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CASE NUMBER Wayne Stenehjem Phone

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CASE PROCESSING DETAILS

SCAN 1

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EVIDENCE OVERVIEW

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Sender Email	abah@naag.org
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
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CC	theller@naag.org
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Record 7

Sender Name	Attorney General Alliance
Sender Email	abernstein+agalliance.org@ccsend.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Cannabis Project December Newsletter
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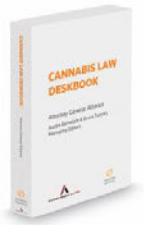

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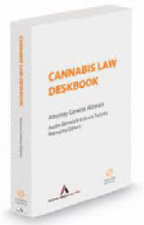

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Recipients	§44-04-18.21 [redacted]
Subject	2022 Indoor Range Schedule
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Record 13

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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/13/2021 9:27:01.000 AM
Body	Hello everyone, **Our Food Collection Challenge ends tomorrow!** Please consider donating if you haven't already done so – we look forward to seeing how we compared to other agencies and it all is for a great cause. Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256** **From:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 6, 2021 4:47 PM **To:** -Grp-AG Capitol 1st Floor <agcap1@nd.gov>; -Grp-AG Capitol Ground Floor <agcapgrd@nd.gov> **Subject:** Food Collection Challenge REMINDER – we are participating the Food Collection Challenge as well! Please consider donating non-perishable food items to help those in need in our area (and compete with other agencies). Thank you to everyone who has donated already – our tree doesn't look as lonely as it did last week but if you haven't donated yet, please consider doing so! Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256** **From:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021 8:52 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** Food Collection Challenge Good morning everyone, The Office of the State Auditor has challenged our office in a **collection of food** for people in need. Can you help? Here's how it works: 1. Each location (Capitol 1st Floor, Capitol 17th Floor, AG South, BCI, and Medicare) will have an empty box ready for you to put your donated items in. 2. **Collect as much non-perishable food** as you can. We'll divide the number of food we collect by the number of people in our agency and average for our total. (This makes it fair for smaller agencies to compete against larger agencies) 3. Food collection will run from **Tuesday the 30th of November, until Tuesday the 14th of December**. On Thursday the 16th, we will **drop off the food donations to the Bismarck Emergency Food Pantry** (1012 S 12th St, Bismarck, ND 58504) between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Let's donate some food for people in need! Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256**
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Record 14

Sender Name	Eisenbeis, Ashley
Sender Email	aeisenbeis@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	Preparing for Year-End and W2's
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/13/2021 10:35:58.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/13/2021 10:35:55.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/13/2021 10:35:58.000 AM
Body	Good morning everyone, As we are closely approaching the end of the year, it is time to verify that all your information is correct in PeopleSoft so that your W2 for 2021 is correct. There are a couple of things to do: • **Verify that your address is correct on your paycheck or in Employee Self Service by December 31, 2021** o Go to PeopleSoft, Employee Self Service and click on the Personal Details Tile ♠ If it isn't correct, please click on the address listed and update accordingly • **Verify that your benefits from annual enrollment look correct** o Go to Employee Self Service on PeopleSoft, click on the Benefit Details tile to open benefits summary o **CHANGE THE DATE ON THE TOP TO 01/01/2022 and CLICK REFRESH** o This is where you will view your NDPERS benefit elections for 2022 ♠ Find voluntary deduction such as AFLAC and Total Dental Administrator (TDA) under the Payroll tile o Contact me if you find any errors • **Employees that are claiming MN/MT withholding or Minnesota/Montana residence need to fill out a NDW-R form each year** • **The 1095-C and W-2 forms will be available for employees to view and print through the PeopleSoft Employee Self-Service page** o The 1095-C and W-2 will be for the 2021 tax year. o Employees that would like to receive and print their 1095-C and W-2 electronically will need consent that is available on the Employee Self-Service page. o If this applies to you, Shannon will be emailing you • **Ensure that your bank account is correct and up to date** o If it isn't, please contact me for the direct deposit change form Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256**

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Recipients	agall@nd.gov
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 9:14:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 9:14:59.000 AM

Body	Hello everyone, Please see the message below from the Office of the Auditor regarding the Food Collection Challenge. You are all amazing and have contributed to such a great cause! Thank you for participating. --- Hello, Just wanted to first thank you for all of your office's work collecting food for people in need this holiday season! When we called the Emergency Food Pantry to let them know how much food (over 4,000 items!) was coming their way they said it was their largest donation ever. Thank you and your team so much for all of your work! Also just as a heads up, the attached press release will be going out later today letting the media know about the work all agencies have done to make this possible. Thank you so much again, appreciate all of your work! Emily **Emily Dalzell** Communications Officer 600 E. Boulevard Ave Dept 117, Bismarck, ND 58505 **Phone:** 701.328.2608 **Website:** nd.gov/auditor
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Record 17

Sender Name	Eisenbeis, Ashley
Sender Email	aeisenbeis@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	Sanford Health Wellness Newsletter - January 2022
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 4:29:34.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 4:29:29.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 4:29:35.000 PM
Body	Hello everyone, Happy New Year! Please see the Sanford Health Wellness Newsletter for January 2022. The newsletter contains interesting information about creating connections, conflict and communication, a yummy recipe for Cauliflower Buffalo Wings, and more! Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256**
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Record 19

Sender Name	Eisenbeis, Ashley
Sender Email	aeisenbeis@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	Going Away Party for Nikki Tryhus 1/20/22 at 10:30a.m.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 8:50:43.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 8:50:38.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 8:50:43.000 AM

Body	Good morning everyone, Please see the attached poster for details regarding Nikki Tryhus' Going Away Party – next Thursday, January 20th 10:30a.m. – 12:00p.m. in the Brynhild Haugland Room on the Ground Floor of the Capitol. Let's be sure to give her a proper AG Sendoff! Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256**
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Subject	Going Away Party for Nikki Tryhus 1/20/22 at 10:30a.m.
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 8:50:38.000 AM
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Sender Name	Eisenbeis, Ashley
Sender Email	aeisenbeis@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	COVID-19 At-Home Tests
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 8:49:09.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 8:49:04.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 8:49:09.000 AM
Body	Good morning everyone, Please see the link below regarding the at-home COVID-19 tests you may be eligible to receive for free through your health insurance plan. You can obtain them from pharmacies, retailers, and online vendors (provided there are tests available). You are also able to go to a new website, www.covidtests.gov, to order the tests starting tomorrow, January 19th. The tests are expected to ship seven to 12 days of being ordered. Here's how you can get free home Covid-19 tests - CNNPolitics Our agency follows the CDC guidelines as it relates to COVID-19, testing, and quarantine, so I have also provided the CDC recommendations regarding at-home tests: Self-Testing | CDC. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256**

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Record 23

Sender Name	Jaeger, Al A.
Sender Email	ajaeger@nd.gov
Recipients	aaron.birst@ndaco.org
Subject	Lincoln Day
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 1:14:08.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 1:14:12.000 PM
Body	I am willing if Wayne is, too. **From:** Aaron Birst <§44-04-18.21 **Sent:** Wednesday, January 26, 2022 7:30 AM **To:** Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Lincoln Day Good morning gentlemen. So the Bismarck Area Republicans are getting back to doing our Lincoln Day celebration night after taking some time off due to Covid. This years get together is scheduled for February 10th at the Ramada. Since both of you are ending your remarkable careers I was thinking you both could be co-speakers. As you know the speeches are not formal so I was just thinking of having each of you speak for 10 minutes reflecting on your time in office or whatever you would want. Thoughts?? AGB
CC	wstenehjem@nd.gov

Record 24

Sender Name	Jaeger, Al A.
Sender Email	ajaeger@nd.gov
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Record 25

Sender Name	Cronquist, Alex J.
Sender Email	ajcronquist@nd.gov
Recipients	ajcronquist@nd.gov
Subject	Space needs survey - Please Complete
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 11:28:35.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 11:28:38.000 AM
Body	Good morning, The interim Government Administration Committee, Senator Randy A. Burckhard, Chairman, has been assigned studies of space needs and property leased by the state pursuant to Section 43 of House Bill No. 1015 (2021) and House Concurrent Resolution No. 3043 (2021). These studies include a determination of the individuals who own the property leased by the state, including the members of a corporation, partnership, or any other type of entity that owns property leased by the state. At the October 25, 2021, Government Administration Committee meeting, the Legislative Council was asked to conduct a survey of state entities to collect information on space needs and leased property ownership. The committee members are aware state leases do not always identify the individual owners of property and have requested agencies/entities ask their lessors for the information. Please complete the attached survey regarding state agency space needs and leased property ownership and return the completed survey to me via email (ajcronquist@nd.gov) by Monday, February 28, 2022. If you have any questions regarding this survey, please feel free to contact me. Thank you. Alex Cronquist, CPA Senior Fiscal Analyst North Dakota Legislative Council (701)328-4238 ajcronquist@nd.gov
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Sender Name	Mathiak, Adam
Sender Email	amathiak@nd.gov
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Subject	Gov Finance Comments Feb 9
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 12:49:55.000 PM
Body	Representative Michael Howe, Chairman, has called a meeting of the Government Finance Committee for **Wednesday, February 9, 2022, beginning at 10:00 a.m**. Pursuant to Section 1 of House Bill No. 1494, the Government Finance Committee is studying the recruitment and retention of law enforcement and correctional officers. Representative Howe asks that you or your representative arrange to provide comments **(approximately 20 minutes)** along with two other state agencies between **1:05 and 2:05 p.m.** regarding the recruitment, retention, turnover, and training of law enforcement and correctional officers. Presenters should deliver their presentations in person to the committee except in rare cases when the presenter's physical presence is not possible. Remote presentations must be approved by the chairman of the committee prior to the meeting. All presenters are asked to submit an electronic copy of their presentation in advance of committee meetings. A copy of the presentation will be attached to the committee meeting agenda for viewing electronically by committee members and members of the public. **Please submit an electronic copy of the presentation to Adam Mathiak (amathiak@nd.gov) by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 8, 2022, the day before the meeting.** In addition, presenters are asked to bring paper copies of their presentation to distribute at the meeting. Please bring 20 paper copies to ensure enough copies are available for the committee. The meeting notice and agenda have been posted to the committee's webpage . **Please respond to this email or call me at the number shown below to confirm your presentation to the committee.** Please contact me if you have any questions regarding the committee meeting. Thank you. **Adam Mathiak** ND Legislative Council 701-328-2936 amathiak@nd.gov
CC	aknudson@nd.gov

Record 28

Sender Name	Mathiak, Adam
Sender Email	amathiak@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
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Record 29

Sender Name	Andree S. Blumstein
Sender Email	Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov

Recipients	Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov, MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov
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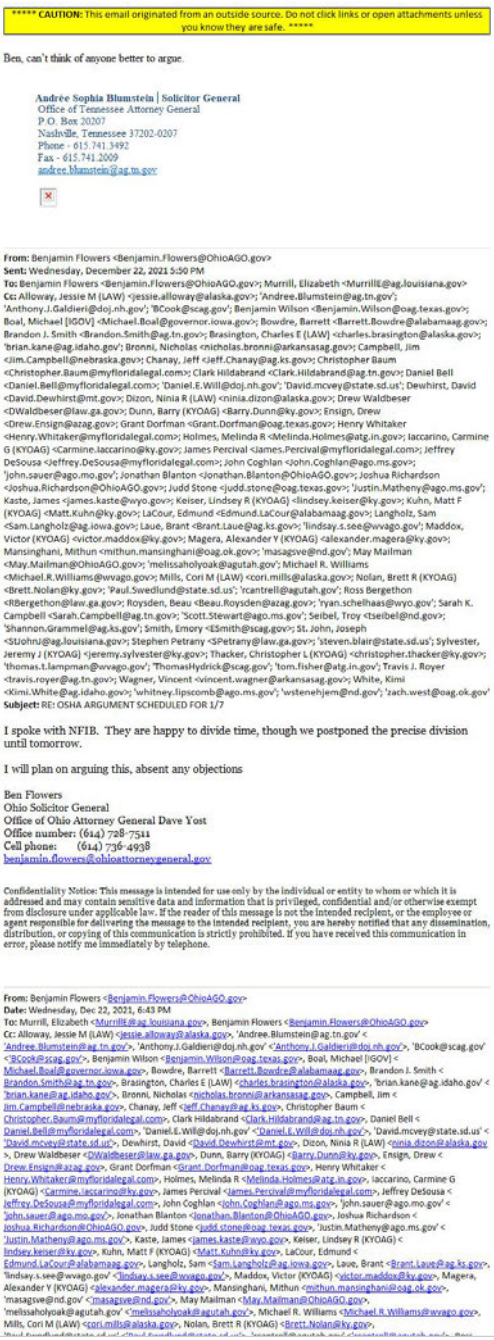

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Ben, can't think of anyone better to argue.

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From: Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:50 PM
To: Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov>; Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>
Cc: Alloway, Jessie M (LAW) <jessie.alloway@alaska.gov>; 'Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov'; 'Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov'; 'BCook@scag.gov'; Benjamin Wilson <Benjamin.Wilson@oag.texas.gov>; Boal, Michael [GOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; Bowdre, Barrett <Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov>; Brandon J. Smith <Brandon.Smith@ag.tn.gov>; Brasington, Charles E (LAW) <charles.brasington@alaska.gov>; 'brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov'; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Chanay, Jeff <Jeff.Chanay@ag.ks.gov>; Christopher Baum <Christopher.Baum@myfloridalegal.com>; Clark Hildabrand <Clark.Hildabrand@ag.tn.gov>; Daniel Bell <Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com>; 'Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov'; 'David.mcvey@state.sd.us'; Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Dizon, Ninia R (LAW) <ninia.dizon@alaska.gov>; Drew Waldbeser <DWaldbeser@law.ga.gov>; Dunn, Barry (KYOAG) <Barry.Dunn@ky.gov>; Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Grant Dorfman <Grant.Dorfman@oag.texas.gov>; Henry Whitaker <Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com>; Holmes, Melinda R <Melinda.Holmes@atg.in.gov>; laccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG) <Carmine.laccarino@ky.gov>; James Percival <James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com>; Jeffrey DeSousa <Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com>; John Coghlan <John.Coghlan@ago.ms.gov>; 'john.sauer@ago.mo.gov'; Jonathan Blanton <Jonathan.Blanton@OhioAGO.gov>; Joshua Richardson <Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov>; Judd Stone <judd.stone@oag.texas.gov>; 'Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov'; Kaste, James <james.kaste@wyo.gov>; Keiser, Lindsey R (KYOAG) <lindsey.keiser@ky.gov>; Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG) <Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov>; LaCour, Edmund <Edmund.LaCour@alabamaag.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; Laue, Brant <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>; 'lindsay.s.see@wvago.gov'; Maddox, Victor (KYOAG) <victor.maddox@ky.gov>; Magera, Alexander Y (KYOAG) <alexander.magera@ky.gov>; Mansinghani, Mithun <mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov>; 'masagsve@nd.gov'; May Mailman <May.Mailman@OhioAGO.gov>; 'melissaholyoak@agutah.gov'; Michael R. Williams <Michael.R.Williams@wvago.gov>; Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Nolan, Brett R (KYOAG) <Brett.Nolan@ky.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us'; 'rcantrell@agutah.gov'; Ross Bergethon <RBergethon@law.ga.gov>; Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov'; Sarah K. Campbell <Sarah.Campbell@ag.tn.gov>; 'Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov'; Seibel, Troy <tseibel@nd.gov>; 'Shannon.Grammel@ag.ks.gov'; Smith, Emory <ESmith@scag.gov>; St. John, Joseph <StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov>; Stephen Petrany <SPetrany@law.ga.gov>; 'steven.blair@state.sd.us'; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG) <jeremy.sylvester@ky.gov>; Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG) <christopher.thacker@ky.gov>; 'thomas.t.lampman@wvago.gov'; 'ThomasHydrick@scag.gov'; 'tom.fisher@atg.in.gov'; Travis J. Royer <travis.royer@ag.tn.gov>; Wagner, Vincent <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov>; White, Kimi <Kimi.White@ag.idaho.gov>; 'whitney.lipscomb@ago.ms.gov'; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov'; 'zach.west@oag.ok.gov'
Subject: RE: OSHA ARGUMENT SCHEDULED FOR 1/7

I spoke with NFIB. They are happy to divide time, though we postponed the precise division until tomorrow.

I will plan on arguing this, absent any objections

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I spoke with NFIB. They are happy to divide time, though we postponed the precise division until tomorrow.

I will plan on arguing this, absent any objections

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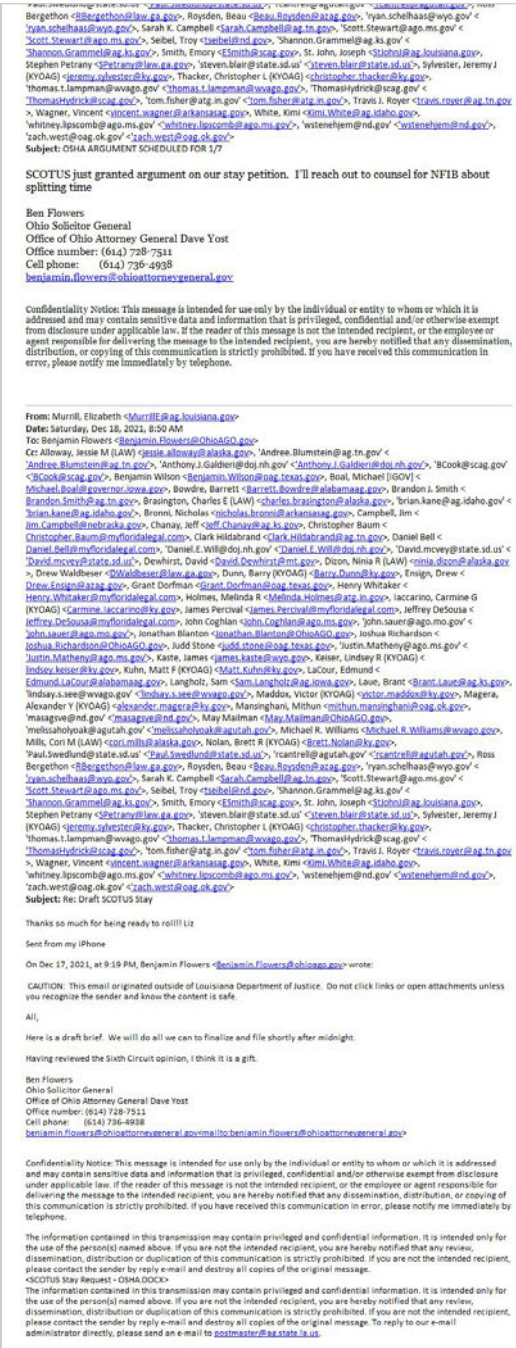
Body	
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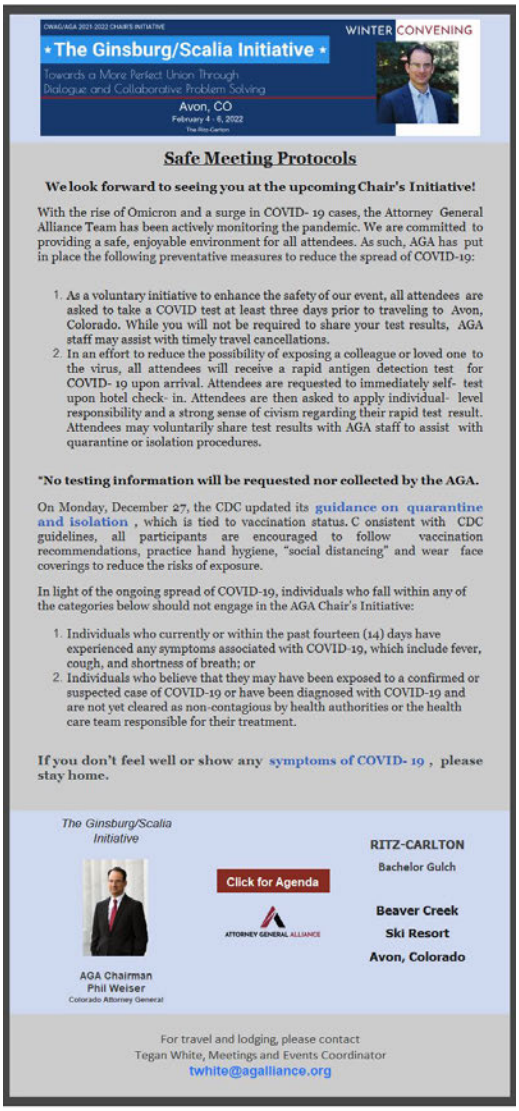

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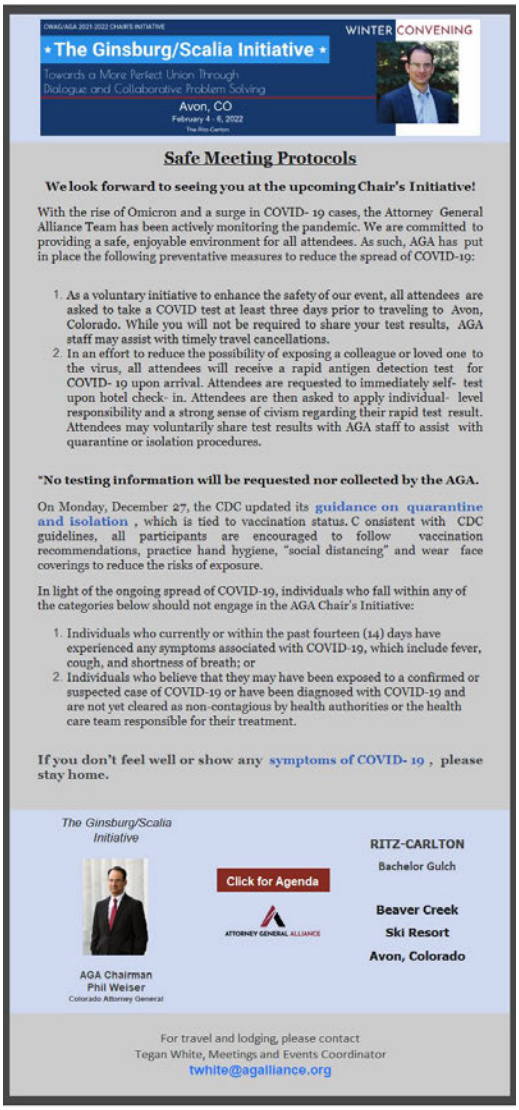

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Sender Name	ADAS & Autonomous Vehicle Technology Expo USA
Sender Email	autonomous.vehicle.usa@avt-uki-me.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	New Dates For ADAS & Autonomous Vehicle Technology Expo & Conference
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 11:53:48.000 AM

Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 11:53:45.000 AM
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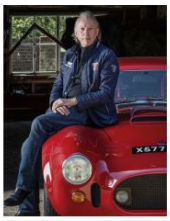

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Rest assured, this is all a key part of my world and I truly look forward to bringing a really exciting event to you all in California.

Best regards,
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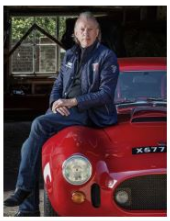
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Date Change: September 7 & 8, 2022. View in browser Due to the rapid escalation of the Omicron variant of C19 in the USA and elsewhere, we have decided to move ADAS & Autonomous Vehicle Technology Expo & Conference to run on **September 7 & 8, 2022.** We all hope – and have fair reason to expect – that the real impact of Omicron will not be anything like as severe as that of C19 during the last two years. However, it will definitely cause some disruption, uncertainty and potentially some hesitance for some people about joining moderately large gatherings at indoor events. Therefore, rather than running the risk of presenting an event that is less than 100%, we have discussed the issue with our exhibitors and agreed that it is much better to postpone the expo until the late summer. All arrangements are essentially in place, with an excellent line-up of exhibitors and a lively conference program that has some excellent content. More exhibitors are signing up every week and even more content will have been added by the time we run the event in September.  *Footnote:* I attended the first-ever autonomous highway demonstration in San Diego in 1997 and was also a guest at the PROMETHEUS final meeting in Paris a few years earlier, in 1994. The highlight of the event in France was the Mercedes S Class driving itself fully autonomously rather well. The San Diego event featured Buick LeSabres platooning along a closed-off section of freeway at 60mph. I was also the first person in Europe to drive the GM EV1. Rest assured, this is all a key part of my world and I truly look forward to bringing a really exciting event to you all in California. Best regards, Tony Robinson, founder, ADAS & Autonomous Vehicle Technology Expo & Conference Visit the website for more information Register for your free expo pass Book your conference pass (early bird discount rate applies) Company Site Privacy Policy Unsubscribe UKi Media & Events, a division of UKIP Media & Events Limited Registered Address: 10 Queen Street Place, London, EC4R 1AG VAT No. GB879 4451 71 Registration Number: 5893940 Company registered in England and Wales {~AT916534871083507833942318zzzzz64c76240ad060ca0bf3adfc03e508cfd5534e3aaa2704793047da45f

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Recipients	Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov, MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov
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Subject: OSHA ARGUMENT SCHEDULED FOR 1/7
Importance: High

SCOTUS just granted argument on our stay petition. I'll reach out to counsel for NFIB about splitting time

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All,

I have good news and bad news. The good news is that moots have being going well and we look forward to argument tomorrow. The bad news I will have to participate by phone: despite being triple vaxxed and taking precautions, I had an asymptomatic case of COVID. I've since recovered but the PCR test—which can pick up results up to 90 days old—detected the virus. I'm very sorry about this, but I'm confident it won't affect our case. I have a practice session with the Court to test audio, and I'm told another attorney in one of the cases will also be remote.

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All,

I have good news and bad news. The good news is that moots have being going well and we look forward to argument tomorrow. The bad news I will have to participate by phone: despite being triple vaxxed and taking precautions, I had an asymptomatic case of COVID. I've since recovered but the PCR test—which can pick up results up to 90 days old—detected the virus. I'm very sorry about this, but I'm confident it won't affect our case. I have a practice session with the Court to test audio, and I'm told another attorney in one of the cases will also be remote.

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With sincere apologies, we plan on getting back to you as soon as we can next week.

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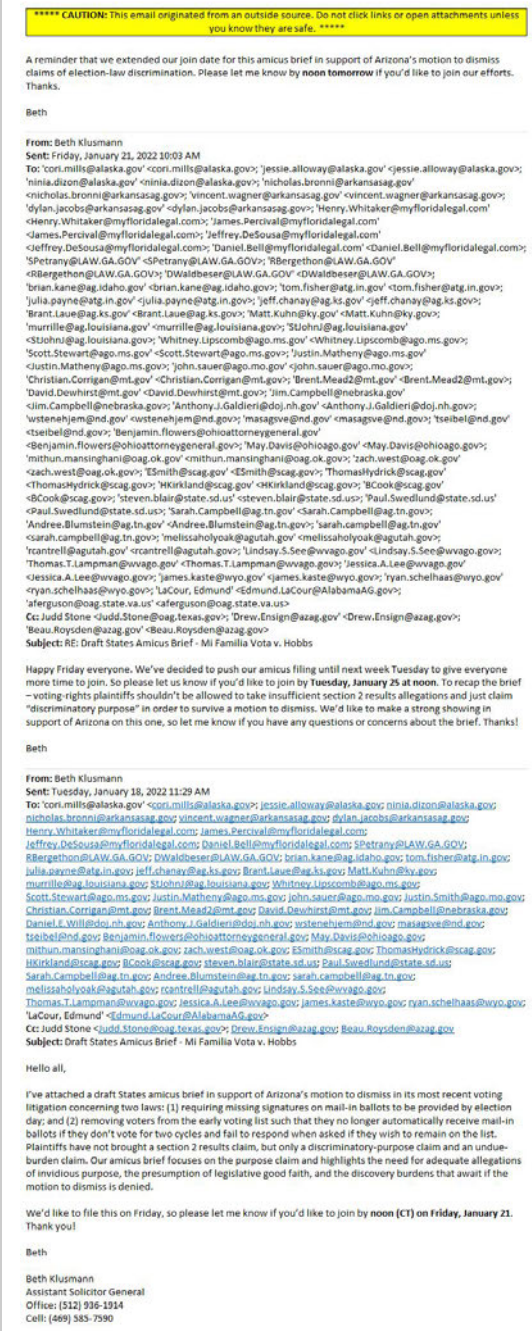
Body	
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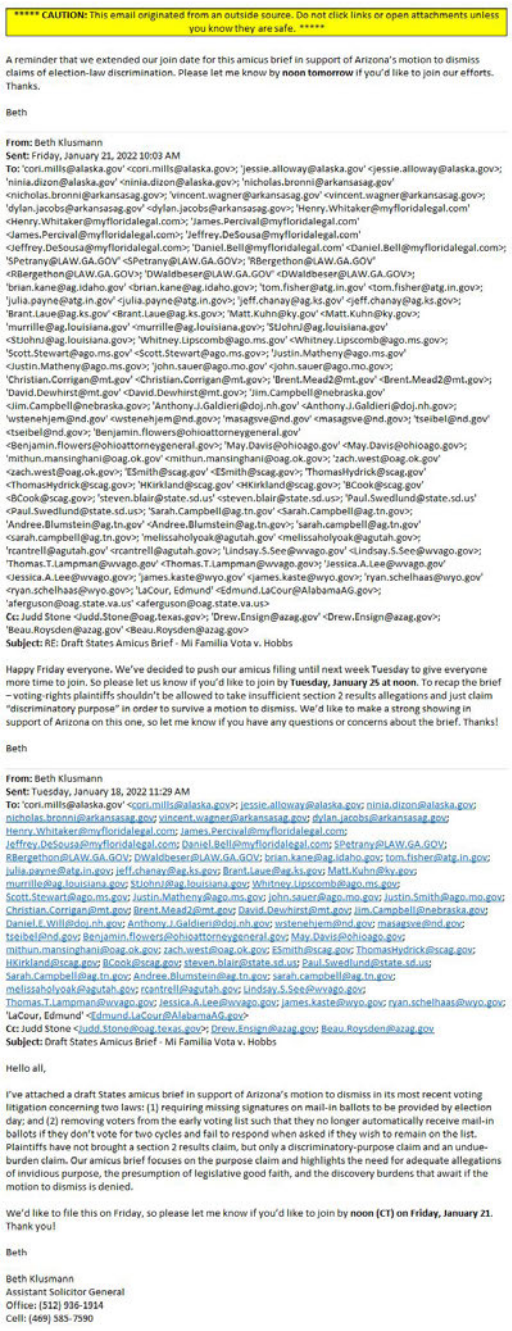
Body	
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To: 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov; vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov; dylan.jacobs@arkansasag.gov; Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com; James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com; Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com; Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com; SPetrany@LAW.GA.GOV; RBergethon@LAW.GA.GOV; DWaldbeser@LAW.GA.GOV; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; julia.payne@atg.in.gov; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov; murrille@ag.louisiana.gov; StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov; Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov; Brent.Mead2@mt.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; tseibel@nd.gov; Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov; May.Davis@ohioago.gov; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; ESmith@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah.Campbell@ag.tn.gov; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; sarah.campbell@ag.tn.gov; melissaholyoak@agutah.gov; rcantrell@agutah.gov; Lindsay.S.See@wvago.gov; Thomas.T.Lampman@wvago.gov; Jessica.A.Lee@wvago.gov; james.kaste@wyo.gov; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; 'LaCour, Edmund' <Edmund.LaCour@AlabamaAG.gov>
Cc: Judd Stone <Judd.Stone@oag.texas.gov>; Drew.Ensign@azag.gov; Beau.Roysden@azag.gov
Subject: Draft States Amicus Brief - Mi Familia Vota v. Hobbs

Hello all,

I've attached a draft States amicus brief in support of Arizona's motion to dismiss in its most recent voting litigation concerning two laws: (1) requiring missing signatures on mail-in ballots to be provided by election day; and (2) removing voters from the early voting list such that they no longer automatically receive mail-in ballots if they don't vote for two cycles and fail to respond when asked if they wish to remain on the list. Plaintiffs have not brought a section 2 results claim, but only a discriminatory-purpose claim and an undue-burden claim. Our amicus brief focuses on the purpose claim and highlights the need for adequate allegations of invidious purpose, the presumption of legislative good faith, and the discovery burdens that await if the motion to dismiss is denied.

We'd like to file this on Friday, so please let me know if you'd like to join by **noon (CT) on Friday, January 21.** Thank you!

Beth

Beth Klusmann
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Sender Email	bhicks@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	OMG WAYNE!!!
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 12:26:56.000 PM
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 12:26:57.000 PM
Body	The scotcheroos are just to die for!! Please hug the baker. She is the best! Thank you for sharing. Britta K. Demello Rice Assistant Attorney General Criminal & Regulatory Division 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210

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Sender Email	bkdemellorice@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Body	KX News Live Stream | KX NEWS (kxnet.com) Britta K. Demello Rice Assistant Attorney General Criminal & Regulatory Division 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210

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Subject	RE: Isaak sentencing - live
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Body	Count I – Life without possibility of parole Count II – same (consecutive to Count I) Count III – same (consecutive to Count I & II) Count IV - same (consecutive to Counts I - III) Count V – 10 years straight Count VI – 5 years straight Count VII – 360 days straight Britta K. Demello Rice Assistant Attorney General Criminal & Regulatory Division 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2021 9:40 AM **To:** Demello Rice, Britta K. <bkdemellorice@nd.gov> **Subject:** Re: Isaak sentencing - live Thanks. Connection is slow, so keep me posted. Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Demello Rice, Britta K. <bkdemellorice@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2021 9:33:30 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Isaak sentencing - live KX News Live Stream | KX NEWS (kxnet.com) Britta K. Demello Rice Assistant Attorney General Criminal & Regulatory Division 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210

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Sender Email	bkdemellorice@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FW: [EXTERNAL]RE: Where do you all have firearm toolmark work sent to?
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 4:20:18.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 4:20:16.000 PM
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Body	FYI – I anticipate you'll be asked questions about the lab based upon the email chain I've seen today among the prosecutors group. *Britta K. Demello Rice* Assistant Attorney General Special Prosecutions Unit 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 **From:** Fritz Fremgen <ffremgen@stutsmancounty.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 3:58 PM **To:** Stephenie Davis <sdavis@dunncountynd.org>; Frey, Joshua E. <jfrey@nd.gov>; 'Nathan Madden' <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us>; 'Prosecutors' <prosecutors@ndaco.org> **Cc:** 'Nathan Madden' <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us> **Subject:** RE: [EXTERNAL]RE: Where do you all have firearm toolmark work sent to? ***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** The A.G. is headlining the NDSAA conference. He knows insufficient resources cause all of us consternation. I'm always surprised at how well Wayne Stenehjem (sure now that he's retiring, I can finally spell his name first try) can calm down a room full of prosecutors and explain, *we know we have a problem with x, and here's what we are doing to try to address it.* Rosalie Etherington, Superintendent of the ND St. Hospital, is also coming to the conference on Wednesday the 20th and I would imagine she will address funding limitations too. Remember, she was told to cut her budget by 9 million last session. Ask questions, we'll get some answers. But I wouldn't expect satisfaction https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jadvt7CbH1o And by the way, is our fearless leader Aaron Birst handing ED of NDSAA to someone else? Fritz **From:** Stephenie Davis <sdavis@dunncountynd.org> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 3:37 PM **To:** 'Frey, Joshua E.' <jfrey@nd.gov>; 'Nathan Madden' <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us>; 'Prosecutors' <prosecutors@ndaco.org> **Cc:** 'Nathan Madden' <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us> **Subject:** [EXTERNAL]RE: Where do you all have firearm toolmark work sent to? CAUTION: This email originated from outside of the organization. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognize the sender and know the content is safe. If in doubt, contact the IT department. My guess is because they are tired of picking up our slack when there is no reason our state lab cannot be provided with the necessary funds to have adequate staffing & equipment. Bang head here. **From:** Frey, Joshua E. <jfrey@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 2:31 PM **To:** Nathan Madden <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us>; 'Prosecutors' <prosecutors@ndaco.org> **Cc:** Nathan Madden <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us> **Subject:** Re: Where do you all have firearm toolmark work sent to? Does anybody know why South Dakota won't work with us anymore? I don't believe I have ever heard the reasoning. Thanks! Joshua Frey McHenry County State's Attorney Towner County State's Attorney **From:** Nathan Madden <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 3:07:09 PM **To:** 'Prosecutors' <prosecutors@ndaco.org> **Cc:** Nathan Madden <NathanM@co.williams.nd.us> **Subject:** Where do you all have firearm toolmark work sent to? ***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** With the MOU between NDSL and SDSL long dead, what are you all doing to get firearm analysis done? **Nathan Kirke Madden** Assistant State's Attorney Williams County P.O. Box 2047 Williston, ND 58802-2047 (701) – 577 - 4577
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 1:06:28.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 1:06:32.000 PM

Body	FYI. *Britta K. Demello Rice* Assistant Attorney General Special Prosecutions Unit 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 **From:** Supreme Court Clerk's Office - Erck, Sarah <SErck@ndcourts.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 21, 2022 9:03 AM **To:** 'FirstRVB@gmail.com' <FirstRVB@gmail.com>; Dillon, Kelly A. <kadillon@nd.gov> **Cc:** VandeStreek, Tristan J. <tvandestreek@ndcourts.gov> **Subject:** Opinion in North Dakota Supreme Court No. 20210128 (State v. Bolinske, Sr.) Filed ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** From: Office of the Clerk Supreme Court of North Dakota Attached is the opinion filed today in this matter. You will receive a copy of the Supreme Court judgment which will address the taxing of costs and disbursements on appeal if any are awarded. A petition for rehearing may be filed within fourteen days from entry of opinion and judgment, during which time the mandate of the Court will be stayed. Petitions for rehearing should conform to the provisions of N.D.R.App.P. 40.
CC	lbrocker@nd.gov
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CC	lbrocker@nd.gov
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Record 89

Sender Name	Demello Rice, Britta K.
Sender Email	bkdemellorice@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	FW: 21-1405 United States v. Walter Cartwright, III "judgment filed sua sponte affirmed" (1:20-cr-00180-DMT-1)
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 10:38:49.000 AM
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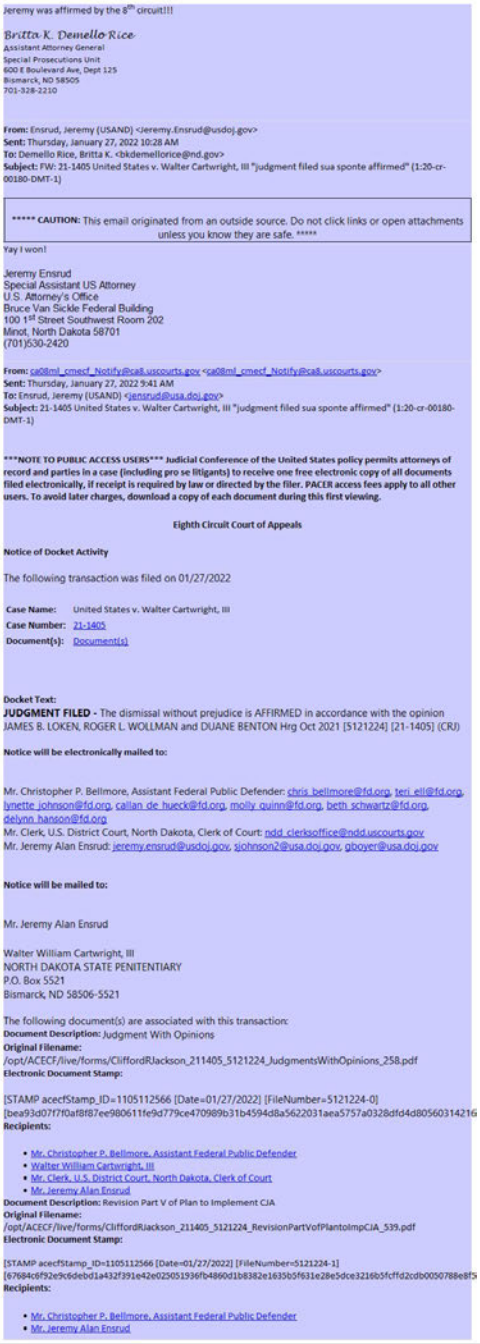
Body	

Jeremy was affirmed by the 8th circuit!!!

Britta K. Demello Rice
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701-328-2210

From: Ensrud, Jeremy (USAND) <Jeremy.Ensrud@usdoj.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 27, 2022 10:28 AM
To: Demello Rice, Britta K. <bkdemellorice@nd.gov>
Subject: FW: 21-1405 United States v. Walter Cartwright, III "judgment filed sua sponte affirmed" (1:20-cr-00180-DMT-1)

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Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals

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Case Name: United States v. Walter Cartwright, III
Case Number: 21-1405
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Docket Text:
JUDGMENT FILED - The dismissal without prejudice is AFFIRMED in accordance with the opinion JAMES B. LOKEN, ROGER L. WOLLMAN and DUANE BENTON Hrg Oct 2021 [5121224] [21-1405] (CRJ)

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Record 90

Sender Name	Demello Rice, Britta K.
Sender Email	bkdemellorice@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov

Subject	FW: 21-1405 United States v. Walter Cartwright, III "judgment filed sua sponte affirmed" (1:20-cr-00180-DMT-1)
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 10:38:49.000 AM
Body	Jeremy was affirmed by the 8th circuit!!! *Britta K. Demello Rice* Assistant Attorney General Special Prosecutions Unit 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 **From:** Ensrud, Jeremy (USAND) <Jeremy.Ensrud@usdoj.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 27, 2022 10:28 AM **To:** Demello Rice, Britta K. <bkdemellorice@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: 21-1405 United States v. Walter Cartwright, III "judgment filed sua sponte affirmed" (1:20-cr-00180-DMT-1) ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Yay I won! Jeremy Ensrud Special Assistant US Attorney U.S. Attorney's Office Bruce Van Sickle Federal Building 100 1st Street Southwest Room 202 Minot, North Dakota 58701 (701)530-2420 **From:** ca08ml_cmecf_Notify@ca8.uscourts.gov <ca08ml_cmecf_Notify@ca8.uscourts.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 27, 2022 9:41 AM **To:** Ensrud, Jeremy (USAND) <jensrud@usa.doj.gov> **Subject:** 21-1405 United States v. Walter Cartwright, III "judgment filed sua sponte affirmed" (1:20-cr-00180-DMT-1) *****NOTE TO PUBLIC ACCESS USERS*** Judicial Conference of the United States policy permits attorneys of record and parties in a case (including pro se litigants) to receive one free electronic copy of all documents filed electronically, if receipt is required by law or directed by the filer. PACER access fees apply to all other users. To avoid later charges, download a copy of each document during this first viewing.** **Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals** **Notice of Docket Activity** The following transaction was filed on 01/27/2022 **Case Name:** United States v. Walter Cartwright, III **Case Number:** 21-1405 **Document(s):** Document(s) **Docket Text:** **JUDGMENT FILED -** The dismissal without prejudice is AFFIRMED in accordance with the opinion JAMES B. LOKEN, ROGER L. WOLLMAN and DUANE BENTON Hrg Oct 2021 [5121224] [21-1405] (CRJ) **Notice will be electronically mailed to:** Mr. Christopher P. Bellmore, Assistant Federal Public Defender: chris_bellmore@fd.org, teri_ell@fd.org, lynette_johnson@fd.org, callan_de_hueck@fd.org, molly_quinn@fd.org, beth_schwartz@fd.org, delynn_hanson@fd.org Mr. Clerk, U.S. District Court, North Dakota, Clerk of Court: ndd_clerksoffice@ndd.uscourts.gov Mr. Jeremy Alan Ensrud: jeremy.ensrud@usdoj.gov, sjohnson2@usa.doj.gov, gboyer@usa.doj.gov **Notice will be mailed to:** Mr. Jeremy Alan Ensrud Walter William Cartwright, III NORTH DAKOTA STATE PENITENTIARY P.O. Box 5521 Bismarck, ND 58506-5521 The following document(s) are associated with this transaction: **Document Description:** Judgment With Opinions **Original Filename:** /opt/ACECF/live/forms/CliffordRJackson_211405_5121224_JudgmentsWithOpinions_258.pdf **Electronic Document Stamp:** [STAMP acecfStamp_ID=1105112566 [Date=01/27/2022] [FileNumber=5121224-0] [bea93d07f7f0af8f87ee980611fe9d779ce470989b31b4594d8a5622031aea5757a0328dfd4d80560314216 **Recipients:** • Mr. Christopher P. Bellmore, Assistant Federal Public Defender • Walter William Cartwright, III • Mr. Clerk, U.S. District Court, North Dakota, Clerk of Court • Mr. Jeremy Alan Ensrud **Document Description:** Revision Part V of Plan to Implement CJA **Original Filename:** /opt/ACECF/live/forms/CliffordRJackson_211405_5121224_RevisionPartVofPlantoImpCJA_539.pdf **Electronic Document Stamp:** [STAMP acecfStamp_ID=1105112566 [Date=01/27/2022] [FileNumber=5121224-1] [67684c6f92e9c6debd1a432f391e42e025051936fb4860d1b8382e1635b5f631e28e5dce3216b5fcffd2cdb0050788e8f5 **Recipients:** • Mr. Christopher P. Bellmore, Assistant Federal Public Defender • Mr. Jeremy Alan Ensrud

Record 91

Sender Name	Leingang, Ben
Sender Email	bleingang@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Meeting Forward Notification: K9 demonstration
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 4:37:18.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 4:37:17.000 PM

Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 4:37:19.000 PM
Body	**Your meeting was forwarded** Leingang, Ben has forwarded your meeting request to additional recipients.

Record 92

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 4:37:19.000 PM
Body	**Your meeting was forwarded** Leingang, Ben has forwarded your meeting request to additional recipients.

Record 93

Sender Name	Satrom, Bernie L.
Sender Email	blsatrom@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Idea
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 9:04:05.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 9:04:03.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 9:04:06.000 PM
Body	There has been a little accusation of policing for profit in our civil asset forfeiture. Some states are using it for indigent defense. Any thoughts? Bernie Rep. Bernie Satrom

Record 94

Sender Name	Satrom, Bernie L.
Sender Email	blsatrom@nd.gov
Subject	Idea
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 9:04:03.000 PM
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Record 95

Sender Name	Brent Webster
Sender Email	Brent.Webster@oag.texas.gov
Recipients	Brent.Webster@oag.texas.gov
Subject	Invitation to visit the Border with General Paxton and other AG's/Press in January
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 12:33:34.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 12:33:27.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 12:33:34.000 PM

Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Dear Attorneys General and Senior Staff, Attorney General Ken Paxton would like to invite Attorneys General to an AG Border Summit at the Texas border from around noon on Thursday, January 27 through noon/mid-afternoon on Friday, January 28. **The Summit will feature media hosted by Maria Bartiromo with Fox, presentations by federal, state, and local law enforcement, a tour and survey of the border wall, a Texas Department of Public Safety boat tour of the Rio Grande, and a press conference with speaking opportunities for each of the AGs**. Details, schedule, event locations, etc., are all forthcoming. But before we put all that together, we wanted to get a soft commitment from you and your AGs. For security reasons due to the fact that this email is subject to open records laws, I am not putting the destination city in this email. If you are interested in attending, AGs or senior staff can call me on my personal cell at 512-736-9962 over the holidays and I can provide the city, airport and lodging information directly. This is sure to be a big hit for all of us. Please reply all to this email and let me know by Wednesday, December 29 whether you are interested in attending. In the meantime, reach out for questions on the cell phone listed above. Thanks! Best, Brent Webster **Brent Webster** First Assistant Attorney General of Texas Office of the Attorney General of Texas Executive Assistant Evonne Heredia: Evonne.heredia@oag.texas.gov Work Cell: 512-815-6835
CC	Evonne.Heredia@oag.texas.gov, Aaron.Reitz@oag.texas.gov
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Record 96

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Recipients	Brent.Webster@oag.texas.gov
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Record 97

Sender Name	Burdick, Birch
Sender Email	BurdickB@casscountynd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Retirement
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 11:21:59.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 11:22:07.000 AM
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne: Given that I made a similar announcement in mid-November, I now welcome you to the Retirement-At-All-Deliberate-Speed Club. It reminds me a bit of the OJ Simpson pursuit in the white Bronco – low speed … but without the coincident homicides, heartache and 95 million viewers. You have provided decades of public service and deserve the thanks of the people you represented in Grand Forks and throughout North Dakota. Enjoy the next 12 months … sort of a *victory lap* … and all that comes thereafter. ~Birch Birch P. Burdick Cass County State's Attorney 211 9th Street S. P.O. Box 2806 Fargo, ND 58108-2806 (701) 241-5850 Notice regarding electronic service of documents: I do not accept e-service of documents at this individual e-mail address. If you are e-serving a document upon anyone in the State's Attorney's Office, please use the office e-mail address: sa-defense-notices@casscountynd.gov.
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Sender Name	Burdick, Birch
Sender Email	BurdickB@casscountynd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Record 99

Sender Name	Jones, Chris D.
Sender Email	cdjones@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Video
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:17:33.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:17:32.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:17:33.000 AM
Body	Thank you for meeting yesterday. Here is the link of my testimony https://video.legis.nd.gov/en/PowerBrowser/PowerBrowserV2/20220111/-1/23719 Watch just from 9:17 to 9:34 Please let me know if you have questions. Thanks Chris Jones *Executive Director* 701.328.2538 (w) • cdjones@nd.gov • www.nd.gov/dhs ----------Confidentiality Statement---------- This transmission is intended only for the use of the individual to whom it is addressed and may contain information that is made confidential by law. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please respond immediately to the sender and then destroy the original transmission as well as any electronic or printed copies. Thank you.
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Sender Name	Jones, Chris D.
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Video
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Record 101

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Sender Email	CFriedman@crowell.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Ireland follow-up
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 3:04:54.000 PM
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Record 103

Sender Name	Pieske, Christopher S.
Sender Email	chpieske@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov, wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Head Start
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 4:00:19.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 4:00:18.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 4:00:20.000 PM
Body	I should receive the revised declaration from Mayville State President Van Horn today after 5:00. I will forward it once I receive it. Chris Christopher S. Pieske Assistant Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505-0040 Phone: 701-328-3597 Fax: 701-328-2226 Bar I.D.: 06415 chpieske@nd.gov *Pronouns: He/Him/His* **From:** Schaibley, David J. <dschaibley@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 16, 2021 3:58 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Pieske, Christopher S. <chpieske@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Head Start I'm not sure if you're looking for input from me, but I don't have suggested revisions. To the extent folks might be interested in DPI's/the Superintendent's perspective, her authority is generally limited to elementary-secondary schools/school-aged children and does not extend to the pre-K/Head Start level (a separation reinforced further just this past session when the limited early childhood programming she did have some authority over was moved from DPI to DHS). So she is generally ..... disinclined .... to weigh in on such matters. **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 4:51 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Pieske, Christopher S. <chpieske@nd.gov>; Schaibley, David J. <dschaibley@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Head Start FYI, see message below from "other" state counsel. ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Friends – attached is the most updated draft of the complaint. The State-specific allegations for plaintiffs and states are still a work in progress, but we have a robust coalition. Several states have sent me some suggested revisions, including minimizing allegations that get into efficacy of vaccines. I agree with that approach. I didn't take it all out but modified some paragraphs and deleted others. I worked on amplifying State standing allegations. Please provide me with signature blocks and any other recommendations. GA has provided a declaration, which may change a little but is provided for your reference. Also attached a draft Dec we are using with our program directors. If you have a superintendent of a public school system who is a willing declarant, it would be helpful for him/her to speak to blending of funds, need to lean on the state to backfill lost funding, educational opportunities lost and hindered for entering Kindergarten.
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Record 104

Sender Name	Pieske, Christopher S.
Sender Email	chpieske@nd.gov

Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov, wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Head Start
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If anyone else would like to sign-on, please let me know by 12:00 (noon) EST tomorrow, Wednesday, January 19.

