated as part of the Blue Campaign by CBP in collaboration with the Department of Transportation. The key to the success of this initiative, however, is the participation of the frontline workers in the airline industry.

As Flight Attendants, we are uniquely positioned to identify human traffickers and assist their victims. Flight crews are skilled observers, and with the appropriate training, they can be the frontline against trafficking, according to CBP. Indicators of human trafficking can include: physical control of travel documents of an adult traveler by a co-traveler; restricting the movement and social interaction of an adult traveler by a co-traveler; an adult traveler who is unclear on details of his/her final destination or point of contact; or a child traveler who appears to be accompanied by someone claiming to be the parent or guardian who is in fact not related to the child. Blue Lightning will roll out a training program in
Boogaard, Peter

From: Boogaard, Peter  
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2012 10:34 PM  
To: Chandler, Matthew  

I did not.

From: Chandler, Matthew  
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2012 10:32 PM  
To: Boogaard, Peter  

Did anyone receive any incoming from the Caller?

From:  
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2012 10:30 PM  
To: Chandler, Matthew; Boogaard, Peter  

This is interesting... Just posted


- Matthew Boyle

May 1

A staffer for President Barack Obama’s Department of Homeland Security is praising the left-wing “May Day” protests. On Tuesday evening, Nate Snyder, the special adviser to Homeland Security Secretary Janet Napolitano for “Community Partnership and Strategic Engagement,” tweeted “Happy May Day! #solidarity.”

Snyder has his current Homeland Security post since March 2011, according to his LinkedIn page. He was previously the department’s Deputy White House Liaison. Before joining the Obama administration, Snyder worked for the Service Employees International Union, and for Obama’s 2008 presidential campaign.

May Day is a day on which socialist party faithful and labor unions have traditionally held massive anti-capitalist protests, and on Tuesday some liberal organizers used the occasion to rekindle the Occupy Wall Street movement’s flames.

After a winter during which the Occupy movement appeared to have died off, organizers are trying to give it new life this spring by holding protests alongside traditional May Day protests.

This week Occupy organizers have been tied to sending letters containing white powder to executives at News Corporation — the parent company of Fox News and The Wall Street Journal — and Citicorp.

There have also been suspicions — despite vehement denials from movement leaders — that Occupy activists were involved in a failed plot to blow up a bridge in Cleveland, Ohio. FBI agents foiled the alleged plot by inserting an informant into the gang, and arrested five suspects on Tuesday.
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From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2012 8:28 AM
To: Davis, Robert M
Cc: (b) (6)
Subject: Re: statement -- smaller group -- NOC reference

Haven't used. Don't plan to. Happy to discuss.

From: Davis, Robert M
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2012 08:26 AM
To: Boogaard, Peter
Cc: (b) (6)
Subject: RE: statement -- smaller group -- NOC reference

Pete,
Have we used this statement yet?
There is still considerable angst over here about this so if we end up not using it that would be a good thing.
Please keep me and (b) (6) posted.
Thanks.
Bob

From: Boogaard, Peter
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 4:51 PM
To: Spaulding, Suzanne; Durkovich, Caitlin; Flynn, William; Callahan, Mary Ellen
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Occupy Wall Street activists are up in arms over a new report describing Homeland Security officials monitoring Occupy demonstrations, but a closer look reveals much ado about nothing.

The government paranoia machine took off last night after Rolling Stone contributor Michael Hastings published an exclusive on e-mails obtained from the global intelligence firm Stratfor via WikiLeaks. In his ominous appraisal of a Department of Homeland Security document, he notes that DHS officials read "OWS-related Twitter feeds" and other "publicly available sources" to keep tabs on the movement. "The government has a long and disturbing history of justifying the curtailing of civil liberties under the cover of perceived, and often manufactured, threats," he wrote. The article passed quickly through the Occupy information bloodstream.

"The DHS document appears to be more concerned with protecting the mechanisms of the financial sector than in ensuring the safety of citizens who are exercising their First Amendment rights," wrote Allison Kilkenny in Truthout. "The suppression of Occupy is nothing less than an attack on those who would try to exercises their civil liberties, their rights and seek to energize democracy," wrote Fire Dog Lake's Kevin Gosztola. The article was re-blogged across scores of Occupy tumblers including Anticapitalist, Occupy All Streets and #OccupyWallStreet.

On Current TV last night, host Cenk Uygur blasted the agency for focusing exclusively on Occupy Wall Street. "The Tea Party... that happens to be pro-corporate America is not anywhere to be found here [but] when Occupy Wall Street is not pro-corporate America, all of a sudden, they need to be investigated by the Department of Homeland Security." Of course, the Tea Party has also been observed by DHS but that's beside the point.

Is DHS really curtailing the rights of Occupiers? Outside of reading newspapers and Twitter about Occupy events, the report is merely a summary of the movement and an assessment of what dangers it may pose. As one line reads:

"Mass gatherings associated with public protest movements can have disruptive effects on transportation, commercial, and government services, especially when staged in major metropolitan areas. Large scale demonstrations also carry the potential for violence, presenting a significant challenge for law enforcement."
Yes, we are aware.

From: Richards, Steven
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 3:41 PM
To: Boogaard, Peter
Subject: FW: NPPD Reported on Occupy Wall Street
Importance: High

Peter---Assuming you are aware of this but sending it along regardless.

From: Mathews, Scott
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 3:30 PM
To: privdir
Subject: NPPD Reported on Occupy Wall Street
Importance: High

I just received this link from a colleague at I&A. Apparently NPPD drafted a report on OWS that has now been leaked on wikileaks. The link is to the article not to wikileaks. Also, I have attached the 5-page report to which AS refers.

Obviously, this did not come before PRIV for review as it is a NPPD product. I&A is not very happy (me too) after all that we did to make sure I&A and the fusion centers didn’t create any reports like this.


Scott
J. Scott Mathews, CIPP, Senior Privacy Analyst for Intelligence
Privacy Office, Department of Homeland Security
Tel: (b) (6) Email: HSCON
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We are done, but not releasing until we get more requests.
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From: Boogaard, Peter  
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 11:40 AM  
To: #E2D0D0 Colburn, Brent  
Subject: RE: Re:  

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Yeah, this was just my suggested (or something like it) second sentence.

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INCIDENT ARCHIVED.
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Local Actions: Local DC Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and USSS responded to the scene and continue to investigate.

NOC Actions: Continue to coordinate with local MPD and USSS for further updates.

NOC Recommendation: Continue to monitor and provide updates as warranted.

Source: Open Sources and USSS.

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Subject: NOD TURNOVER - 0600 18 JAN 2012

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Very respectfully,

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For your situational awareness:

**Critical Infrastructure effects:** Government Facilities

The National Operations Center (NOC) reported at 2207 EST, on 17 JAN 12 that a smoke bomb was thrown over the North Fence at the White House.

- Initially Reported by the NOC as a suspicious package
- HAZMAT Responded Initially
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NICC continues to monitor this incident and will provide additional information if warranted.

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If you have any questions or concerns, contact the NICC at (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) or (b)(6), (b)(7)(C). Thank you.

V/r,

NICC Watch Operations
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