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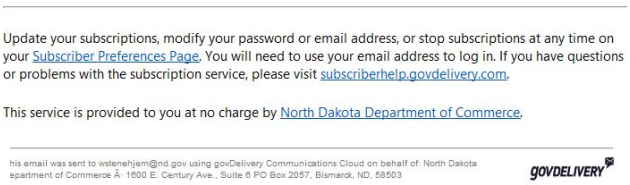
Body	

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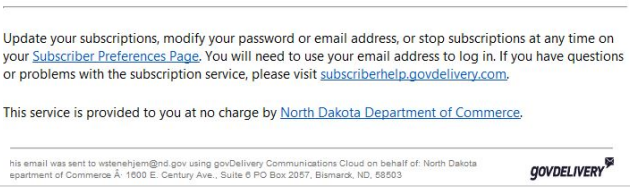
Body	

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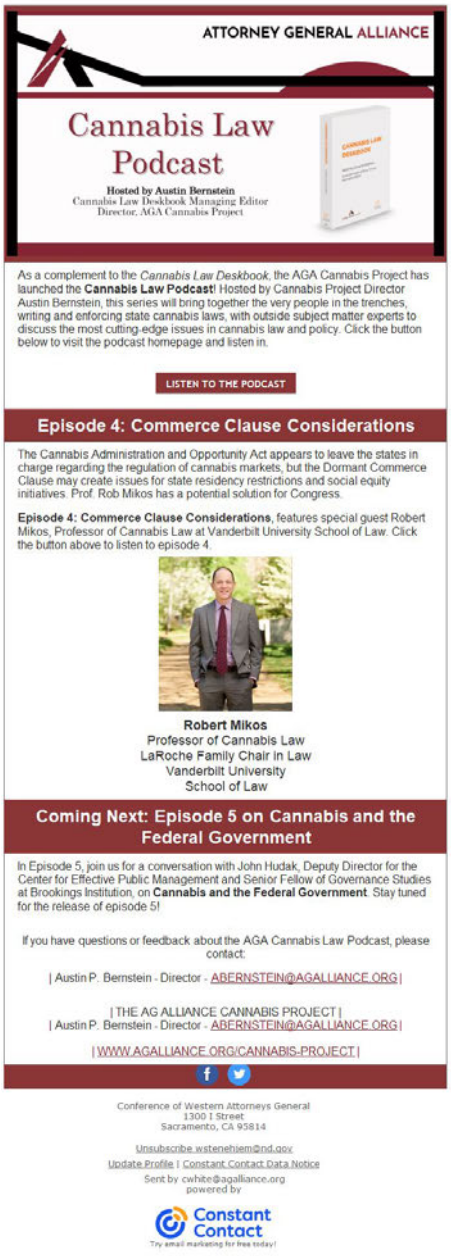
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** 

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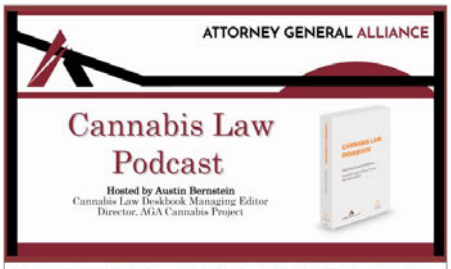

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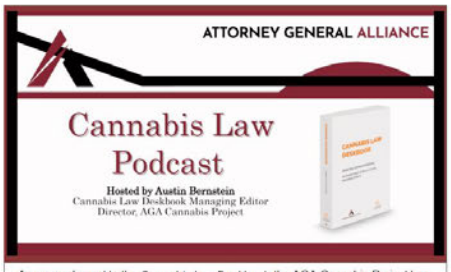
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  ATTORNEY GENERAL ALLIANCE Cannabis Law Podcast Hosted by Austin Bernstein Cannabis Law Deskbook Managing Editor Director, AGA Cannabis Project As a complement to the *Cannabis Law Deskbook*, the AGA Cannabis Project has launched the **Cannabis Law Podcast**! Hosted by Cannabis Project Director Austin Bernstein, this series will bring together the very people in the trenches, writing and enforcing state cannabis laws, with outside subject matter experts to discuss the most cutting-edge issues in cannabis law and policy. Click the button below to visit the podcast homepage and listen in. LISTEN TO THE PODCAST **Episode 7: Cannabis Regulators Association** Creating a safe and stable marketplace for adult-use, medical, and hemp-derived cannabis products will require standardization across many different dimensions of public health and safety, and that means government actors at all levels coming together to work on policy solutions. **Episode 7: Cannabis Regulators Association**, features special guest Gillian Schauer, Executive Director of the Cannabis Regulators Association. Click the button above to listen to Episode 7. **Gillian Schauer, PhD, MPH** Executive Director Cannabis Regulators Association **Coming Next: Episode 8** In Episode 8, join us for a conversation with Kay Doyle, Director of U.S. Public Policy & Public Affairs at Greenwich Biosciences. Stay tuned for the release of Episode 8! If you have questions or feedback about the AGA Cannabis Law Podcast, please contact: | Austin P. Bernstein - Director - ABERNSTEIN@AGALLIANCE.ORG | | THE AG ALLIANCE CANNABIS PROJECT | | Austin P. Bernstein - Director - ABERNSTEIN@AGALLIANCE.ORG | | WWW.AGALLIANCE.ORG/CANNABIS-PROJECT | CWAG and Attorney General Alliance 5050 Laguna Blvd. Ste. 112-323 Elk Grove, CA 95758 Unsubscribe wstenehjem@nd.gov Update Profile | Constant Contact Data Notice Sent by cwhite@agalliance.org powered by Constant Contact Try email marketing for free today!

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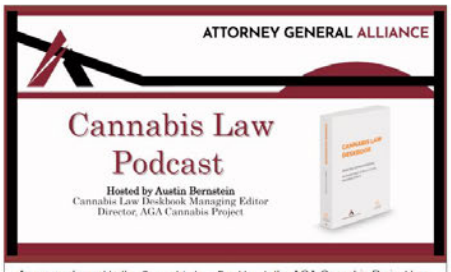
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  As a complement to the *Cannabis Law Deskbook*, the AGA Cannabis Project has launched the **Cannabis Law Podcast**! Hosted by Cannabis Project Director Austin Bernstein, this series will bring together the very people in the trenches, writing and enforcing state cannabis laws, with outside subject matter experts to discuss the most cutting-edge issues in cannabis law and policy. Click the button below to visit the podcast homepage and listen in. LISTEN TO THE PODCAST **Episode 7: Cannabis Regulators Association** Creating a safe and stable marketplace for adult-use, medical, and hemp-derived cannabis products will require standardization across many different dimensions of public health and safety, and that means government actors at all levels coming together to work on policy solutions. **Episode 7: Cannabis Regulators Association**, features special guest Gillian Schauer, Executive Director of the Cannabis Regulators Association. Click the button above to listen to Episode 7. **Gillian Schauer, PhD, MPH** Executive Director Cannabis Regulators Association **Coming Next: Episode 8** In Episode 8, join us for a conversation with Kay Doyle, Director of U.S. Public Policy & Public Affairs at Greenwich Biosciences. Stay tuned for the release of Episode 8! If you have questions or feedback about the AGA Cannabis Law Podcast, please contact: | Austin P. Bernstein - Director - ABERNSTEIN@AGALLIANCE.ORG | | THE AG ALLIANCE CANNABIS PROJECT | | Austin P. Bernstein - Director - ABERNSTEIN@AGALLIANCE.ORG | | WWW.AGALLIANCE.ORG/CANNABIS-PROJECT | CWAG and Attorney General Alliance 5050 Laguna Blvd. Ste. 112-323 Elk Grove, CA 95758 Unsubscribe wstenehjem@nd.gov Update Profile | Constant Contact Data Notice Sent by cwhite@agalliance.org powered by Constant Contact Try email marketing for free today!

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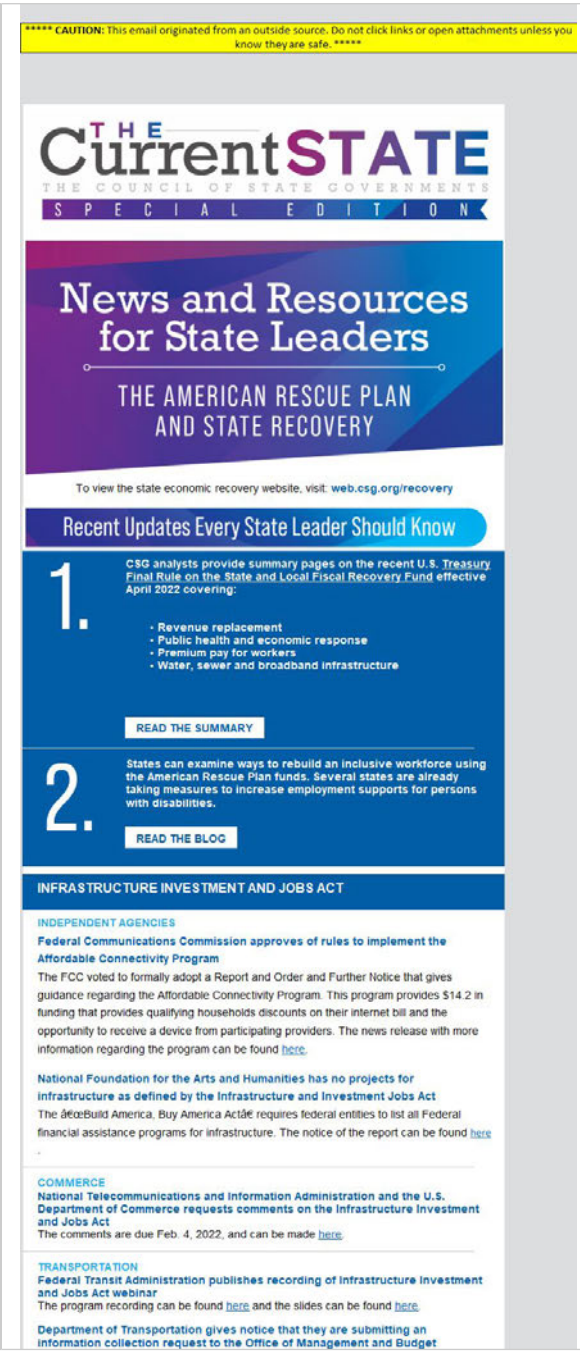

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Recent Updates Every State Leader Should Know

1. CSG analysts provide summary pages on the recent U.S. Treasury Final Rule on the State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund effective April 2022 covering:
   - Revenue replacement
   - Public health and economic response
   - Premium pay for workers
   - Water, sewer and broadband infrastructure

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2. States can examine ways to rebuild an inclusive workforce using the American Rescue Plan funds. Several states are already taking measures to increase employment supports for persons with disabilities.

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INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND JOBS ACT

INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

Federal Communications Commission approves of rules to implement the Affordable Connectivity Program

The FCC voted to formally adopt a Report and Order and Further Notice that gives guidance regarding the Affordable Connectivity Program. This program provides $14.2 in funding that provides qualifying households discounts on their internet bill and the opportunity to receive a device from participating providers. The news release with more information regarding the program can be found here.

National Foundation for the Arts and Humanities has no projects for infrastructure as defined by the Infrastructure and Investment Jobs Act

The â€œBuild America, Buy America Actâ€ requires federal entities to list all Federal financial assistance programs for infrastructure. The notice of the report can be found here

COMMERCE

National Telecommunications and Information Administration and the U.S. Department of Commerce requests comments on the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act

The comments are due Feb. 4, 2022, and can be made here.

TRANSPORTATION

Federal Transit Administration publishes recording of Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act webinar

The program recording can be found here and the slides can be found here.

Department of Transportation gives notice that they are submitting an information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget

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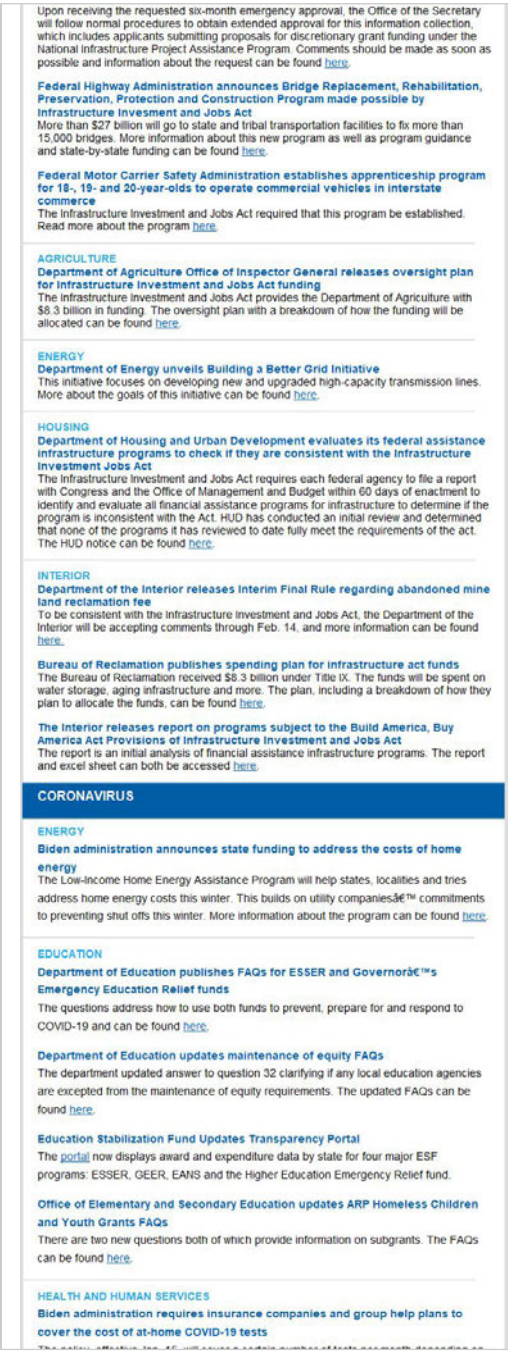

Upon receiving the requested six-month emergency approval, the Office of the Secretary will follow normal procedures to obtain extended approval for this information collection, which includes applicants submitting proposals for discretionary grant funding under the National Infrastructure Project Assistance Program. Comments should be made as soon as possible and information about the request can be found here.

Federal Highway Administration announces Bridge Replacement, Rehabilitation, Preservation, Protection and Construction Program made possible by Infrastructure Invesment and Jobs Act
More than $27 billion will go to state and tribal transportation facilities to fix more than 15,000 bridges. More information about this new program as well as program guidance and state-by-state funding can be found here.

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration establishes apprenticeship program for 18-, 19- and 20-year-olds to operate commercial vehicles in interstate commerce
The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act required that this program be established. Read more about the program here.

AGRICULTURE
Department of Agriculture Office of Inspector General releases oversight plan for Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act funding
The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act provides the Department of Agriculture with $8.3 billion in funding. The oversight plan with a breakdown of how the funding will be allocated can be found here.

ENERGY
Department of Energy unveils Building a Better Grid Initiative
This initiative focuses on developing new and upgraded high-capacity transmission lines. More about the goals of this initiative can be found here.

HOUSING
Department of Housing and Urban Development evaluates its federal assistance infrastructure programs to check if they are consistent with the Infrastructure Investment Jobs Act
The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act requires each federal agency to file a report with Congress and the Office of Management and Budget within 60 days of enactment to identify and evaluate all financial assistance programs for infrastructure to determine if the program is inconsistent with the Act. HUD has conducted an initial review and determined that none of the programs it has reviewed to date fully meet the requirements of the act. The HUD notice can be found here.

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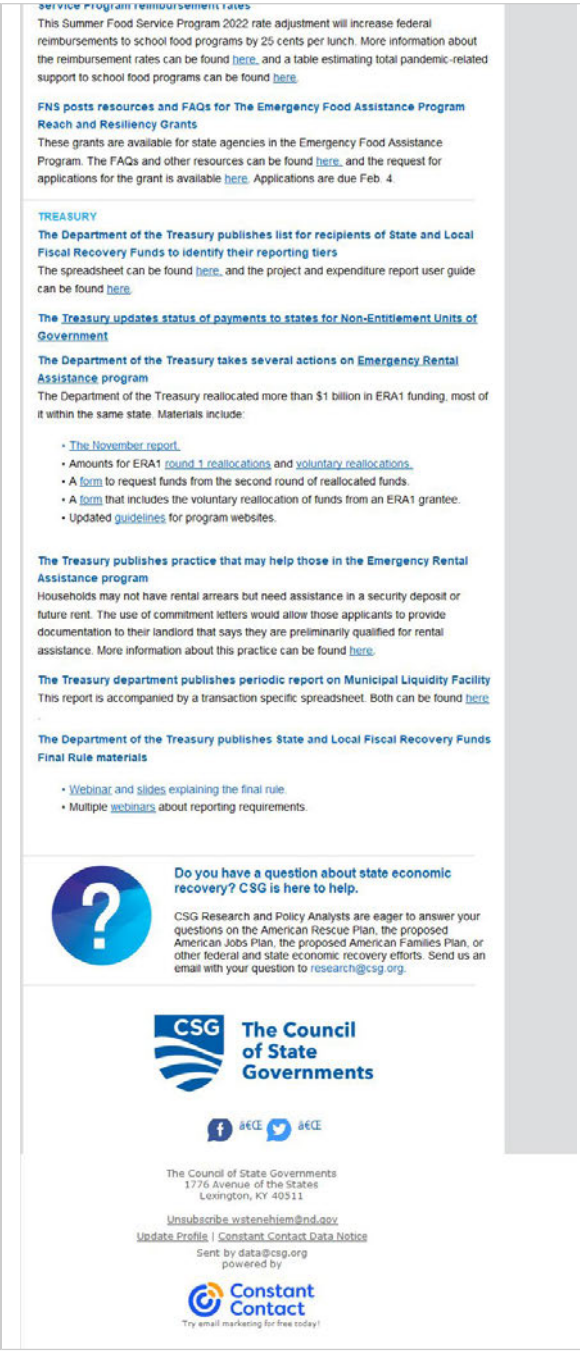
Body	

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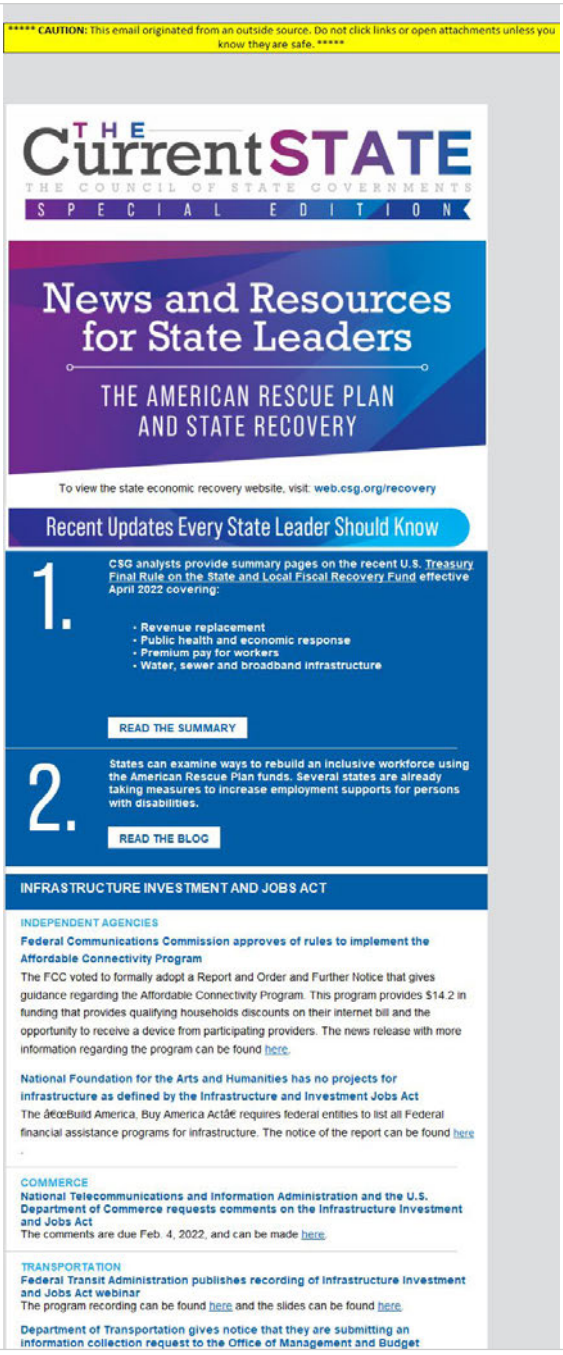

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Federal Communications Commission approves of rules to implement the Affordable Connectivity Program

The FCC voted to formally adopt a Report and Order and Further Notice that gives guidance regarding the Affordable Connectivity Program. This program provides $14.2 in funding that provides qualifying households discounts on their internet bill and the opportunity to receive a device from participating providers. The news release with more information regarding the program can be found here.

National Foundation for the Arts and Humanities has no projects for infrastructure as defined by the Infrastructure and Investment Jobs Act

The â€œBuild America, Buy America Actâ€ requires federal entities to list all Federal financial assistance programs for infrastructure. The notice of the report can be found here .

COMMERCE

National Telecommunications and Information Administration and the U.S. Department of Commerce requests comments on the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act

The comments are due Feb. 4, 2022, and can be made here.

TRANSPORTATION

Federal Transit Administration publishes recording of Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act webinar

The program recording can be found here and the slides can be found here.

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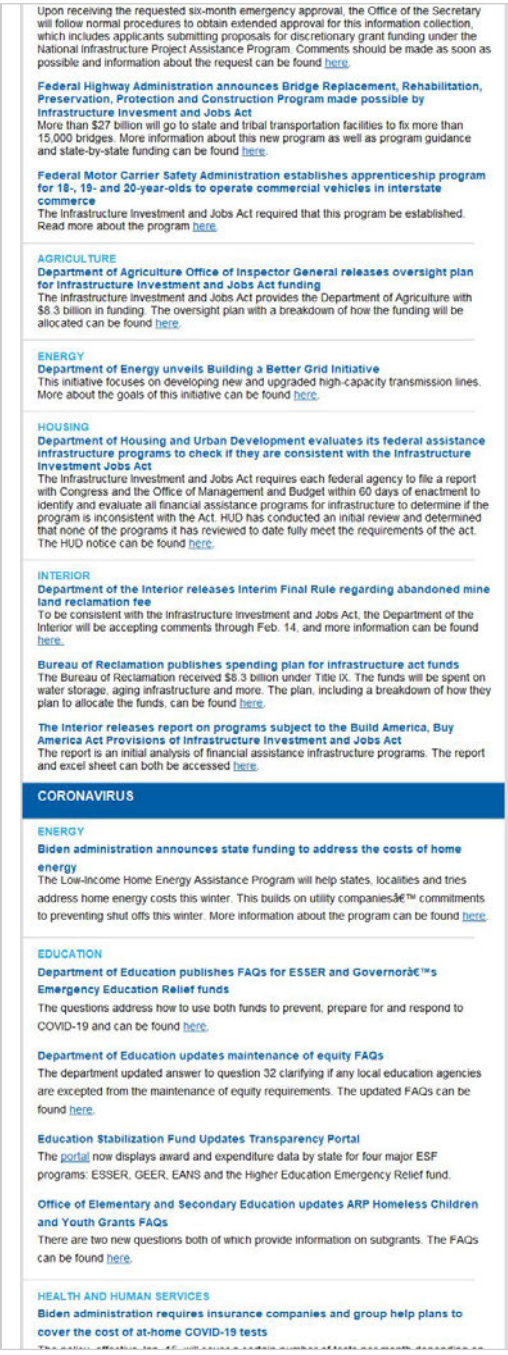

Upon receiving the requested six-month emergency approval, the Office of the Secretary will follow normal procedures to obtain extended approval for this information collection, which includes applicants submitting proposals for discretionary grant funding under the National Infrastructure Project Assistance Program. Comments should be made as soon as possible and information about the request can be found here.

Federal Highway Administration announces Bridge Replacement, Rehabilitation, Preservation, Protection and Construction Program made possible by Infrastructure Invesment and Jobs Act
More than $27 billion will go to state and tribal transportation facilities to fix more than 15,000 bridges. More information about this new program as well as program guidance and state-by-state funding can be found here.

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration establishes apprenticeship program for 18-, 19- and 20-year-olds to operate commercial vehicles in interstate commerce
The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act required that this program be established. Read more about the program here.

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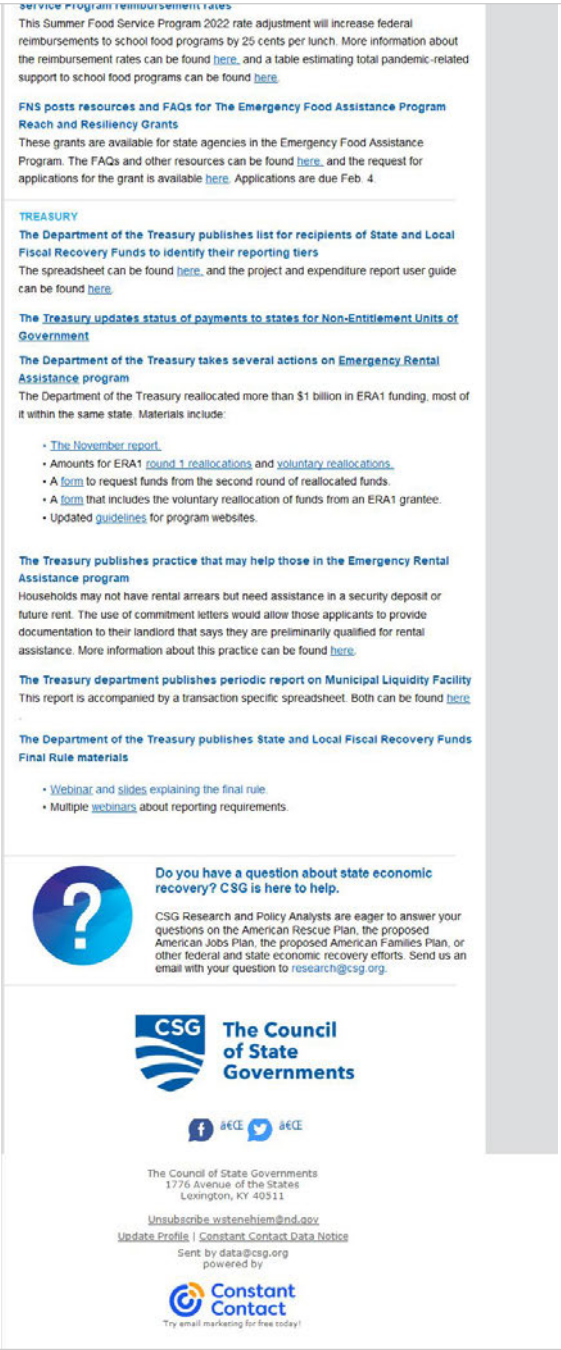
Body	

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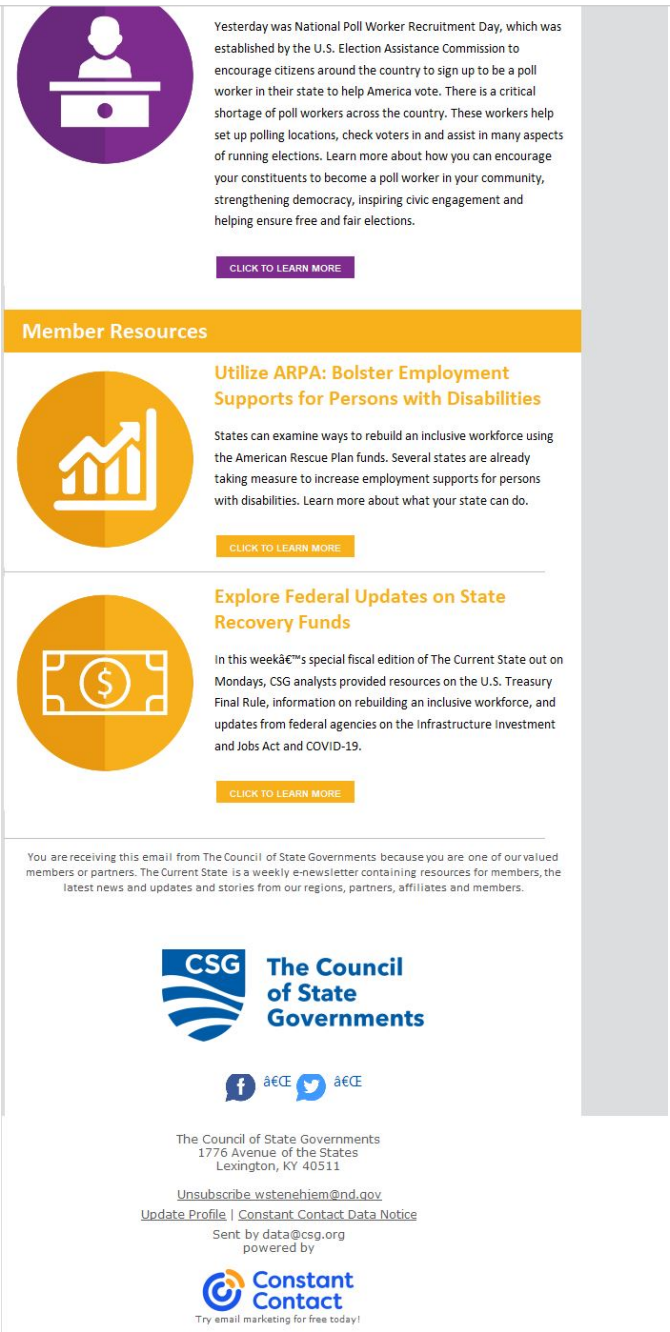
Body	

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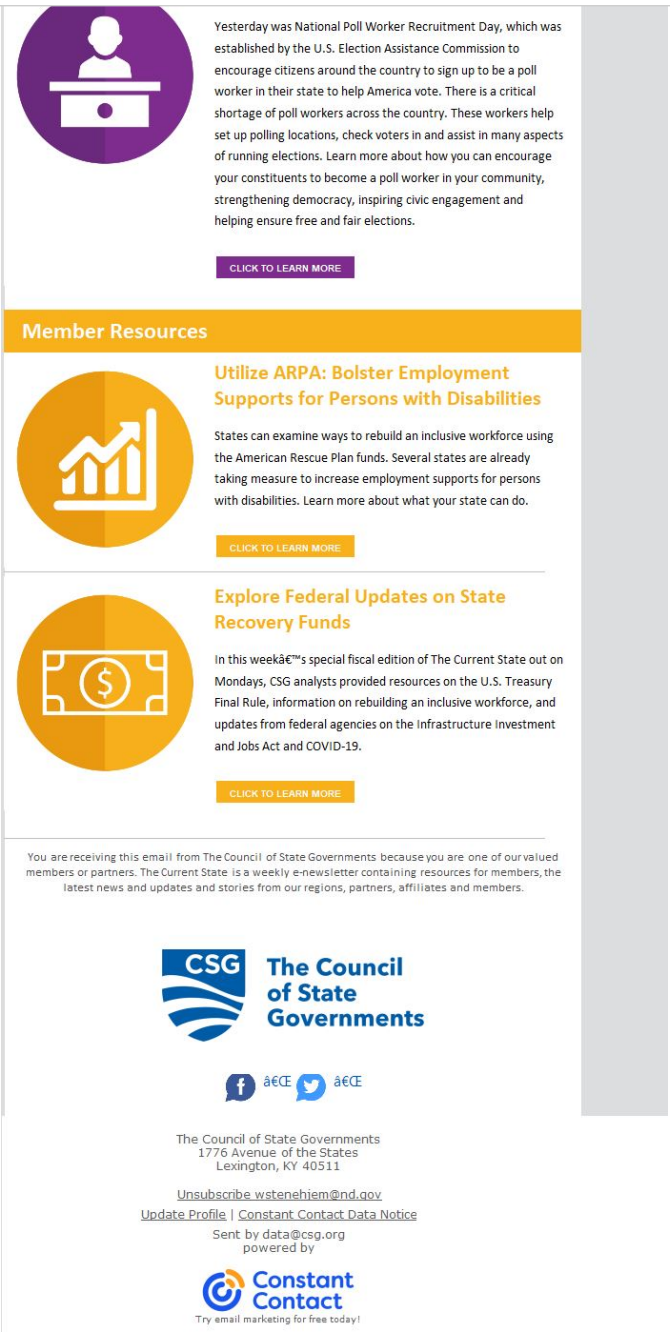
Body	

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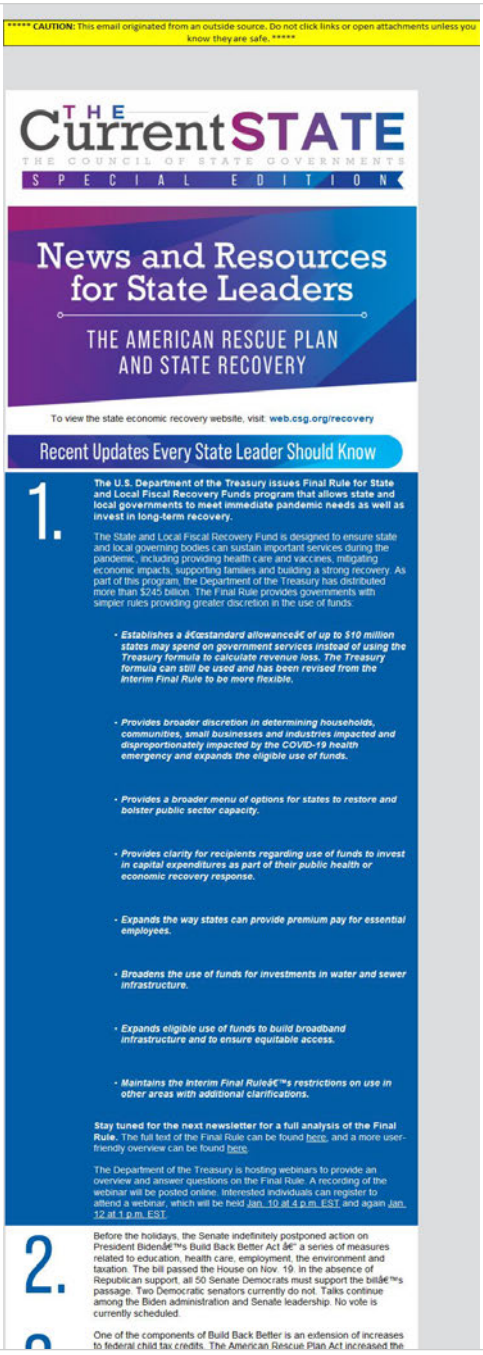

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The State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund is designed to ensure state and local governing bodies can sustain important services during the pandemic, including providing health care and vaccines, mitigating economic impacts, supporting families and building a strong recovery. As part of this program, the Department of the Treasury has distributed more than $245 billion. The Final Rule provides governments with simpler rules providing greater discretion in the use of funds:

- ***Establishes a â€œstandard allowanceâ€ of up to $10 million states may spend on government services instead of using the Treasury formula to calculate revenue loss. The Treasury formula can still be used and has been revised from the Interim Final Rule to be more flexible.***
- ***Provides broader discretion in determining households, communities, small businesses and industries impacted and disproportionately impacted by the COVID-19 health emergency and expands the eligible use of funds.***
- ***Provides a broader menu of options for states to restore and bolster public sector capacity.***
- ***Provides clarity for recipients regarding use of funds to invest in capital expenditures as part of their public health or economic recovery response.***
- ***Expands the way states can provide premium pay for essential employees.***
- ***Broadens the use of funds for investments in water and sewer infrastructure.***
- ***Expands eligible use of funds to build broadband infrastructure and to ensure equitable access.***
- ***Maintains the Interim Final Ruleâ€™s restrictions on use in other areas with additional clarifications.***

Stay tuned for the next newsletter for a full analysis of the Final Rule. The full text of the Final Rule can be found here, and a more user-friendly overview can be found here.

The Department of the Treasury is hosting webinars to provide an overview and answer questions on the Final Rule. A recording of the webinar will be posted online. Interested individuals can register to attend a webinar, which will be held Jan. 10 at 4 p.m. EST and again Jan. 12 at 1 p.m. EST.

2. Before the holidays, the Senate indefinitely postponed action on President Bidenâ€™s Build Back Better Act â€“ a series of measures related to education, health care, employment, the environment and taxation. The bill passed the House on Nov. 19. In the absence of Republican support, all 50 Senate Democrats must support the billâ€™s passage. Two Democratic senators currently do not. Talks continue among the Biden administration and Senate leadership. No vote is currently scheduled.

One of the components of Build Back Better is an extension of increases to federal child tax credits. The American Rescue Plan Act increased the

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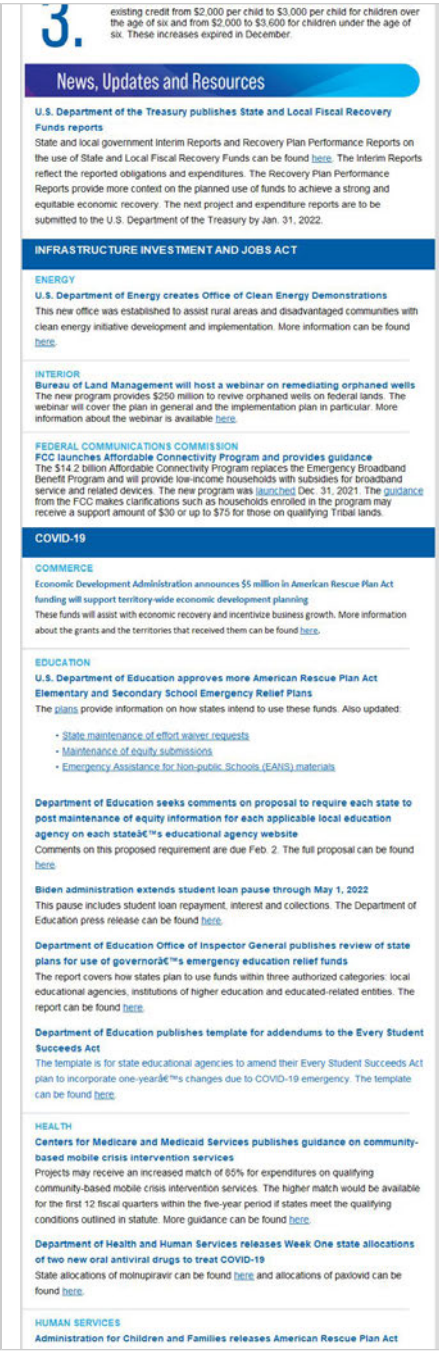

existing credit from $2,000 per child to $3,000 per child for children over the age of six and from $2,000 to $3,600 for children under the age of six. These increases expired in December.

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U.S. Department of the Treasury publishes State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds reports

State and local government Interim Reports and Recovery Plan Performance Reports on the use of State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds can be found here. The Interim Reports reflect the reported obligations and expenditures. The Recovery Plan Performance Reports provide more context on the planned use of funds to achieve a strong and equitable economic recovery. The next project and expenditure reports are to be submitted to the U.S. Department of the Treasury by Jan. 31, 2022.

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U.S. Department of Energy creates Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations

This new office was established to assist rural areas and disadvantaged communities with clean energy initiative development and implementation. More information can be found here.

INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management will host a webinar on remediating orphaned wells

The new program provides $250 million to revive orphaned wells on federal lands. The webinar will cover the plan in general and the implementation plan in particular. More information about the webinar is available here.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

FCC launches Affordable Connectivity Program and provides guidance

The $14.2 billion Affordable Connectivity Program replaces the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program and will provide low-income households with subsidies for broadband service and related devices. The new program was launched Dec. 31, 2021. The guidance from the FCC makes clarifications such as households enrolled in the program may receive a support amount of $30 or up to $75 for those on qualifying Tribal lands.

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COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration announces $5 million in American Rescue Plan Act funding will support territory-wide economic development planning

These funds will assist with economic recovery and incentivize business growth. More information about the grants and the territories that received them can be found here.

EDUCATION

U.S. Department of Education approves more American Rescue Plan Act Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Plans

The plans provide information on how states intend to use these funds. Also updated:

- State maintenance of effort waiver requests
- Maintenance of equity submissions
- Emergency Assistance for Non-public Schools (EANS) materials

Department of Education seeks comments on proposal to require each state to post maintenance of equity information for each applicable local education agency on each stateâ€™s educational agency website

Comments on this proposed requirement are due Feb. 2. The full proposal can be found here.

Biden administration extends student loan pause through May 1, 2022

This pause includes student loan repayment, interest and collections. The Department of Education press release can be found here.

Department of Education Office of Inspector General publishes review of state plans for use of governorâ€™s emergency education relief funds

The report covers how states plan to use funds within three authorized categories: local educational agencies, institutions of higher education and educated-related entities. The report can be found here.

Department of Education publishes template for addendums to the Every Student Succeeds Act

The template is for state educational agencies to amend their Every Student Succeeds Act plan to incorporate one-yearâ€™s changes due to COVID-19 emergency. The template can be found here.

HEALTH

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services publishes guidance on community-based mobile crisis intervention services

Projects may receive an increased match of 85% for expenditures on qualifying community-based mobile crisis intervention services. The higher match would be available for the first 12 fiscal quarters within the five-year period if states meet the qualifying conditions outlined in statute. More guidance can be found here.

Department of Health and Human Services releases Week One state allocations of two new oral antiviral drugs to treat COVID-19

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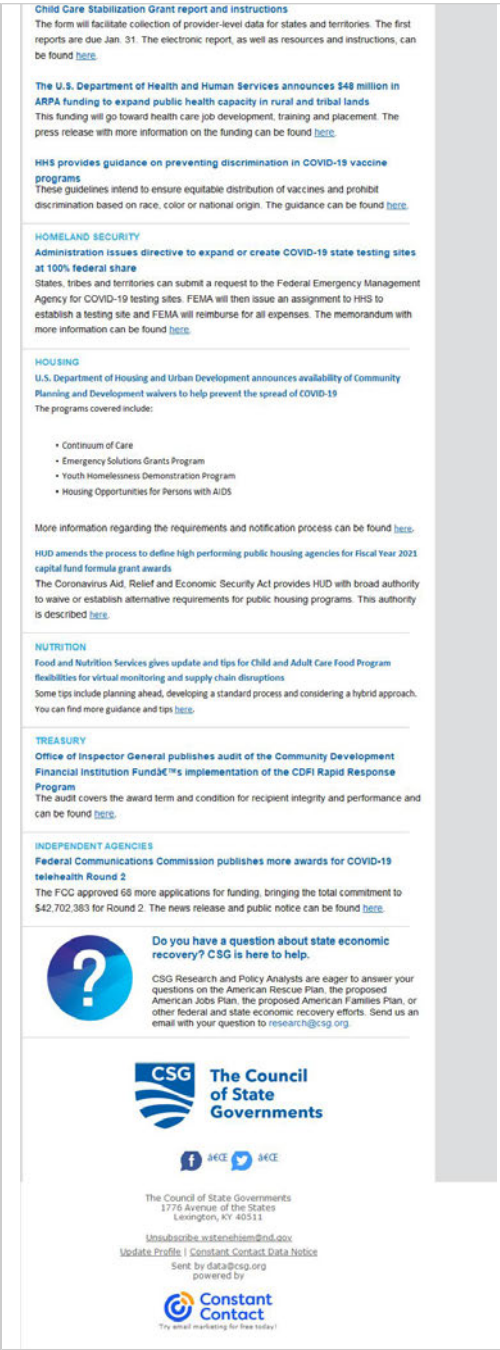
Body	

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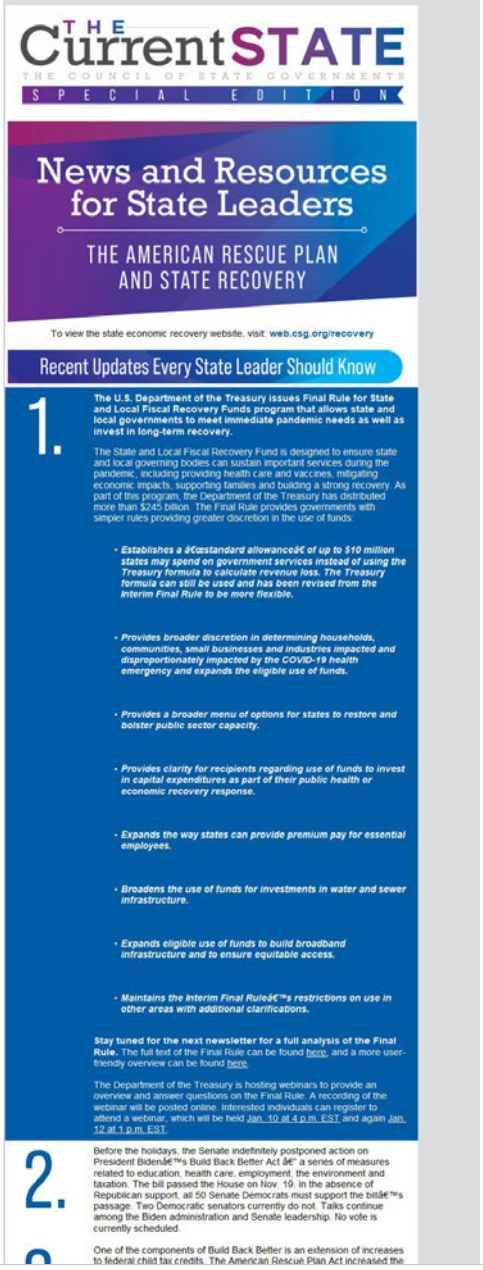

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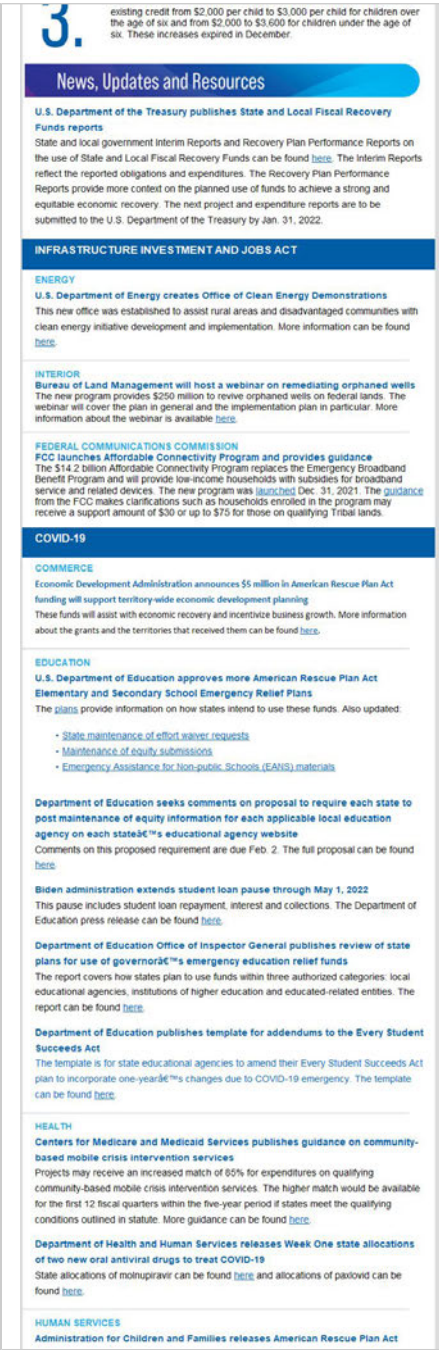


existing credit from $2,000 per child to $3,000 per child for children over the age of six and from $2,000 to $3,600 for children under the age of six. These increases expired in December.

News, Updates and Resources

U.S. Department of the Treasury publishes State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds reports

State and local government Interim Reports and Recovery Plan Performance Reports on the use of State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds can be found here. The Interim Reports reflect the reported obligations and expenditures. The Recovery Plan Performance Reports provide more context on the planned use of funds to achieve a strong and equitable economic recovery. The next project and expenditure reports are to be submitted to the U.S. Department of the Treasury by Jan. 31, 2022.

INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND JOBS ACT

ENERGY

U.S. Department of Energy creates Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations

This new office was established to assist rural areas and disadvantaged communities with clean energy initiative development and implementation. More information can be found here.

INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management will host a webinar on remediating orphaned wells

The new program provides $250 million to revive orphaned wells on federal lands. The webinar will cover the plan in general and the implementation plan in particular. More information about the webinar is available here.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

FCC launches Affordable Connectivity Program and provides guidance

The $14.2 billion Affordable Connectivity Program replaces the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program and will provide low-income households with subsidies for broadband service and related devices. The new program was launched Dec. 31, 2021. The guidance from the FCC makes clarifications such as households enrolled in the program may receive a support amount of $30 or up to $75 for those on qualifying Tribal lands.

COVID-19

COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration announces $5 million in American Rescue Plan Act funding will support territory-wide economic development planning

These funds will assist with economic recovery and incentivize business growth. More information about the grants and the territories that received them can be found here.

EDUCATION

U.S. Department of Education approves more American Rescue Plan Act Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Plans

The plans provide information on how states intend to use these funds. Also updated:

- State maintenance of effort waiver requests
- Maintenance of equity submissions
- Emergency Assistance for Non-public Schools (EANS) materials

Department of Education seeks comments on proposal to require each state to post maintenance of equity information for each applicable local education agency on each stateâ€™s educational agency website

Comments on this proposed requirement are due Feb. 2. The full proposal can be found here.

Biden administration extends student loan pause through May 1, 2022

This pause includes student loan repayment, interest and collections. The Department of Education press release can be found here.

Department of Education Office of Inspector General publishes review of state plans for use of governorâ€™s emergency education relief funds

The report covers how states plan to use funds within three authorized categories: local educational agencies, institutions of higher education and educated-related entities. The report can be found here.

Department of Education publishes template for addendums to the Every Student Succeeds Act

The template is for state educational agencies to amend their Every Student Succeeds Act plan to incorporate one-yearâ€™s changes due to COVID-19 emergency. The template can be found here.

HEALTH

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services publishes guidance on community-based mobile crisis intervention services

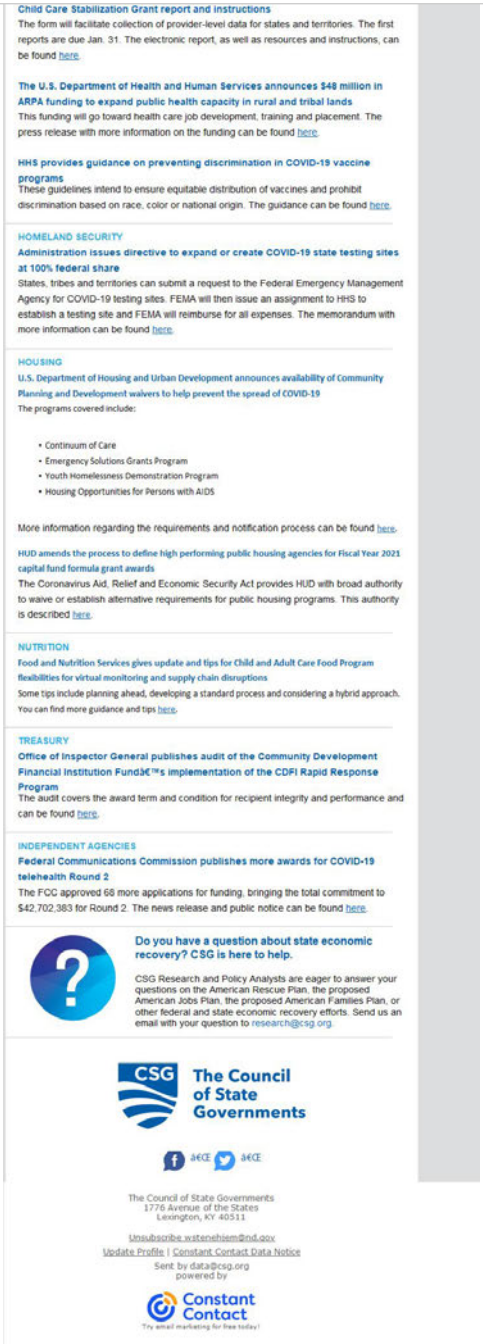
Projects may receive an increased match of 85% for expenditures on qualifying community-based mobile crisis intervention services. The higher match would be available for the first 12 fiscal quarters within the five-year period if states meet the qualifying conditions outlined in statute. More guidance can be found here.

Department of Health and Human Services releases Week One state allocations of two new oral antiviral drugs to treat COVID-19

State allocations of molnupiravir can be found here and allocations of paxlovid can be found here.

HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families releases American Rescue Plan Act

Body	

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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I don't think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Thanks and Happy New Year to you as well!

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Thanks for the information, Doug.
Happy New Year
Wayne

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Body	Good morning Wayne and Troy, First off, sorry to hear you are both not feeling well, hope you kick it soon and start feeling better. Secondly, our DFM candidate is in town today to complete the final items related to her conditional offer. The background investigation is complete and there was nothing to report and no reasons why she would not be a good candidate. She is in with the psychological Dr. this morning and will be up to meet with Ashley this afternoon. We have been struggling to fill this position for 7 months, and the hiring process has been slow as it is. I am hoping that we can proceed with a final offer at this point as to not put off a start date any further. Are you ok with us proceeding with a final offer for this candidate so that we can have her start with our office on February 14th? I would schedule her to meet with you both on her first week orientation so you would get a chance to talk with her then. Attached are her cover letter, resume and the memo requesting approval for a final offer and the final job offer letter. Please let me know whether you approve of this or not and if you have any questions or concerns. Thanks, Doug Nelson
CC	aeisenbeis@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
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FLIGHT	SEAT	
Delta 1893		Choose Seat
Delta 3603		Choose Seat

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Your New Flight Info

FLIGHT/DATE	DEPART	ARRIVE
UPDATE - CHANGE		
Delta 3686 Wed, February 9	Bismarck, North Dakota 7:49 am	Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minnesota 9:30 am
~~Delta 3739~~ ~~Wed, February 9~~	~~Bismarck, North Dakota~~ ~~12:24 pm~~	~~Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minnesota~~ ~~1:52 pm~~
Delta 3678 Wed, February 9	Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minnesota 3:15 pm	George Bush Intercontinental/h, Texas 6:31 pm
UPDATE - CHANGE		
Delta 3539 Fri, February 11	George Bush Intercontinental/h, Texas 11:32 am	Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minnesota 2:24 pm
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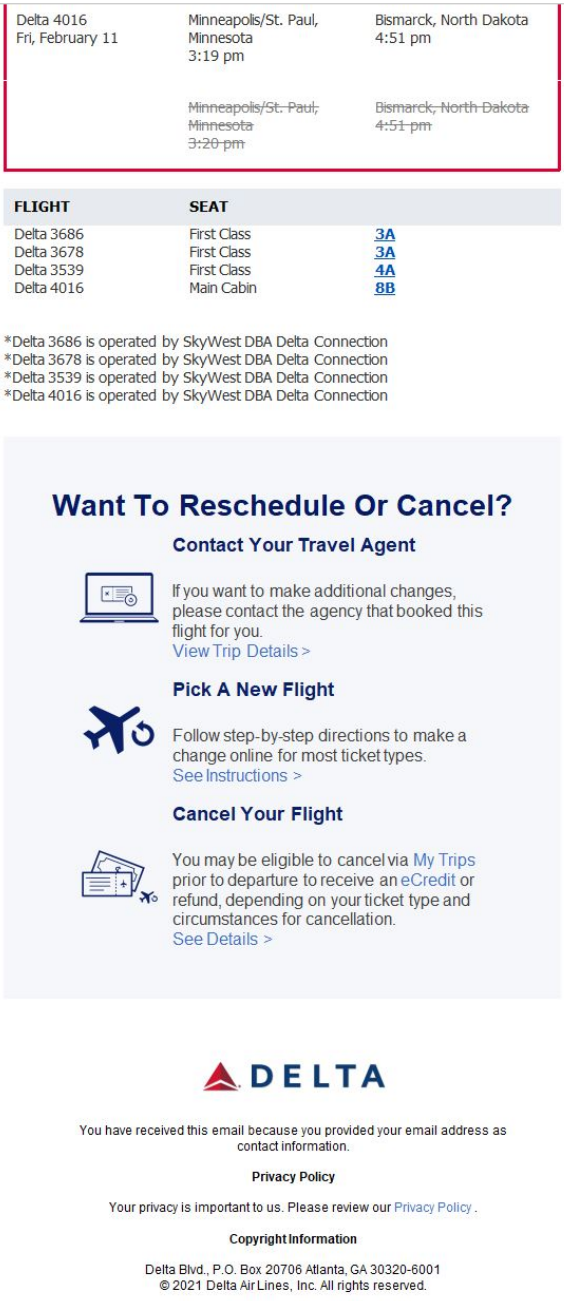

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FLIGHT	SEAT	
Delta 3686	First Class	3A
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Delta 3539	First Class	4A
Delta 4016	Main Cabin	8B

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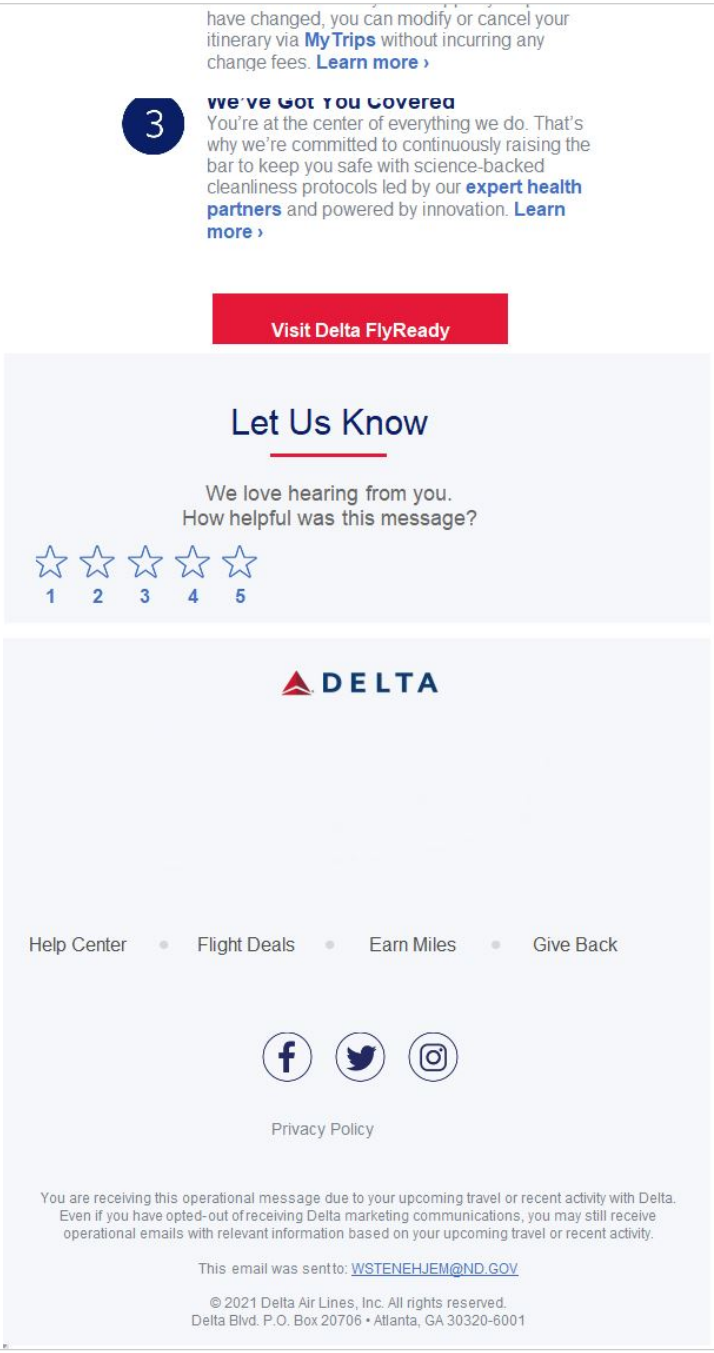
Body	

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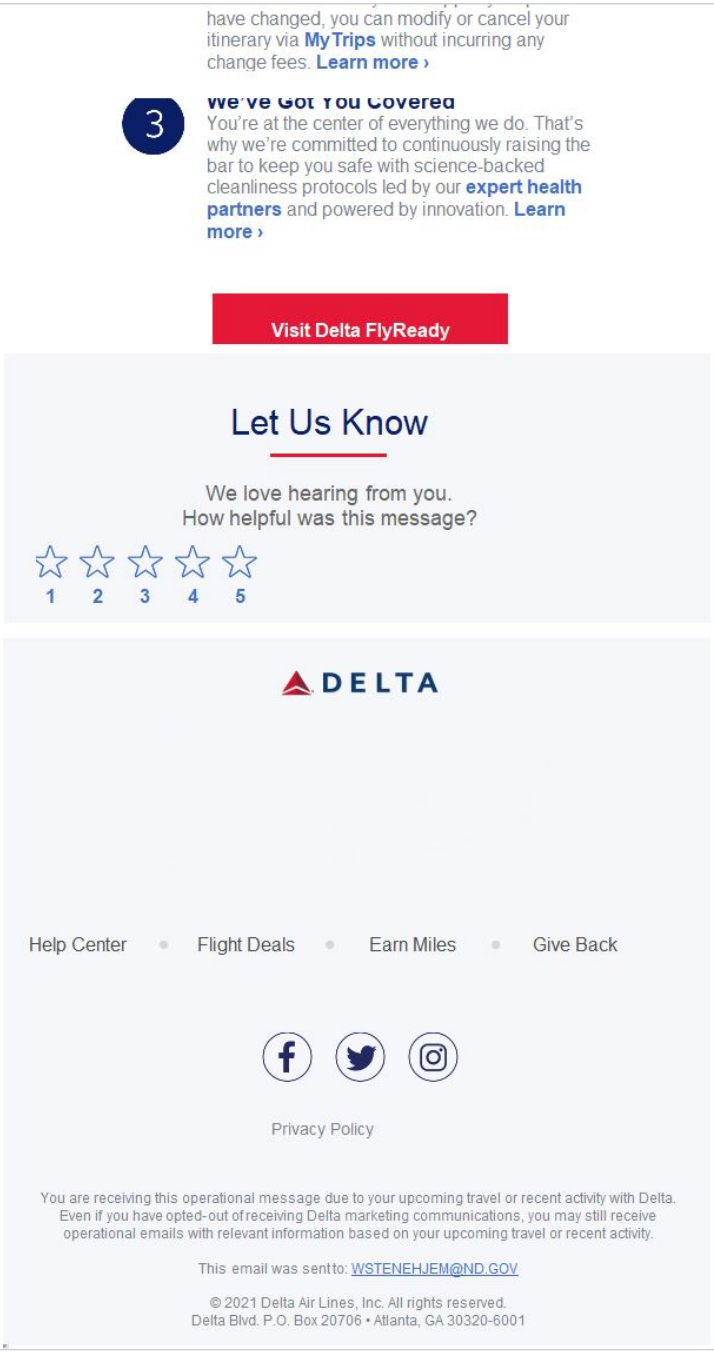
Body	

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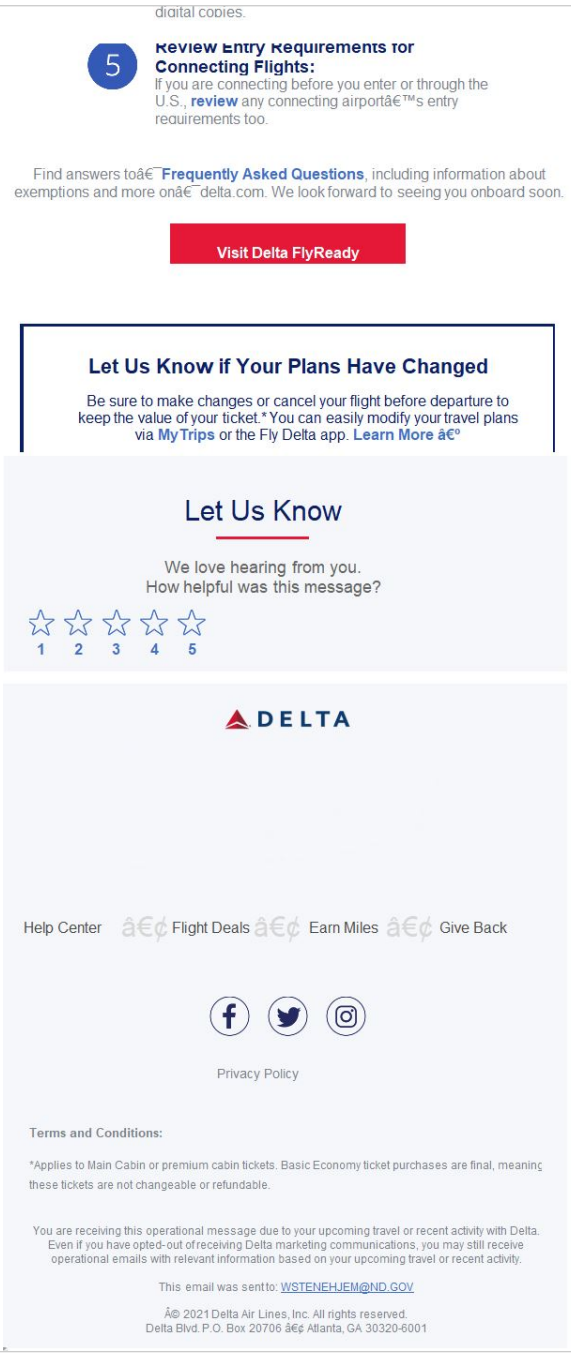
Body	

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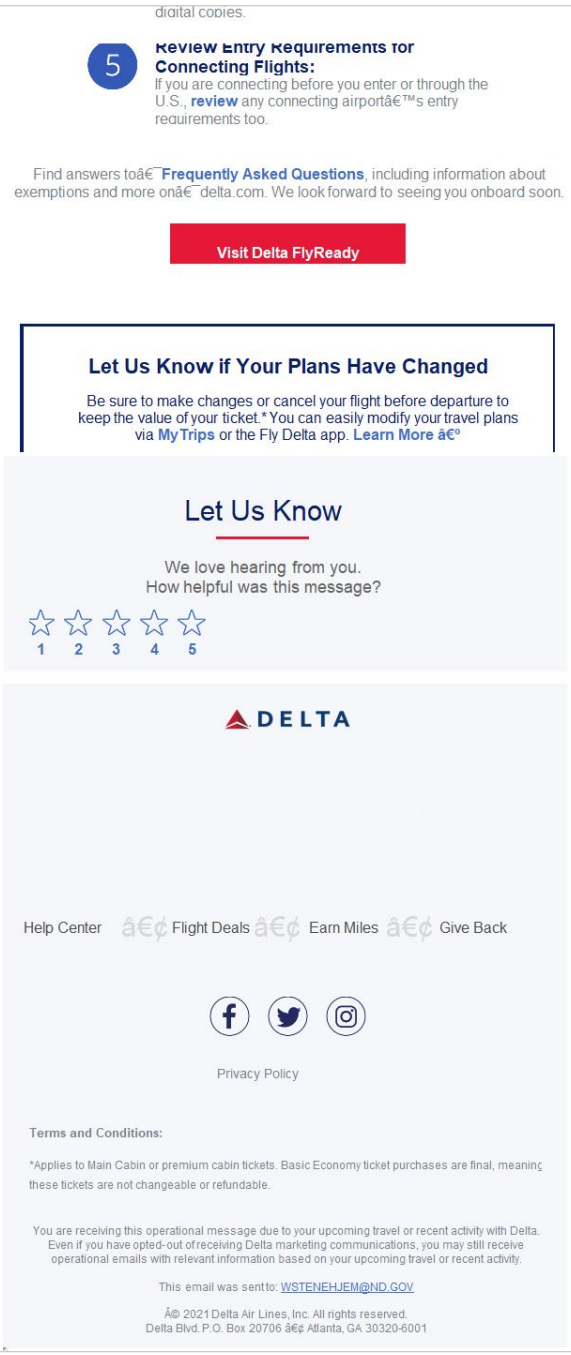
Body	

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Dear Wayne,

It was inspiring to see so many of you booking travel for this holiday season to visit loved ones, reconnect with friends and celebrate together. And Delta's 75,000 employees across the globe – who together have worked to make us the world's most reliable airline – were ready and excited to deliver the service we're known for and get you where you needed to go. Unfortunately, a series of winter weather systems throughout the U.S. coupled with the rapidly spreading Omicron variant put extraordinary pressure on our operation, our employees and customers like you. It has been one of the most difficult operational environments we've ever faced, and it forced us to cancel hundreds of flights as a result.

We know you expect the best from Delta – and you should, and I want to apologize to everyone whose travel plans have been impacted. Canceling a flight is always Delta's last resort. It's not only difficult on you, but it's also hard on our people, who truly want nothing more than to take care of you – especially over the holidays. While our teams work around the clock to restore our operation and serve you, here are some things to keep in mind for your upcoming travels:

TAKING ACTION TO SUPPORT YOU

Our teams have been hard at work to support you and alleviate the difficulties of the challenging period, working to reroute and substitute aircraft and crews to get you on your way quickly and safely. When that hasn't been possible, our Reservation specialists work closely with our Operations and Customer Care Center to get those impacted onto the next available flight. In addition, we are notifying customers as early as possible of changes to their travel itineraries and **issuing travel waivers** ahead of winter weather forecasts. Delta has also focused on making travel more flexible – including removing change fees for most tickets, **extending Medallion Status** and key SkyMiles benefits into January 2023, and providing more ways for you to manage your trips from your own device.

UPDATED HEALTH GUIDANCE RELIEVES OPERATIONAL STRAIN

New CDC isolation and quarantine guidelines, which are based on the latest scientific research on the Omicron variant, are expected to help alleviate staffing pressure in the weeks ahead and smooth out operational difficulties. Our medical advisors, led by Delta Chief Health Officer Dr. Henry Ting

Body	Our medical advisors, led by Delta Chief Health Officer **Dr. Henry Ting** along with experts like **Dr. Carlos del Rio**, Distinguished Professor of Medicine in the Division of Infectious Diseases at Emory University School of Medicine, have shared that the majority of new cases, especially among those fully vaccinated, fortunately appear to be more mild than previous variants. However, Omicron is much more transmissible than previous variants, so we are grateful for your continued mask wearing on board as it proves to be an effective tool in virus mitigation and remains a federal requirement. **NEW TOOLS TO GIVE YOU MORE CONTROL** We've invested throughout 2021 in upgrading our digital tools to help you navigate the current environment with self-service options designed to save you time. That includes the ability to quickly change or cancel a flight, find baggage information, select your seat or request assistance with accessible travel via **delta.com** or the **Fly Delta app**. And if you're **flying internationally**, we've worked to remove the guesswork from health requirements with **Delta FlyReady℠**, offering the ability to upload and verify government forms, proof of vaccination and negative COVID-19 testing for many destinations. As the world manages through these uncertain days, please know that all of us at Delta are committed to delivering the world-class safety, service and reliability you have come to expect from us. With grit, determination and dedication, our team has overcome numerous challenges since the pandemic began, and you have my commitment that we'll continue to take care of you as we work to deliver the seamless and enjoyable experience you expect and deserve when you travel with Delta. In the meantime, our thoughts are with everyone experiencing the virus firsthand. Please stay safe and take care. Thank you for your business and loyalty. We look forward to seeing you on board. Sincerely, **Allison Ausband** E.V.P. and Chief Customer Experience Officer DELTA Help Center • Flight Deals • Earn Miles • Give Back Privacy Policy You are receiving this operational message due to your upcoming travel or recent activity with Delta. Even if you have opted-out of receiving Delta marketing communications, you may still receive operational emails with relevant information based on your upcoming travel or recent activity. This email was sent to: WSTENEHJEM@ND.GOV © 2022 Delta Air Lines, Inc. All rights reserved. Delta Blvd. P.O. Box 20706 • Atlanta, GA 30320-6001

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Dear Wayne,

It was inspiring to see so many of you booking travel for this holiday season to visit loved ones, reconnect with friends and celebrate together. And Delta's 75,000 employees across the globe – who together have worked to make us the world's most reliable airline – were ready and excited to deliver the service we're known for and get you where you needed to go. Unfortunately, a series of winter weather systems throughout the U.S. coupled with the rapidly spreading Omicron variant put extraordinary pressure on our operation, our employees and customers like you. It has been one of the most difficult operational environments we've ever faced, and it forced us to cancel hundreds of flights as a result.

We know you expect the best from Delta – and you should, and I want to apologize to everyone whose travel plans have been impacted. Canceling a flight is always Delta's last resort. It's not only difficult on you, but it's also hard on our people, who truly want nothing more than to take care of you – especially over the holidays. While our teams work around the clock to restore our operation and serve you, here are some things to keep in mind for your upcoming travels:

TAKING ACTION TO SUPPORT YOU

Our teams have been hard at work to support you and alleviate the difficulties of the challenging period, working to reroute and substitute aircraft and crews to get you on your way quickly and safely. When that hasn't been possible, our Reservation specialists work closely with our Operations and Customer Care Center to get those impacted onto the next available flight. In addition, we are notifying customers as early as possible of changes to their travel itineraries and **issuing travel waivers** ahead of winter weather forecasts. Delta has also focused on making travel more flexible – including removing change fees for most tickets, **extending Medallion Status** and key SkyMiles benefits into January 2023, and providing more ways for you to manage your trips from your own device.

UPDATED HEALTH GUIDANCE RELIEVES OPERATIONAL STRAIN

New CDC isolation and quarantine guidelines, which are based on the latest scientific research on the Omicron variant, are expected to help alleviate staffing pressure in the weeks ahead and smooth out operational difficulties. Our medical advisors, led by Delta Chief Health Officer Dr. Henry Ting

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Now Use Your eCredits Through December 31, 2023

We want to ensure you have peace of mind when booking and rebooking your trips with Delta this year. Thatâ€™s why weâ€™re giving you even more flexibility as you plan your next trip. Your eCredits will be extended through December 31, 2023, for travel throughout 2024. Youâ€™ll continue to enjoy added **booking flexibility** with no change fees on Main Cabin and premium tickets.

Donâ€™t worry if you arenâ€™t seeing the new expiration date on your eCredit documents. It will take us some time to update our system, but rest assured you can continue to book tickets for travel anytime in 2022 or 2023 with your existing eCredits.

When you are ready to use your eCredit, it's easy to redeem at **delta.com/redeem** or the **Fly Delta app**. We look forward to welcoming you back on board.

Redeem Your eCredits

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Plan Your Next Adventure

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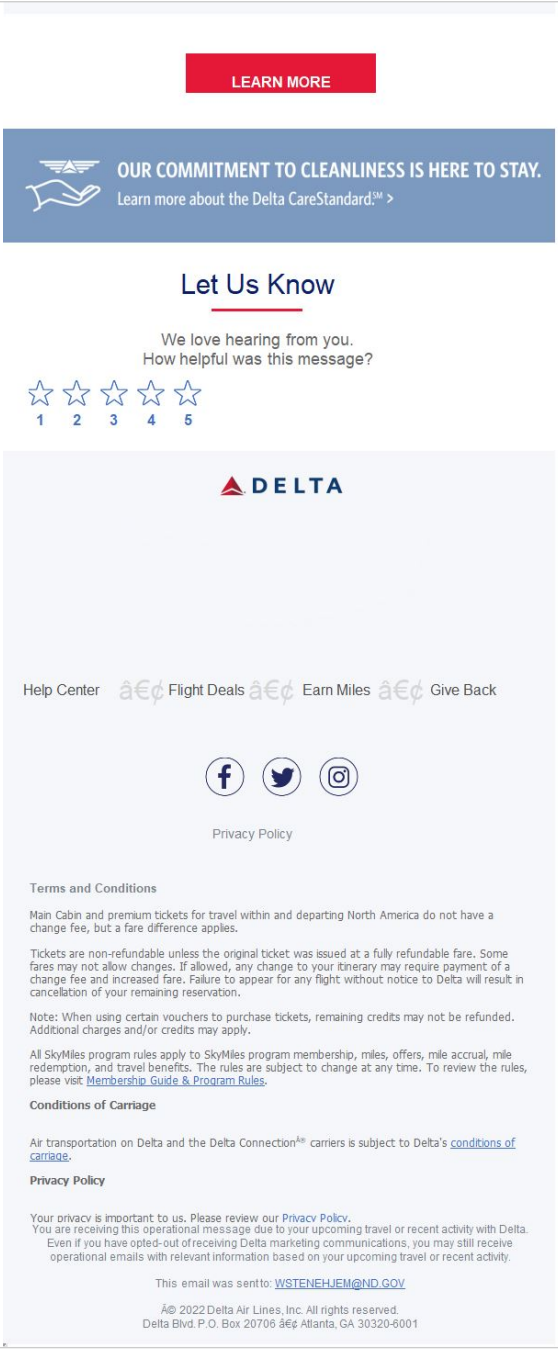
Body	

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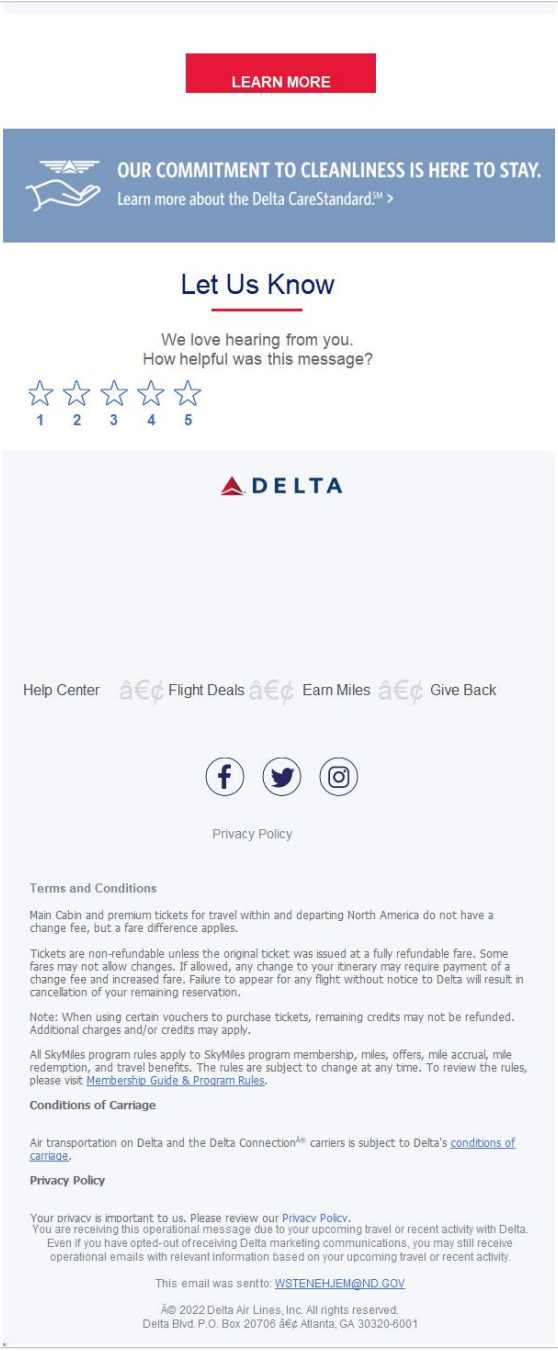
Body	

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Wayne, Explore The Diamond Medallion^A® Experience You Can Expect This Year

When youâ€™re ready to take off, youâ€™ll experience the Medallion difference with extended Diamond Medallion Status through January 31, 2023â€“our thank-you for your loyalty to Delta. Explore how your Status will help you get the most from every adventure this year.

Keep Your 2021 Medallion Qualification Miles (MQMs)

Enjoy a jump start on earning toward 2023 Status. Your 2021 balance of 266,090 MQMs has rolled over to 2022.

Learn More About This Delta Exclusive Benefit â€º

Get There With Miles

Your miles with Delta are valuable. Not only can you redeem miles youâ€™ve earned toward Award Travel, but for 2022, those award trips will help you earn MQMs, Medallion Qualification Segments (MQSs), and Medallion Qualification Dollars (MQDs) toward 2023 Status.

More Ways To Use Miles â€º

The Best Seat, Your Way

Upgrade on your terms. Have more control with upgrades by choosing your seat selection.

Get To Know Upgrades â€º

Your Status is Always with

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You can view your digital Medallion Credentials any time by visiting the My Wallet section of the Fly Delta App.

View My Membership Card â€º

Donâ€™t forget, as a Diamond Medallion Member, you also get access to great benefits like the highest priority for Unlimited Complimentary Upgrades, complimentary CLEAR membership, a VIP phone line and more.

Please note that Choice Benefits are not an extended Medallion℠ Status benefit this year.

EXPLORE YOUR BENEFITS

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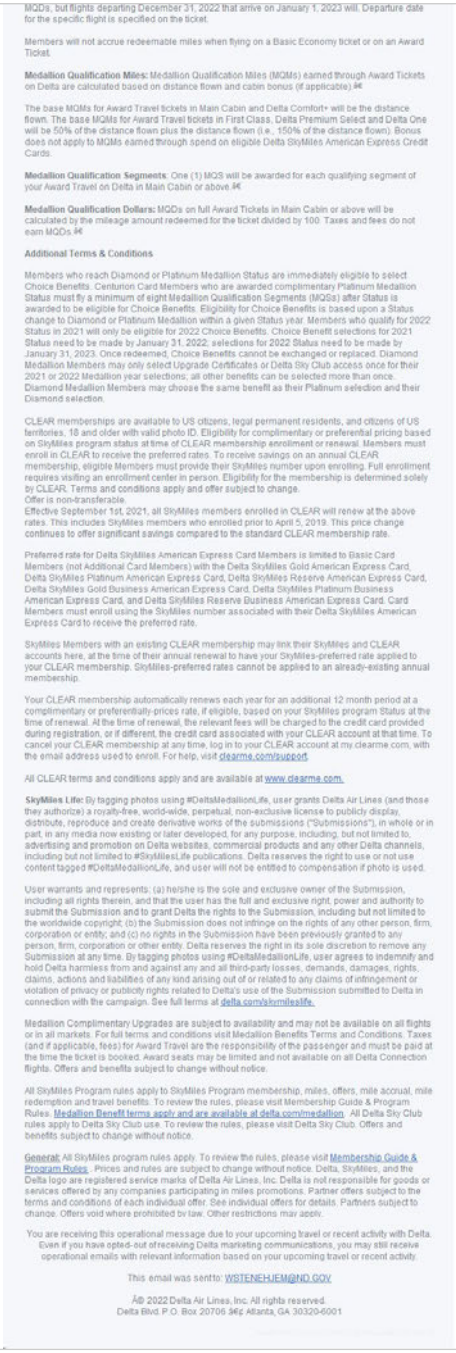
Award Travel: Promotional accrual of Medallion Qualification Miles (MQMs), Medallion Qualification Segments (MQSs) and Medallion Qualification Dollars (MQDs) for Award Travel flights marketed and operated by Delta.

Promotional Period: April 1, 2021 â€“ December 31, 2022

Offer: SkyMiles Members (â€œMembersâ€) will earn Medallion Qualification Miles (MQMs), Medallion Qualification Segments (MQSs) and Medallion Qualification Dollars (MQDs) for Award Travel flights that are both marketed (flight number begins with â€˜DLâ€™) and operated by Delta Air Lines, Delta Connection℠ carriers or Delta Shuttle℠ (â€œDelta Carriersâ€™) and are flown during the Promotional Period. Only qualifying activity (as defined below) will be eligible for the bonuses.

Qualifying Activity: Qualifying flight activity includes Award Tickets, Miles + Cash Tickets, Pay with Miles tickets, post-purchase upgrades and flights book as a part of a Delta Vacations℠ package, but does not include travel on partner airlines (even if marketed by Delta), exception fares (not including Delta Vacations), Award redemptions on non-air products or fees. MQMs, MQSs and MQDs are earned by the Member who is flying, regardless of who booked or redeemed miles for the ticket, and are awarded after the ticket is flown. Promotional Period is calculated based on the day the flight departs; flights departing March 31, 2021 (arriving April 1) will not earn MQMs, MQSs, and

Body	

MQDs, but flights departing December 31, 2022 that arrive on January 1, 2023 will. Departure date for the specific flight is specified on the ticket.

Members will not accrue redeemable miles when flying on a Basic Economy ticket or on an Award Ticket.

Medallion Qualification Miles: Medallion Qualification Miles (MQMs) earned through Award Tickets on Delta are calculated based on distance flown and cabin bonus (if applicable).â€¢

The base MQMs for Award Travel tickets in Main Cabin and Delta Comfort+ will be the distance flown. The base MQMs for Award Travel tickets in First Class, Delta Premium Select and Delta One will be 50% of the distance flown plus the distance flown (i.e., 150% of the distance flown). Bonus does not apply to MQMs earned through spend on eligible Delta SkyMiles American Express Credit Cards.

Medallion Qualification Segments: One (1) MQS will be awarded for each qualifying segment of your Award Travel on Delta in Main Cabin or above.â€¢

Medallion Qualification Dollars: MQDs on full Award Tickets in Main Cabin or above will be calculated by the mileage amount redeemed for the ticket divided by 100. Taxes and fees do not earn MQDs.â€¢

Additional Terms & Conditions

Members who reach Diamond or Platinum Medallion Status are immediately eligible to select Choice Benefits. Centurion Card Members who are awarded complimentary Platinum Medallion Status must fly a minimum of eight Medallion Qualification Segments (MQSs) after Status is awarded to be eligible for Choice Benefits. Eligibility for Choice Benefits is based upon a Status change to Diamond or Platinum Medallion within a given Status year. Members who qualify for 2022 Status in 2021 will only be eligible for 2022 Choice Benefits. Choice Benefit selections for 2021 Status need to be made by January 31, 2022; selections for 2022 Status need to be made by January 31, 2023. Once redeemed, Choice Benefits cannot be exchanged or replaced. Diamond Medallion Members may only select Upgrade Certificates or Delta Sky Club access once for their 2021 or 2022 Medallion year selections; all other benefits can be selected more than once. Diamond Medallion Members may choose the same benefit as their Platinum selection and their Diamond selection.

CLEAR memberships are available to US citizens, legal permanent residents, and citizens of US territories, 18 and older with valid photo ID. Eligibility for complimentary or preferential pricing based on SkyMiles program status at time of CLEAR membership enrollment or renewal. Members must enroll in CLEAR to receive the preferred rates. To receive savings on an annual CLEAR membership, eligible Members must provide their SkyMiles number upon enrolling. Full enrollment requires visiting an enrollment center in person. Eligibility for the membership is determined solely by CLEAR. Terms and conditions apply and offer subject to change.
Offer is non-transferable.
Effective September 1st, 2021, all SkyMiles members enrolled in CLEAR will renew at the above rates. This includes SkyMiles members who enrolled prior to April 5, 2019. This price change continues to offer significant savings compared to the standard CLEAR membership rate.

Preferred rate for Delta SkyMiles American Express Card Members is limited to Basic Card Members (not Additional Card Members) with the Delta SkyMiles Gold American Express Card, Delta SkyMiles Platinum American Express Card, Delta SkyMiles Reserve American Express Card, Delta SkyMiles Gold Business American Express Card, Delta SkyMiles Platinum Business American Express Card, and Delta SkyMiles Reserve Business American Express Card. Card Members must enroll using the SkyMiles number associated with their Delta SkyMiles American Express Card to receive the preferred rate.

SkyMiles Members with an existing CLEAR membership may link their SkyMiles and CLEAR accounts here, at the time of their annual renewal to have your SkyMiles-preferred rate applied to your CLEAR membership. SkyMiles-preferred rates cannot be applied to an already-existing annual membership.

Your CLEAR membership automatically renews each year for an additional 12 month period at a complimentary or preferentially-prices rate, if eligible, based on your SkyMiles program Status at the time of renewal. At the time of renewal, the relevant fees will be charged to the credit card provided during registration, or if different, the credit card associated with your CLEAR account at that time. To cancel your CLEAR membership at any time, log in to your CLEAR account at my.clearme.com, with the email address used to enroll. For help, visit clearme.com/support.

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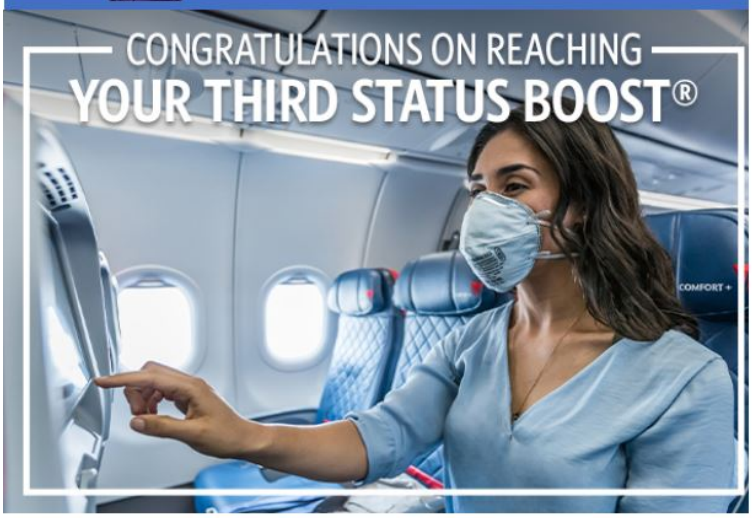


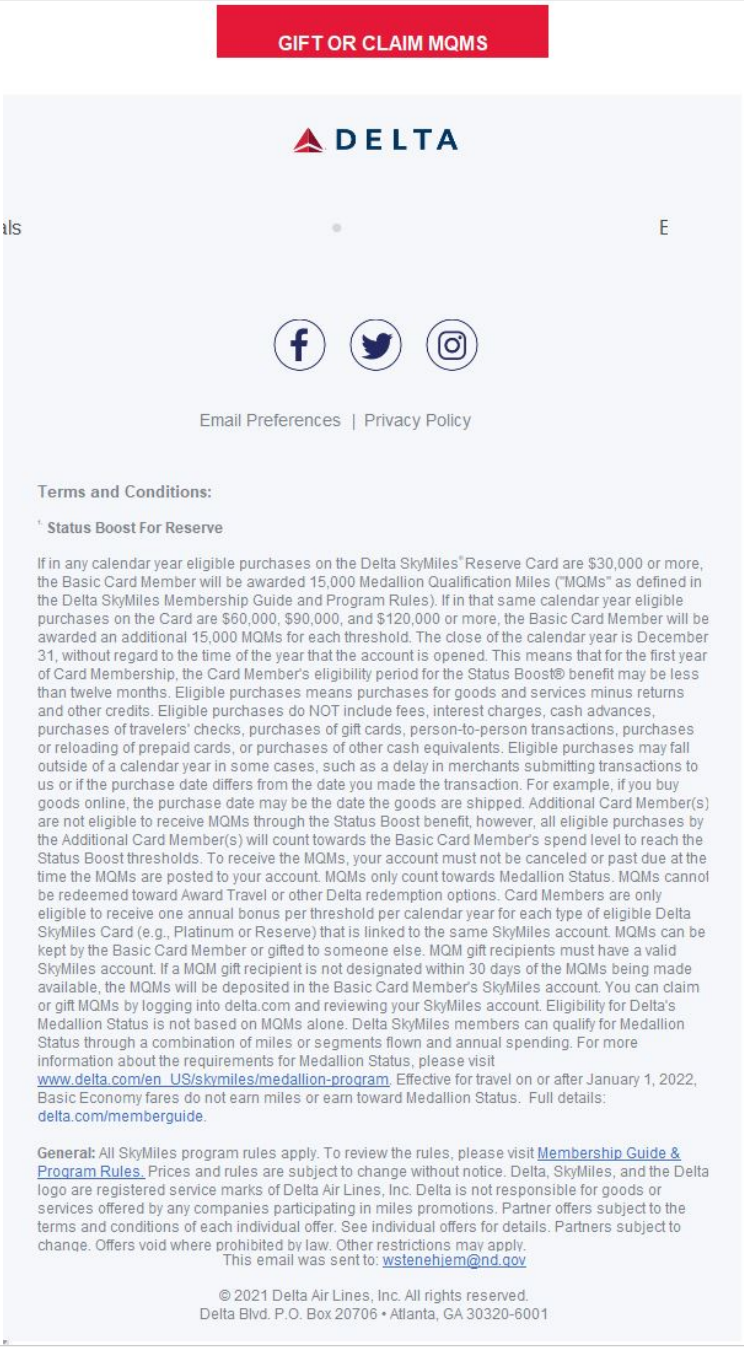
Congratulations on reaching your third of four Status Boosts this year. You've earned **Medallion® Qualification Miles (MQMs)** for spending on your Delta SkyMiles® Reserve American Express Card.[1]

Choose how you want to use them:

Keep Your Status Soaring
Visit your SkyMiles account to claim your MQMs. MQMs can help you earn or elevate your Medallion Status.

OR

Make Someone's Day
You can gift your MQMs to a loved one or friend by depositing them into their account within 30 days. If a recipient is not chosen within 30 days, we will automatically add the MQMs to your account.

Body	

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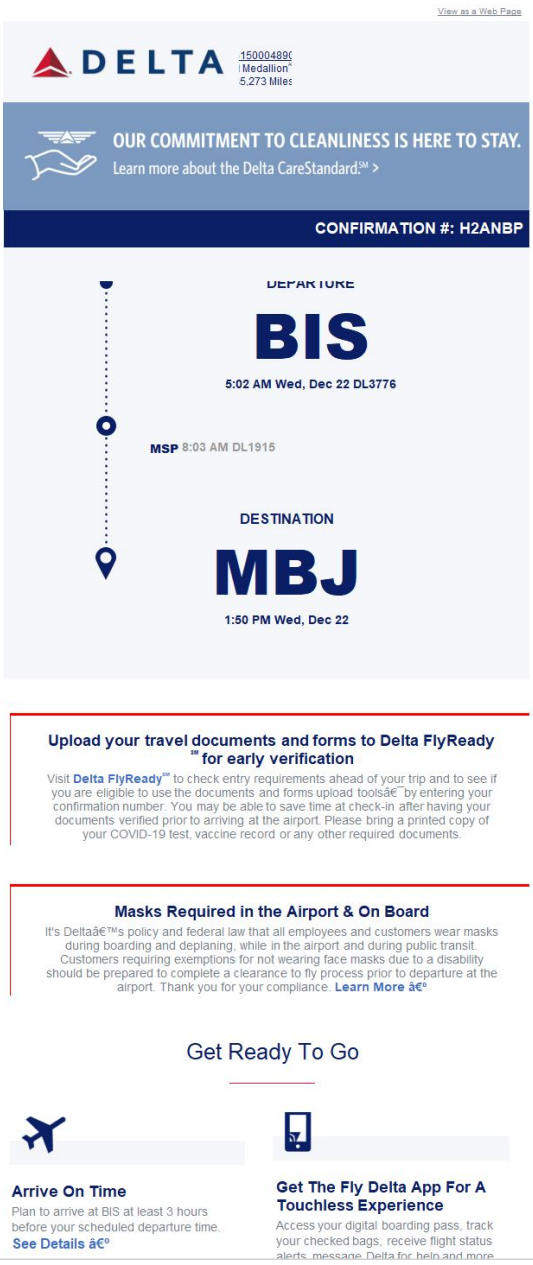
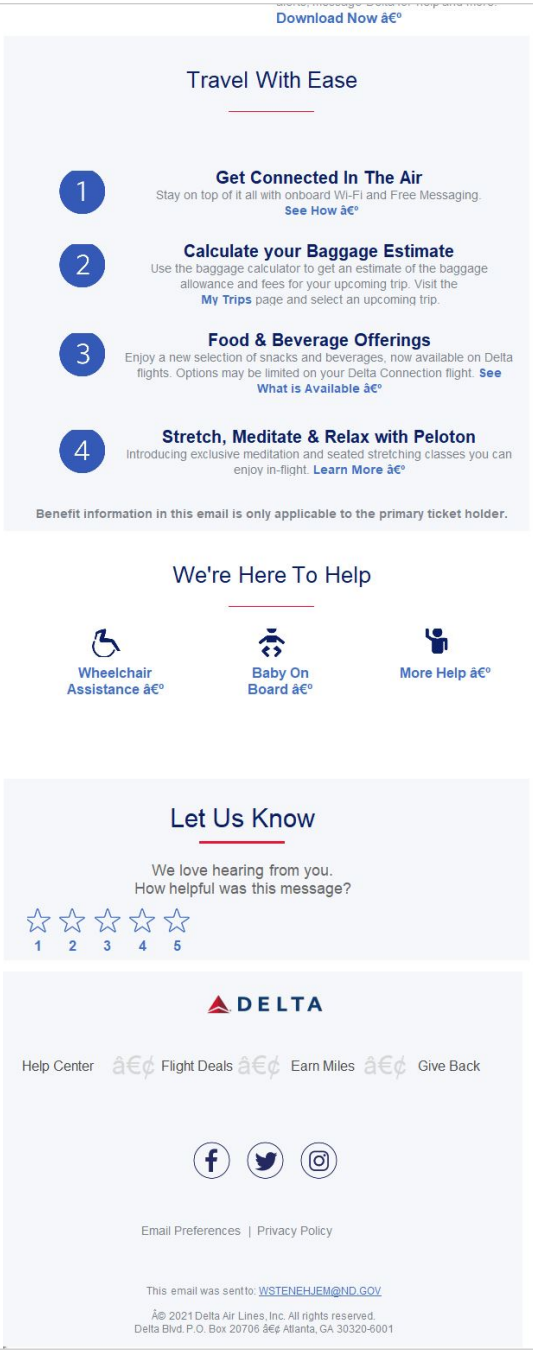


Body	

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Masks Required in the Airport & On Board

It's Deltaâ€™s policy and federal law that all employees and customers wear masks during boarding and deplaning, while in the airport and during public transit. Customers requiring exemptions for not wearing face masks due to a disability should be prepared to complete a clearance to fly process prior to departure at the airport. Thank you for your compliance. Learn More â€º

Get Ready To Go

Arrive On Time

Plan to arrive at BIS at least 3 hours before your scheduled departure time.
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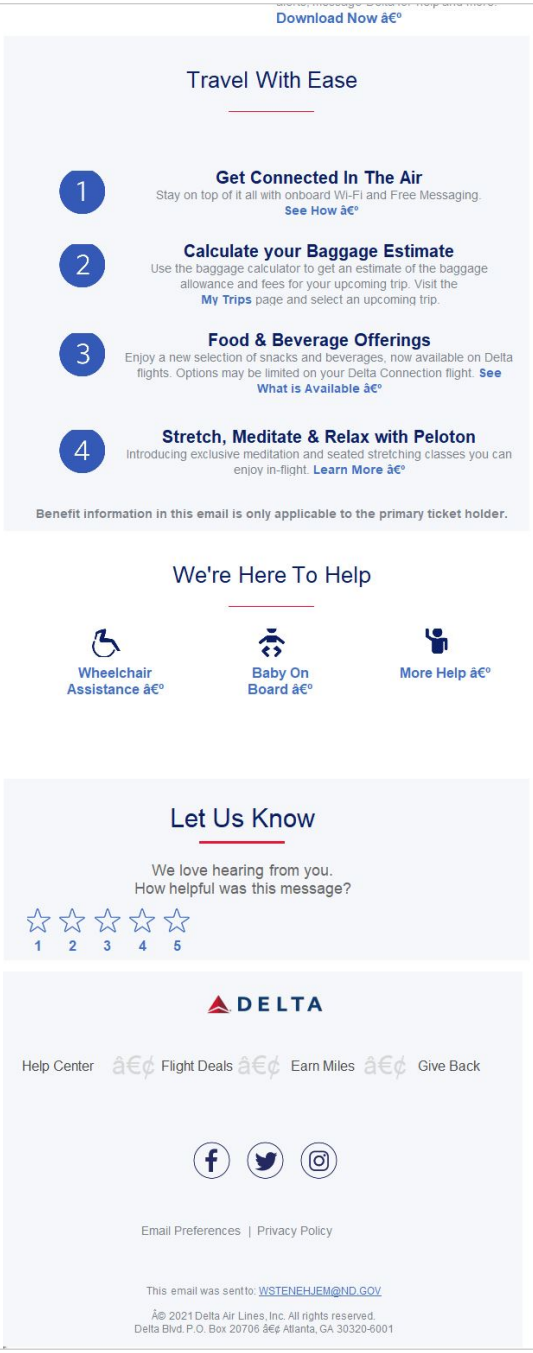
Body	

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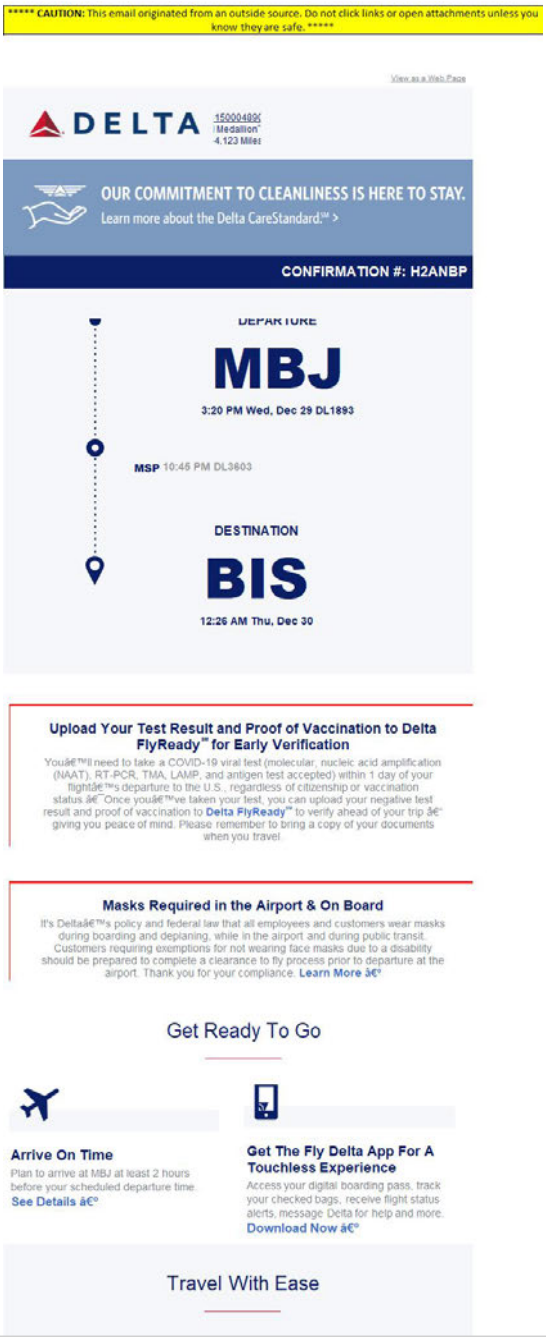

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Upload Your Test Result and Proof of Vaccination to Delta FlyReady℠ for Early Verification

Youâ€™ll need to take a COVID-19 viral test (molecular, nucleic acid amplification (NAAT), RT-PCR, TMA, LAMP, and antigen test accepted) within 1 day of your flightâ€™s departure to the U.S., regardless of citizenship or vaccination status. â€¯Once youâ€™ve taken your test, you can upload your negative test result and proof of vaccination to Delta FlyReady℠ to verify ahead of your trip â€¯giving you peace of mind. Please remember to bring a copy of your documents when you travel.

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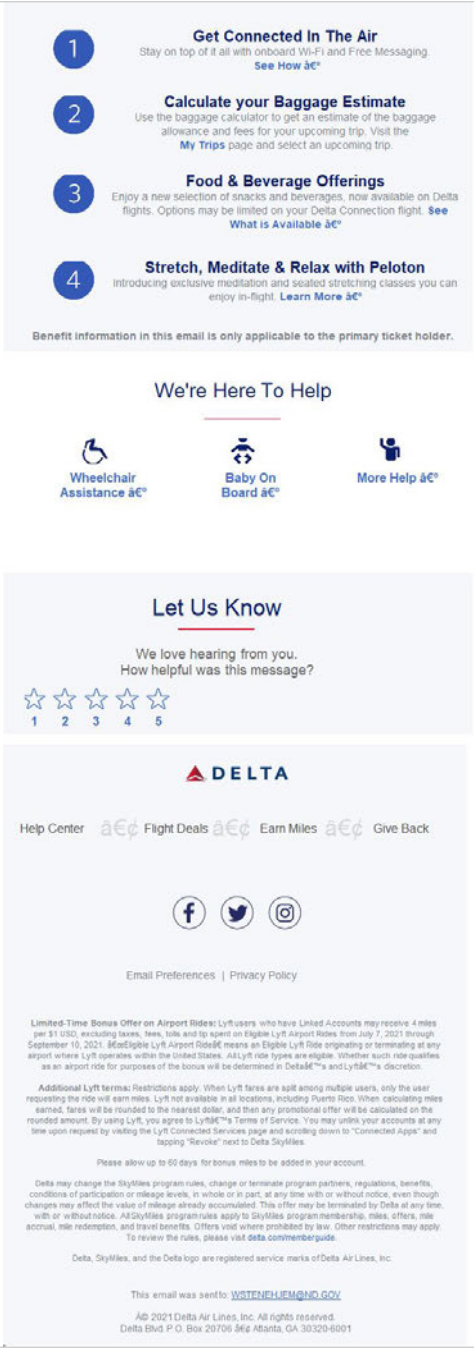
Body	

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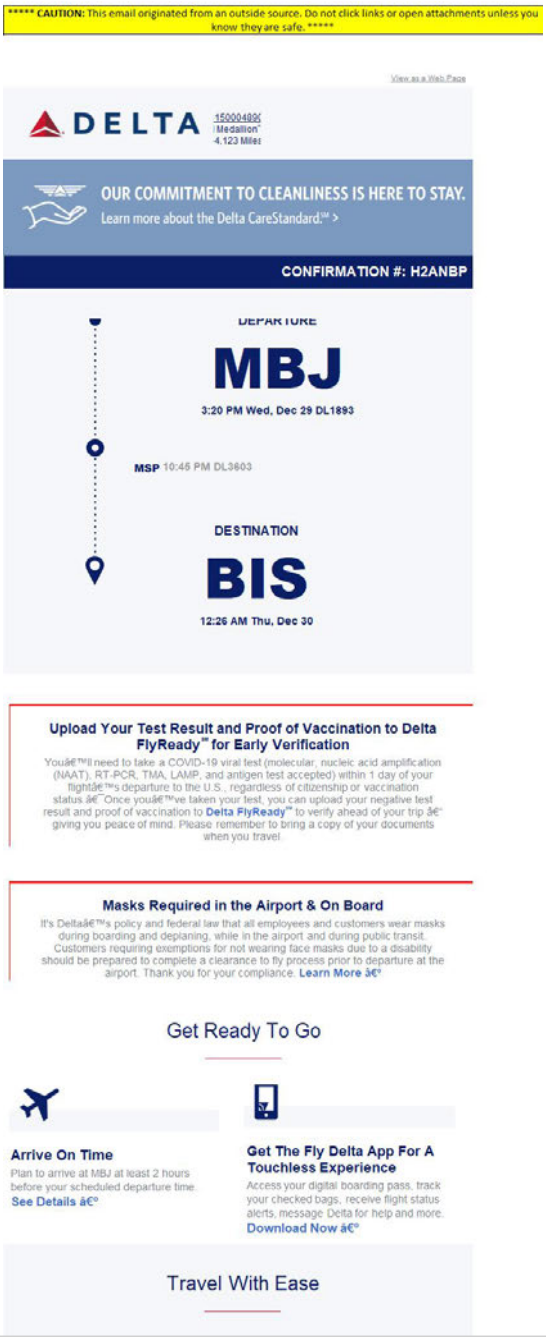

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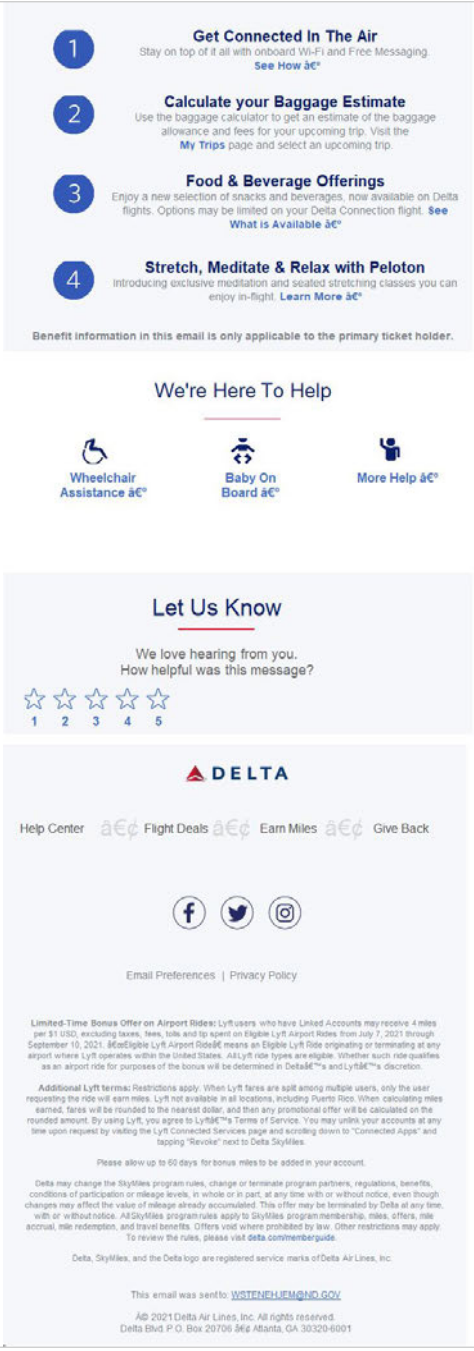
Body	

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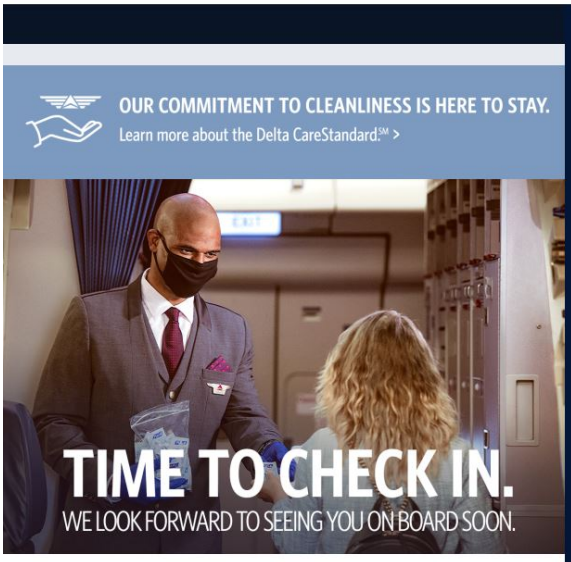

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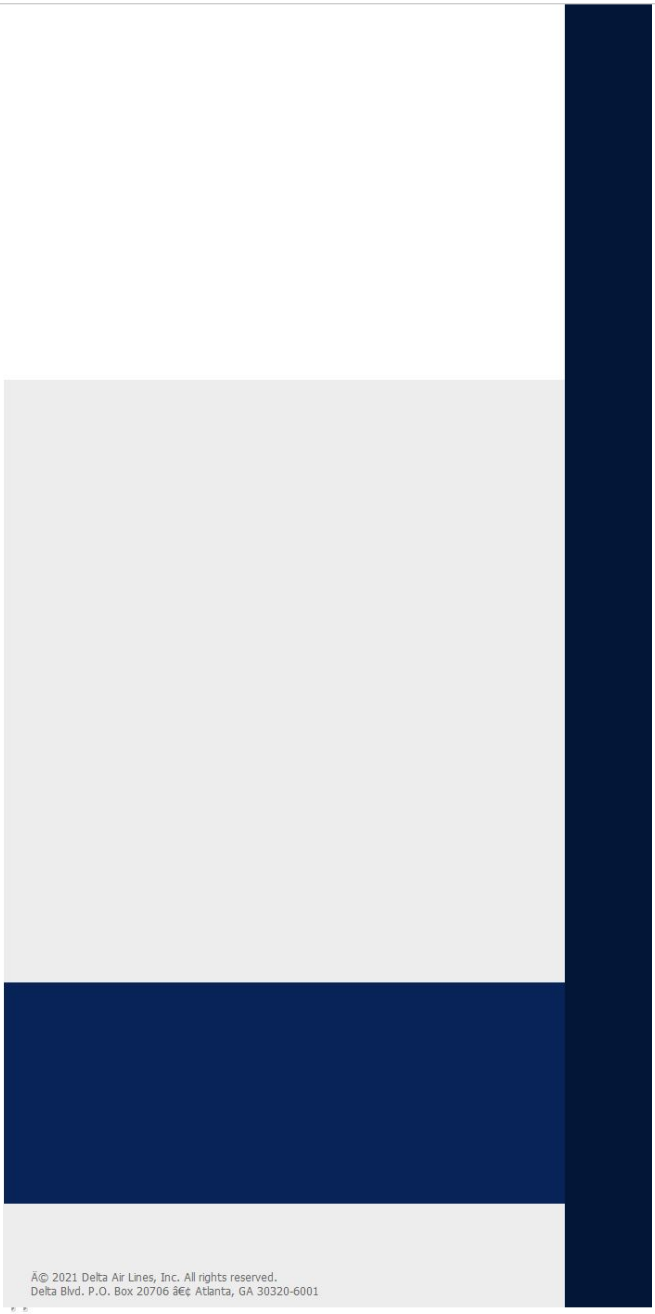
Body	

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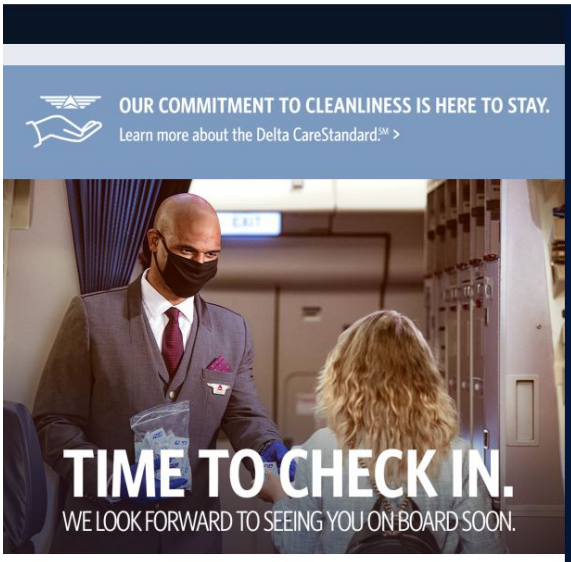

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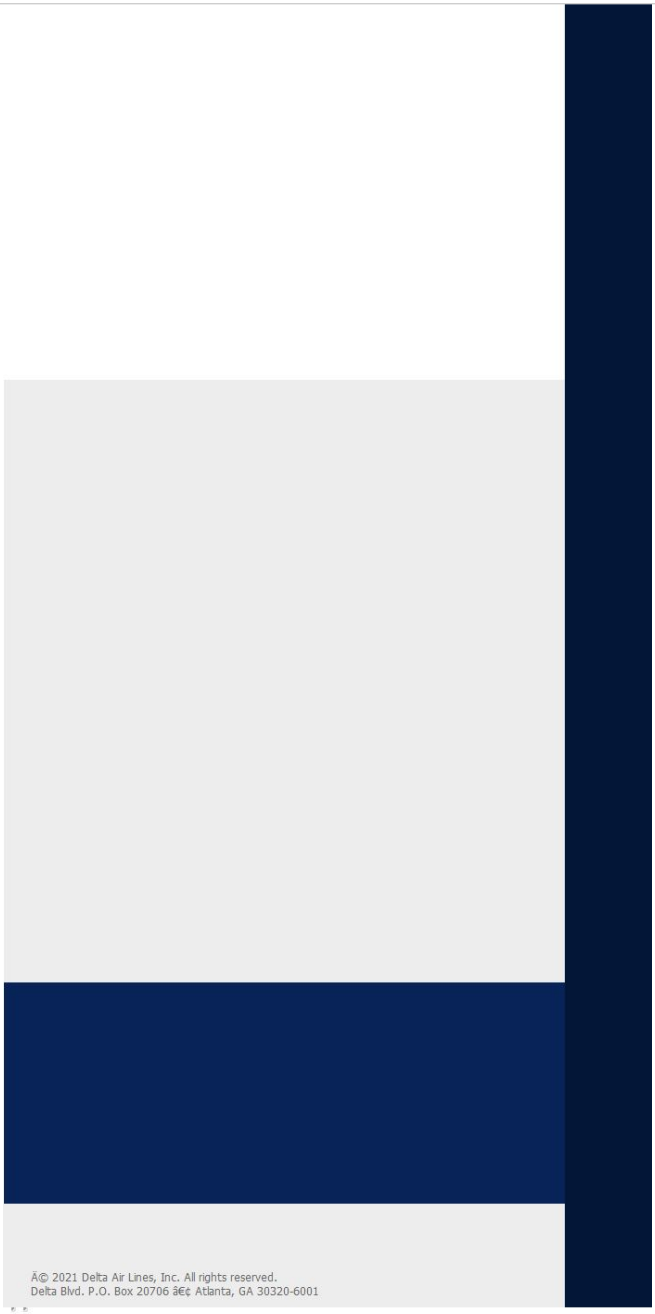
Body	

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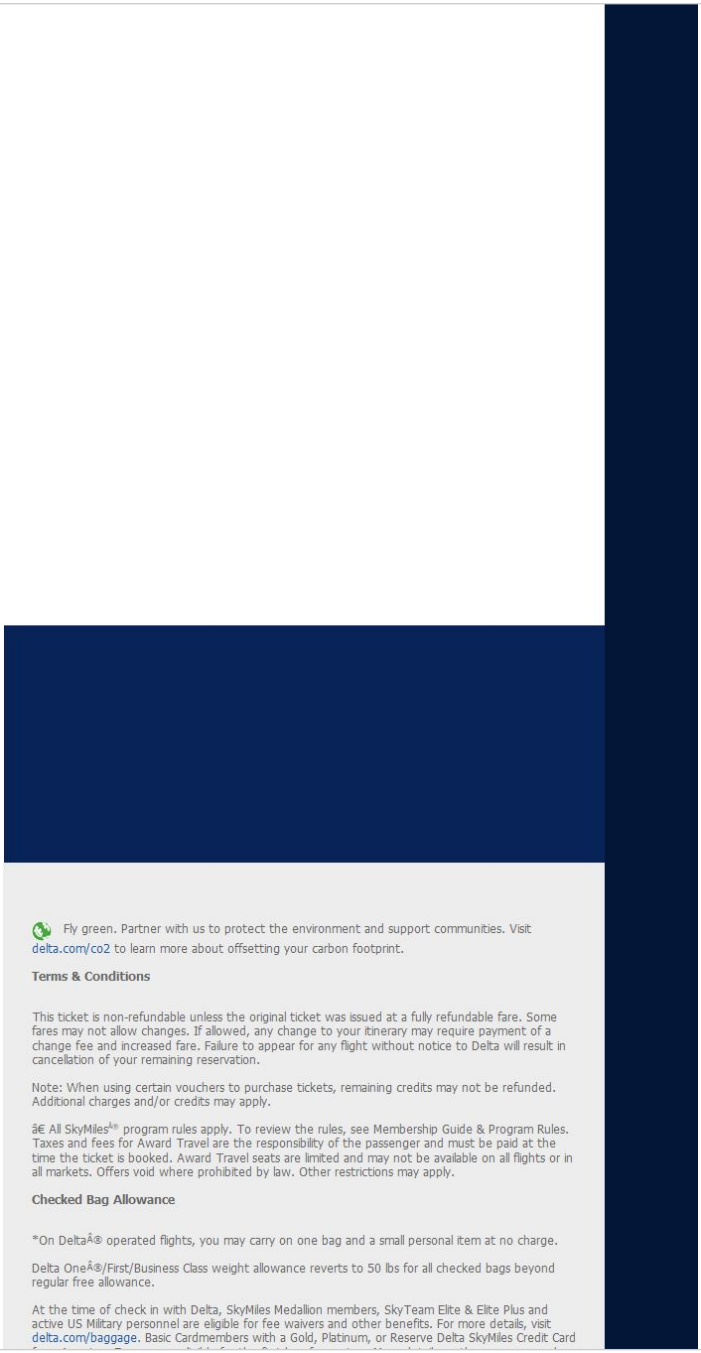

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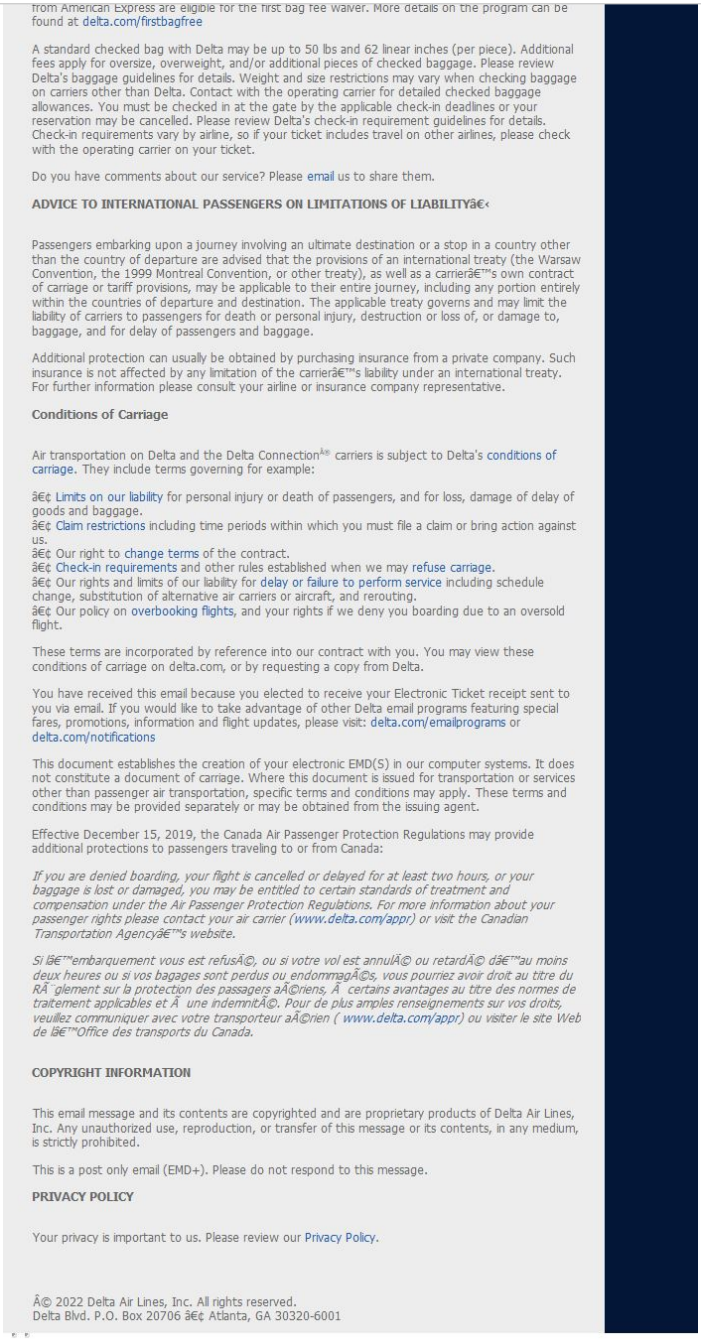
Body	

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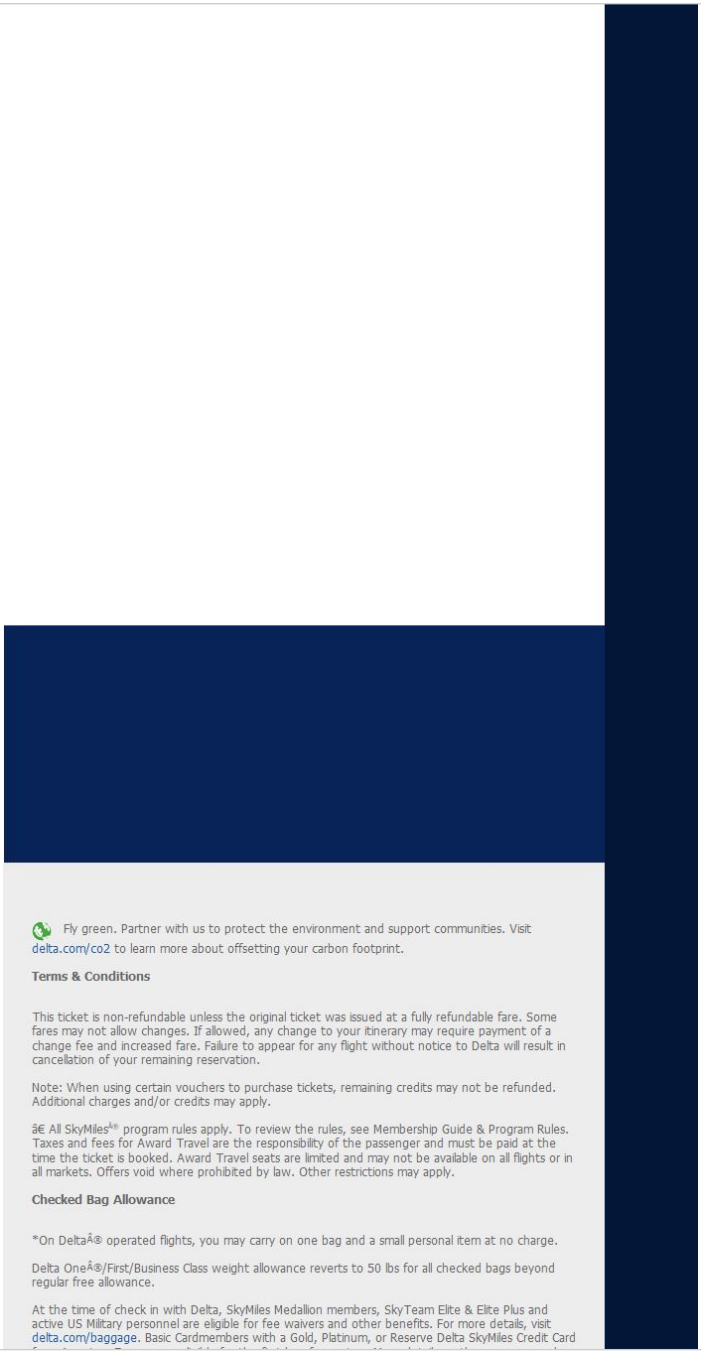

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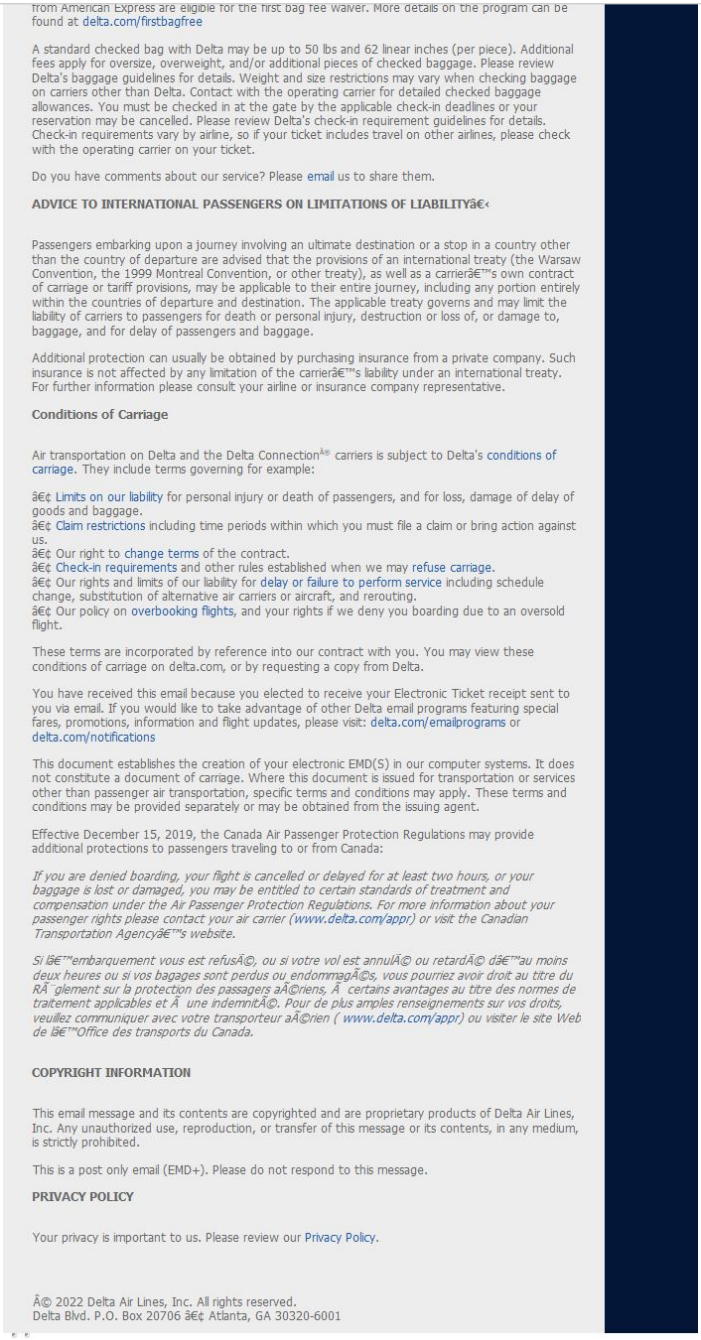
Body	

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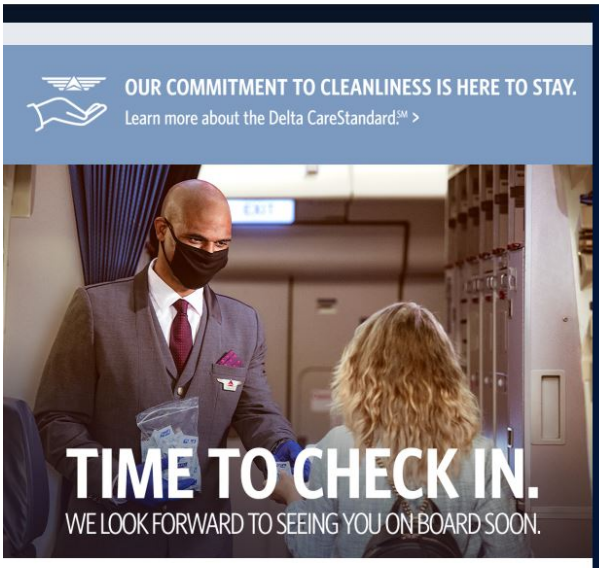

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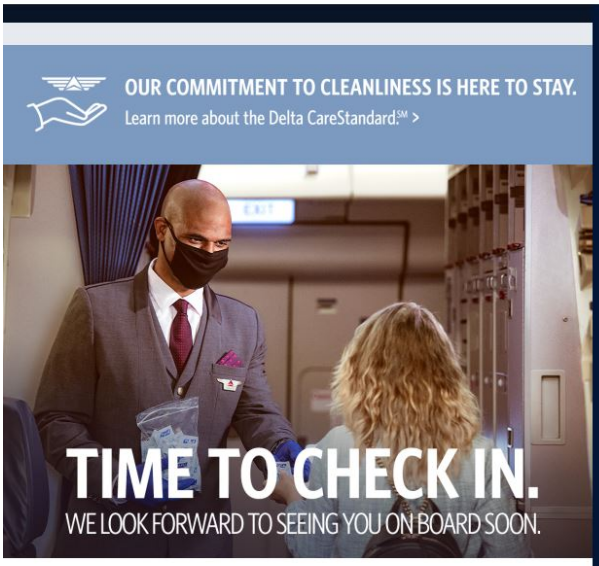

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Body	Wayne and Troy, Our office will be approving a site authorization for the Bismarck American Legion at the Country West SuperPumper, on Tyler Parkway. This site was approved by the City of Bismarck and has an on-sale license to serve and dispense alcoholic beverages on site. The licensed gaming organization plans on conducting four e-tab devices at this time. At this point we now have four gas station sites: Cenex of New Salem 1309 N 8th St, New Salem Sweet Crude Travel Center 12678 ND 200, Grassy Butte Rattler Gas 104 E St S, Glen Ullin Country West SuperPumper 2205 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck

Record 190

Sender Name	Donnell Preskey Hushka
Sender Email	donnell.preskey@ndaco.org
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, jabeehler@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Sheriff Frank Landeis
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 10:55:36.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 10:55:31.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 10:55:37.000 AM

Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne and Jace, I thought both of your offices may like to know about the retirement of Sioux County Sheriff Frank Landeis. Sheriff Landeis has ran a one man department – he has had no deputies and also serves his county in other capacities as well. He's been Sheriff for 27 years! He is retiring at the end of the year. Information on a celebration honoring his service is below. Thanks, Donnell Preskey Hushka NDACo Government / Public Affairs Specialist Executive Director ND Auditor's & Treasurer's Association Executive Director ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association Desk: 701-328-7300 Cell: 701-220-6607 donnell.preskey@ndaco.org www.ndaco.org **From:** Donnell Preskey Hushka <donnell.preskey@ndaco.org> **Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 3:06 PM **To:** Sheriffs <Sheriffs@ndaco.org> **Subject:** Sheriff Frank Landeis Sheriffs, I've been asked to pass on that Sioux County Sheriff Frank Landeis is retiring after 30 some years. He is actually our longest-serving Sheriff in ND. They will have an open house honoring Sheriff Landeis on December 30th starting at 1 p.m. in the Sioux County Courthouse. 303 2nd Ave Fort Yates, ND Thanks, Donnell Preskey Hushka NDACo Government / Public Affairs Specialist Executive Director ND Auditor's & Treasurer's Association Executive Director ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association Desk: 701-328-7300 Cell: 701-220-6607 donnell.preskey@ndaco.org www.ndaco.org

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Record 192

Sender Name	Patten, Dale
Sender Email	dpatten@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Public Service
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 11:40:04.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 11:40:00.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 11:40:04.000 AM

Body	Wayne, I want to both congratulate and thank you for your service to the State of North Dakota. You have been involved and engaged as a leader in our state during some of its toughest economic times and its fastest growth and opportunities. The leadership you provided during both of theses times has been critically important to surviving the tough times and finding the right path forward as our state dealt with the challenges created by our new opportunities. You are greatly respected and much appreciated for your commitment to our state. Again, thank you and I have enjoyed working over the past many years. Dale Dale Patten, Senator ND Legislative District 39 PO Box 812 Watford City ND 58854 Email - dpatten@nd.gov Cell - 701-570-4908

Record 193

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Public Service
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 11:40:00.000 AM
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Record 194

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Newfield
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 12:36:40.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 12:36:39.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 12:36:40.000 PM
Body	**Bullet point memo attached**
Attachments	15962.docx

Record 195

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Newfield
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 12:36:40.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 12:36:39.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 12:36:40.000 PM
Body	Bullet point memo attached
Attachments	12604.docx

Record 196

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:40:20.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:40:19.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:40:21.000 PM
Body	"The reports of my death have been greatly exaggerated." Samuel Clemons Get Outlook for iOS
Attachments	image001[15032].jpg

Record 197

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:40:19.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:40:21.000 PM
Body	"The reports of my death have been greatly exaggerated." Samuel Clemons Get Outlook for iOS
Attachments	image001[11635].jpg

Record 198

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, jodi.smith@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, kmccusker@nd.gov, aotteson@nd.gov
Subject	Newfield - Notice of Appeal
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 10:48:59.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 10:48:57.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 10:48:59.000 AM

Body	Attached is a draft of the Notice of Appeal. Please send any comments or suggestions by the end of the week so I can file on Tuesday. Thank you. **David P. Garner** Assistant Attorney General ND Office of the Attorney General Division of Natural Resources and Indian Affairs 500 N 9th Street Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 (701) 328-3640
Attachments	15897.docx

Record 199

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Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, jodi.smith@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, kmccusker@nd.gov, aotteson@nd.gov
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Attachments	12532.docx

Record 200

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	aotteson@nd.gov, wstenehjem@nd.gov, jodi.smith@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, kmccusker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Newfield - Notice of Appeal
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 11:12:48.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 11:12:47.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 11:12:48.000 AM

Body	Not in this case **From:** Otteson, Adam G. <aotteson@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 12, 2022 11:10 AM **To:** Garner, David P. <dpgarner@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; McCusker, Kristie M. <kmccusker@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Newfield - Notice of Appeal Statute of Limitations? Adam Otteson, CPA *Director of Revenue Compliance* 701.328.1946 • aotteson@nd.gov • land.nd.gov **From:** Garner, David P. <dpgarner@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 12, 2022 10:49 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; McCusker, Kristie M. <kmccusker@nd.gov>; Otteson, Adam G. <aotteson@nd.gov> **Subject:** Newfield - Notice of Appeal Attached is a draft of the Notice of Appeal. Please send any comments or suggestions by the end of the week so I can file on Tuesday. Thank you. **David P. Garner** Assistant Attorney General ND Office of the Attorney General Division of Natural Resources and Indian Affairs 500 N 9th Street Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 (701) 328-3640
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Record 201

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Subject	RE: Newfield - Notice of Appeal
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Record 202

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: Newfield
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 2:46:57.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 2:46:55.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 2:46:57.000 PM

Body	Hi, Wayne. Attached is a revised notice of appeal with some new issues highlighted. I've now included an appeal of the decision regarding HB 1080 and the statute of limitations. I can remove these if you'd prefer. Dave Garner Get Outlook for iOS **From:** McCusker, Kristie M. <kmccusker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 13, 2022 2:34:58 PM **To:** Garner, David P. <dpgarner@nd.gov> **Cc:** Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Otteson, Adam G. <aotteson@nd.gov> **Subject:** Newfield Dave – Here is the revised notice of appeal to send to Wayne – proposing the highlighted issues. Kristie Kristie McCusker *Paralegal* 701.328.1918 • kmccusker@nd.gov • land.nd.gov
Attachments	image001[15310].png, 15891.docx

Record 203

Sender Name	Garner, David P.
Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: Newfield
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Record 204

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Sender Email	dpgarner@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov, jodi.smith@nd.gov, aotteson@nd.gov, kmccusker@nd.gov, cmc@pearce-durick.com
Subject	Newfield - Notice of Appeal
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/17/2022 4:26:52.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/17/2022 4:26:55.000 PM
Body	I believe I have made everyone's suggestions. I will file this tomorrow morning absent additional comments. Thanks. **David P. Garner** Assistant Attorney General ND Office of the Attorney General Division of Natural Resources and Indian Affairs 500 N 9th Street Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 (701) 328-3640
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Record 208

Sender Name	Ensign, Drew
Sender Email	Drew.Ensign@azag.gov
Recipients	Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov, Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov, MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov
Subject	Re: Draft SCOTUS Stay
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 11:43:33.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 11:43:04.000 AM
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Body	

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Completely agree. Thanks very much to Ben and his team for putting together an amazing brief on an amazingly short timetable.

Drew

From: Scott Stewart <Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov>
Sent: Saturday, December 18, 2021 9:21:52 AM
To: Benjamin Flowers; Murrill, Elizabeth
Cc: Alloway, Jessie M (LAW); 'Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov'; 'Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov'; 'BCook@scag.gov'; Benjamin Wilson; Boal, Michael [IGOV]; Bowdre, Barrett; Brandon J. Smith; Brasington, Charles E (LAW); 'brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov'; Bronni, Nicholas; Campbell, Jim; Chanay, Jeff; Christopher Baum; Clark Hildabrand; Daniel Bell; 'Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov'; 'David.mcvey@state.sd.us'; Dewhirst, David; Dizon, Ninia R (LAW); Drew Waldbeser; Dunn, Barry (KYOAG); Ensign, Drew; Grant Dorfman; Henry Whitaker; Holmes, Melinda R; Iaccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG); James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; John Coghlan; 'john.sauer@ago.mo.gov'; Jonathan Blanton; Joshua Richardson; Judd Stone; 'Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov'; Kaste, James; Keiser, Lindsey R (KYOAG); Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); LaCour, Edmund; Langholz, Sam; Laue, Brant; 'lindsay.s.see@wvago.gov'; Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Magera, Alexander Y (KYOAG); Mansinghani, Mithun; 'masagsve@nd.gov'; May Mailman; 'melissaholyoak@agutah.gov'; Michael R. Williams; Mills, Cori M (LAW); Nolan, Brett R (KYOAG); 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us'; 'rcantrell@agutah.gov'; Ross Bergethon; Roysden, Beau; 'ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov'; Sarah K. Campbell; 'Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov'; Seibel, Troy; 'Shannon.Grammel@ag.ks.gov'; Smith, Emory; St. John, Joseph; Stephen Petrany; 'steven.blair@state.sd.us'; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG); Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG); 'thomas.t.lampman@wvago.gov'; 'ThomasHydrick@scag.gov'; 'tom.fisher@atg.in.gov'; Travis J. Royer; Wagner, Vincent; White, Kimi; 'whitney.lipscomb@ago.ms.gov'; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov'; 'zach.west@oag.ok.gov'
Subject: Re: Draft SCOTUS Stay

Thank you, Ben, for your skill, energy, and ingenuity in producing such a strong brief and getting us on file so swiftly.

From: Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov>
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Hi all,

Here is a very slightly updated version of the amicus brief supporting the challenges to SEC's/Nasdaq's explicit race- and sex-based quotas, and last call for sign-ons.

Thanks to everyone that has joined so far. We are currently at 8 states: Arizona, Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, and South Carolina.

We can accept sign-ons until **tomorrow, Monday, December 27 at 5pm EST.** Please also let us know if you have any questions, concerns, or edits.

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Hi all,

Attached is a slightly updated version of the Fifth Circuit amicus brief for the Nasdaq/SEC Quota Rule challenge. So far Alaska, Arkansas, and Montana have joined.

Basically, the brief makes two points that are probably pretty uncontroversial for this group: (1) explicit race- and sex-based quotas are bad and violate the Constitution and (2) SEC cannot use a highly generalized and circumscribed grant of authority to intrude upon an area traditionally regulated by state law and in service of an agenda of restructuring society in the agency's own social-justice-minded image (while violating the Constitution in the process).

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Hi all,

Attached is our draft amicus brief in support of the challenges to the SEC/Nasdaq Quota Rule. Please let us know any questions or suggestions that you have. Given the outrageousness of SEC's adoption of explicit race- and sex-based quotas for Nasdaq-listed companies, we are hopeful that we can have a broad coalition here.

Body	For greater detail on the challenged rule, we are attaching the opening brief of one of the challengers as well. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 5pm Eastern.** Sincerely, Drew **From:** Ensign, Drew **Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 7:42:49 AM **To:** Benjamin Flowers; Dewhirst, David; Chanay, Jeff; Murrill, Elizabeth; Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Brasington, Charles E (LAW); Judd Stone; Joshua Richardson; Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; Mills, Cori M (LAW); Alloway, Jessie M (LAW); Dizon, Ninia R (LAW); Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; Laue, Brant; Meredith, Chad (KYOAG); Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Campbell, Jim; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; Seibel, Troy; May Mailman; Mansinghani, Mithun; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Smith, Emory; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. Campbell; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Grant Dorfman; Benjamin Wilson; melissaholyoak@agutah.gov; rcantrell@agutah.gov; lindsay.s.see@wvago.gov; thomas.t.lampman@wvago.gov; Kaste, James; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; LaCour, Edmund; Bronni, Nicholas; Wagner, Vincent; Christopher Baum; Stephen Petrany; Langholz, Sam; Boal, Michael [IGOV]; David.mcvey@state.sd.us; Brandon J. Smith; Clark Hildabrand; Dunn, Barry (KYOAG); Jonathan Blanton; Iaccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG); White, Kimi; Travis J. Royer; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG); Magera, Alexander Y (KYOAG); Keiser, Lindsey R (KYOAG); Nolan, Brett R (KYOAG); Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG); Michael R. Williams; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; John Coghlan; Holmes, Melinda R **Subject:** Amicus Brief Supporting Challenge to NASDAQ Race- and Sex-Based Quotas Dear Friends, We wanted to let you know about a multi-state amicus brief we plan on circulating late this week or early next week. The amicus brief would support challenges to SEC approval of a NASDAQ proposed "diversity" requirement. That requirement (discussed in greater detail below) adopts one of the crudest and most odious tool available to the government: race- and sex-based quotas. All companies that fail to satisfy those quotas would be compelled to make statements explaining (i.e., apologizing for) their failure to do so. Challenges to SEC's approval have been consolidated in the Fifth Circuit. One opening brief challenging the rule has already been filed (attached). Another will be filed on December 20, so our amicus brief will be due December 27. Because of the holiday season, we wanted to give everyone a heads up that this brief will be coming. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 2pm Eastern.** Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions or suggestions. Sincerely, Drew **Nasdaq Quota Requirement Overview:** On December 1, 2020, the Nasdaq proposed to adopt a series of rules related to corporate board "diversity." After taking comments, Nasdaq submitted an amended proposal to the SEC in February which had three main components, which apply to every Nasdaq-listed firm (minus some exceptions for small and foreign firms): (1) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who "self-identifies her gender as a woman;" (2) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who self-identifies as "Black or African American, Hispanic or Latinx, Asian, Native American or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, or Two or More Races or Ethnicities" or as "LGBTQ+," which is defined as "lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or as a member of the queer community;" and (3) to provide statistical information on directors' sex, race, and sexual orientation status. *See* Securities and Exchange Commission, Order Approving Proposed Rule Changes, as Modified by Amendments No. 1, 86 Fed. Reg. 44,424 (Aug. 6, 2021), https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/08/12/2021-17179/self-regulatory-organizations-the-nasdaq-stock-market-llc-order-approving-proposed-rule-changes-as. On August 6, 2021, the Securities and Exchange Commission—on a 3-2 party-line vote—approved Nasdaq's proposal without modification, finalizing these requirements as Nasdaq rules. In response to objections that this proposal violated the Constitution, the SEC adopted Nasdaq's argument that the rule was not subject to the Constitution because Nasdaq was not a state actor. https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2021-17179/p-301. On August 10, 2021, the Alliance for Fair Board Recruitment (AFBR) filed a Petition for Review of the SEC's action in the Fifth Circuit. Additional petitioner National Center for Public Policy Research (NCPPR) filed in the Third Circuit, and was transferred to the Fifth Circuit on October 28, 2021.
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Thanks to everyone that has joined so far. We are currently at 8 states: Arizona, Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, and South Carolina.

We can accept sign-ons until **tomorrow, Monday, December 27 at 5pm EST.** Please also let us know if you have any questions, concerns, or edits.

Sincerely,
Drew

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Subject: Re: Amicus Brief Supporting Challenge to NASDAQ Race- and Sex-Based Quotas

Hi all,

Attached is a slightly updated version of the Fifth Circuit amicus brief for the Nasdaq/SEC Quota Rule challenge. So far Alaska, Arkansas, and Montana have joined.

Basically, the brief makes two points that are probably pretty uncontroversial for this group: (1) explicit race- and sex-based quotas are bad and violate the Constitution and (2) SEC cannot use a highly generalized and circumscribed grant of authority to intrude upon an area traditionally regulated by state law and in service of an agenda of restructuring society in the agency's own social-justice-minded image (while violating the Constitution in the process).

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Given the outrageousness of SEC's adoption of explicit race- and sex-based quotas for Nasdaq-listed companies, we are hopeful that we can have a broad coalition here. For greater detail on the challenged rule, we are attaching the opening brief of one of the challengers as well. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 5pm Eastern.** Sincerely, Drew **From:** Ensign, Drew **Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 7:42:49 AM **To:** Benjamin Flowers; Dewhirst, David; Chanay, Jeff; Murrill, Elizabeth; Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Brasington, Charles E (LAW); Judd Stone; Joshua Richardson; Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; Mills, Cori M (LAW); Alloway, Jessie M (LAW); Dizon, Ninia R (LAW); Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; Laue, Brant; Meredith, Chad (KYOAG); Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Campbell, Jim; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; Seibel, Troy; May Mailman; Mansinghani, Mithun; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Smith, Emory; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. 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The amicus brief would support challenges to SEC approval of a NASDAQ proposed "diversity" requirement. That requirement (discussed in greater detail below) adopts one of the crudest and most odious tool available to the government: race- and sex-based quotas. All companies that fail to satisfy those quotas would be compelled to make statements explaining (i.e., apologizing for) their failure to do so. Challenges to SEC's approval have been consolidated in the Fifth Circuit. One opening brief challenging the rule has already been filed (attached). Another will be filed on December 20, so our amicus brief will be due December 27. Because of the holiday season, we wanted to give everyone a heads up that this brief will be coming. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 2pm Eastern.** Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions or suggestions. Sincerely, Drew **Nasdaq Quota Requirement Overview:** On December 1, 2020, the Nasdaq proposed to adopt a series of rules related to corporate board "diversity." After taking comments, Nasdaq submitted an amended proposal to the SEC in February which had three main components, which apply to every Nasdaq-listed firm (minus some exceptions for small and foreign firms): (1) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who "self-identifies her gender as a woman;" (2) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who self-identifies as "Black or African American, Hispanic or Latinx, Asian, Native American or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, or Two or More Races or Ethnicities" or as "LGBTQ+," which is defined as "lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or as a member of the queer community;" and (3) to provide statistical information on directors' sex, race, and sexual orientation status. *See* Securities and Exchange Commission, Order Approving Proposed Rule Changes, as Modified by Amendments No. 1, 86 Fed. Reg. 44,424 (Aug. 6, 2021), https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/08/12/2021-17179/self-regulatory-organizations-the-nasdaq-stock-market-llc-order-approving-proposed-rule-changes-as. On August 6, 2021, the Securities and Exchange Commission – on a 3-2 party-line vote – approved Nasdaq's proposal without modification, finalizing these requirements as Nasdaq rules. In response to objections that this proposal violated the Constitution, the SEC adopted Nasdaq's argument that the rule was not subject to the Constitution because Nasdaq was not a state actor. https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2021-17179/p-301. On August 10, 2021, the Alliance for Fair Board Recruitment (AFBR) filed a Petition for Review of the SEC's action in the Fifth Circuit. Additional petitioner National Center for Public Policy Research (NCPPR) filed in the Third Circuit, and was transferred to the Fifth Circuit on October 28, 2021.
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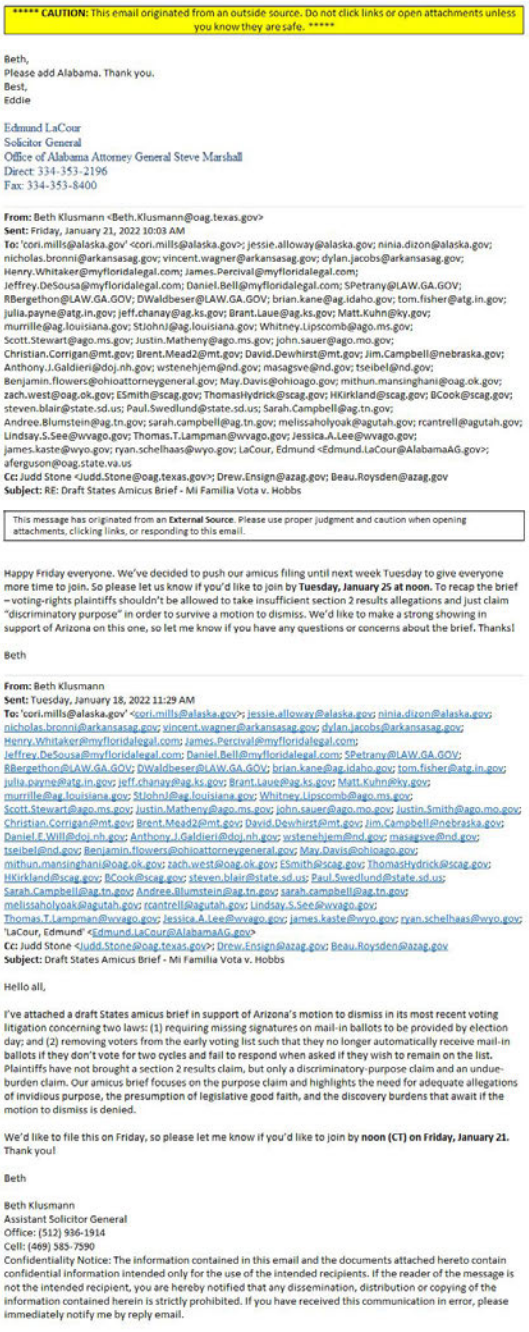
Body	
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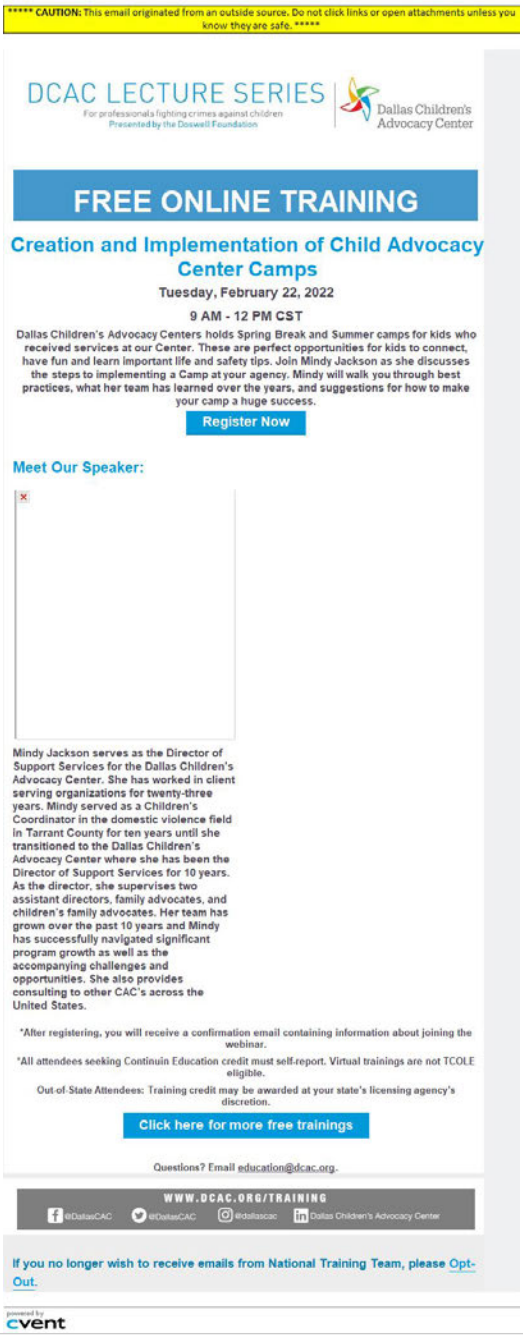
Body	

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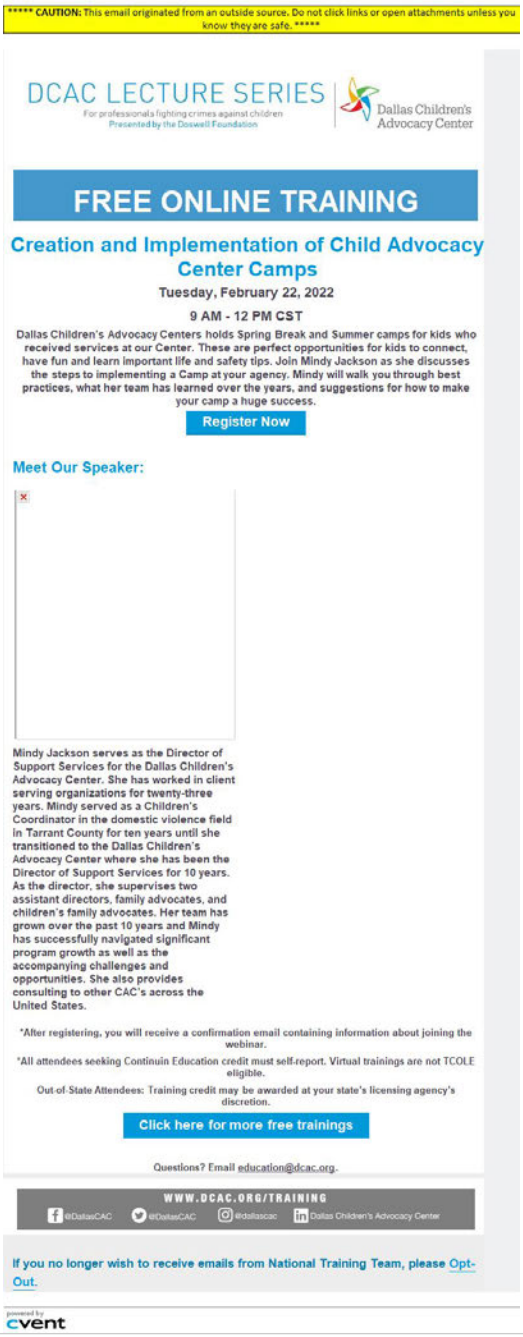
Body	

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In Case You Missed It: Must-Read Stories From The Past Week

EPA Seeks To Measure EJ Progress But May Need To 'Improve' Authority

The director of EPA's Office of Environmental Justice (OEJ), says the agency is planning to begin aggressively measuring its progress in meeting environmental justice (EJ) goals using first-time metrics required by the upcoming strategic plan, but that if there is not adequate progress by 2026 officials may have to consider asking Congress for new authority. **FULL STORY**

Split On 'Recycling,' Paper, Chemical Sectors Fight Over EPA Pyrolysis Rules

The paper industry is opposing the chemical sector's push for EPA to exempt the thermal processes pyrolysis and gasification from strict Clean Air Act incineration rules, charging that labeling the processes as "recycling," as chemical companies seek for plastics, would set an adverse precedent and create a competitive advantage for plastics. **FULL STORY**

Congress Poised To Enact NDAA After Cutting Tough House PFAS Measures

Congress is poised to enact a revised version of the fiscal year 2022 defense authorization bill that eliminates two controversial House measures that would have curbed the military's ability to procure a wide array of items containing per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) and forced it to comply with state cleanup standards stricter than federal levels. **FULL STORY**

EPA Agrees To Deadlines For Major Chemical Sector Air Toxics Rule Reviews

EPA has reached a proposed agreement with environmentalists to set deadlines to conduct overdue reviews of major chemical sector air toxics rules, in proceedings that may result in tougher standards to protect vulnerable communities but will impose stiff new mandates on hundreds of facilities as the sector is undergoing a significant expansion. **FULL STORY**

EPA Proposes Steep RFS Volume Cuts, But Plans To Deny Refiner Waivers

EPA is proposing significant reductions in biofuel blending volumes under the renewable fuel standard (RFS) for 2021 as compared to prior levels, along with a steep retroactive cut in 2020 levels, but is planning an increase in 2022 and also proposing to deny all petitions by small refiners to win economic hardship waivers from compliance. **FULL STORY**

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EPA Vows Oversight As Fears Grow Key Bay States May Miss TMDL Goals

The Biden EPA is pledging stringent oversight of Pennsylvania's revised plan to meet nutrient cleanup goals for the Chesapeake Bay as a new report from environmentalists warns that the Keystone State, along with Maryland and Virginia, are at risk of missing their 2025 pollution reduction goals. **FULL STORY**

States, Industry Renew Suit To Preserve Startup, Malfunction Air Waivers

States and industry groups opposed to the EPA policy banning air emissions exemptions for facilities during periods of startup, shutdown or malfunction (SSM) are again pressing their case against an Obama-era rule that seeks to remove such waivers from state air plans, after the Biden EPA said it will enforce the measure that Trump officials had stalled. **FULL STORY**

From Inside TSCA

ACC Urges 'Transparent' Review Of Cumulative Risk Guide For TSCA Use

The American Chemistry Council (ACC) is warning EPA's chemicals chief to seek new input of its long-awaited cumulative risk guidance -- through independent peer review and public comments -- before applying its principles to TSCA chemical evaluations, saying the agency's contractor-led review was not "transparent" enough for such a major policy shift. **FULL STORY**

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States and industry groups opposed to the EPA policy banning air emissions exemptions for facilities during periods of startup, shutdown or malfunction (SSM) are again pressing their case against an Obama-era rule that seeks to remove such waivers from state air plans, after the Biden EPA said it will enforce the measure that Trump officials had stalled. **FULL STORY**

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ACC Urges 'Transparent' Review Of Cumulative Risk Guide For TSCA Use

The American Chemistry Council (ACC) is warning EPA's chemicals chief to seek new input of its long-awaited cumulative risk guidance -- through independent peer review and public comments -- before applying its principles to TSCA chemical evaluations, saying the agency's contractor-led review was not "transparent" enough for such a major policy shift. **FULL STORY**

EJ Group Seeks Tough Truck NOx Rule But EPA Rejects Call For Sales Order

Environmental justice (EJ) advocates are demanding that EPA include zero-emission vehicle (ZEV) options and ban incentives for natural gas-fueled vehicles in its imminent proposal to limit nitrogen oxides (NOx) from the heavy-duty trucking sector, though one source says EPA Administrator Michael Regan has rejected their calls for a sales mandate. **FULL STORY**

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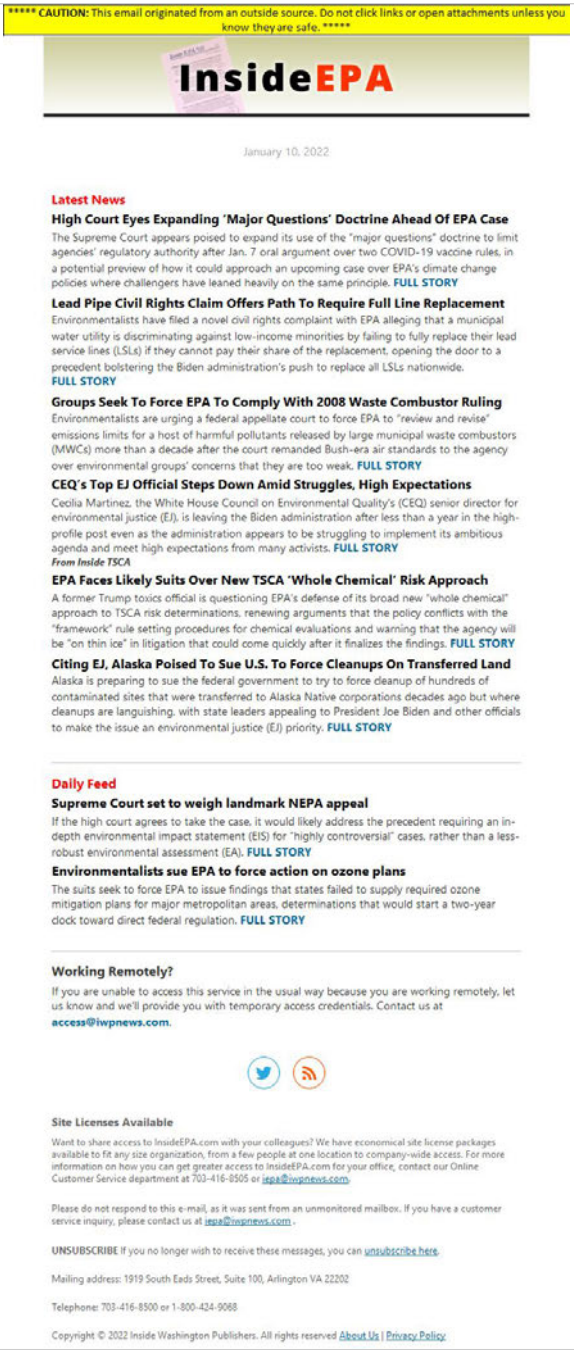
Body	

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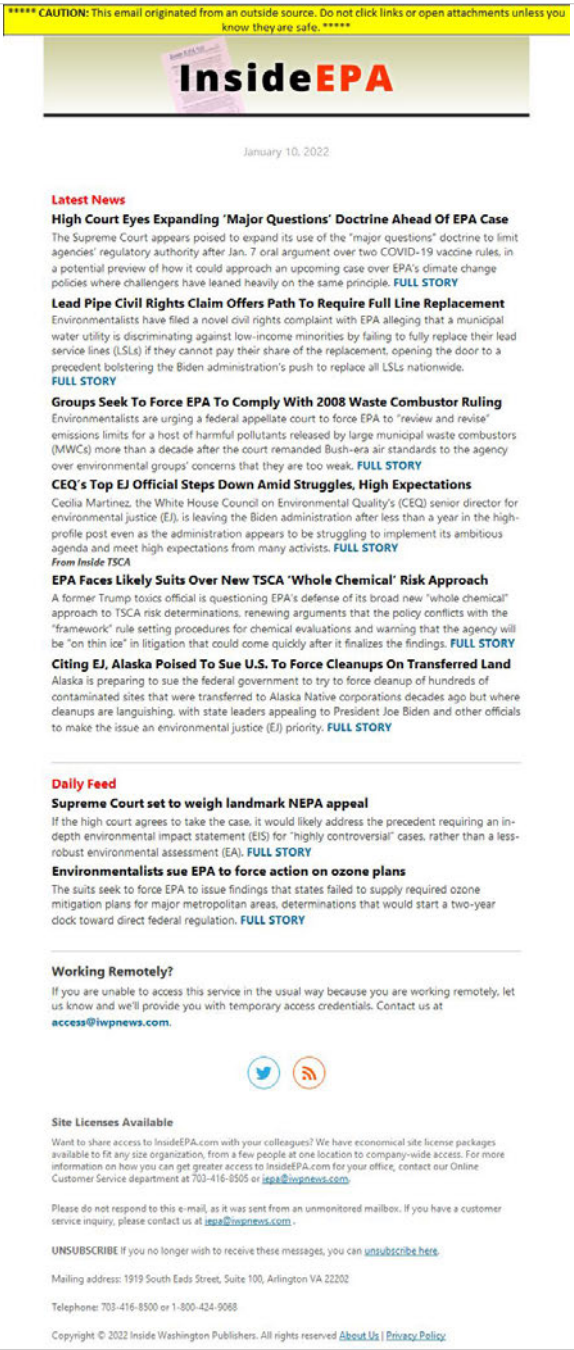
Body	

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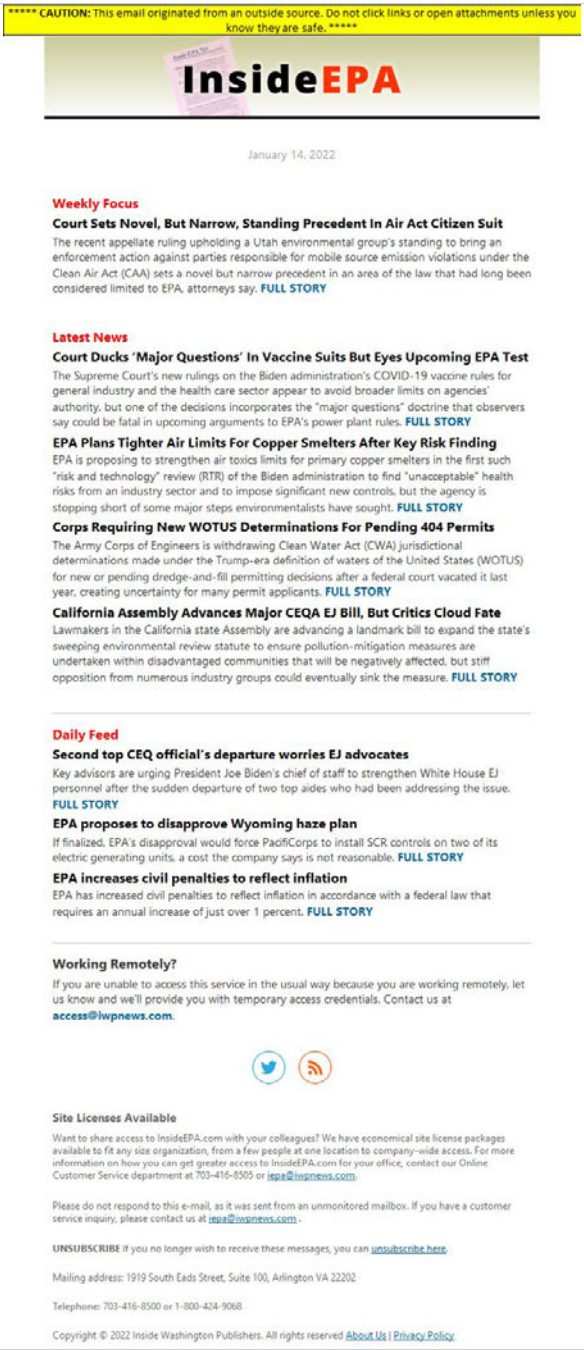
Body	

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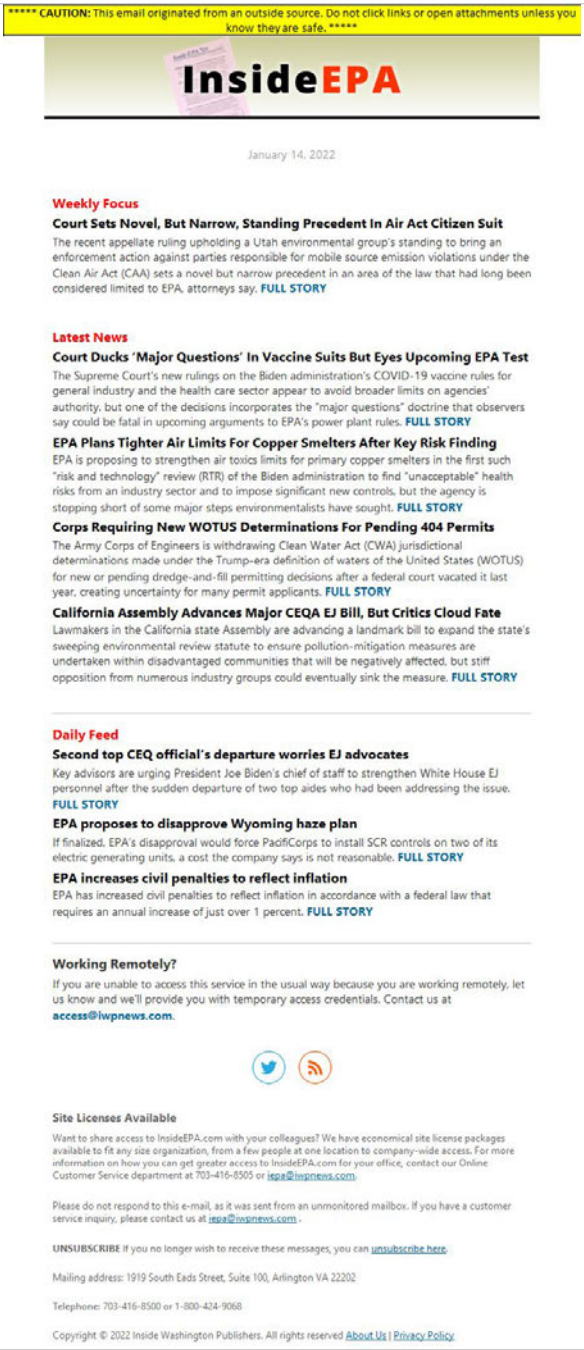
Body	

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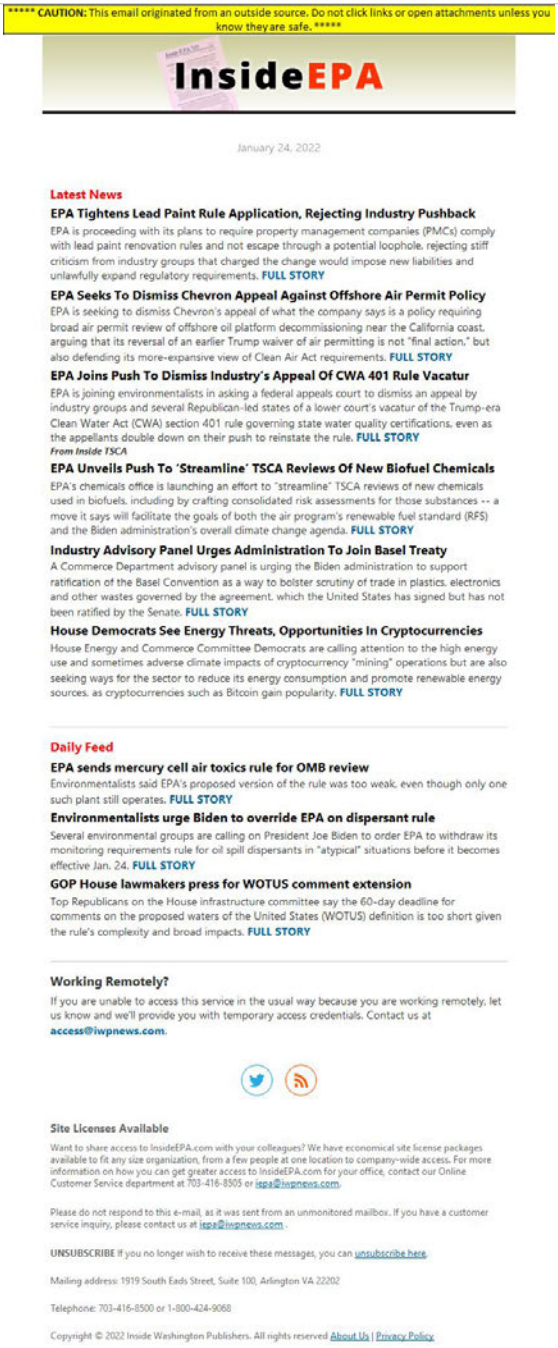
Body	

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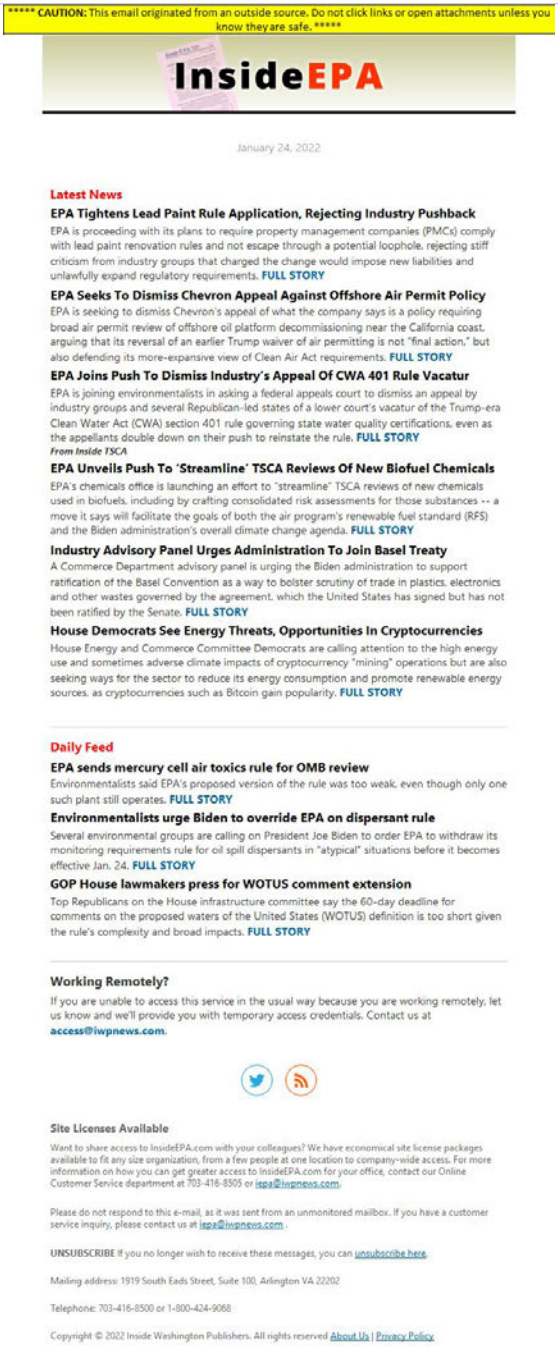
Body	

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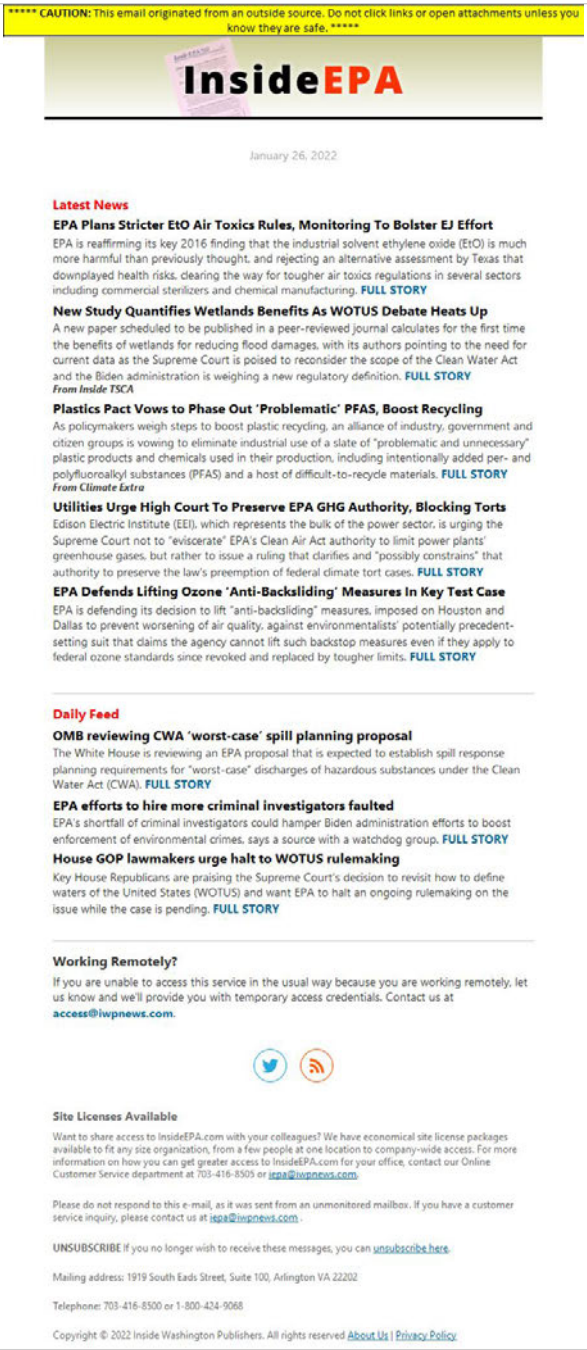
Body	

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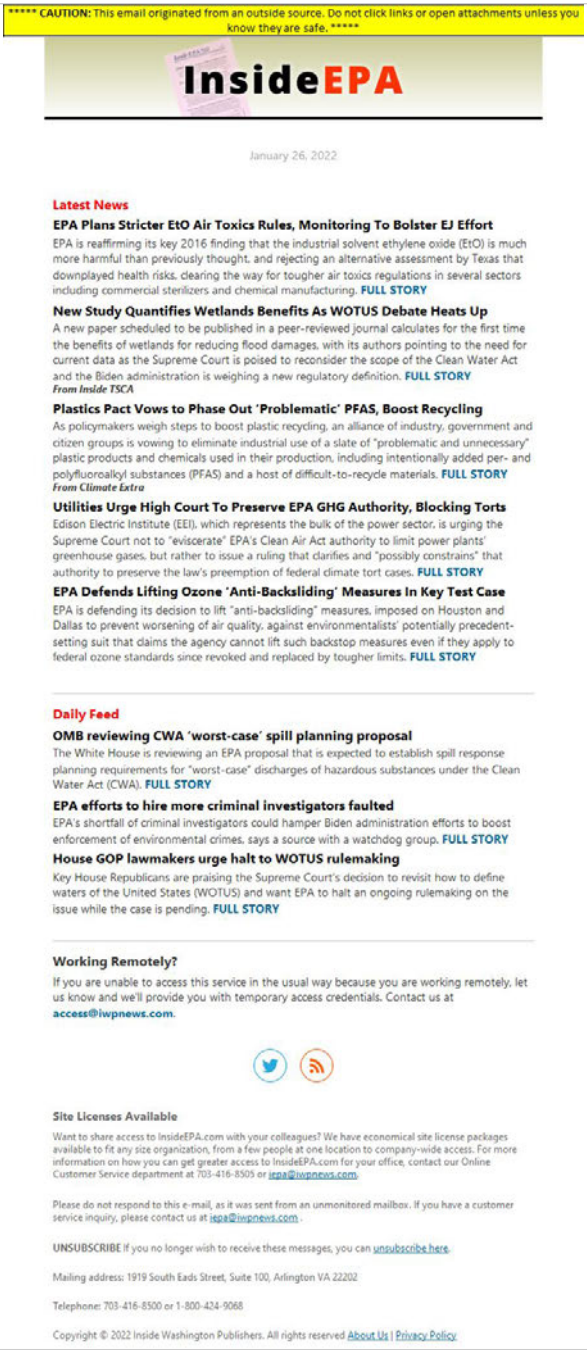
Body	

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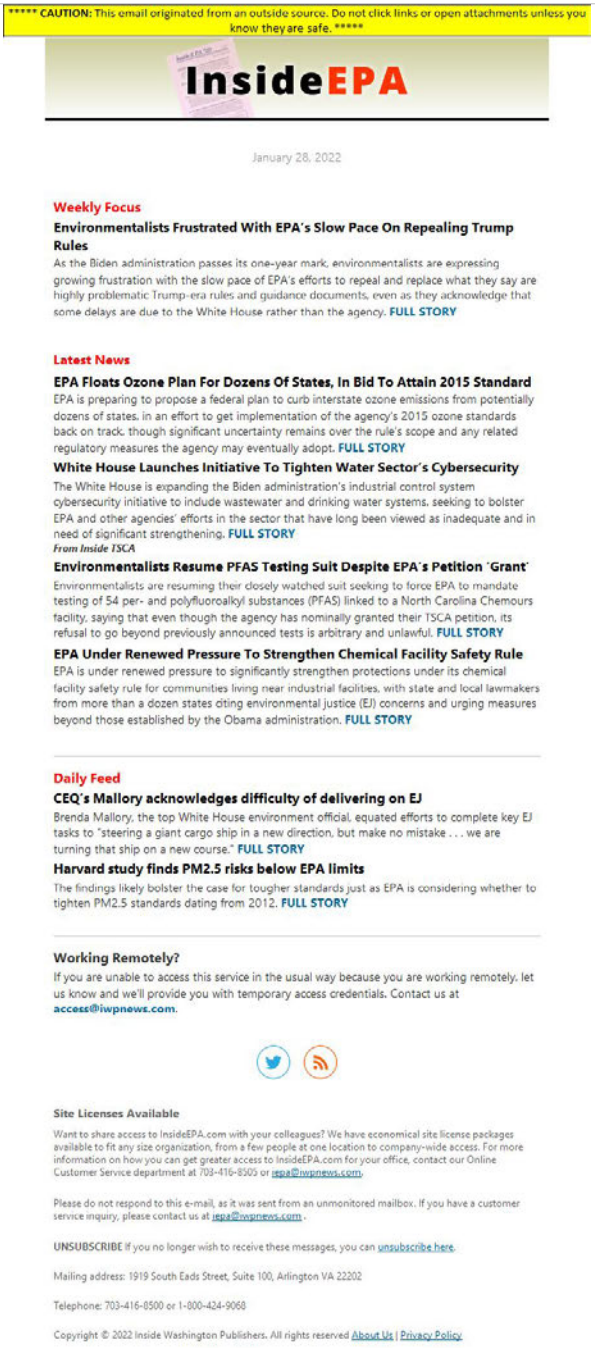
Body	

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New Study Quantifies Wetlands Benefits As WOTUS Debate Heats Up

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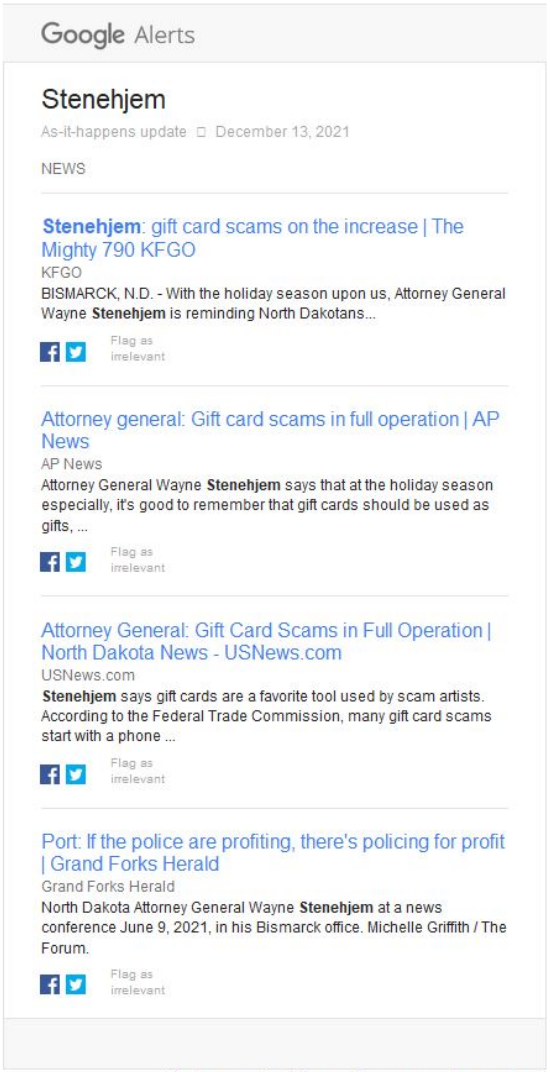
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts **Stenehjem** As-it-happens update · December 13, 2021 NEWS **Stenehjem**: gift card scams on the increase | The Mighty 790 KFGO KFGO BISMARCK, N.D. - With the holiday season upon us, Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** is reminding North Dakotans... Flag as irrelevant Attorney general: Gift card scams in full operation | AP News AP News Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** says that at the holiday season especially, it's good to remember that gift cards should be used as gifts, ... Flag as irrelevant Attorney General: Gift Card Scams in Full Operation | North Dakota News - USNews.com USNews.com **Stenehjem** says gift cards are a favorite tool used by scam artists. According to the Federal Trade Commission, many gift card scams start with a phone ... Flag as irrelevant Port: If the police are profiting, there's policing for profit | Grand Forks Herald Grand Forks Herald North Dakota Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** at a news conference June 9, 2021, in his Bismarck office. Michelle Griffith / The Forum. Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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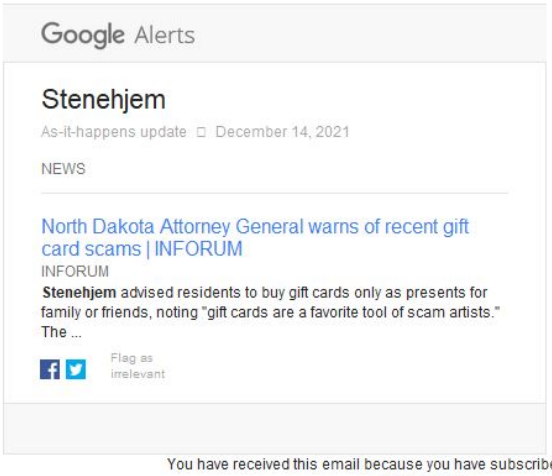
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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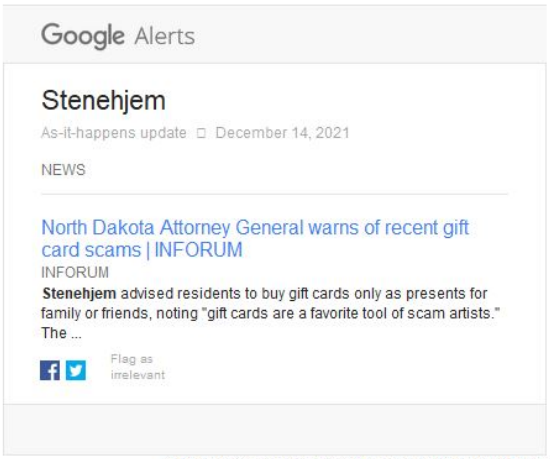
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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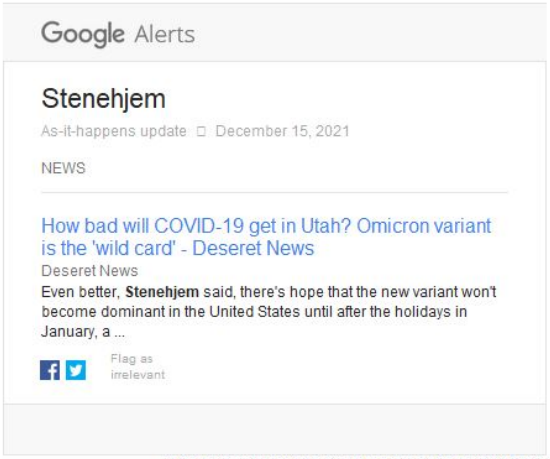

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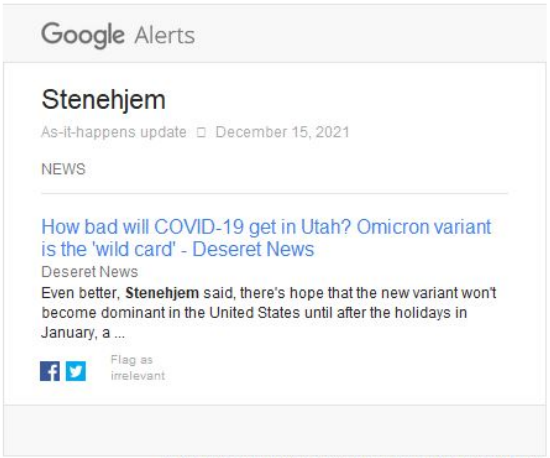

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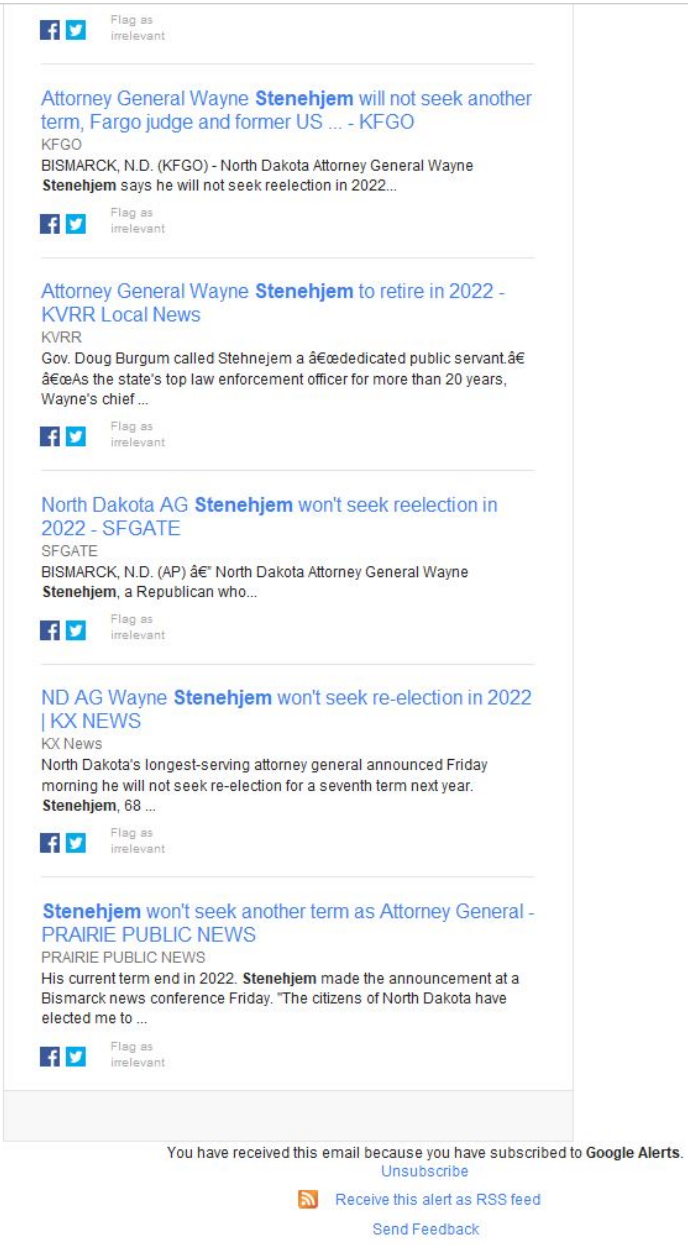
Body	

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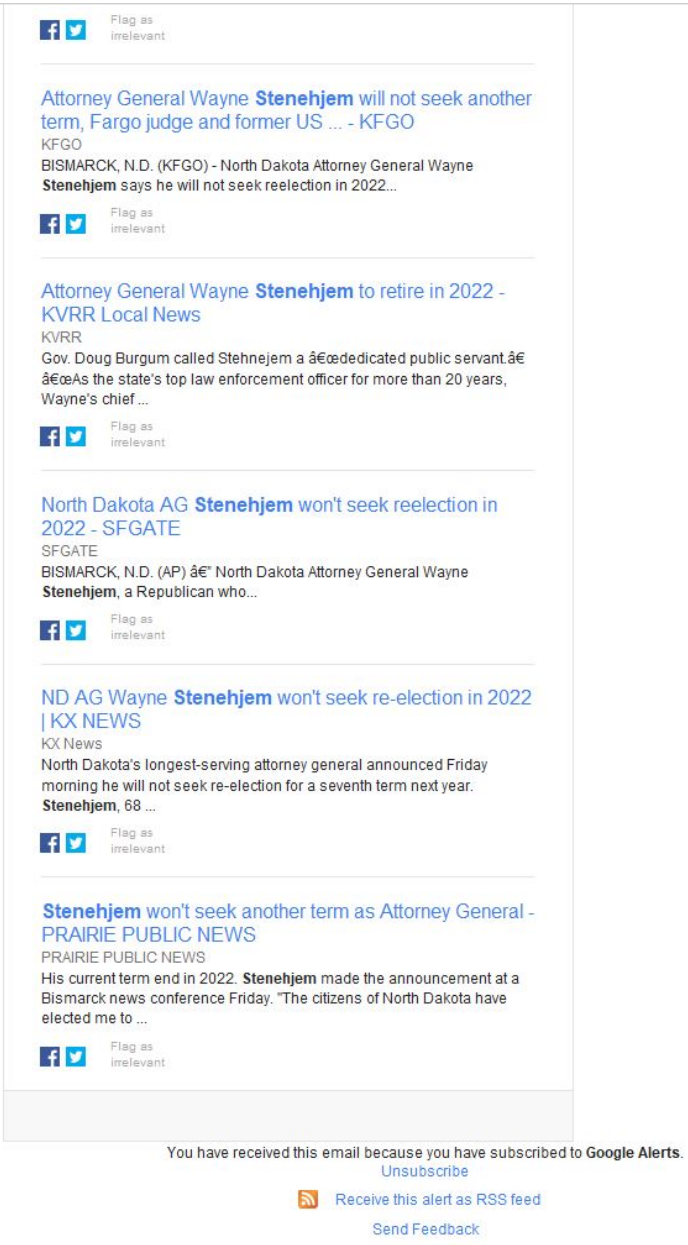
Body	

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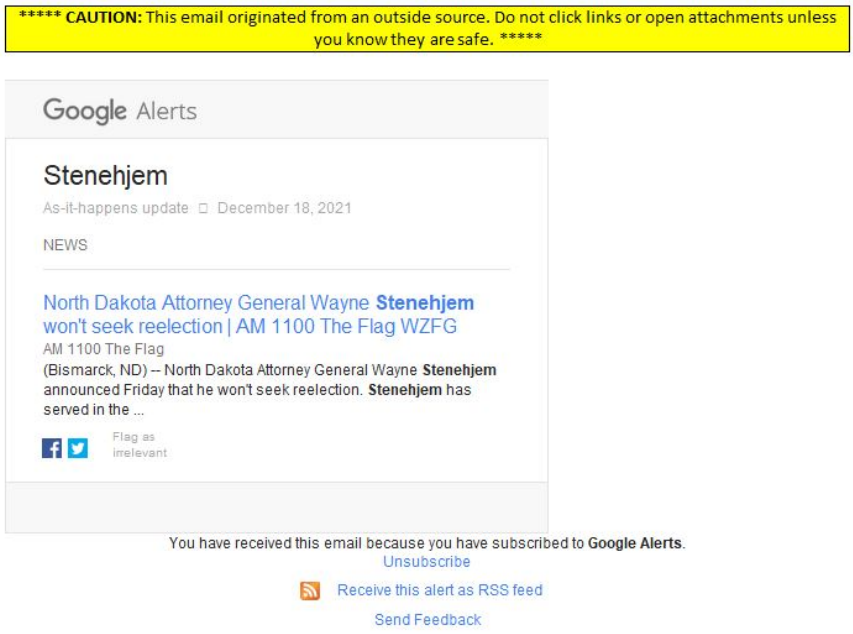
Body	

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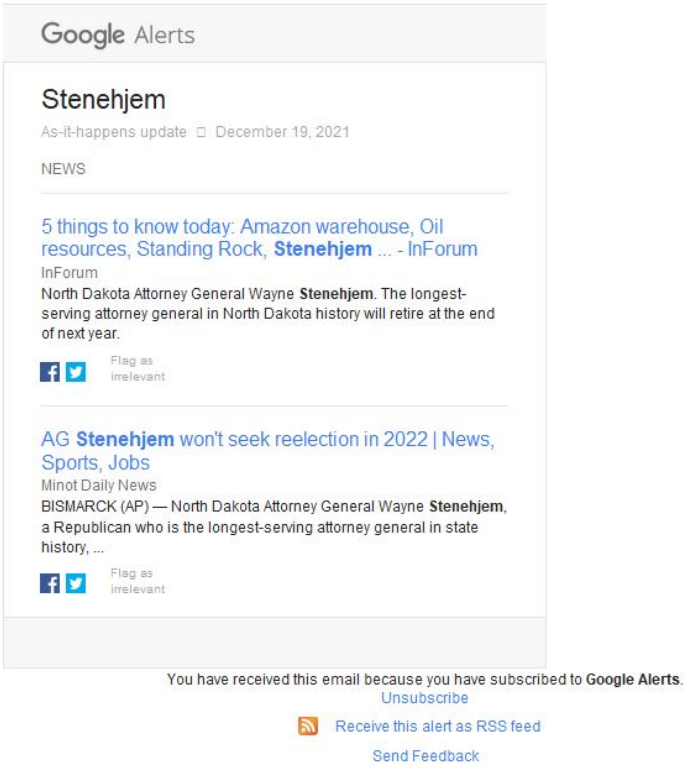
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update □ December 19, 2021 NEWS 5 things to know today: Amazon warehouse, Oil resources, Standing Rock, **Stenehjem** ... - InForum InForum North Dakota Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem**. The longest-serving attorney general in North Dakota history will retire at the end of next year. Flag as irrelevant AG **Stenehjem** won't seek reelection in 2022 | News, Sports, Jobs Minot Daily News BISMARCK (AP) — North Dakota Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem**, a Republican who is the longest-serving attorney general in state history, ... Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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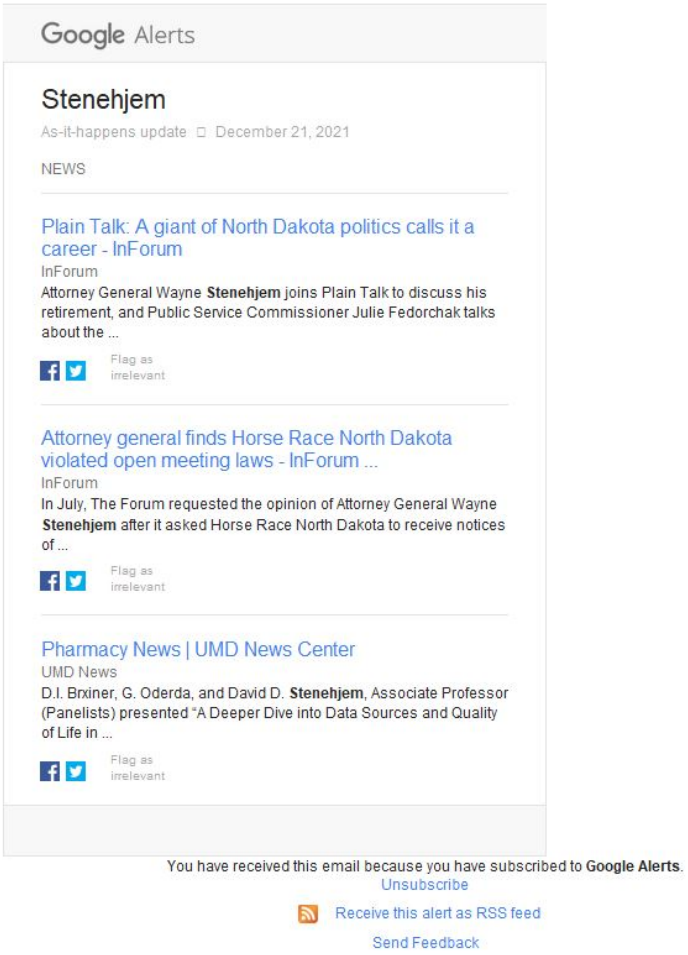
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** 

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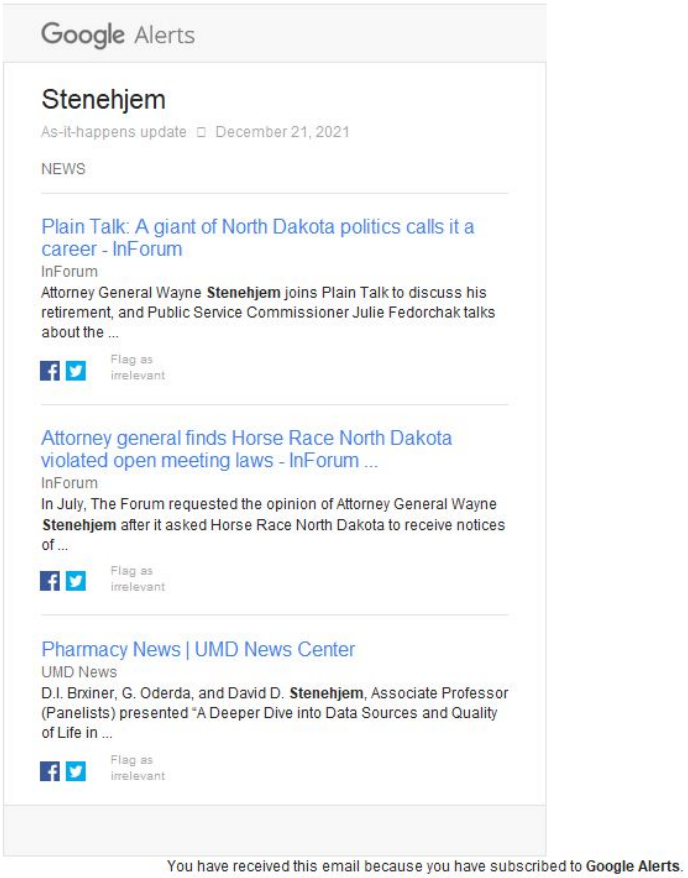
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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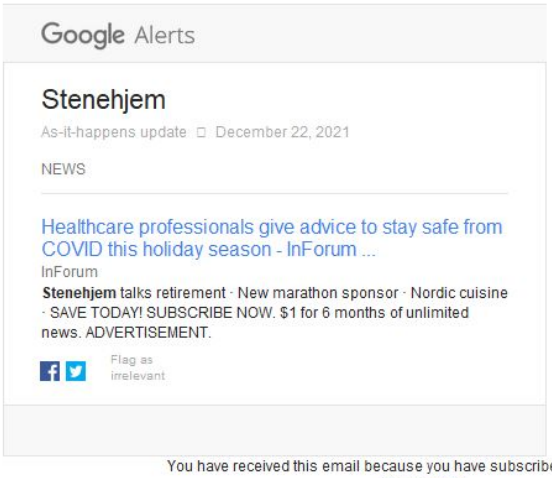
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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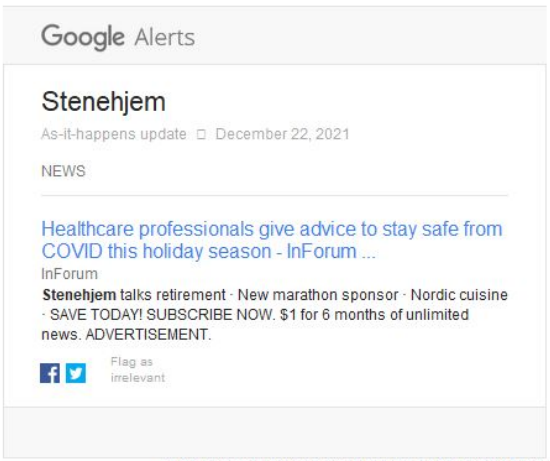
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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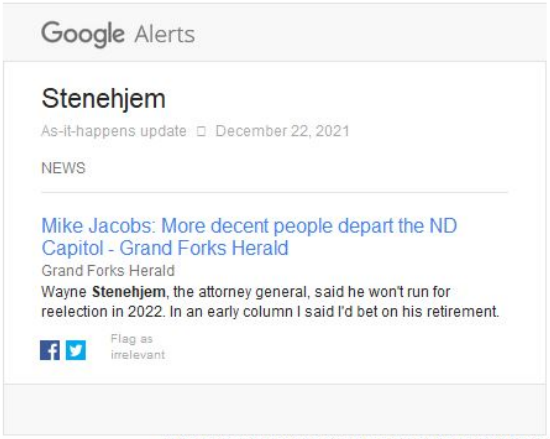
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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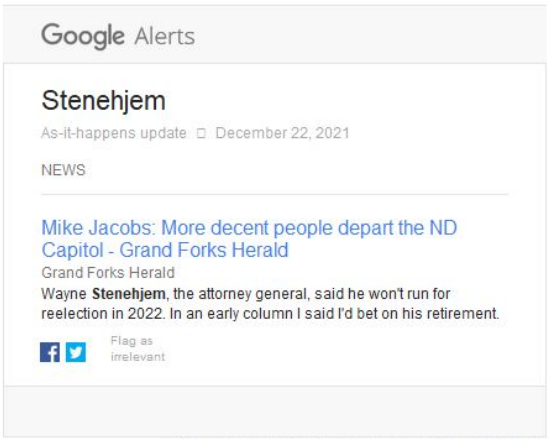
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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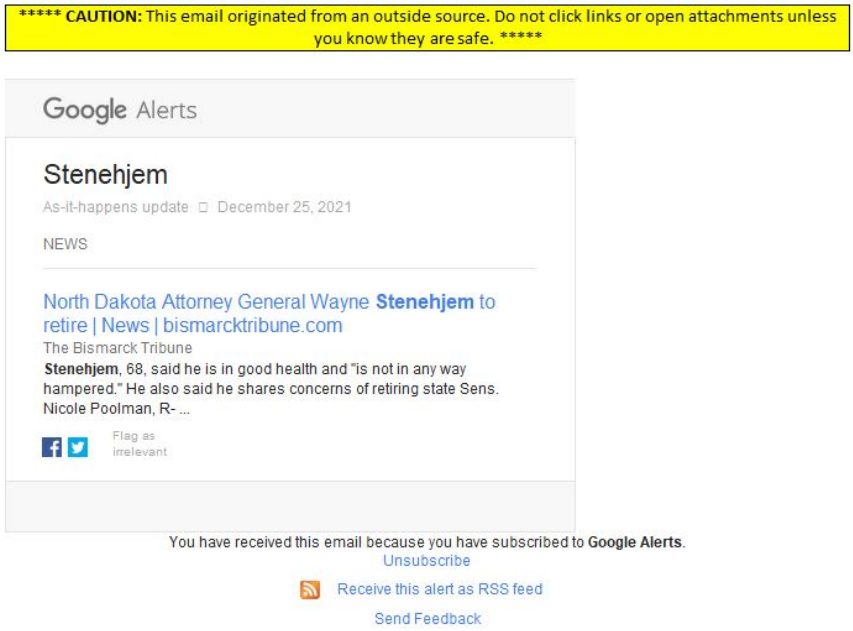
Body	

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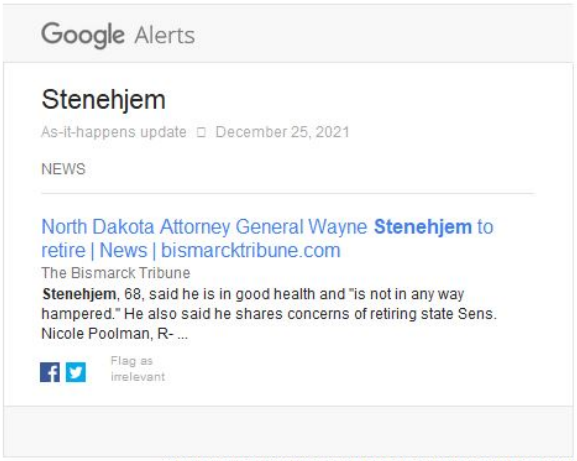
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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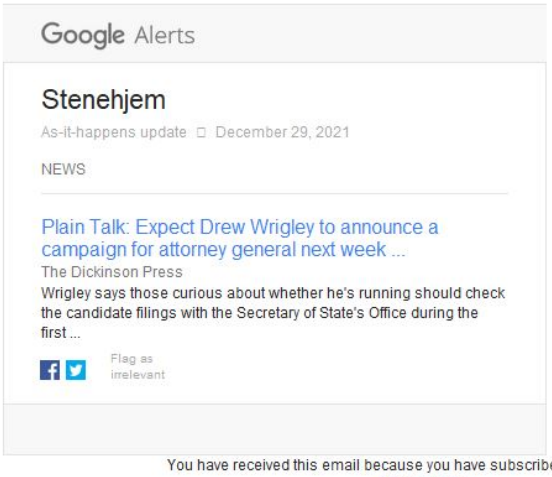
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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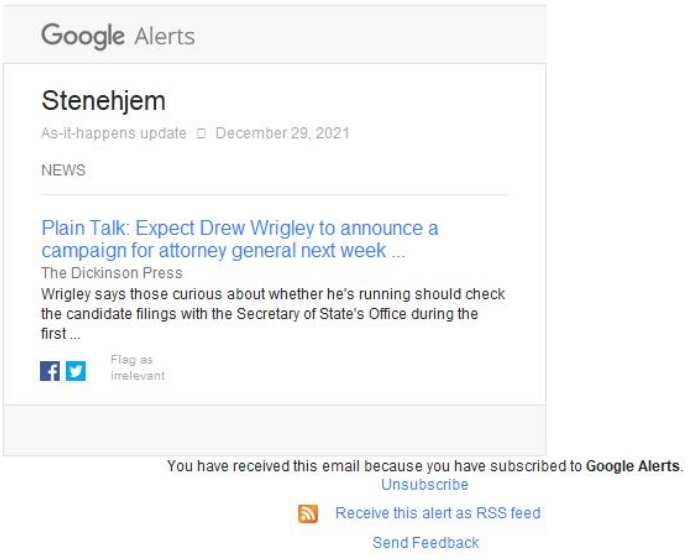
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update · December 29, 2021 NEWS Plain Talk: Expect Drew Wrigley to announce a campaign for attorney general next week ... The Dickinson Press Wrigley says those curious about whether he's running should check the candidate filings with the Secretary of State's Office during the first ... Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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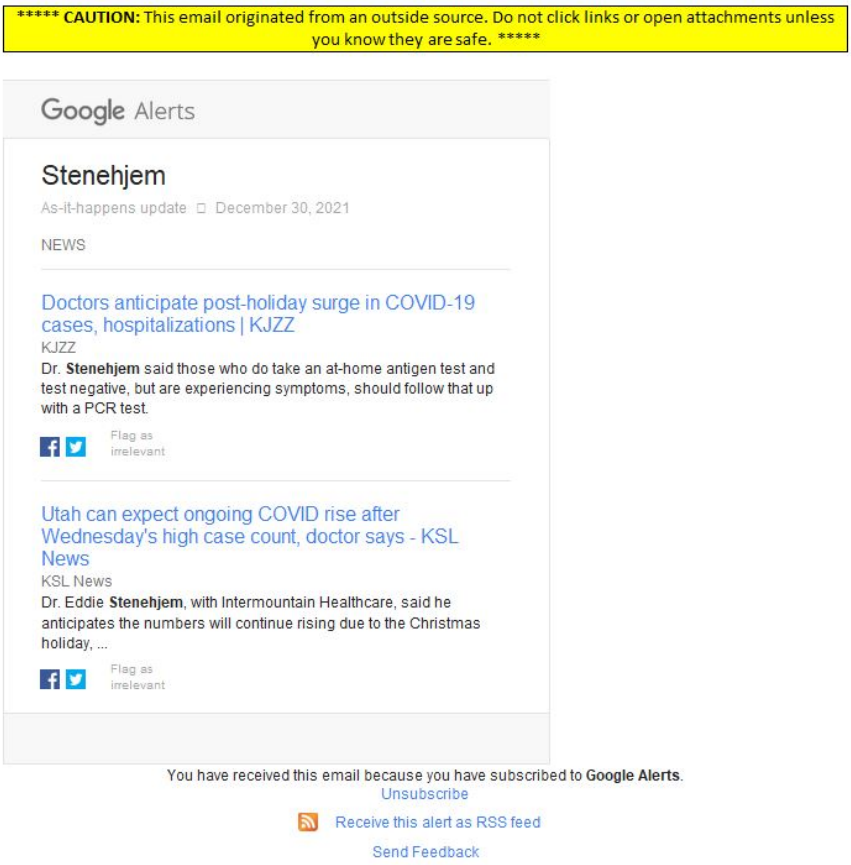
Body	

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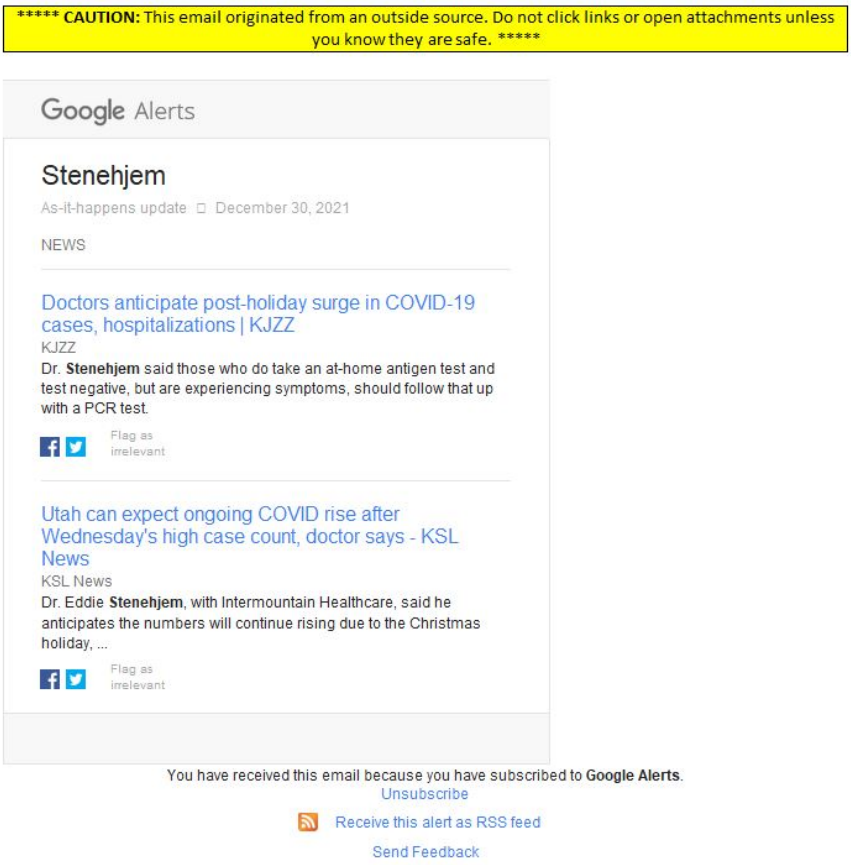
Body	

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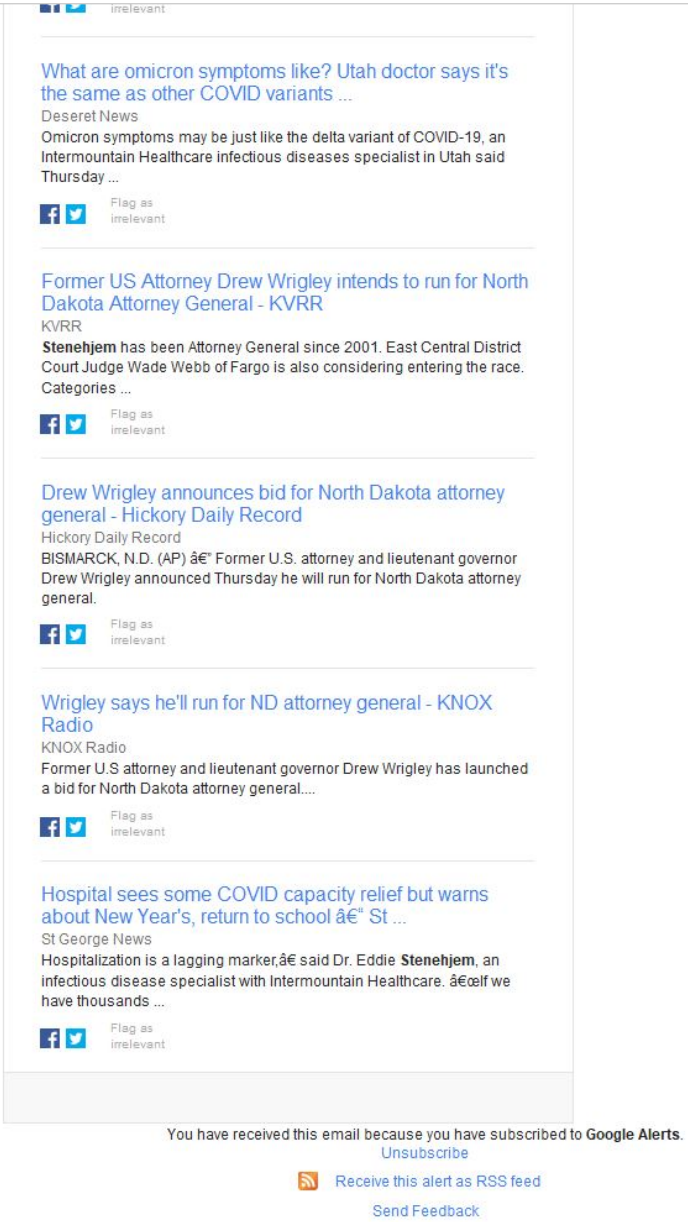
Body	

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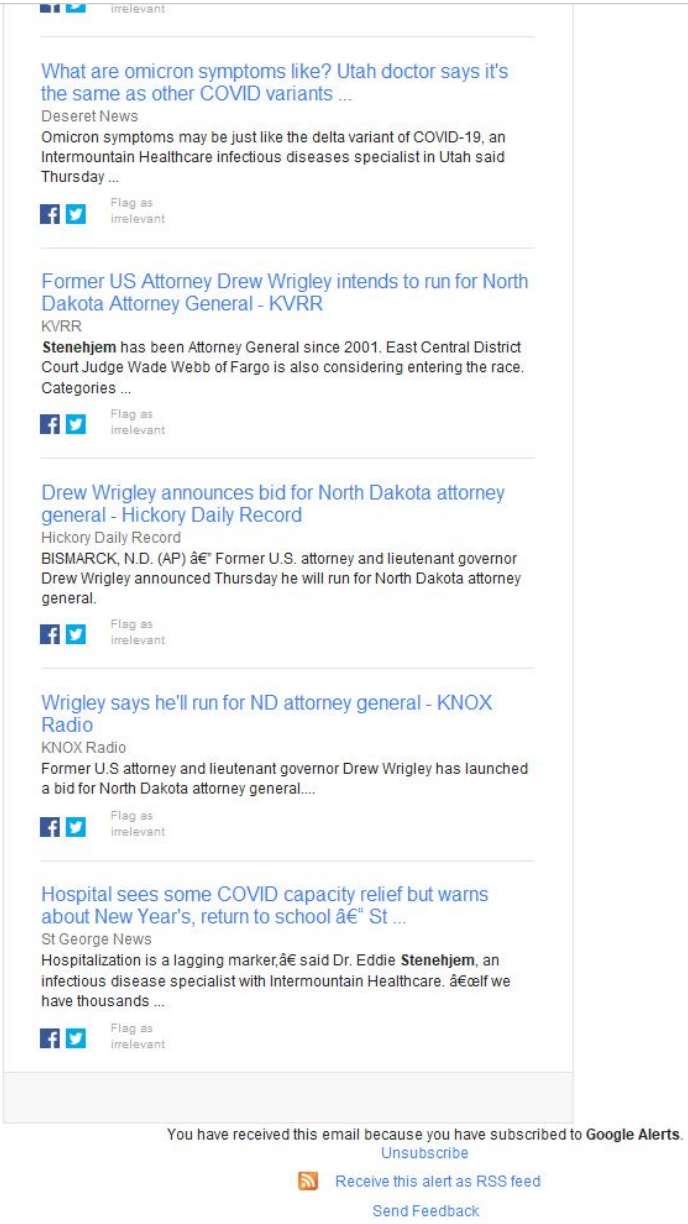
Body	

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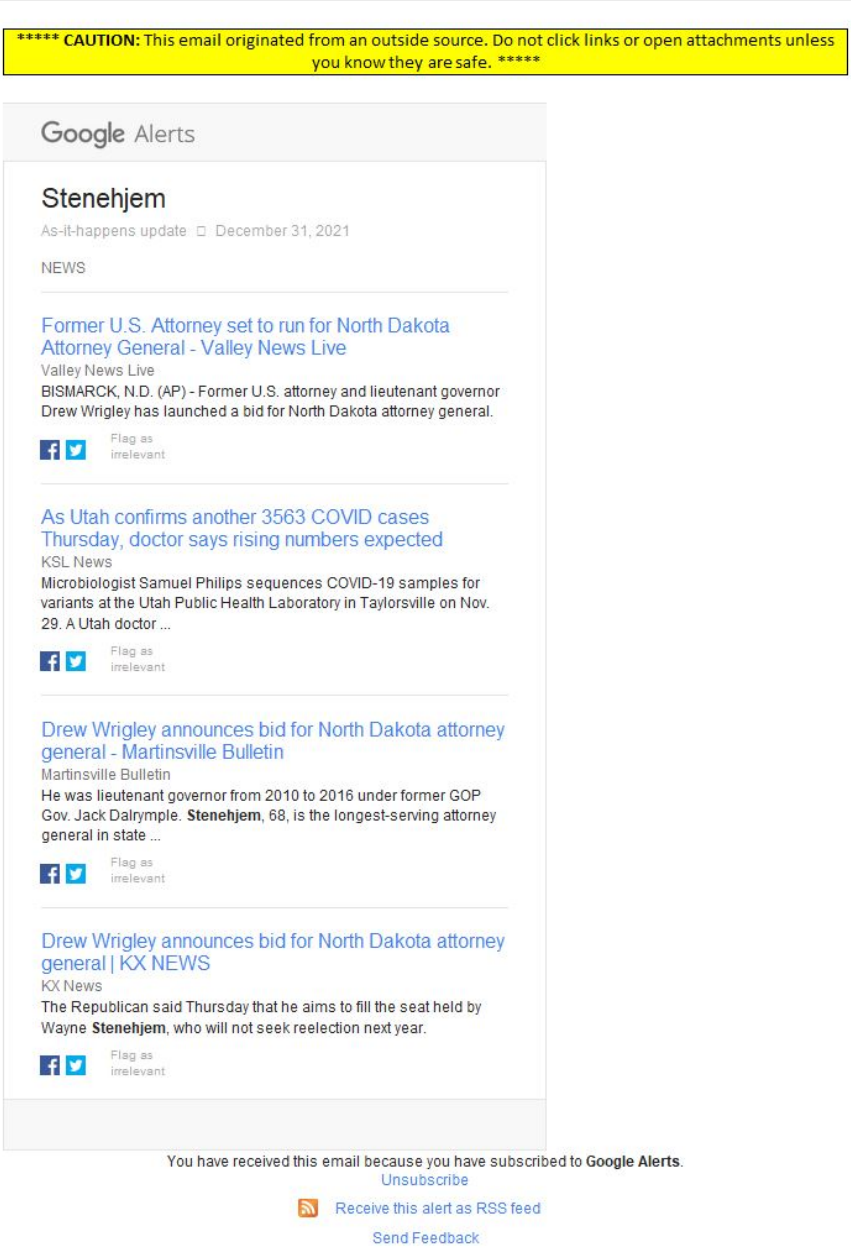
Body	

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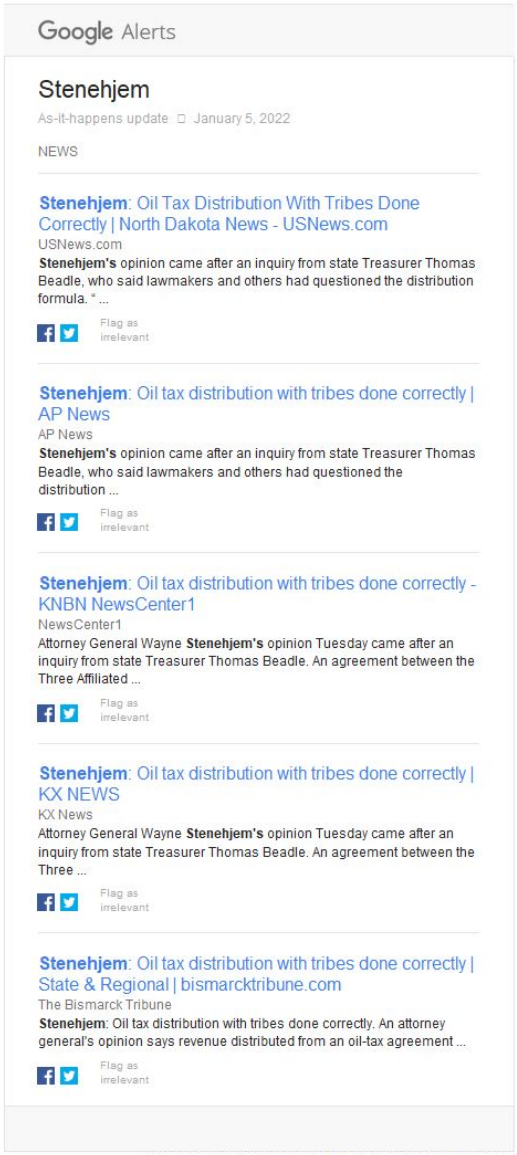
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update · January 5, 2022 NEWS **Stenehjem**: Oil Tax Distribution With Tribes Done Correctly | North Dakota News - USNews.com USNews.com **Stenehjem's** opinion came after an inquiry from state Treasurer Thomas Beadle, who said lawmakers and others had questioned the distribution formula. " ... Flag as irrelevant **Stenehjem**: Oil tax distribution with tribes done correctly | AP News AP News **Stenehjem's** opinion came after an inquiry from state Treasurer Thomas Beadle, who said lawmakers and others had questioned the distribution ... Flag as irrelevant **Stenehjem**: Oil tax distribution with tribes done correctly - KNBN NewsCenter1 NewsCenter1 Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem's** opinion Tuesday came after an inquiry from state Treasurer Thomas Beadle. An agreement between the Three Affiliated ... Flag as irrelevant **Stenehjem**: Oil tax distribution with tribes done correctly | KX NEWS KX News Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem's** opinion Tuesday came after an inquiry from state Treasurer Thomas Beadle. An agreement between the Three ... Flag as irrelevant **Stenehjem**: Oil tax distribution with tribes done correctly | State & Regional | bismarcktribune.com The Bismarck Tribune **Stenehjem**: Oil tax distribution with tribes done correctly. An attorney general's opinion says revenue distributed from an oil-tax agreement ... Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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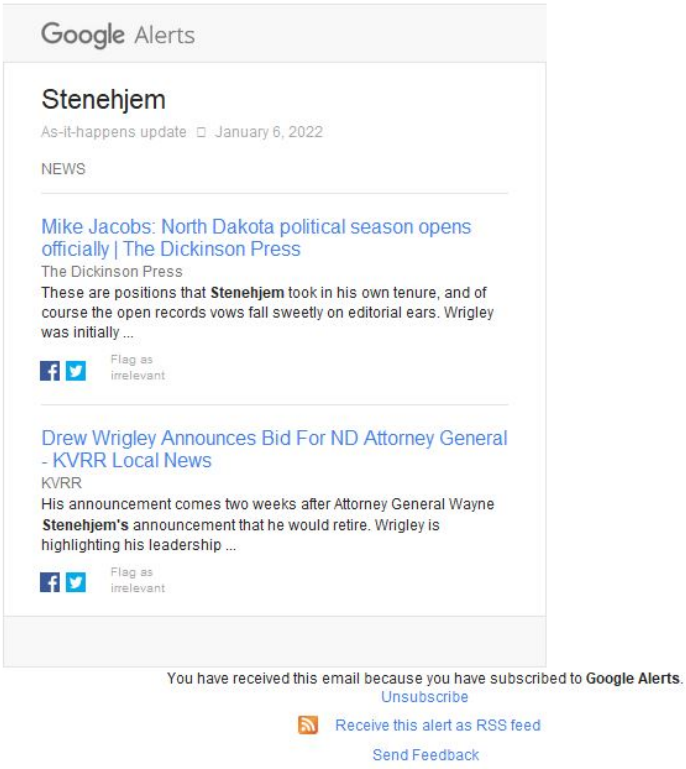
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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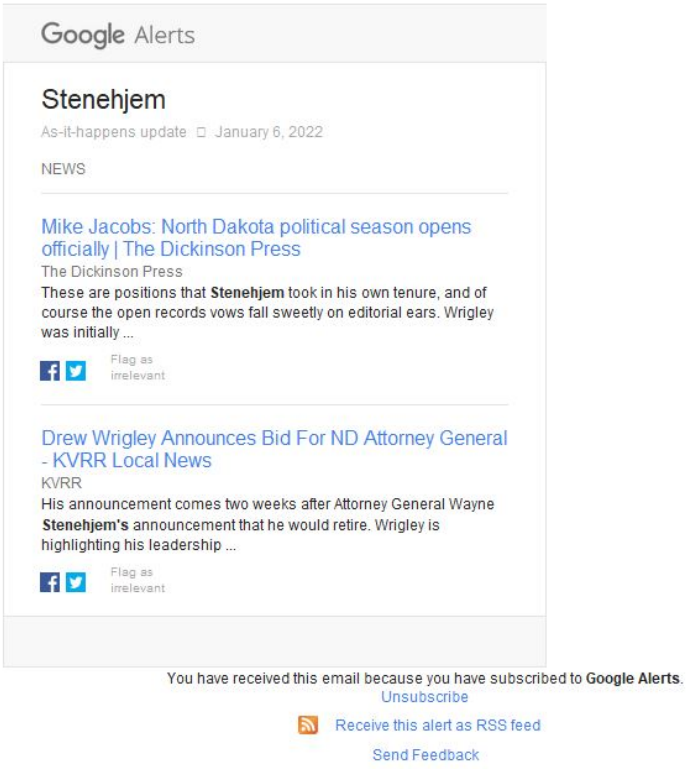
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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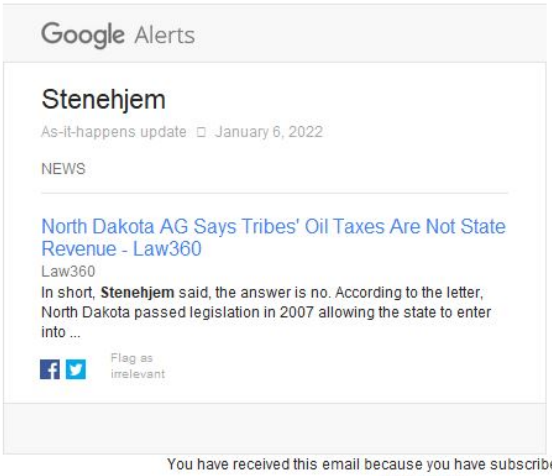
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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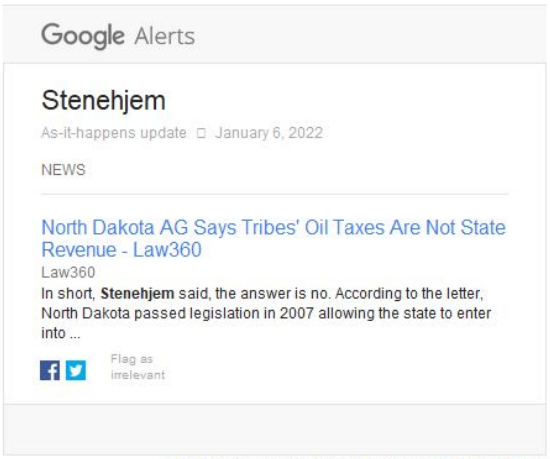
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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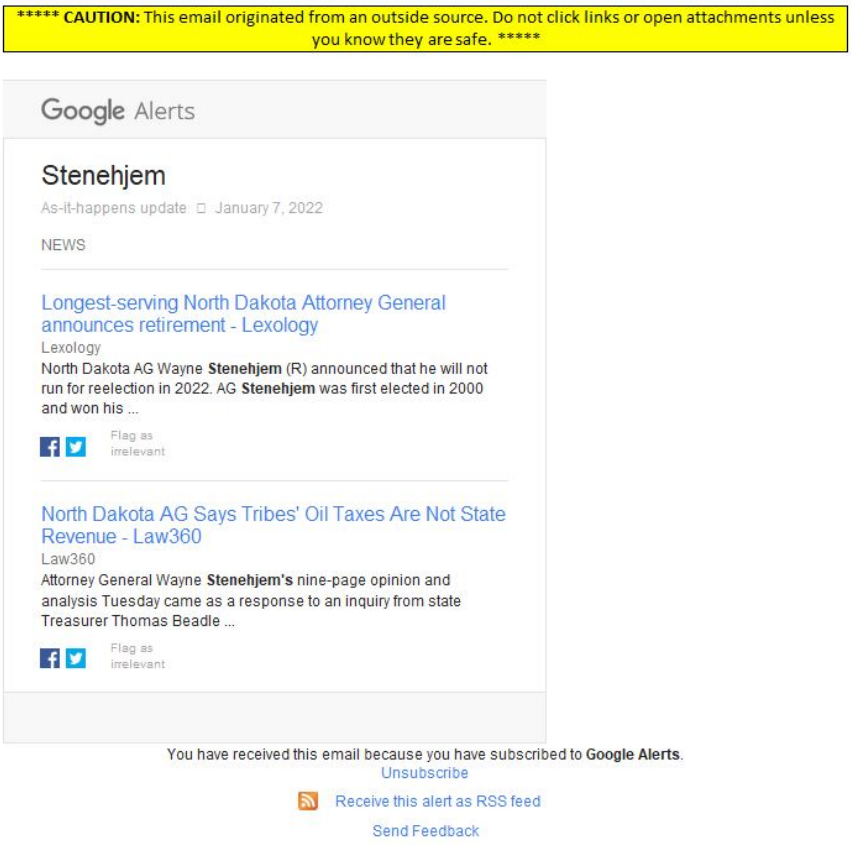
Body	

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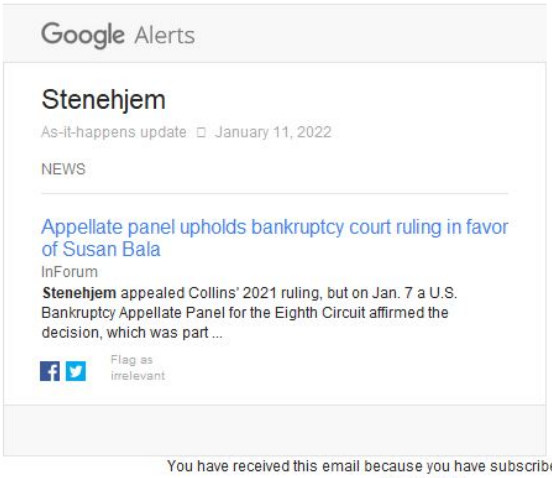
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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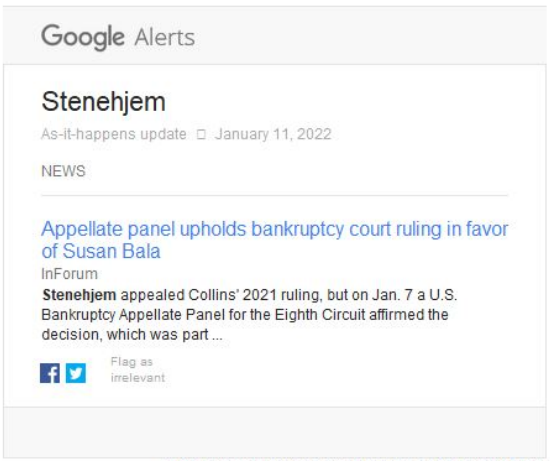
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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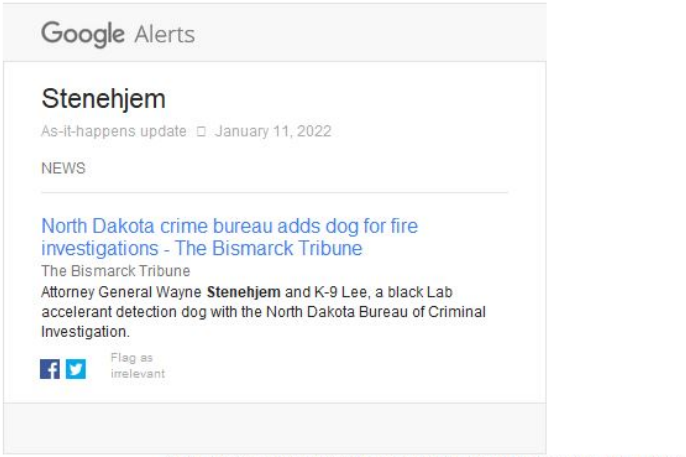
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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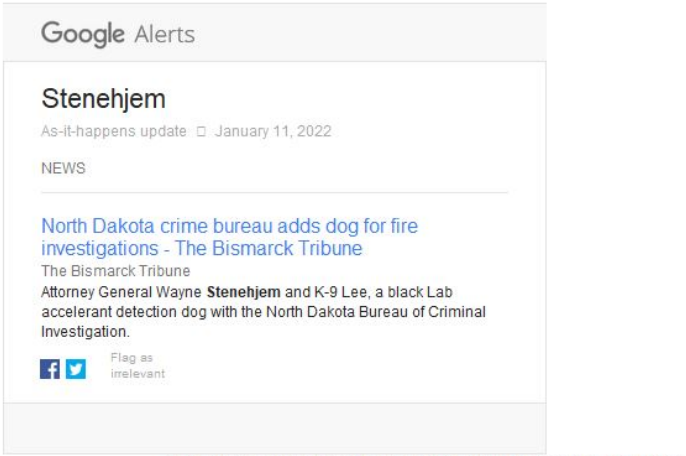
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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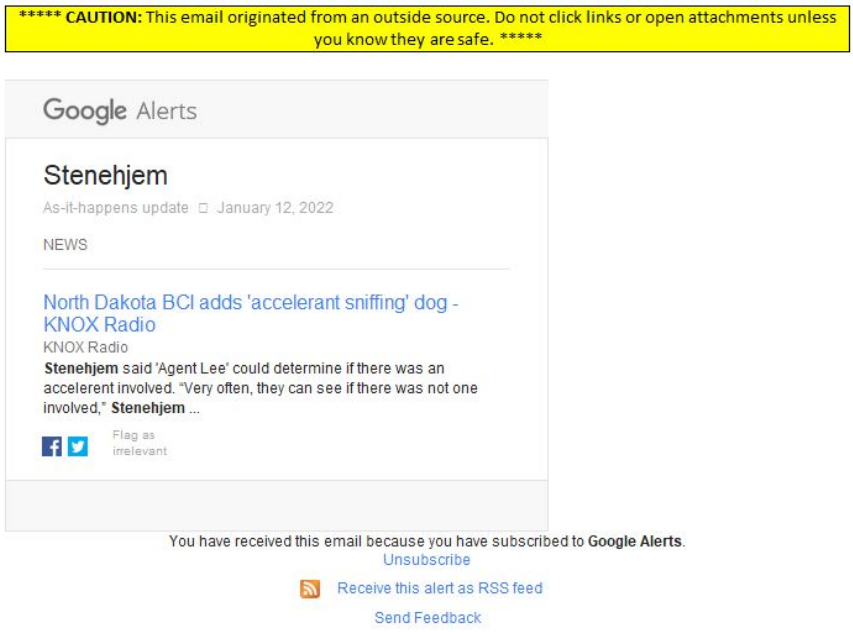
Body	

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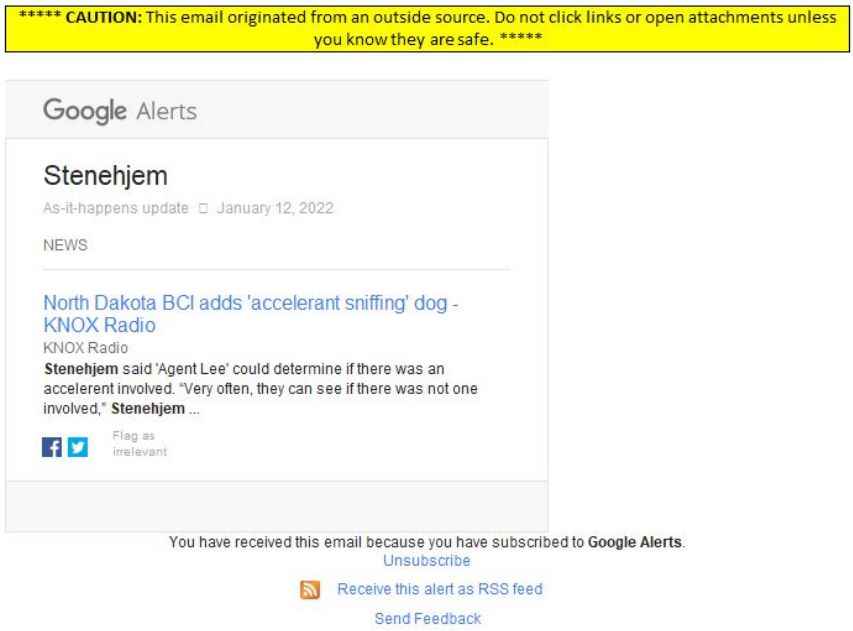
Body	

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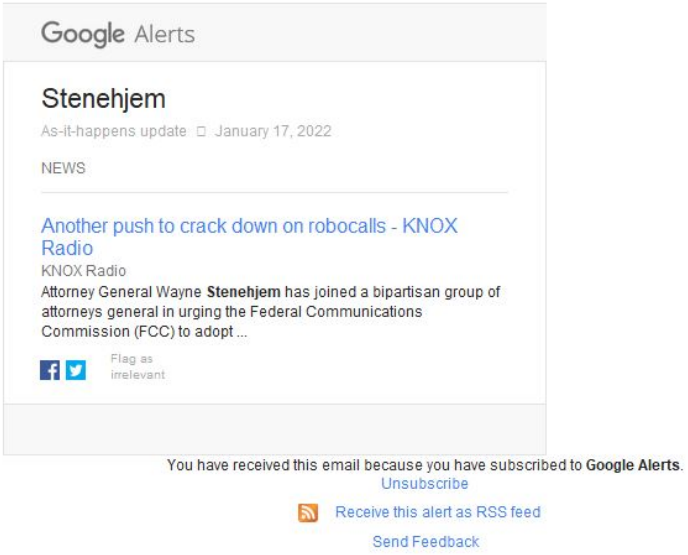
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update ▫ January 17, 2022 NEWS Another push to crack down on robocalls - KNOX Radio KNOX Radio Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** has joined a bipartisan group of attorneys general in urging the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to adopt ... Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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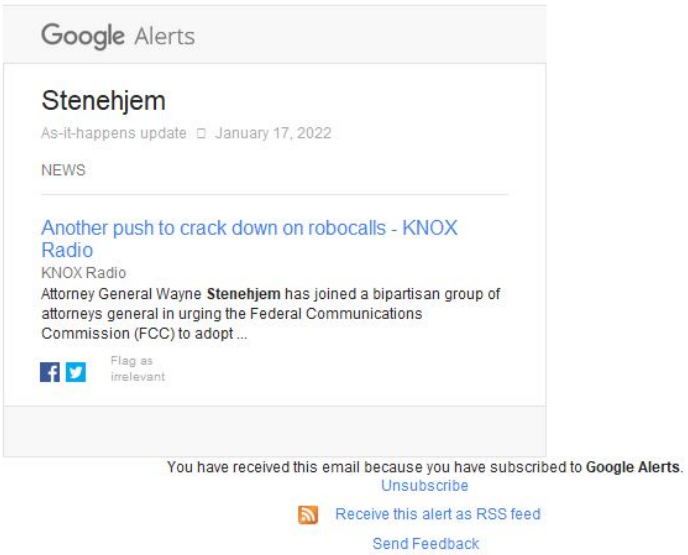
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update ▫ January 17, 2022 NEWS Another push to crack down on robocalls - KNOX Radio KNOX Radio Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** has joined a bipartisan group of attorneys general in urging the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to adopt ... Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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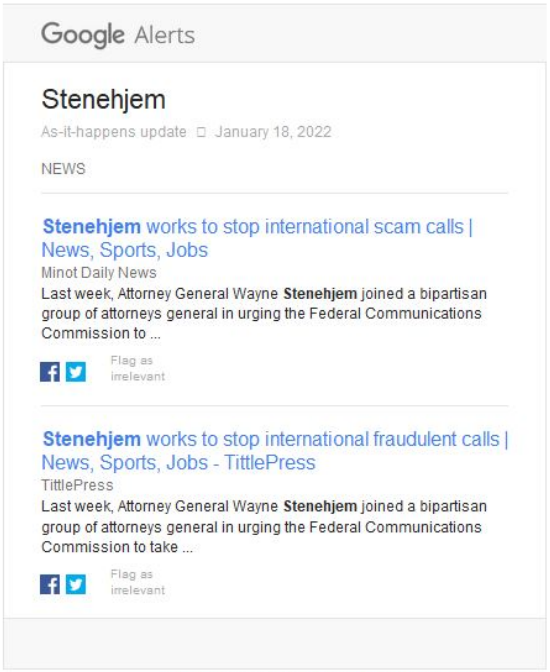
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update · January 18, 2022 NEWS **Stenehjem** works to stop international scam calls	News, Sports, Jobs Minot Daily News Last week, Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** joined a bipartisan group of attorneys general in urging the Federal Communications Commission to ... Flag as irrelevant **Stenehjem** works to stop international fraudulent calls	News, Sports, Jobs - TittlePress TittlePress Last week, Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem** joined a bipartisan group of attorneys general in urging the Federal Communications Commission to take ... Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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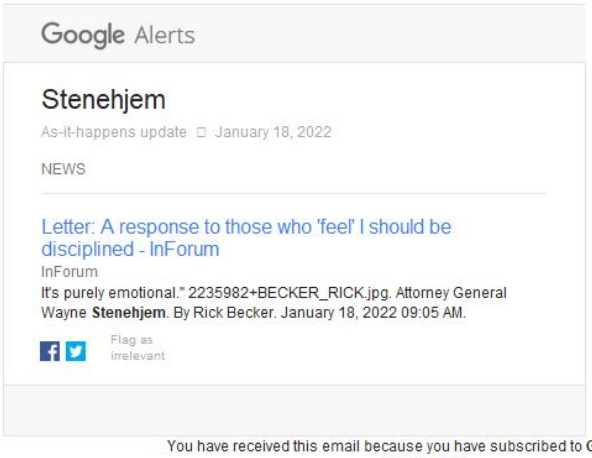
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Google Alerts Stenehjem As-it-happens update · January 18, 2022 NEWS Letter: A response to those who 'feel' I should be disciplined - InForum InForum It's purely emotional." 2235982+BECKER_RICK.jpg. Attorney General Wayne **Stenehjem**. By Rick Becker. January 18, 2022 09:05 AM. Flag as irrelevant You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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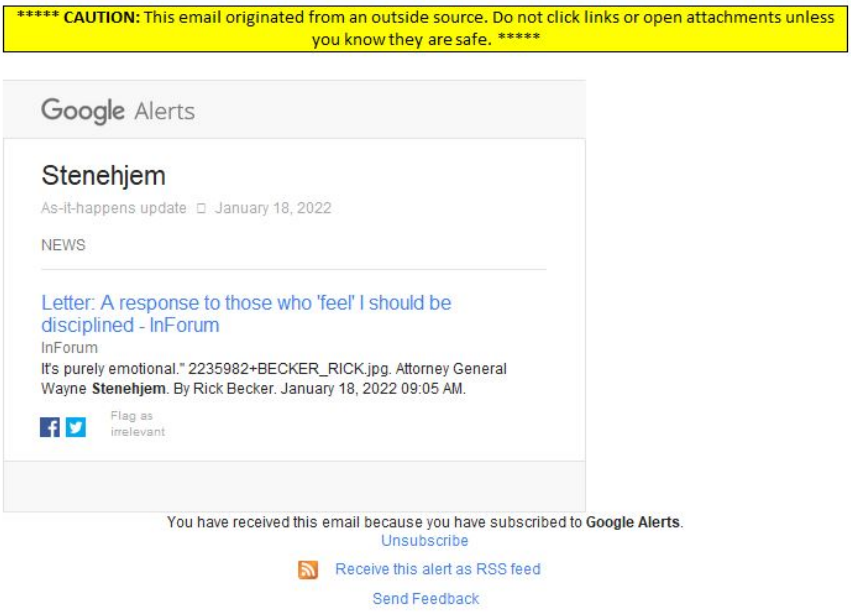
Body	

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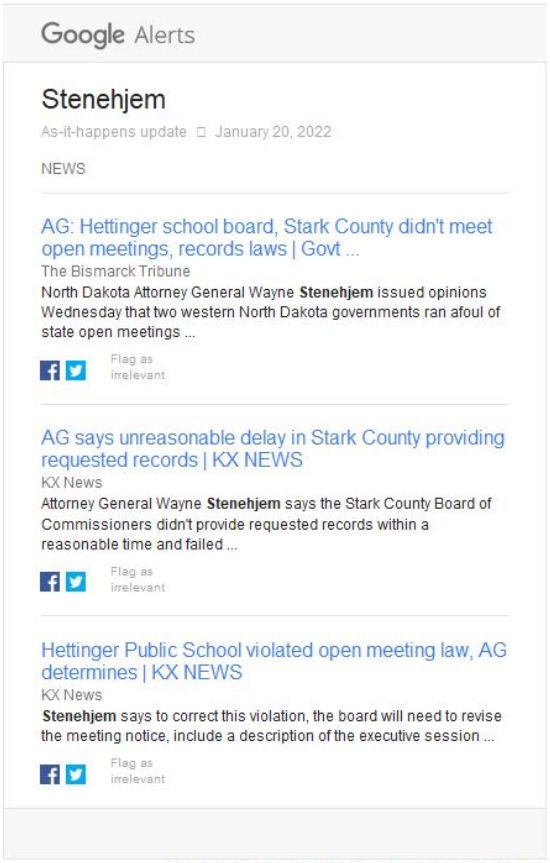
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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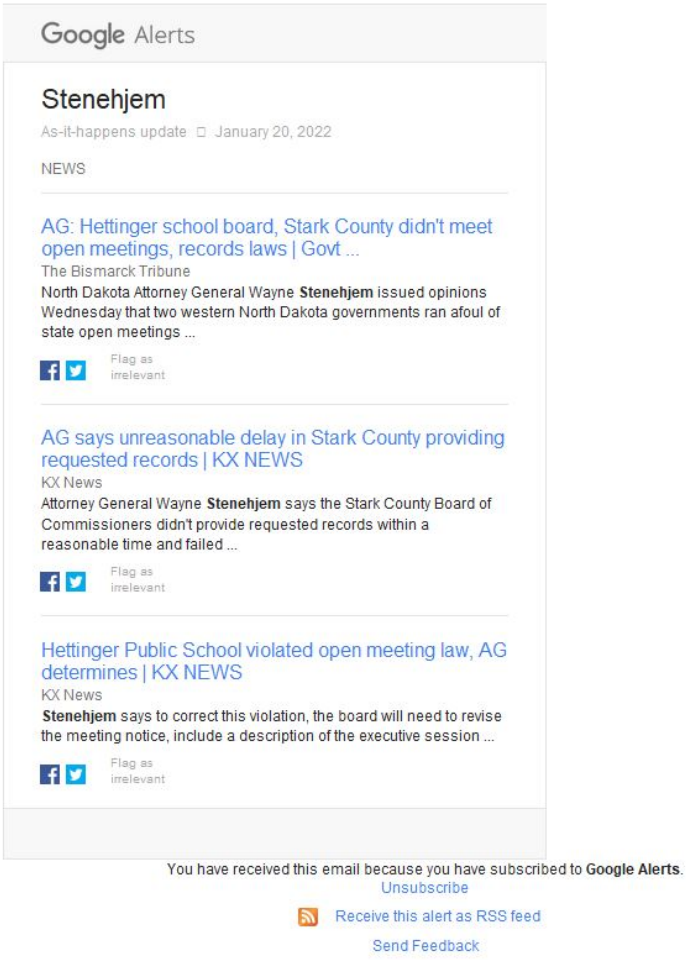
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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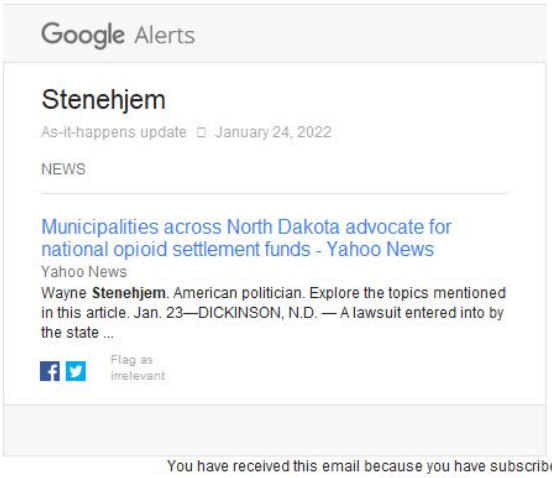
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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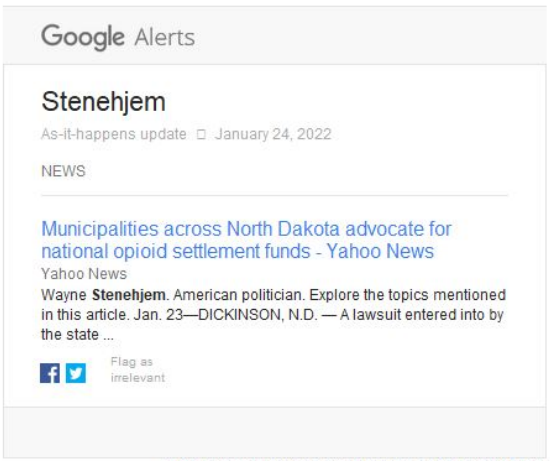
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  You have received this email because you have subscribed to **Google Alerts**. Unsubscribe Receive this alert as RSS feed Send Feedback

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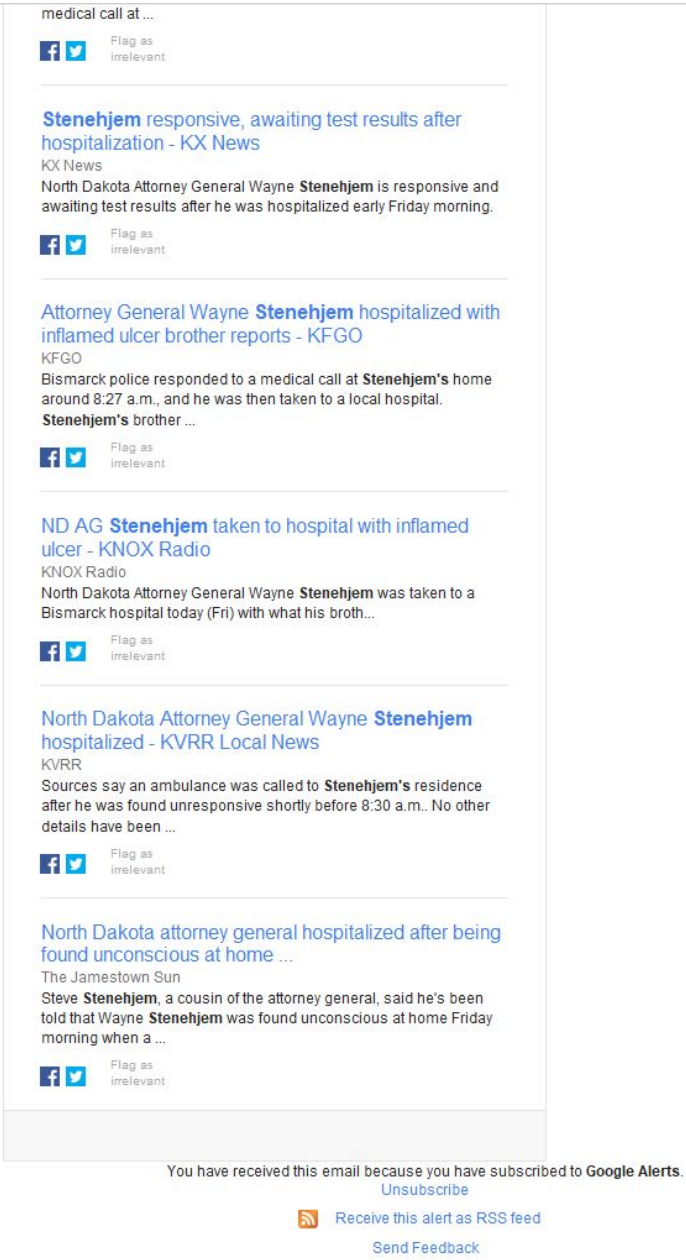
Body	

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Body	policies%2F&data=04%7C01%7CWstenehjem%40nd.gov%7C404458244c2643f0168e08d9d33543c5' Vera Sharav, is a Romanian-born Holocaust survivor and she has warned that the COVID-19 measures are similar to Nazi Germany's Subjugation Policies. She see's a lot of parallels between the narrative being used to justify COVID-19 measures such as lockdowns and the narrative employed by the Nazis in Germany to justify the subjugation of other people. She also stated the similarities between how many physicians and other healthcare workers today and in Nazi Germany became instrumental in harming a lot of people. Specifically, Sharav pointed to how doctors during the lead-up to the Nazi takeover of Germany were used to justify eugenics using the Darwinian idea of "survival of the fittest." She went on to state "What happens with a public health policy is that public health officials decide who shall live and who shall die." She explained that this kind of mentality - that the government should get to decide who lives and dies - eventually led to the Holocaust. She goes on to state it is "nonsense" for these doctors to suggest that the right thing to do is sacrifice the rights of individuals in pursuit of a so-called greater good. She mentioned this in reference to the mainstream acceptance of lockdowns. "As public officials, they talk about the greater good. Who has the authority to decide what is the greater good? Said Sharav. "If the individuals are oppressed or relegated to third-class citizens...what kind of society is it?" Governments all over the world have used the pandemic and the fear of getting infected as a major weapon. She argued that this has prevented people from thinking critically. Instead, people are taught to distrust other people and to isolate themselves from their communities. Instead of thinking critically, people are being taught to blindly trust public health officials and so-called experts. "Hitler then, as rulers now, deferred to the health officials said Sharav. "We are constantly being told, "We are following the science. She warned that this will eventually lead to the "complete overthrow of human civilization". Think about that story for a moment. This is from a woman who actually survived the Holocaust, She knows what she is talking about because she lived through it and survived it and she is now telling us it is happening again all over the world and what are our US authorities doing, in our nation? NOTHING except allowing it to happen. I ask each and everyone of you which side of history do you wish to fall upon? You only have two choices. You either act to stop this and fall on the correct side of history or you do nothing and fall on the wrong side of history. History always comes to pass and history will tell the story of who did what and why. You all have a chance to band together and go down in history as the Attorney Generals who stopped this genocide. This PLANdemic will dwarf the WWII holocaust by the time it's all said and done. The time to act is NOW. Dr. David Martin has also followed all the US Patents and he can show you all how it was truly planned out years ago. In the end, we must all account for our actions in front of The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob whether you believe in God or not. I hope and pray that you all are up to the task at hand and for those of you that choose to stand against this evil The Lord will protect and guide you. Many times, George Washington stated that he should have died but he knew he was protected by Providence which means divine guidance or care. God Bless each and everyone of you. I pray you all do the right thing. Michelle Austin
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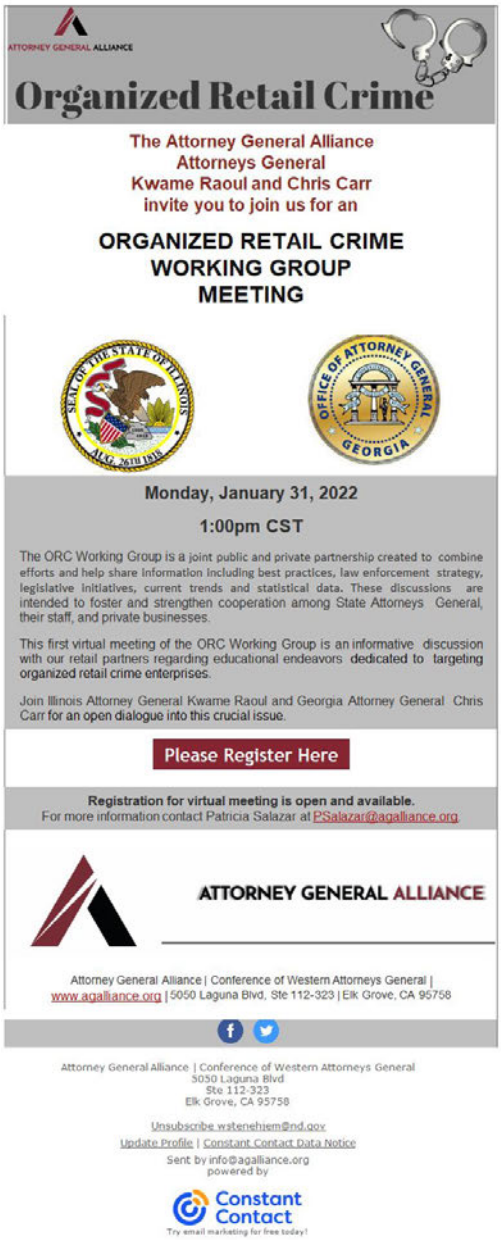

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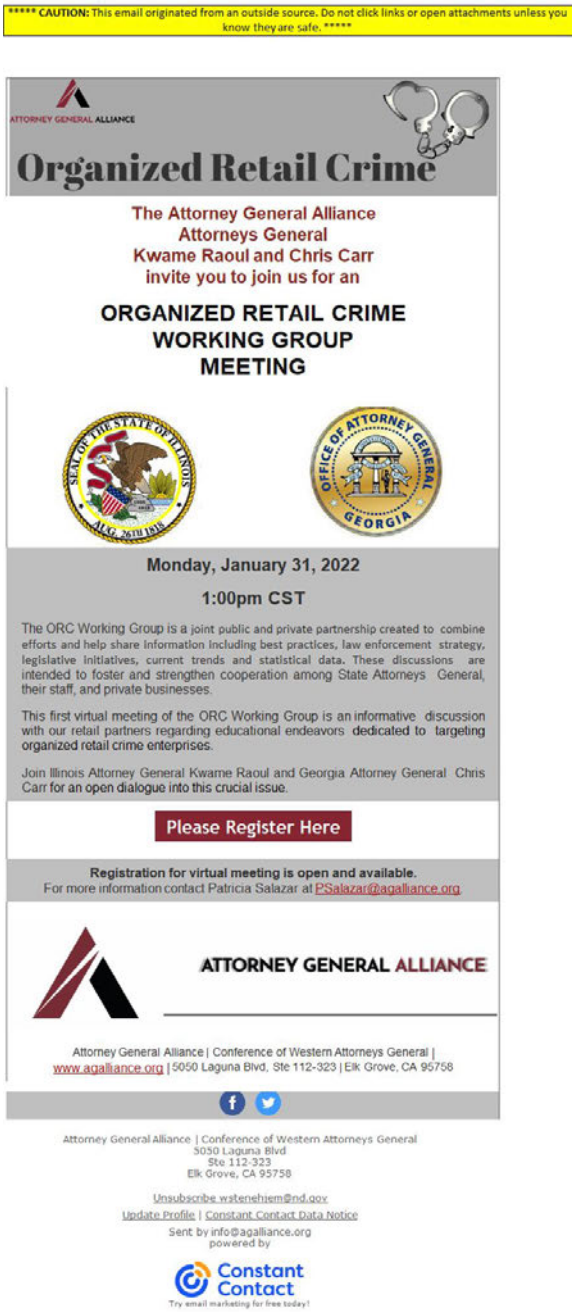

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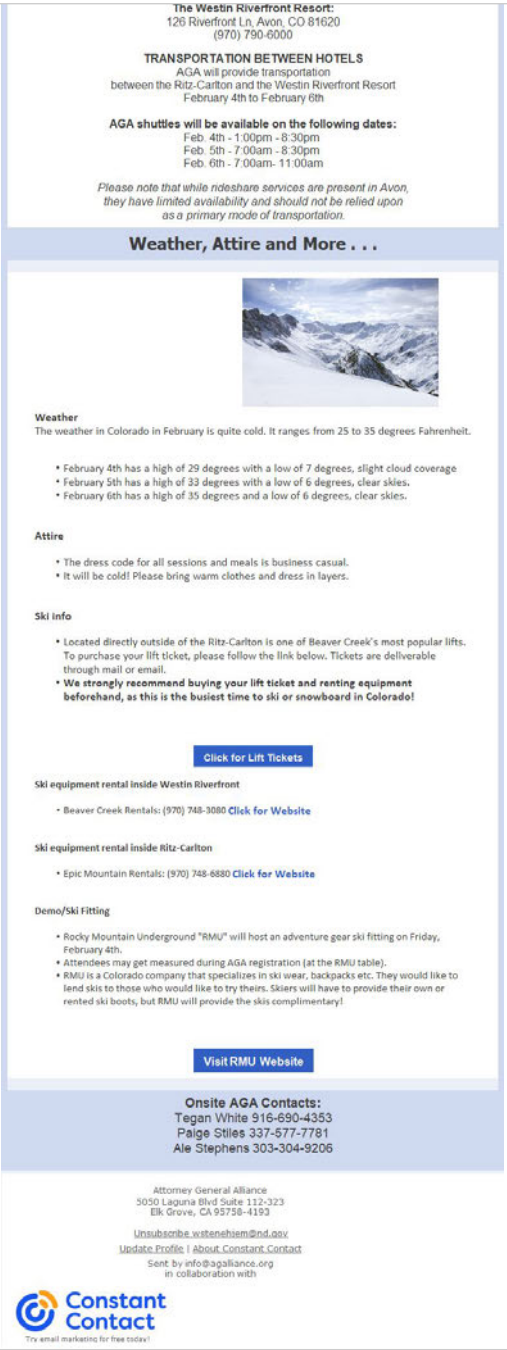
Body	

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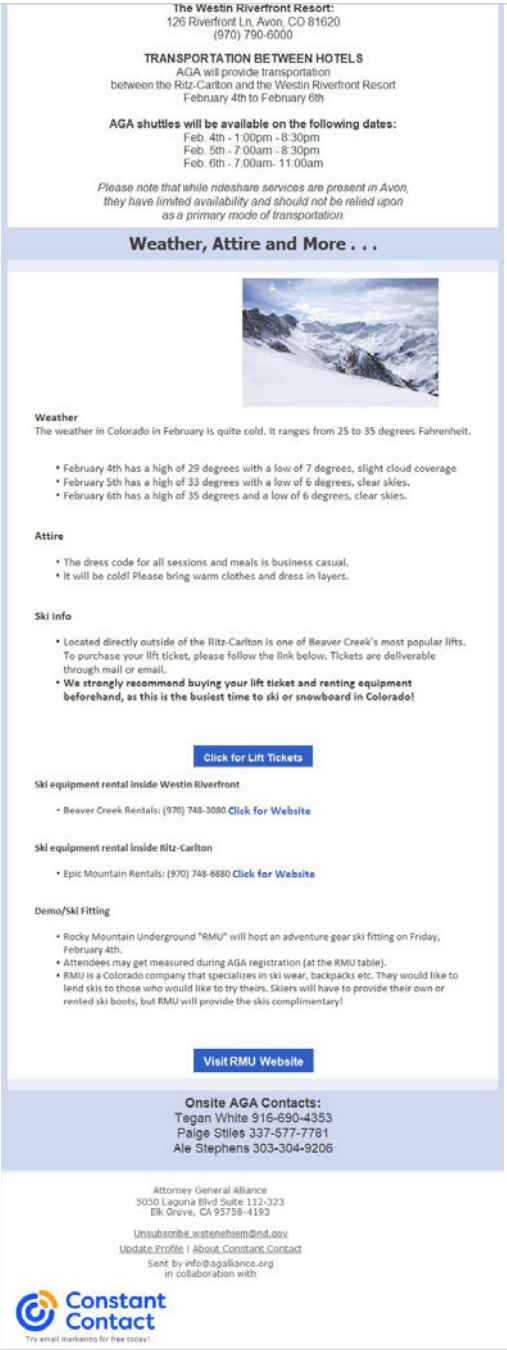
Body	

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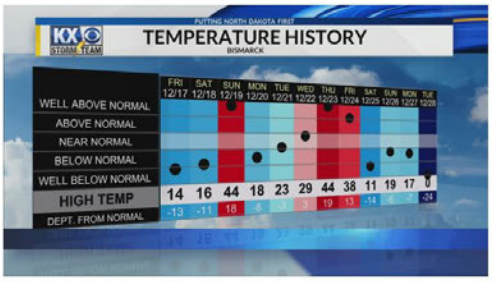

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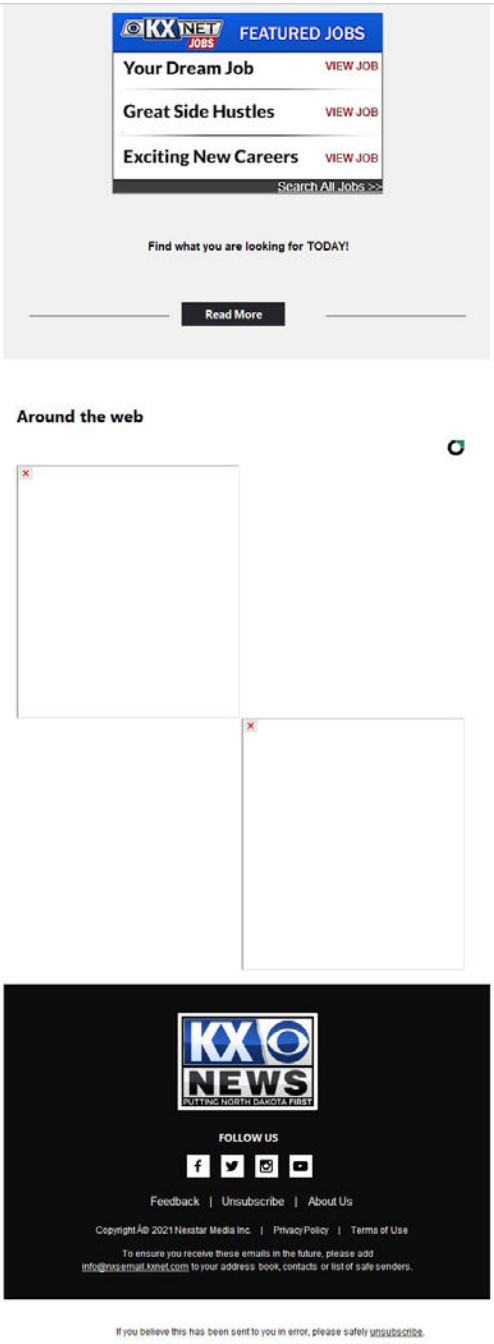
Body	

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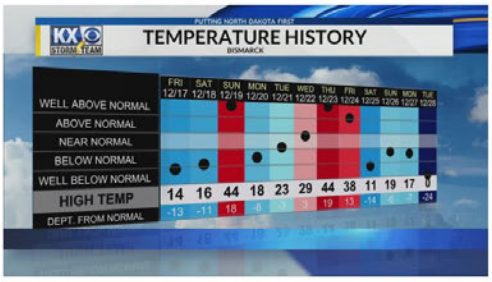

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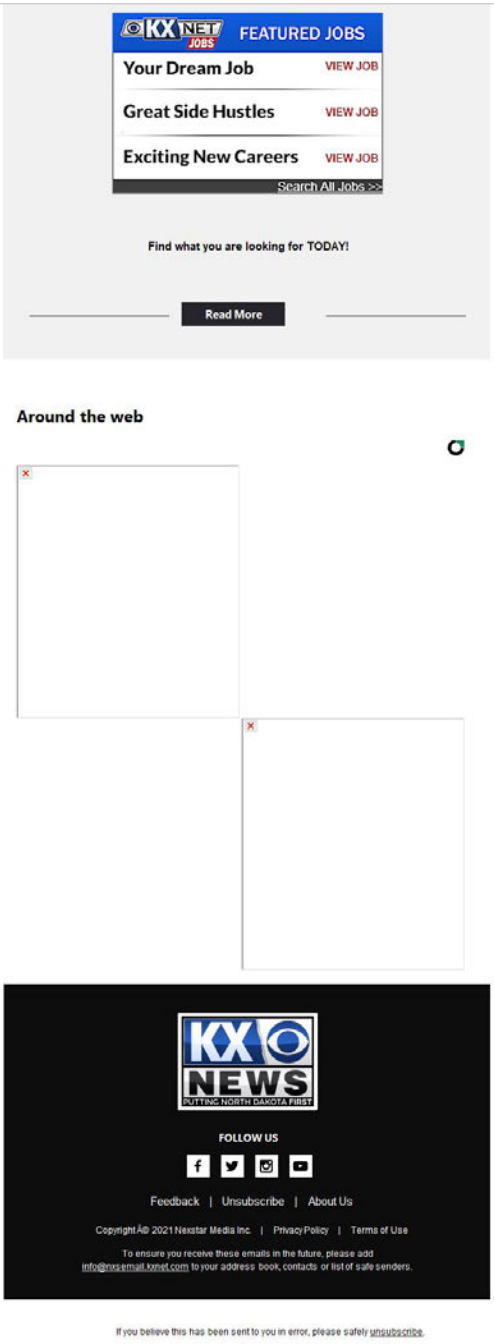
Body	

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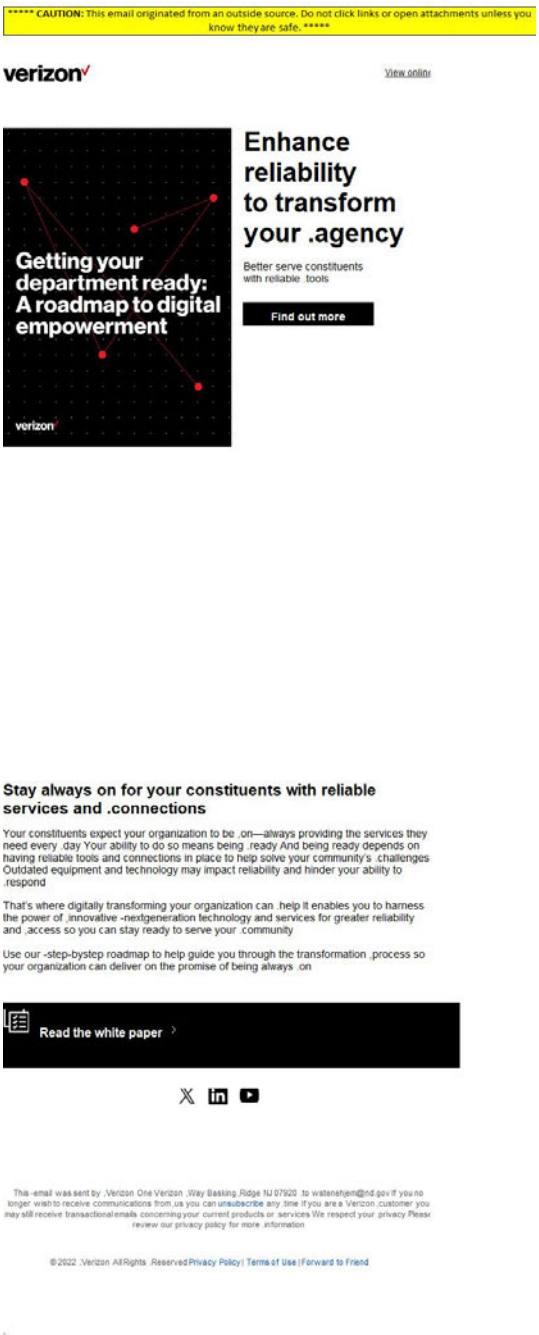
Body	

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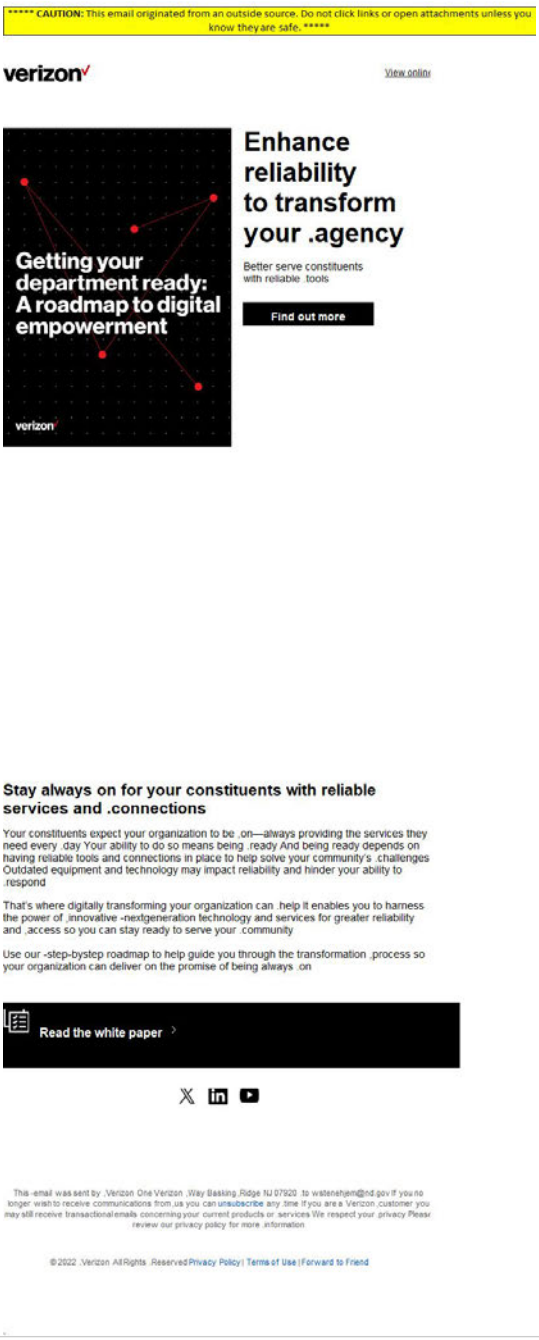
Body	

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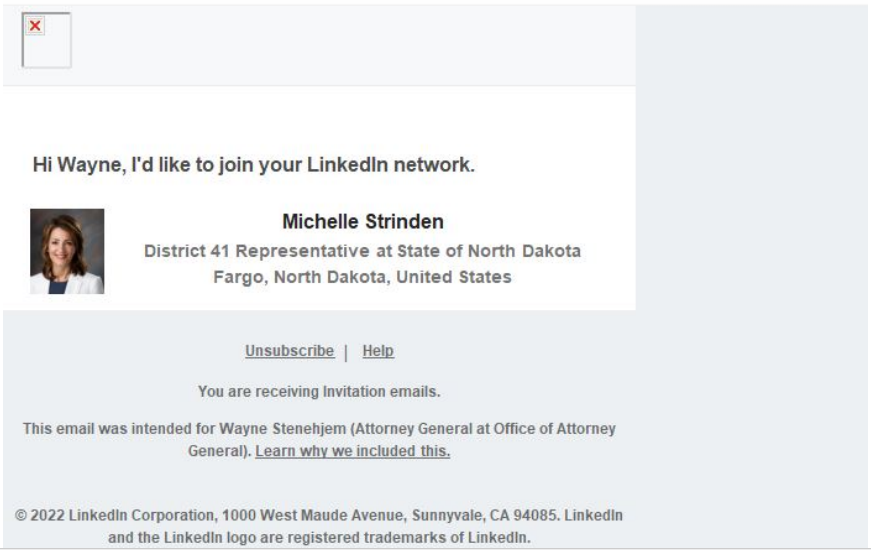
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. Michelle Strinden District 41 Representative at State of North Dakota Fargo, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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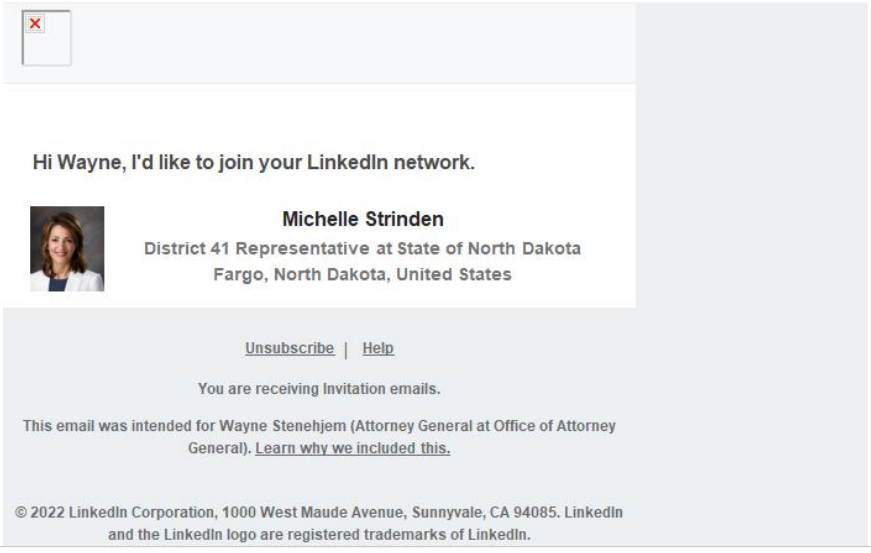
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. Michelle Strinden District 41 Representative at State of North Dakota Fargo, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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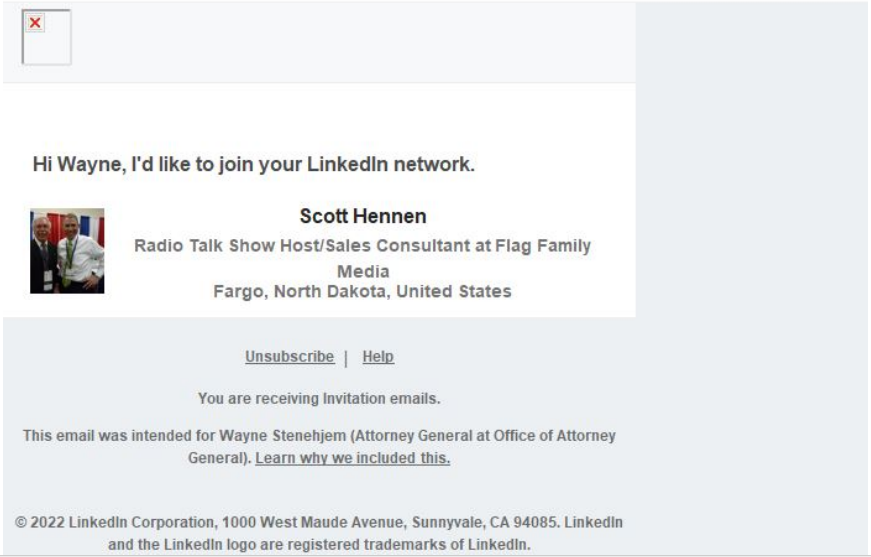
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. **Scott Hennen** Radio Talk Show Host/Sales Consultant at Flag Family Media Fargo, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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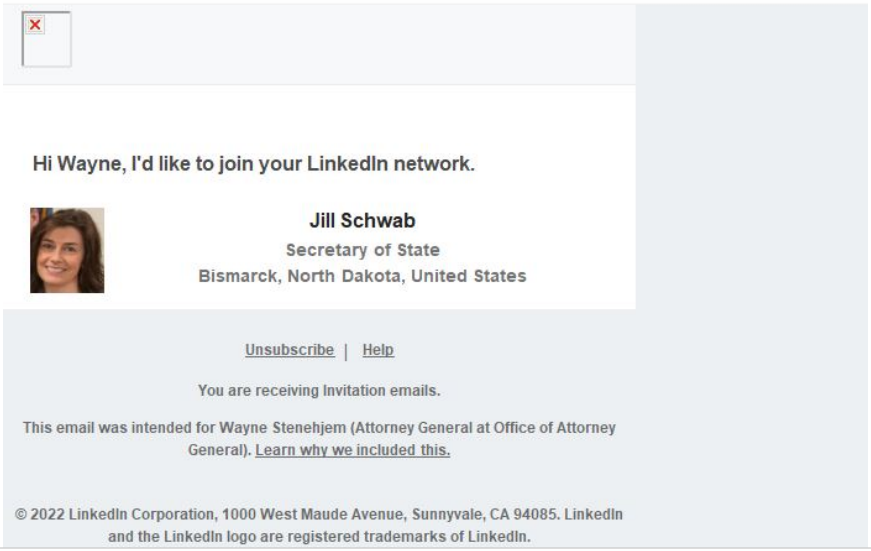
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. Jill Schwab Secretary of State Bismarck, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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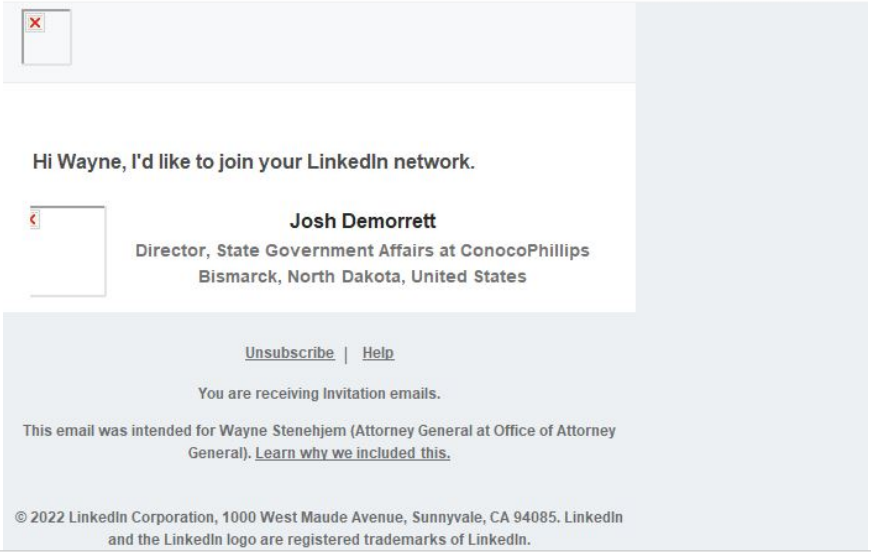
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. Josh Demorrett Director, State Government Affairs at ConocoPhillips Bismarck, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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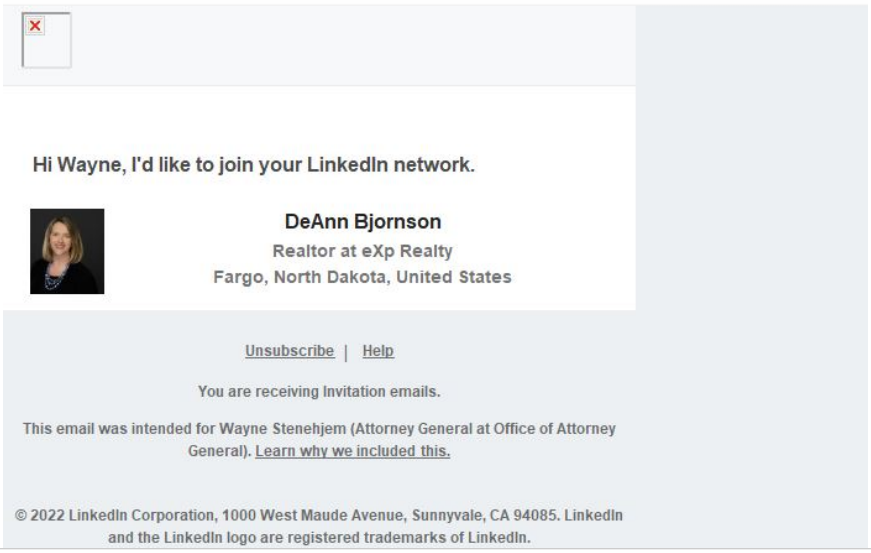
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. DeAnn Bjornson Realtor at eXp Realty Fargo, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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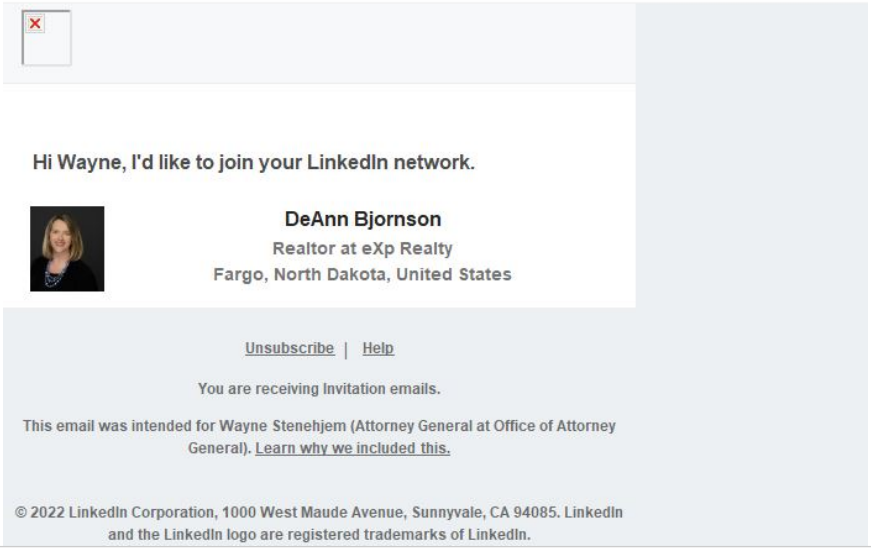
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Hi Wayne, I'd like to join your LinkedIn network. DeAnn Bjornson Realtor at eXp Realty Fargo, North Dakota, United States Unsubscribe | Help You are receiving Invitation emails. This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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Sender Email	jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Williston
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Sender Name	Jack McDonald
Sender Email	jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Williston
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 11:02:52.000 AM
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Sender Email	jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	[The Bismarck Tribune] North Dakota crime bureau adds dog for fire investigations
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Body	***If you have not done so already, you can bring your food to the potluck tables in the hallway and we can start eating at 11:30.*** ***Thank you everyone!*** ***Enjoy!*** *Jen Brubakken* *Administrative Staff Officer* *ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation* *701.328.5534* **From:** Brubakken, Jenifer M. **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 3:38 PM **To:** -Grp-AG BCI/IT/FM/CJIS <agbcifm@nd.gov>; -Grp-AG CPAT <agcpat@nd.gov>; -Grp-AG Lottery <aglottery@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Keller, Becky J. <bekeller@nd.gov>; Gerding, Tasha A. <tgerding@nd.gov>; Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov>; 'Helderop, Randy W' <Randy.W.Helderop@ice.dhs.gov> **Subject:** Reminder - BCI/IT/FM/CPAT/Lottery Christmas Potluck ***~ Reminder for the Christmas potluck on Friday, December 17th ~*** ***We will set up the food tables in the hallway by Copier 3 between Colleen Weltz's office and Cybercrime.*** ***Looking forward to lots of good food!*** *Jen Brubakken* *Administrative Staff Officer* *ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation* *701.328.5534* **From:** Brubakken, Jenifer M. **Sent:** Monday, November 29, 2021 1:51 PM **To:** -Grp-AG BCI/IT/FM/CJIS <agbcifm@nd.gov>; -Grp-AG CPAT <agcpat@nd.gov>; -Grp-AG Lottery <aglottery@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Keller, Becky J. <bekeller@nd.gov>; Gerding, Tasha A. <tgerding@nd.gov>; Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov>; Helderop, Randy W <Randy.W.Helderop@ice.dhs.gov> **Subject:** BCI/IT/FM/CPAT/Lottery Christmas Potluck ***Good Afternoon,*** ***The BCI/IT/FM/CPAT/LOTTERY Christmas Potluck will be held on Friday, December 17th from 11:30 AM-1 PM. Please bring something to share. Plates, silverware, napkins, & cups will be provided. I reserved Conference Rooms 1, 2, and 3 for the potluck.*** ***You are welcome to wear your favorite Ugly Christmas Sweater/Attire.*** ***If you have any questions, please let me know.*** ***Hope to see you there!*** ***Thank you.*** *Jen Brubakken* *Administrative Staff Officer* *ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation* *701.328.5534*
Attachments	image001[11335].jpg, image002[11336].jpg

Record 390

Sender Name	Lee, Judy E.
Sender Email	jlee@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Re: open records question
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 8:55:53.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 8:55:51.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 8:55:53.000 AM

Body	I can't believe the dysfunction of that board! The # of incidents is astounding. **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 10, 2021 8:50:51 AM **To:** Lee, Judy E. <jlee@nd.gov> **Cc:** Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: open records question Thanks, Judy, for the email. The Board if, of course a public entity subject to the open records and meetings laws. Mary Kelsch has addressed this issue with the board member you refer to, and I asked her about it. Here is what she said: "He was not a board member at the time of the executive session. The recording is exempt so it could be released to him if the board votes to release it to him. I believe he made a motion at a board meeting to listen to it and they voted NOT to release the recording to him." I hope this helps answer your question Wayne **From:** Lee, Judy E. <jlee@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 9, 2021 8:51 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** open records question Are the records of Board of Higher Education meetings subject to open records requirements? How about executive session minutes? The BHE will not even let the new Board member listen to the recording of the June 30 meeting, when 2 Presidents were sent packing, although his term began July 1. Senator Judy Lee §44-04-18.6 Email: jlee@nd.gov
CC	mkelsch@nd.gov

Record 391

Sender Name	MacPherson, James
Sender Email	jmacpherson@ap.org
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Montana pot
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:31:15.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:31:10.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:31:15.000 AM
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good morning Wayne, Like to talk to you about the impact legal Montana pot might have, or is already having, on North Dakota. I think I remember you testifying about Colorado pot back when medical marijuana was being debated here. Could you call this morning? 223-8557. Thanks, James The information contained in this communication is intended for the use of the designated recipients named above. If the reader of this communication is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that you have received this communication in error, and that any review, dissemination, distribution or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify The Associated Press immediately by telephone at +1-212-621-1500 and delete this email. Thank you.

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Sender Name	MacPherson, James
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov

Subject	Montana pot
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:31:15.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:31:10.000 AM
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Record 393

Sender Name	McCarthy, Jason
Sender Email	JMcCarthy@ndcourts.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Retirement
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 8:26:00.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 8:24:51.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 8:26:00.000 AM
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne, Congratulations on your upcoming retirement and thank you for all the years of leadership and service. Enjoy your well-deserved retirement! Merry Christmas, Jason

Record 394

Sender Name	McCarthy, Jason
Sender Email	JMcCarthy@ndcourts.gov
Subject	Retirement
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 8:24:51.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/18/2021 8:26:00.000 AM

Record 395

Sender Name	Morrissette, Joe
Sender Email	jmorrissette@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 2022 Strategy Reviews - Reminder
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 9:24:18.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 9:24:13.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 9:24:18.000 AM

Body	**Reminder:** If you have not submitted your one-page agency summary, please do so as soon as you have it prepared. This information will help participants in the strategy review meeting better understand your agency, constituents, and recent accomplishments and allow us to better focus on your agency vision and strategy during the meeting. **Subject:** 2022 Strategy Reviews **Importance:** High Agency Leaders, I am excited to announce the start of a new budget cycle for the 2023-25 biennium. We will once again begin with a discussion of your agency strategy. The budget is a tool to help you achieve your strategic goals, so our budget process begins with a focus on your strategic vision. As we seek to continually improve the strategy review process, we have provided a variety of new resources to assist you: • Strategic Planning Framework – Step-by-step, practical guide to developing a comprehensive strategic plan. • Strategic Planning Template – Template to organize your strategic plan as you build it. • Action Plan Template – Template to translate your strategic plan into actionable steps. • Strategy Review One-page Template – Fillable template to create a one-page info sheet about your agency to be used for the strategy review, legislative presentations, recruiting, public information, etc. Note that the first "hidden" page contains instructions. • **2022 Strategy Review PowerPoint Template – Updated, simplified strategy review template to guide your preparation for the 2022 strategy review.** All of the above resources are available on Team ND Connect for your reference. You will be receiving a strategy review invite from Lori Sondag with a meeting time between late February and the end of March 2022. The meeting invite will go to your agency leader and chief fiscal contact. Please forward to others within your agency you would like to include. **Please send to Lori Sondag:** • Your agency's Strategy Review One-page Template, **by January 14, 2022** ***AND*** • An electronic version of your agency's 2022 Strategy Review PowerPoint Template, **no later than the day prior to your scheduled meeting** Feel free to reach out to me, Molly Herrington, or your budget analyst if you have any questions or need assistance in the strategic planning process or your preparation for the strategy review. Thank you for your thoughtful work as you prepare for our strategic review and discussion. We look forward to meeting with you. Joe Joe Morrissette, CPA *Director* 701.328.4606 • jmorrissette@nd.gov • www.omb.nd.gov
CC	rrbloms@nd.gov, bdeichert@nd.gov, Smgullickson@nd.gov, steajohnson@nd.gov, lajmartin@nd.gov, starla.morkassel@ndsu.edu, david.ruhland@ndsu.edu
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Record 396

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Sender Email	jmorrissette@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 2022 Strategy Reviews - Reminder
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Record 397

Sender Name	Morrissette, Joe
Sender Email	jmorrissette@nd.gov
Subject	Please Take the OMB Customer Satisfaction Survey - Closes end of day Friday, February 11
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 2:19:10.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 2:19:01.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 2:19:10.000 PM

Body	Good afternoon, One of the great things about working for the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) is the opportunity to work with our fellow agencies and team members. We would like to hear about your experience working with us, so we can identify areas of improvement from a customer service perspective. **Click here to take the OMB Customer Satisfaction Survey** This survey is anonymous, so please be honest. It should only take you around five to seven minutes to complete. **The survey will close at the end of the day on Friday, Feb. 11.** Thank you for taking the time to share your thoughts. Joe Morrissette, CPA *Director* 701.328.4606 • jmorrissette@nd.gov • www.omb.nd.gov
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Record 398

Sender Name	Nicolai, James E.
Sender Email	jnicolai@nd.gov
Recipients	tcanderson@nd.gov, ddnelson@nd.gov, jwagendorf@nd.gov
Subject	ND Indoor RV Park v. State of North Dakota et al
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 11:11:56.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 11:11:55.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 11:11:56.000 AM
Body	Hi Tag, Doug and Julie. §44-04-19.1 [redacted] Thanks! Jim **James E. Nicolai** **Deputy Solicitor General** **ND Office of Attorney General** **500 North 9th Street** **Bismarck, ND 58501-4509** **Telephone: (701) 328-3640** **Email** jnicolai@nd.gov **The information contained in this message may be privileged and confidential. It is intended only for the use of the individual or entity to whom it is sent. If you are not the intended recipient of this message and have received this transmittal by mistake, please do not distribute or copy the communication. Instead, I would appreciate it if you would notify me at the Office of Attorney General immediately by telephone at (701) 328-3640. Thank you for your cooperation.**

CC	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov, mejhamilton@nd.gov
Attachments	16017.pdf

Record 399

Sender Name	Nicolai, James E.
Sender Email	jnicolai@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	State of ND v. Susan Bala, et al
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 9:58:24.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 9:58:20.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 9:58:25.000 AM
Body	The BAP issued its decision today addressing our appeal of the Bankruptcy Court's adverse decision. We lost the appeal. The opinion is attached. I have reached out to Doug Anderson and asked if I can set up a time to visit with him about the decision. Jim
Attachments	15922.pdf

Record 400

Sender Name	Nicolai, James E.
Sender Email	jnicolai@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	State of ND v. Susan Bala, et al
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 9:58:24.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 9:58:20.000 AM
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Body	The BAP issued its decision today addressing our appeal of the Bankruptcy Court's adverse decision. We lost the appeal. The opinion is attached. I have reached out to Doug Anderson and asked if I can set up a time to visit with him about the decision. Jim
Attachments	12558.pdf

Record 401

Sender Name	Noyes, Joel
Sender Email	jnoyes@hess.com
Recipients	jnoyes@hess.com
Subject	FW: News Releases: Hess Announces 2022 Capital and Exploratory Budget; Hess Midstream Announces 2022 Guidance
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:04:50.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:04:22.000 AM
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Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Please see below for links to the news releases announcing 2022 CapEx for Hess and Hess Midstream. Both companies have robust plans for continued investment and operations in the Bakken. Key figures summarized below. Please let me know if any questions. • **Hess** plans $790 million in 2022 to fund a three rig program in the Bakken. The company expects to drill approximately 90 gross operated wells and to bring online approximately 85 wells in 2022. Funds are also included for investment in non-operated wells. • **Hess Midstream** 2022 capital expenditures expected to be approximately $235 million, focused on expansion of gas compression capacity and gathering system well connects to meet Hess Corporation's accelerated pace of development in the Bakken. Hess Corporation and Hess Midstream have just issued news releases publicly. Click on the links below to read them. Hess Announces 2022 E&P Capital and Exploratory Budget Hess Midstream LP Announces 2022 Guidance Joel Noyes Government & External Affairs HESS CORPORATION
Attachments	image003[15825].jpg, image004[15826].png

Record 402

Sender Name	Noyes, Joel
Sender Email	jnoyes@hess.com
Recipients	jnoyes@hess.com
Subject	FW: News Releases: Hess Announces 2022 Capital and Exploratory Budget; Hess Midstream Announces 2022 Guidance
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:04:50.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:04:22.000 AM
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Record 403

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	jobs-listings@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Office of North Dakota Governor Doug Burgum is looking for: General Counsel.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:17:01.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:16:57.000 PM
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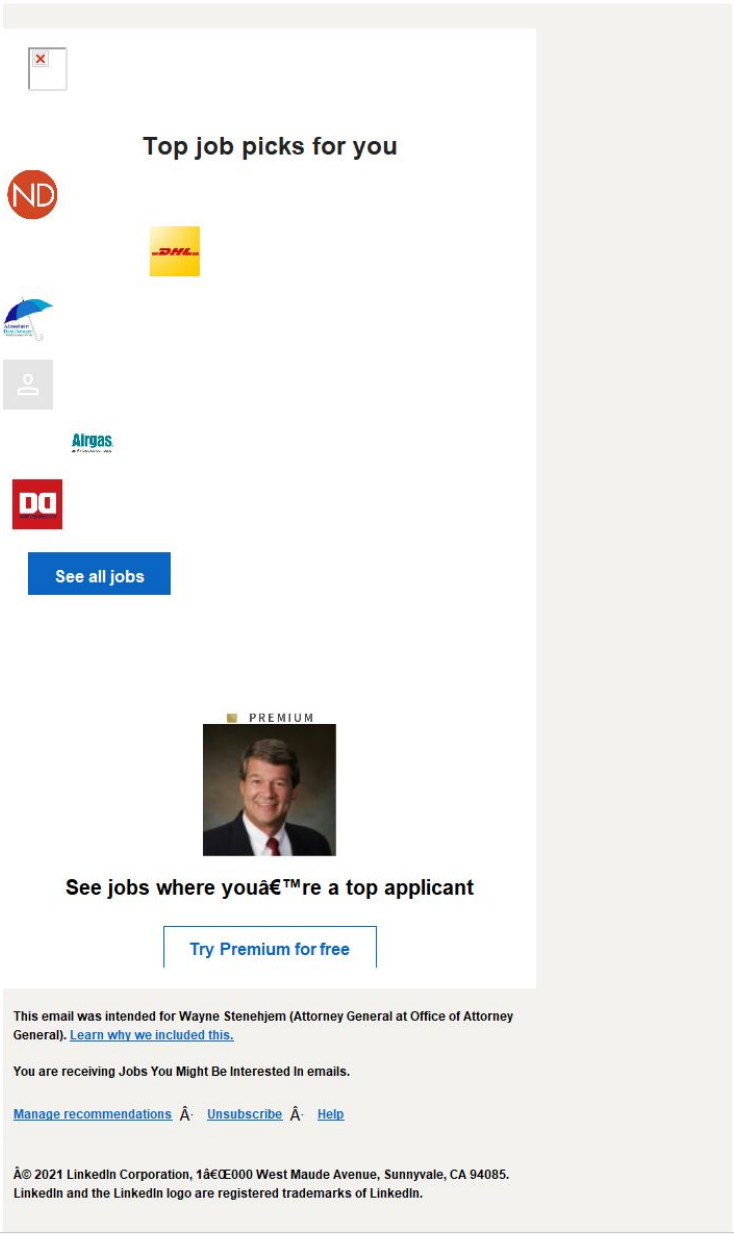
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** 

Record 404

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	jobs-listings@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Office of North Dakota Governor Doug Burgum is looking for: General Counsel.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:17:01.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:16:57.000 PM
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Record 405

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	jobs-listings@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	U.S. Department of Homeland Security is looking for: General Attorney.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 7:31:13.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 7:31:08.000 PM
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Record 406

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	jobs-listings@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	U.S. Department of Homeland Security is looking for: General Attorney.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 7:31:13.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 7:31:08.000 PM
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Record 407

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	jobs-listings@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	U.S. Department of Homeland Security is looking for: General Attorney.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 6:20:27.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 6:20:23.000 PM
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Record 408

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	jobs-listings@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	U.S. Department of Homeland Security is looking for: General Attorney.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 6:20:27.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 6:20:23.000 PM
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Record 409

Sender Name	Smith, Jodi
Sender Email	jodi.smith@nd.gov
Recipients	doug@nd.gov, wstenehjem@nd.gov, ajaeger@nd.gov, tbeadle@nd.gov, kbaesler@nd.gov
Subject	Land Board Investment Updates as of 12/9/2021
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Body	Good Morning, Attached is the Portfolio performance as of 12/9/21. Below is the asset allocation. $17.5M capital call to Angelo Gordon DL IV made on 12/9 is reflected. Regards, Jodi Smith, MNM, MNT *Land Commissioner* 701.328.2807 • jodi.smith@nd.gov • land.nd.gov
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Body	Please review and provide your feedback today. It's due Monday. Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 10, 2021 7:45:55 AM **To:** Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Beadle, Thomas R. <tbeadle@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 6 pm ET Jodi and Tom. Do either of you have any comments or recommendations on this proposed letter? I note this, or a similar letter, is being circulated to State Treasurers around the country. 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Body

Good Morning-
We read through the draft letters and do not see any issues. We are comfortable with what is being proposed.

Thank you,

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Land Commissioner

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Subject	FW: Minnkota Carbon Storage Easement Agreement - AG approval required
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Subject: OSHA ARGUMENT SCHEDULED FOR 1/7
Importance: High

SCOTUS just granted argument on our stay petition. I'll reach out to counsel for NFIB about splitting time

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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:02:55.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 8:00:45.000 AM
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Gratitude
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:58:17.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:58:11.000 PM
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Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** LOL! Eulogy is 60% done. Wait, that is for Troy. BTW, my in person eulogy rate is expensive so I now offer a streaming service. Have a great 2022 and hope to see you soon. Best, Joe **Joseph Sciarrotta, Jr.** **Division Chief Counsel** **Civil Litigation Division** Office of Arizona Attorney General Mark Brnovich 2005 N. Central Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85004 Desk: 602-542-7778 http://www.azag.gov NOTICE: This email (and any attachments) may contain PRIVILEGED OR CONFIDENTIAL information and is intended only for the use of the specific individual(s) to whom it is addressed. If you have received this email in error, please immediately notify the sender and delete the original email. Thank you. **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 03, 2022 12:43 PM **To:** Sciarrotta, Joseph <Joseph.Sciarrotta@azag.gov> **Subject:** Gratitude Joe, Thank you so much for your very kind letter. I am having it laminated and framed so I can hang it above our headboard. Would you be available to come and give a eulogy at my funeral, should the need arise? [BTW, no rush!] I value our friendship. All the best to you in 2022! Wayne
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Sender Email	jschell@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov, agtasks@nd.gov
Subject	Downtime
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 2:31:11.000 PM
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Body	**Description:** NDIT has scheduled network downtime that will likely cause intermittent connectivity issues during the outage window. **Starting:** 4:00 AM on 1/8/22 **Ending:** 8:00 AM on 1/8/22 **Who This Will Affect:** Everyone in our office could see intermittent network connectivity issues during the outage window. If you have any questions, send an email or call. Thanks Joe S. JOSEPH SCHELL | Assistant Director – I.T. Division North Dakota Attorney General e: jschell@nd.gov | p: 701.328.5559

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	NR Status Report
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:50:18.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 2:50:21.000 PM
Body	*Attached is Natural Resources status report.* *Thank you.* *Jolene J. Thiel* *Administrative Staff Officer* *ND Office of Attorney General* *500 North 9th Street* *Bismarck, ND 58501-4509* *Telephone: (701) 328-3645* *Facsimile: (701) 328-4300* ***Confidentiality Notice:*** *This electronic mail transmission is intended for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain confidential information belonging to the sender. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution, or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify the sender immediately by e-mail and delete the original message.*
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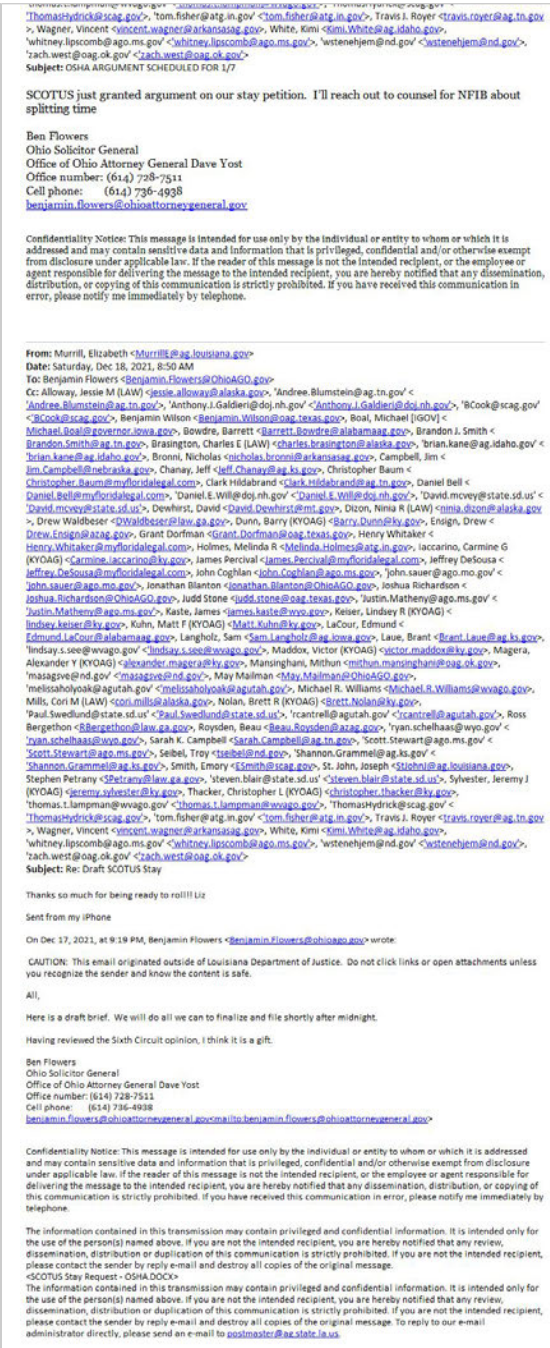
Body	

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Liz Sent from my iPhone On Dec 17, 2021, at 9:19 PM, Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@ohioago.gov> wrote: CAUTION: This email originated outside of Louisiana Department of Justice. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognize the sender and know the content is safe. All, Here is a draft brief. We will do all we can to finalize and file shortly after midnight. Having reviewed the Sixth Circuit opinion, I think it is a gift. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. 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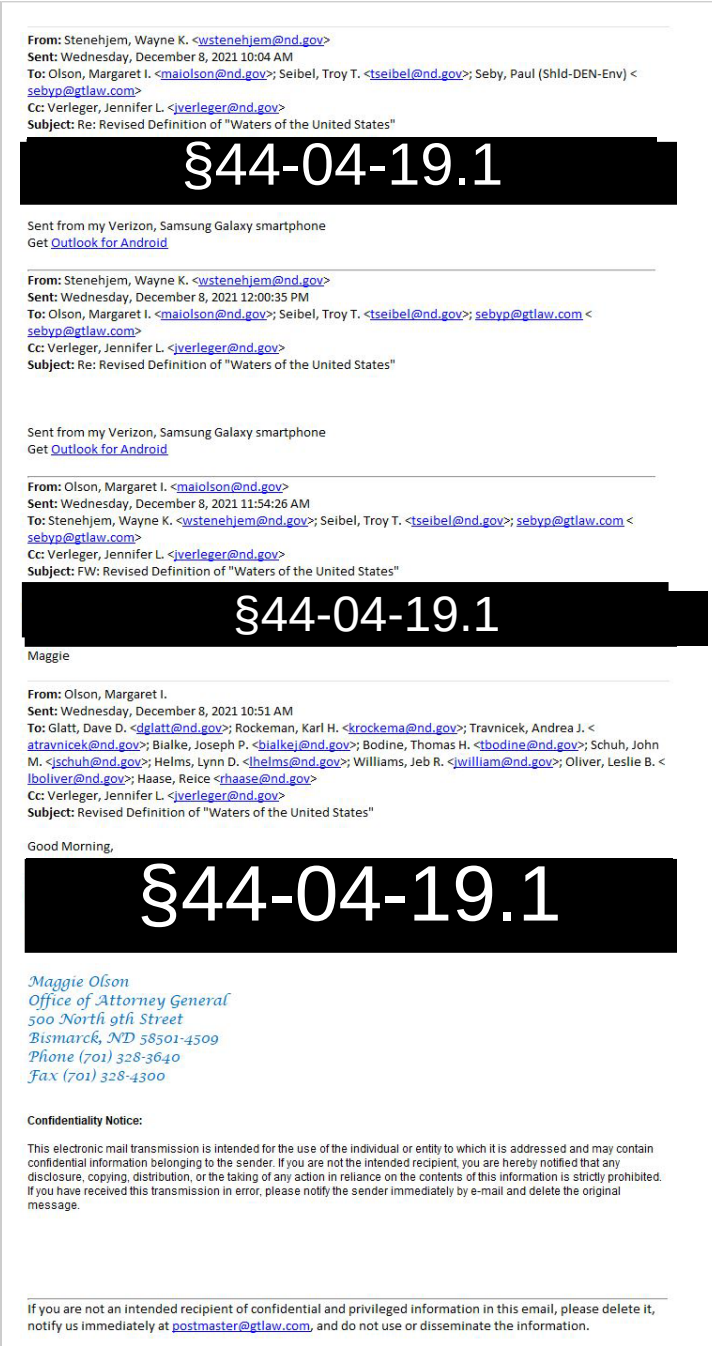
Body	

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Sender Email	kbaesler@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: ND Head Start Association Call to Action
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 1:19:10.000 PM
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 1:19:11.000 PM

Body	Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Allison Marie Driessen <Allison.Driessen@k12.nd.us> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 11:38:52 AM **To:** Baesler, Kirsten K. <kbaesler@nd.gov> **Subject:** ND Head Start Association Call to Action ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Superintendent Bassler- I cannot thank you enough for being a Head Start Champion! I have attached the Head Start Call to Action for you to pass along to the Attorney General. As always, I am here to assist in any way possible with your vision of education. Have a wonderful Christmas! **Allison Driessen** **Early Explorers Head Start & Early Head Start** **301 14th St NW** **Devils Lake, ND 58301** **701-665-4431**
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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 1:54:31.000 PM
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 1:54:32.000 PM
Body	Wayne, Additional information that may be helpful. Kirsten **Kirsten Baesler** State Superintendent 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 201 Bismarck, ND 58505-0440 (701) 328-4570 kbaesler@nd.gov www.nd.gov/dpi **From:** Kueber, Carolyn J. <cjkueber@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 3:52 PM **To:** Larson, Kay L. <kaylarson@nd.gov>; Thomasson, Jessica A. <jthomasson@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov>; Baesler, Kirsten K. <kbaesler@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Vaccine 1-pager FYI – regarding Head Start and the estimated impact the vaccine and mask mandate will have. Carolyn J Kueber ND Head Start Collaboration Administrator 701.328.1640 • cjkueber@nd.gov • DHS Home Page ----------Confidentiality Statement---------- This transmission is intended only for the use of the individual to whom it is addressed and may contain information that is made confidential by law. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please respond immediately to the sender and then destroy the original transmission as well as any electronic or printed copies. Thank you. **From:** Mitchell, Kent <kmitchell@nhsa.org> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 11:26 AM **To:** 2021 Collaboration Directors Email List <2021-collaboration-directors-email-list@nhsa.org> **Subject:** Vaccine 1-pager ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** *Apologies for re-sending (sent to an old email list).* *Please see the original message below.* Collaboration Directors - I believe you might be meeting with OHS soon (tomorrow?) to discuss the vaccine/mask mandate. NHSA is preparing comments to the interim rule and I wanted to share some recent data we pulled together (attached). Thank you, Kent -- Kent Mitchell | Senior Director of State Affairs | kmitchell@nhsa.org | 703-739-7561 | cell: 857-998-0926 -- You received this message because you are subscribed to the Google Groups "2021 Collaboration Directors Email List" group. To unsubscribe from this group and stop receiving emails from it, send an email to 2021-collaboration-directors-email-list+unsubscribe@nhsa.org. To view this discussion on the web visit https://groups.google.com/a/nhsa.org/d/msgid/2021-collaboration-directors-email-list/CAPk7WSO3fCE1W8xDzwsFei5Hd%2Bz%2BL%3DUq0J%2Bgc-n7Uad8mGxCPw%40mail.gmail.com. For more options, visit https://groups.google.com/a/nhsa.org/d/optout.
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Subject	FW: NDMill November2021 Financials / Income statement Summary
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Body	For your information – No action is required. Karlene **From:** Becky Boman <bboman@NDMILL.com> **Sent:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:42 PM **To:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Subject:** NDMill November2021 Financials / Income statement Summary ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good Afternoon, I have attached the NDM November 2021 Financials and the Income Statement Summary If you have any questions or need anything else, please let me know. Thank you and Merry Christmas to you and your family. Becky Boman Administrative Assistant North Dakota State Mill 701-795-7297 bboman@ndmill.com
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Body	In case you didn't get a copy of this. Congratulations to HFA. Karlene Sent from Mail for Windows **From:** Mudder, Sarah L. **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 2:06 PM **Subject:** NEWS: Housing Finance Agency ranked a Tier 1 FHA loan servicer **For Immediate Release** Jan. 3, 2022 MEDIA CONTACT **Sarah Mudder** Communication Coordinator (701) 328-8056 or smudder@nd.gov **Housing Finance Agency ranked a Tier 1 FHA loan servicer** BISMARCK, ND – North Dakota Housing Finance Agency (NDHFA) was ranked a Tier 1 Federal Housing Administration (FHA) loan servicer for FY 2021 by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) National Servicing Center. "North Dakota Housing Finance Agency provides affordable home financing including government-backed loans that help individuals and families with modest incomes buy a home with as little as $500 down," said Dave Flohr, the agency's executive director. Loan guarantees reimburse lenders for their loss in the event that a homeowner defaults. Of the nearly 11,000 loans NDHFA currently services, 48 percent are FHA guaranteed. Loan servicers receive quarterly scores that are averaged to produce a final fiscal year-end score. NDHFA's FY2021 score is 93.53 percent, up from 91.81 the previous year. The agency was one of 297 loan servicers ranked as Tier 1 for FY2021. There were 801 FHA servicers nationwide. The ranking system measures FHA servicer compliance with guidelines and intervention requirements, loss mitigation engagement, and reporting. The intention of the ranking is to protect borrowers and alert HUD to potential problems. A high work-out ratio shows a servicer's effectiveness in working with delinquent borrowers to keep them out of foreclosure. The National Servicing Center has ranked NDHFA a Tier 1 servicer for four years running. NDHFA has serviced its own mortgage loans for 30 years. The agency also services loans for Bank of North Dakota and local nonprofit housing providers. A self-supporting and mission-driven agency, NDHFA is dedicated to making housing affordable for all North Dakotans. The North Dakota Industrial Commission, consisting of Governor Doug Burgum as chairman, Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring and Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem, oversees the agency. More information about NDHFA is available online at www.ndhfa.org. - 30 -
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Body	For your information in case you hear directly from Mr. Dooley that he was not granted time on the January IC agenda. Karlene -----Original Message----- From: Fine, Karlene K. Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 5:31 PM To: Fintan Dooley <findooley@gmail.com> Cc: Helms, Lynn D. <lhelms@nd.gov>; Haarsager, Katie A. <kahaarsager@nd.gov>; Glatt, Dave D. <dglatt@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov> Subject: RE: Proposed Jan 2022 Agenda Item ; Review of NDIC , DEQ, and Trust Land Reclamation Protocols Mr. Dooley - This is to acknowledge receipt of your December 22, 2021 e-mail. Please note that the Industrial Commission does not have jurisdiction over the Department of Environmental Quality or the North Dakota Trust Lands so this response does not relate to those agencies. The Industrial Commission meets once a month to consider recommendations and reports from the agencies that are under the Commission's jurisdiction. The meeting agendas are based on recommendations from those agencies. The Commission only considers proposals that have been reviewed and considered by an Industrial Commission agency. It appears from your e-mail that your topic is reclamation. The only Industrial Commission agency that deals directly with reclamation is the Department of Mineral Resources. I would suggest you submit a written proposal to the Department of Mineral Resources, Oil and Gas Division. The Oil and Gas Division makes quarterly reports to the Industrial Commission. After reviewing your proposal the Oil and Gas Division may have recommendations for the Commission's consideration. Those recommendations might be included on an Industrial Commission agenda along with a very brief presentation of your proposal by a member of the Salted Land and Water Council in conjunction with one of those quarterly reports. Best wishes for the New Year. Karlene -----Original Message----- From: Fintan Dooley <findooley@gmail.com> Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:48 PM To: Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Glatt, Dave D. <dglatt@nd.gov> Cc: Lynn Helms Katie Harsager <cvanderbusch@nd.gov>; Donny Nelson 82 <donelson@ruggedwest.com>; Marvin Nelson Rep salted Lands <oilsakakawea@gmail.com>; Paul 64 G Neilan Fam 61 <pgneilan@energy.law.pro>; Dalrymple, Amy <Amy.Dalrymple@bismarcktribune.com>; FracTracker Alliance Ted Auch <auch@fractracker.org>; NWLA Kenton Onstad 45 Richard Johnson 40 Patty Jensen 17 Myron hanson 36 & 86 Troy Kuhn 58 <konstad@rtc.coop>; Troy Coons 58 Amy Sheldon Ex Dir 46 <troynwla@gmail.com>; Troy Coons 58 Amy Sheldon Ex Dir 46 <kingd@restel.net>; NWLA Galen Peterson Ex Dir Amy Shelton 46 <northwestlandownersassociation@gmail.com>; Kerry Sublette Bert Fischer <kerry-sublette@utulsa.edu>; Kerry Sublette Bert Fischer <bfisher@lithochim.com>; Fugui Wang A+ <fwang@res.us>; Trust professor Melissa Scanlon <scanlan.mk@gmail.com>; Dennis Grzezinski Extention 1 <dennisglaw@gmail.com> Subject: Proposed Jan 2022 Agenda Item ; Review of NDIC , DEQ, and Trust Land Reclamation Protocols ***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** > Dear Ms. Karlene Fine, Mr. David Glatt, Ms. Jodi Smith, > > I wish you and your teams a Merry Christmas and request the above topic be added to the January 27, 2022 North Dakota Industrial Commission Meeting Agenda. > > On behalf of the Salted Land and Water Council , I respectfully suggest that the State of North Dakota ; > > 1. adopt reclamation best practices; > > 2. search for acres where reclamation already undertaken has failed ; and > > 3. search for and count all other acres in need of restoration of soil productivity. This should include salted lands, abandoned facilities , and junkyards. > Please allow us at lease an hour to explain the failure patterns of your agencies and how continuing present practices is a breach of your Police Power and Public Trust Duties. > Sy, > > Fintan Dooley > 414-731-0520 > Sent from my iPhone

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Body	For your information in case you hear directly from Mr. Dooley that he was not granted time on the January IC agenda. Karlene -----Original Message----- From: Fine, Karlene K. Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 5:31 PM To: Fintan Dooley <findooley@gmail.com> Cc: Helms, Lynn D. <lhelms@nd.gov>; Haarsager, Katie A. <kahaarsager@nd.gov>; Glatt, Dave D. <dglatt@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov> Subject: RE: Proposed Jan 2022 Agenda Item ; Review of NDIC , DEQ, and Trust Land Reclamation Protocols Mr. Dooley - This is to acknowledge receipt of your December 22, 2021 e-mail. Please note that the Industrial Commission does not have jurisdiction over the Department of Environmental Quality or the North Dakota Trust Lands so this response does not relate to those agencies. The Industrial Commission meets once a month to consider recommendations and reports from the agencies that are under the Commission's jurisdiction. The meeting agendas are based on recommendations from those agencies. The Commission only considers proposals that have been reviewed and considered by an Industrial Commission agency. It appears from your e-mail that your topic is reclamation. The only Industrial Commission agency that deals directly with reclamation is the Department of Mineral Resources. I would suggest you submit a written proposal to the Department of Mineral Resources, Oil and Gas Division. The Oil and Gas Division makes quarterly reports to the Industrial Commission. After reviewing your proposal the Oil and Gas Division may have recommendations for the Commission's consideration. Those recommendations might be included on an Industrial Commission agenda along with a very brief presentation of your proposal by a member of the Salted Land and Water Council in conjunction with one of those quarterly reports. Best wishes for the New Year. Karlene -----Original Message----- From: Fintan Dooley <findooley@gmail.com> Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:48 PM To: Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Glatt, Dave D. <dglatt@nd.gov> Cc: Lynn Helms Katie Harsager <cvanderbusch@nd.gov>; Donny Nelson 82 <donelson@ruggedwest.com>; Marvin Nelson Rep salted Lands <oilsakakawea@gmail.com>; Paul 64 G Neilan Fam 61 <pgneilan@energy.law.pro>; Dalrymple, Amy <Amy.Dalrymple@bismarcktribune.com>; FracTracker Alliance Ted Auch <auch@fractracker.org>; NWLA Kenton Onstad 45 Richard Johnson 40 Patty Jensen 17 Myron hanson 36 & 86 Troy Kuhn 58 <konstad@rtc.coop>; Troy Coons 58 Amy Sheldon Ex Dir 46 <troynwla@gmail.com>; Troy Coons 58 Amy Sheldon Ex Dir 46 <kingd@restel.net>; NWLA Galen Peterson Ex Dir Amy Shelton 46 <northwestlandownersassociation@gmail.com>; Kerry Sublette Bert Fischer <kerry-sublette@utulsa.edu>; Kerry Sublette Bert Fischer <bfisher@lithochim.com>; Fugui Wang A+ <fwang@res.us>; Trust professor Melissa Scanlon <scanlan.mk@gmail.com>; Dennis Grzezinski Extention 1 <dennisglaw@gmail.com> Subject: Proposed Jan 2022 Agenda Item ; Review of NDIC , DEQ, and Trust Land Reclamation Protocols ***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** > Dear Ms. Karlene Fine, Mr. David Glatt, Ms. Jodi Smith, > > I wish you and your teams a Merry Christmas and request the above topic be added to the January 27, 2022 North Dakota Industrial Commission Meeting Agenda. > > On behalf of the Salted Land and Water Council , I respectfully suggest that the State of North Dakota ; > > 1. adopt reclamation best practices; > > 2. search for acres where reclamation already undertaken has failed ; and > > 3. search for and count all other acres in need of restoration of soil productivity. This should include salted lands, abandoned facilities , and junkyards. > Please allow us at lease an hour to explain the failure patterns of your agencies and how continuing present practices is a breach of your Police Power and Public Trust Duties. > Sy, > > Fintan Dooley > 414-731-0520 > Sent from my iPhone

Record 460

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 11:49:01.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 11:49:00.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 11:49:01.000 AM
Body	Wayne – Do you have time for a brief visit today? Name the time....Karlene

Record 461

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov

Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	10 minutes
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 11:49:00.000 AM
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Body	Wayne – Do you have time for a brief visit today? Name the time….Karlene

Record 462

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:54.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:53.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:55.000 PM
Body	Perfect. Thanks for your flexibility. Karlene Sent from Mail for Windows **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 12:44 PM **To:** Fine, Karlene K. **Subject:** RE: 10 minutes Say 3? **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 12:36 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: 10 minutes Oops. Just got a call…..Can we do it after 2:30 p.m.? Karlene **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 12:15 PM **To:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: 10 minutes Will 1:15 work for you? Wayne **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 11:49 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** 10 minutes Wayne – Do you have time for a brief visit today? Name the time….Karlene

Record 463

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:54.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:53.000 PM
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Record 464

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	CSS Report
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 5:36:35.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 5:36:34.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 5:36:35.000 PM
Body	Wayne – At the meeting you asked for a copy of the document that Lynn was reading from regarding the Minnkota project being in the top ten worldwide. Attached is a scanned copy of that report. Karlene
Attachments	15847.pdf

Record 465

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	CSS Report
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 5:36:35.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 5:36:34.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 5:36:35.000 PM
Body	Wayne – At the meeting you asked for a copy of the document that Lynn was reading from regarding the Minnkota project being in the top ten worldwide. Attached is a scanned copy of that report. Karlene
Attachments	12484.pdf

Record 466

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov

Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	short visit
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:15:49.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:15:48.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:15:49.000 PM
Body	Wayne – Are you in today? Do you have 5 minutes if I could stop down? Karlene

Record 467

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	short visit
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:15:48.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:15:49.000 PM
Body	Wayne – Are you in today? Do you have 5 minutes if I could stop down? Karlene

Record 468

Sender Name	Fine, Karlene K.
Sender Email	kfine@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Final Copy
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 5:26:56.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 5:26:53.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 5:26:57.000 PM
Body	I received confirmation this afternoon that the attached bargaining agreement had been ratified. I do not have any details on the vote. If you have questions, please give me a call. Karlene **From:** Vance Taylor <VTaylor@NDMILL.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 26, 2022 1:15 PM **To:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Final Copy ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Karlene, Attached is the stipulation of agreement that will be voted on tomorrow by the union employees. We should know the outcome by about 5 PM. Thanks for the help on this. Vance **From:** Cathy Dub <cdub@NDMILL.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 26, 2022 1:08 PM **To:** Tamra Srnsky <tsrnsky@NDMILL.com>; Vance Taylor <VTaylor@NDMILL.com> **Subject:** Final Copy ***Cathy Dub*** Chief Financial Officer North Dakota Mill & Elevator Office 701.795.7232 Cell 701.213.0142 Fax 701.795.7272 cdub@ndmill.com
Attachments	12786.pdf, image001[12785].png

Record 469

Sender Name	Helm, Kerrie L.
Sender Email	khelm@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Winners of the COSE Christmas Giveaway
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 2:35:15.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 2:35:11.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 2:35:16.000 PM
Body	Congratulations Crystal! *Kerrie* **From:** -Info-Management & Budget <omb@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 1:52 PM **To:** -Info-All Agencies <info@nd.gov> **Cc:** LaBree, Heidi M. <hmlabree@nd.gov>; Schauer, Desray <dlschauer@nd.gov>; Scherr, Tanya L. <tanyalscherr@nd.gov>; Scholl, Annette R. <ascholl@nd.gov>; Pringle, Erin <epringle@nd.gov>; Hopkins, Danelle <dhopkins@nd.gov>; Fetterman, Kelsey M. <kfetterman@nd.gov>; Senger, Denise M. <dsenger@nd.gov>; Schwab, Jill L. <jilschwab@nd.gov>; Glasser, Laura E. <leglasser@nd.gov>; Schneider, Betty L. <schneider@nd.gov>; Beto, Rhea <rbeto@nd.gov>; Rosenkranz, Rebecca J. <rrosenkr@nd.gov>; Miller, Miranda D. <midmiller@nd.gov>; Kopp, Missy <mikopp@nd.gov>; Eisenbeis, LaDawn R. <lreisenbeis@nd.gov>; Kriege, Rachel F. <rkriege@nd.gov>; Huber, Lynne M. <lhuber@nd.gov>; Helm, Kerrie L. <khelm@nd.gov>; Hogue, Trudi L. <tlhogue@nd.gov>; Harrison, Larissa D. <lharrison@nd.gov>; caitlin.magilke <caitlin.magilke@bismarckstate.edu>; Dillman, Mary J. <mjdillman@nd.gov>; Kjos, Sara J. <skjos@nd.gov> **Subject:** Winners of the COSE Christmas Giveaway Please share with all your employees. Winners, please contact me about your prizes if you are unable to pick them up at my desk on the 4th floor of the Capital. Renee Nelson Bismarck – Mandan Council of State Employees
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Record 470

Sender Name	Helm, Kerrie L.
Sender Email	khelm@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Winners of the COSE Christmas Giveaway
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 2:35:11.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 2:35:16.000 PM

Body	Congratulations Crystal! *Kerrie* **From:** -Info-Management & Budget <omb@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 1:52 PM **To:** -Info-All Agencies <info@nd.gov> **Cc:** LaBree, Heidi M. <hmlabree@nd.gov>; Schauer, Desray <dlschauer@nd.gov>; Scherr, Tanya L. <tanyalscherr@nd.gov>; Scholl, Annette R. <ascholl@nd.gov>; Pringle, Erin <epringle@nd.gov>; Hopkins, Danelle <dhopkins@nd.gov>; Fetterman, Kelsey M. <kfetterman@nd.gov>; Senger, Denise M. <dsenger@nd.gov>; Schwab, Jill L. <jilschwab@nd.gov>; Glasser, Laura E. <leglasser@nd.gov>; Schneider, Betty L. <schneider@nd.gov>; Beto, Rhea <rbeto@nd.gov>; Rosenkranz, Rebecca J. <rrosenkr@nd.gov>; Miller, Miranda D. <midmiller@nd.gov>; Kopp, Missy <mikopp@nd.gov>; Eisenbeis, LaDawn R. <lreisenbeis@nd.gov>; Kriege, Rachel F. <rkriege@nd.gov>; Huber, Lynne M. <lhuber@nd.gov>; Helm, Kerrie L. <khelm@nd.gov>; Hogue, Trudi L. <tlhogue@nd.gov>; Harrison, Larissa D. <lharrison@nd.gov>; caitlin.magilke <caitlin.magilke@bismarckstate.edu>; Dillman, Mary J. <mjdillman@nd.gov>; Kjos, Sara J. <skjos@nd.gov> **Subject:** Winners of the COSE Christmas Giveaway Please share with all your employees. Winners, please contact me about your prizes if you are unable to pick them up at my desk on the 4th floor of the Capital. Renee Nelson Bismarck – Mandan Council of State Employees
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Record 471

Sender Name	Balliet, Laura A.
Sender Email	lballiet@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Mmmmmm!
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/21/2021 9:48:07.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/21/2021 9:48:03.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/21/2021 9:48:08.000 PM
Body	Have a great trip and a Merry Christmas as well! Sent from my iPhone. Apologies for any spelling errors. **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 21, 2021 6:41:39 PM **To:** Balliet, Laura A. <lballiet@nd.gov> **Subject:** Mmmmmm! Yum. Knoefla soup for lunch AND for dinner! Merry Christmas! Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android

Record 472

Sender Name	Balliet, Laura A.
Sender Email	lballiet@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Mmmmmm!
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/21/2021 9:48:03.000 PM
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Record 473

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	Holidays
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 9:19:24.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 9:19:21.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 9:19:24.000 AM
Body	Several people have asked when the office will be closed over the holidays. As you know, we usually get ½ day off on December 24th and then the entire day of December 25th, but this year because December 25th is on Saturday, the state holiday is observed on December 24th. State agencies (including ours) will be closed all day on December 24 instead of a ½ day. Normal business hours December 20-23. As New Years' Day January 1st is on a Saturday this year, the holiday is observed on Friday December 31st, so all state agencies will be closed that day. Normal business hours December 27-30. Shannon will send out the usual "hours and holidays" reminder before the end of the month. Liz

Record 474

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	agcap17@nd.gov, agcap1@nd.gov, agcapgrd@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Carolers and upcoming events
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 10:26:45.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 10:26:44.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 10:26:46.000 AM

Body	FYI. Liz **From:** Larson, Kim A. <kilarson@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 10, 2021 10:24 AM **To:** -Info-All Agencies <info@nd.gov> **Subject:** Carolers and upcoming events Horizon Husky Singers *Friday, December 10, 2021 at 11:30 am - 12:00 pm* Memorial Hall Shiloh Christian Second Grade Caroling *Friday, December 17, 2021 at 12:40 pm - 01:00 pm* Memorial Hall Kim Larson *Administrative Assistant* *Human Resource Management Services (HRMS)* *State Procurement Office* *Capitol Complex Scheduling* 701.328.3293 • kilarson@nd.gov • www.nd.gov/omb Learner – Input – Responsibility – Empathy – Achiever
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Record 475

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FW: From Wayne -- FW: ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 6 pm ET
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 2:45:28.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 2:45:26.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/10/2021 2:45:28.000 PM

Body

Jan indicated Scott would respond on behalf of both of them. Liz

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From: Miller, Scott A. <scottmiller@nd.gov>
Sent: Friday, December 10, 2021 2:41 PM
To: Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Murtha, Janilyn <janilynmurtha@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: From Wayne -- FW: ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 6 pm ET

Good Afternoon, Liz –

ERISA does not apply to our retirement plans except in limited circumstances, most of which involve requirements to maintain our plans' tax qualified status. While we would look to ERISA or ERISA case law in the absence of a specific state statute or case on a given topic, that, again, would typically be in regard to tax qualification issues rather than general investment guidelines. As such, I do not know that the proposed rule change would directly impact our plans or the investment of their monies.

Unfortunately, I do not have any historical knowledge on whether the NDPERS Board has previously endorsed or prohibited ESG considerations generally. When I was the SIB's attorney a lifetime ago, the SIB was opposed to ESG requirements because of the prudent investor rule and the exclusive benefit rule.

From a public pension industry perspective, I believe the contemplation of certain ESG considerations has become accepted as legitimate business and economic concerns, including some of those related to the topics on page 5 of the proposed letter. Nonetheless, neither the act of prohibiting nor the act of requiring those considerations would seem to be prudent. At the end of the day, I would argue the prudent investor rule and the exclusive benefit rule should be the guide, rather than a blanket requirement. That would, of course, require appropriate documentation of the evaluation and decision-making process.

Have a great weekend,

Scott

Scott A. Miller
Executive Director
North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System

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From: Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>
Sent: Friday, December 10, 2021 8:05 AM
To: Murtha, Janilyn <janilynmurtha@nd.gov>; Miller, Scott A. <scottmiller@nd.gov>
Subject: From Wayne -- FW: ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 6 pm ET

Per Wayne's request, please see attached. The deadline is Monday at 5pm our time! Liz

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From: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Sent: Friday, December 10, 2021 7:43 AM
To: Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov>
Subject: FW: ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 6 pm ET

Will you circulate this proposed letter to some of our client agencies for their input on this proposed comment letter, please.
Note the short turn-around time.
Wayne

From: Melissa Holyoak <melissaholyoak@agutah.gov>
Sent: Friday, December 10, 2021 12:52 AM
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Liz,

I have little to add to Scott's response. One line in the brief I think best summarizes this issue and that is differentiating between making ESG factors determinative v. informative (cited below).

Much research has supported an argument that failure to consider such factors may not be prudent, but requiring that such factors be a determining factor in investment decision making runs contrary to the exclusive benefit rule. This rule is memorialized in several places in North Dakota Century Code and most recently with the passing of S.B.2291 (2021), and now found in NDCC 21-10-08.1. In short I fully concur with Scott that any ruling either prohibiting or requiring such considerations would be cause for concern and run contrary to generally accepted law surrounding a fiduciaries duty of prudence and loyalty.

From brief:
"In making ESG factors *determinative* rather than *informative*, the Proposed Rule breaks from the core, established, and essential fiduciary duty of prudence and loyalty to employees and beneficiaries under ERISA and confuses that clarity with competing duties of social policy engineering."

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Thank you! I'll forward this to Wayne for review over the weekend.
Have a great weekend yourself. Liz

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Good Afternoon, Liz –

ERISA does not apply to our retirement plans except in limited circumstances, most of which involve requirements to maintain our plans' tax qualified status. While we would look to ERISA or ERISA case law in the absence of a specific state statute or case on a given topic, that, again, would typically be in regard to tax qualification issues rather than general investment guidelines. As such, I do not know that the proposed rule change would directly impact our plans or the investment of their monies.

Unfortunately, I do not have any historical knowledge on whether the NDPERS Board has previously endorsed or prohibited ESG considerations generally. When I was the SIB's attorney a lifetime ago, the SIB was opposed to ESG requirements because of the prudent investor rule and the exclusive benefit rule.

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From a public pension industry perspective, I believe the contemplation of certain ESG considerations has become accepted as legitimate business and economic concerns, including some of those related to the topics on page 5 of the proposed letter. Nonetheless, neither the act of prohibiting nor the act of requiring those considerations would seem to be prudent. At the end of the day, I would argue the prudent investor rule and the exclusive benefit rule should be the guide, rather than a blanket requirement. That would, of course, require appropriate documentation of the evaluation and decision-making process.

Have a great weekend,

Scott

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Per Wayne's request, please see attached. The deadline is Monday at 5pm our time! Liz

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Body	AG Lawrence Wasden called. He is looking for referrals to a family law attorney in Williston, to help out the daughter of long-time friends (deceased) who wants a divorce, and was hoping you'd have a name. He has 2 cell phones: §44-04-18.21 and §44-04-18.21 Liz

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Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	phone call
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Body	1. No more than 7 days (and no fewer than 3 day) prior to *arrival* date in Jamaica, you will need to complete the Travel Authorization. Each person in your group needs to do a separate authorization – you'll need passport, flight, and resort information. Click on this link, and answer No: https://travelauth.visitjamaica.com/ . That opens the travel authorization. You will be sent a one-time password. 1. Once the travel authorization is completed and submitted, you will get an email approving it and attaching the authorization. Download a copy to your phone AND print a hard copy. I know it says they'll accept the e-copy, but they always ask to see the hard copy. 2. No more than 72 hours prior to *arrival date* in Jamaica, you need to get a Covid 19 test done. IGNORE the public health testing sites. I know the sites imply that they do testing for travel but that is NOT the case. The best place we have found to get the testing done is Mayo Pharmacy on 4th Street. You can book the appointment online. You do have to pay for it. You may not be able to complete your online check-in because the ticket agent has to personally verify that she has checked your covid-19 test and your travel authorization unless your flight has been authorized for Delta's Verifly – in which case click on the delta link, enter your info, upload pics of your results and travel authorization, and you'll be good. About 3 days before your return, you'll get an email from Delta with a link to complete the CDC attestation. You'll also need to have covid-19 test results before checking in on the flight (or doing verifly). Liz

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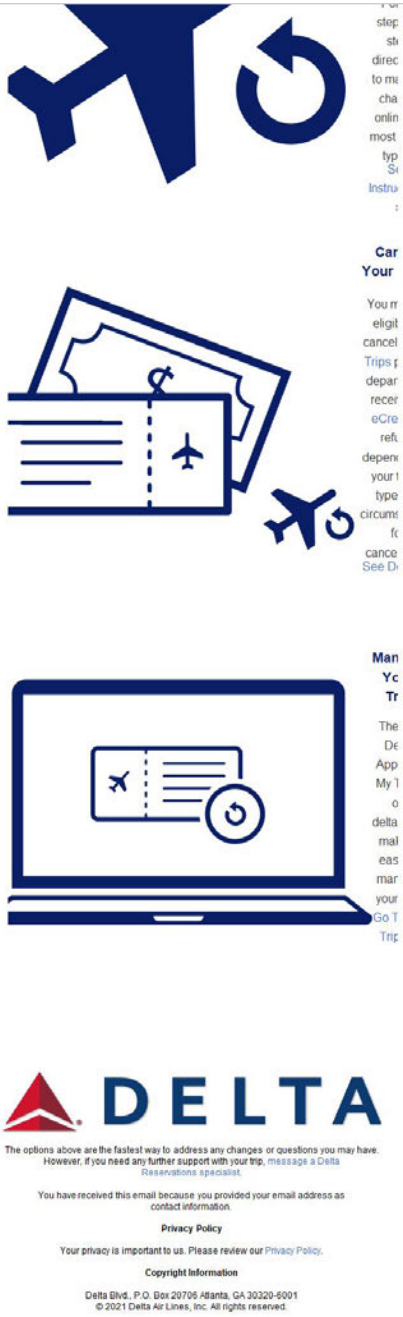
Body	

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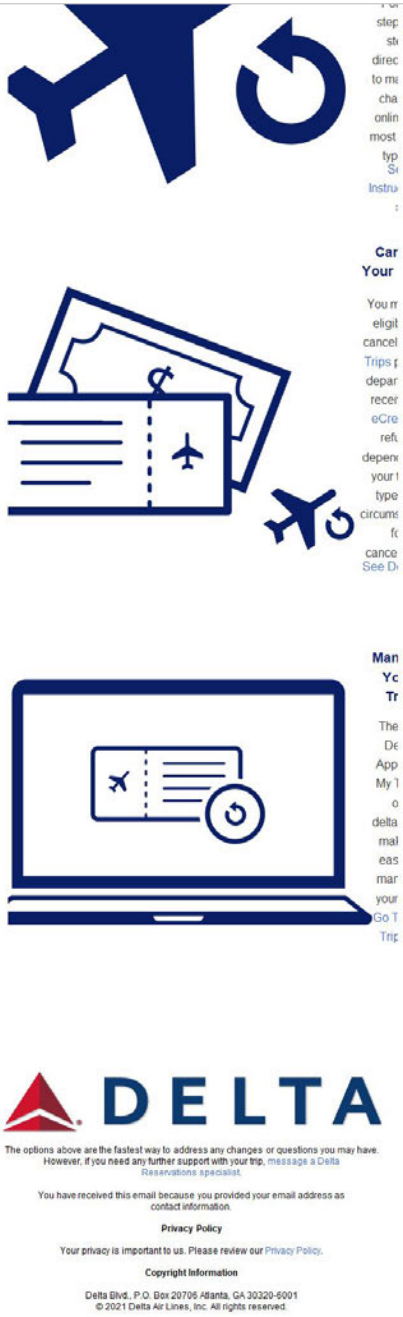
Body	

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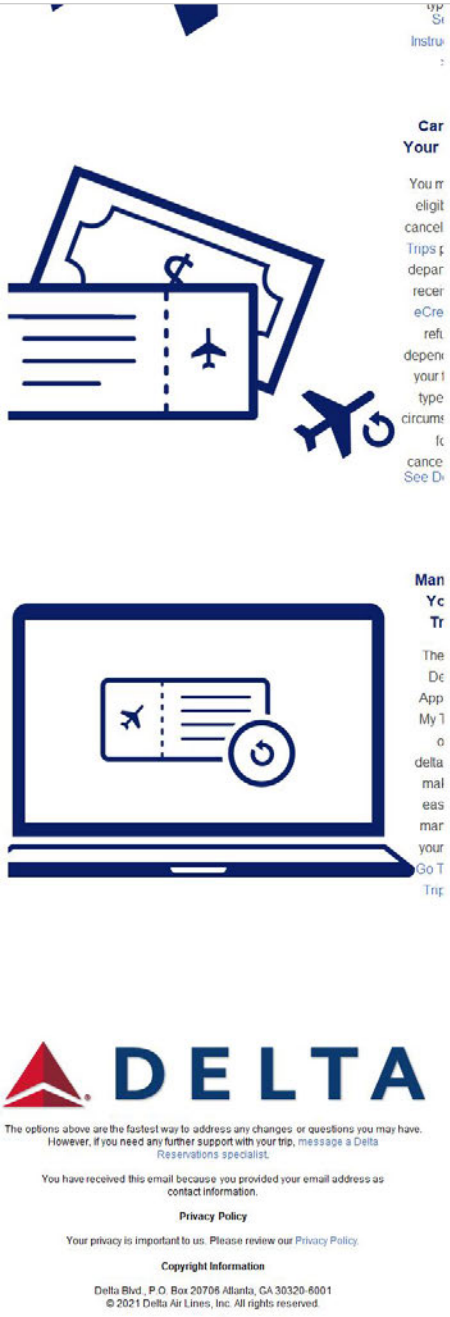
Body	

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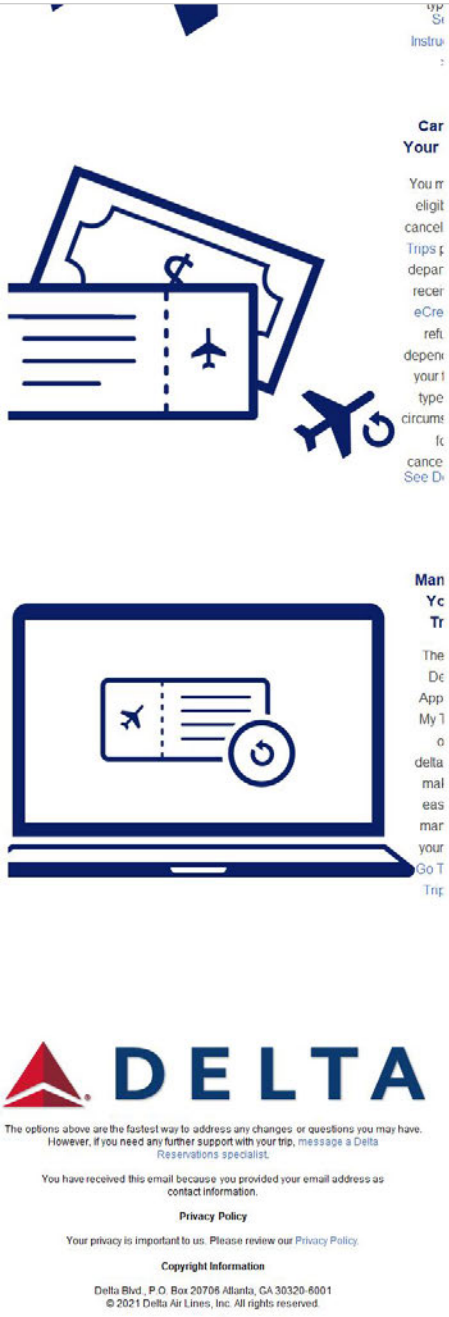
Body	

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Body	May I set up the morning of January 11th for you to have a demo (in your office) from the newest K-9? Or would you prefer later in the day, after Shane's meeting? Liz

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Body	Karen Krebsbach, spoke to you about setting up any date in February after February 12th, that works for you. Lincoln day dinner, speaker. 701-720-1291 (cell). Liz

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Subject: WDALA: Paralegal/Legal Assistant Association

Hi Alice,

Do you think Wayne would be willing to participate in this? If so, would you mind asking him? Thanks!

I am writing to invite you to be featured in our paralegal association's (WDALA) newsletter called the *Summons*. The *Summons* is published four times a year (February, May, August, and November) and includes articles that are written by judges, attorneys, paralegals, and others on the subjects of substantive legal issues, court rules, current trends and recent developments, leadership, professional development, career development, mentoring, or articles of general interest to paralegals.

WDALA started a new feature in the *Summons* called "Get to Know Your . . . ". This feature is a fun way for our members to learn more about individuals in our legal community and their roles. The first edition of this new feature was published in the November 2021 issue of the *Summons* and we would like to put the spotlight on you for the February 2022 issue.

If you are interested, I have included a list of questions below for you to answer. (**Note:** I will need your responses no later than January 14, 2022). We ask that each participant answer all 5 questions in the first group and pick 5-10 bonus questions of their choice from the second group.

Please let me know if you would be willing to participate in this new piece in our *Summons* newsletter. We would be honored to showcase you in this fun, new feature!

5 QUESTIONS TO ANSWER:

1. What are your job duties?

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From: Alice and Arthur Johnson <shybird62@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 3, 2022 1:01 PM
To: Johnson, Alice M. <amjohnson@nd.gov>
Subject: Fw: WDALA: Paralegal/Legal Assistant Association

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From: Melissa Klimpel <MKlimpel@smithporsborg.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 30, 2021 3:49 PM
To: Alice Johnson, CP <shybird62@msn.com>
Subject: WDALA: Paralegal/Legal Assistant Association

Hi Alice,

Do you think Wayne would be willing to participate in this? If so, would you mind asking him? Thanks!

I am writing to invite you to be featured in our paralegal association's (WDALA) newsletter called the *Summons*. The *Summons* is published four times a year (February, May, August, and November) and includes articles that are written by judges, attorneys, paralegals, and others on the subjects of substantive legal issues, court rules, current trends and recent developments, leadership, professional development, career development, mentoring, or articles of general interest to paralegals.

WDALA started a new feature in the *Summons* called "Get to Know Your . . . ". This feature is a fun way for our members to learn more about individuals in our legal community and their roles. The first edition of this new feature was published in the November 2021 issue of the *Summons* and we would like to put the spotlight on you for the February 2022 issue.

If you are interested, I have included a list of questions below for you to answer. (**Note:** I will need your responses no later than January 14, 2022). We ask that each participant answer all 5 questions in the first group and pick 5-10 bonus questions of their choice from the second group.

Please let me know if you would be willing to participate in this new piece in our *Summons* newsletter. We would be honored to showcase you in this fun, new feature!

5 QUESTIONS TO ANSWER:

1. What are your job duties?

Body	2. What did you want to be when you grew up and are you currently doing it? 3. What led you to this career and how did you get into your current field or position? 4. What is a typical day like at your job? 5. What advice can you offer to attorneys / paralegals to make your job easier? **YOUR CHOICE! PICK 5-10 BONUS QUESTIONS TO ANSWER:** 1. What is the best/worst part of your job? 2. What's the biggest misconception people have about your position? 3. What's something that has surprised you about your chosen career path? 4. What piece of advice would you give to yourself at the beginning of your career? 5. What's the best piece of professional advice you've ever received? 6. Do you have any mentors in your professional life? 7. What motivates you? 8. If you could meet any historical figure, who would they be? 9. If you didn't have to work, what would you do with your time? 10. Do you have any favorite quotes? 11. What could you give a 30-minute presentation about with no advance preparation? 12. If you could only have three apps on your smartphone, which would you pick? 13. What book or movie have you recently read/seen and why would you recommend it? 14. If you could choose to do anything for a day, what would it be? 15. If you were a super-hero, what powers would you have? Melissa *WDALA Summons Editor* https://www.wdala.org/ ***Melissa M. Klimpel, ACP*** ***Advanced Certified Paralegal to Scott Porsborg*** 122 East Broadway Avenue P.O. Box 460 Bismarck, ND 58502-0460 Phone: 701.258.0630 / Fax: 701.258.6498 **Email: mklimpel@smithporsborg.com** ***CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE*** This email, including attachments is covered by the Electronic Communications Privacy Act, 18 U.S.C. 2510 et seq., is confidential, and/or is legally privileged. It is intended for use only by the person to whom it is directed. If you are not the intended recipient and/or received it in error, you should (1) reply by email to the sender; (2) delete this email, including deletion of all associated text files from all storage locations including individual and network storage devices; and (3) refrain from disseminating or copying this communication. Thank you.
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Body	Do you want to comment? Liz **From:** Adam Willis <awillis@forumcomm.com> **Sent:** Thursday, January 20, 2022 9:34 AM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Update in DAPL protest costs case ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** H Liz, I hope you're doing well. I noticed that there was an order earlier this week in North Dakota's case with the federal government over the costs of DAPL protest clean-up. I also saw in the court record that there was a status conference between the state and the federal government to discuss the case last week, and a follow-up scheduled for next month. Does Attorney General Stenehjem have a few minutes to discuss the progress of settlement negotiations in this case, or a statement he might be able to share on the latest updates from the recent status conference? I know last time I spoke with him about it he wasn't optimistic that a settlement would be reached, but I'm curious how things have developed. Thank you, and let me know if I can send over any more info. Adam -- Adam Willis Business and Politics Reporter Forum of Fargo-Moorhead +1 (404) 952 4437 @adampwillis

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Body	FYI. Please change your nd.gov password. Liz **From:** Condon, Michael J. <mcondon@nd.gov> **On Behalf Of** NDAG Help Desk **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 3:35 PM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Wayne email Hello Liz, Wayne should change his NDGOV password as soon as he has a minute. Just to be on the safe side of things. **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 1:27 PM **To:** NDAG Help Desk <ndaghd@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Wayne email FYI – just in case. Liz **From:** sebyp@gtlaw.com <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 1:18 PM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Wayne email ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Liz - I wanted to let you know I received what looks to be a phishing email from Wayne's email address this am. You may want to let the IT department know. Sent from my iPhone If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.

Record 521

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Media inquiry FW: Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:29:31.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:29:30.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 9:29:32.000 AM

Body	FYI. Liz **From:** Amy Sisk <Amy.Sisk@bismarcktribune.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022 9:28 AM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hello Liz, I'm writing a story about an oil field spill caused by vandalism this weekend (see press release below). The well site where this occurred is at a well pad with the name "Stenehjem" east of Watford City. I know the Stenehjem family is from this general area and that there are a number of Stenehjems – but I thought I'd touch base with your office to see if this is by chance on land owned by the attorney general (and if so, if he has a comment about what happened). Thanks, **Amy Sisk** Reporter, The Bismarck Tribune 701-250-8252 desk 701-425-6078 cell amy.sisk@bismarcktribune.com @amyrsisk on Twitter **From:** Haarsager, Katie A. [mailto:kahaarsager@nd.gov] **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 4:59 PM **Subject:** Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County **This Message Is From an External Sender** This message came from outside your organization. Correction: The incident location is the Stenehjem 6H oil and gas well. **From:** Haarsager, Katie A. **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 4:43 PM **Subject:** News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County **NEWS RELEASE** | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | January 24, 2022 **Incident Reported in McKenzie County** BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Oil and Gas Division was notified of a release occurring Sunday, January 23 at the Stenehjem 6H oil and gas well , about 9 miles east of Watford City, North Dakota. Abraxas Petroleum Corporation reported that 435 barrels of produced water were released due to a vandalism incident which left valves open on location. The sheriff office was contacted by the operator. At the time of reporting 430 barrels had been recovered with vacuum trucks. Product was contained on-site and cleanup is underway. A state inspector has been to the location and will monitor cleanup required. Federal and state laws require federal and/or state agencies be notified in the event of accidental spillage of any materials that may pollute water, air or soil. More information about notifications and the public access tool can be found on North Dakota's Unified Spill Reporting System page at spill.nd.gov **For more information, contact:** Katie Haarsager, Public Information Specialist North Dakota Oil and Gas Division 600 E Boulevard Ave., Dept. 405 | Bismarck, ND 58505-0840 PHONE: 701-328-8036 | EMAIL: kahaarsager@nd.gov www.dmr.nd.gov ###
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Record 522

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Record 523

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Media inquiry FW: Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:11:21.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:11:20.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:11:21.000 AM

Body	No, but I'm working on getting one for you. Liz **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022 10:01 AM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Re: Media inquiry FW: Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County Do you have the legal description for this parcel? Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022 10:29:30 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Media inquiry FW: Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County FYI. Liz **From:** Amy Sisk <Amy.Sisk@bismarcktribune.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022 9:28 AM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County ***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hello Liz, I'm writing a story about an oil field spill caused by vandalism this weekend (see press release below). The well site where this occurred is at a well pad with the name "Stenehjem" east of Watford City. I know the Stenehjem family is from this general area and that there are a number of Stenehjems – but I thought I'd touch base with your office to see if this is by chance on land owned by the attorney general (and if so, if he has a comment about what happened). Thanks, **Amy Sisk** Reporter, The Bismarck Tribune 701-250-8252 desk 701-425-6078 cell amy.sisk@bismarcktribune.com @amyrsisk on Twitter **From:** Haarsager, Katie A. [mailto:kahaarsager@nd.gov] **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 4:59 PM **Subject:** Correction: News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County **This Message Is From an External Sender** This message came from outside your organization. Correction: The incident location is the Stenehjem 6H oil and gas well. **From:** Haarsager, Katie A. **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 4:43 PM **Subject:** News Release: Incident Reported in McKenzie County **NEWS RELEASE** | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | January 24, 2022 **Incident Reported in McKenzie County** BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Oil and Gas Division was notified of a release occurring Sunday, January 23 at the Stenehjem 6H oil and gas well , about 9 miles east of Watford City, North Dakota. Abraxas Petroleum Corporation reported that 435 barrels of produced water were released due to a vandalism incident which left valves open on location. The sheriff office was contacted by the operator. At the time of reporting 430 barrels had been recovered with vacuum trucks. Product was contained on-site and cleanup is underway. A state inspector has been to the location and will monitor cleanup required. Federal and state laws require federal and/or state agencies be notified in the event of accidental spillage of any materials that may pollute water, air or soil. More information about notifications and the public access tool can be found on North Dakota's Unified Spill Reporting System page at spill.nd.gov **For more information, contact:** Katie Haarsager, Public Information Specialist North Dakota Oil and Gas Division 600 E Boulevard Ave., Dept. 405 | Bismarck, ND 58505-0840 PHONE: 701-328-8036 | EMAIL: kahaarsager@nd.gov www.dmr.nd.gov ###
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Record 524

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Attachments	image001[12468].jpg

Record 525

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Stenehjem Super Pad Wellsite is reported
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:29:55.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:29:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:29:56.000 AM

Body	**From:** Haarsager, Katie A. <kahaarsager@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022 10:17 AM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Stenehjem Super Pad Wellsite is reported Here is the spill report – The well is spaced in the following spacing unit: Secs 27&34-150-97 Katie Haarsager *Public Information Officer* 701.328.8036 (o) • kahaarsager@nd.gov • www.dmr.nd.gov 701.328-8020 • oilandgasinfo@nd.gov • 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept. 405 • Bismarck, ND 58505
Attachments	image001[15830].png, image002[15831].png, Spillform[16102].pdf

Record 526

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Stenehjem Super Pad Wellsite is reported
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:29:55.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/25/2022 10:29:53.000 AM
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Attachments	image001[12470].png, image002[12471].png, Spillform[12752].pdf

Record 527

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FYI - call
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 2:29:25.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 2:29:24.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 2:29:26.000 PM

Body	Judge Wade Webb called, said you had his cell phone and would you call at your convenience (he knows you are not available today but not why). He also asked me to let you know that he was going to call in the next few days to talk to Troy about the effect of him running for AG, if that's what he decides to do, would have on his PERS benefits, and he's already called PERS and they couldn't tell him so he figured Troy would know. Liz

Record 528

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Record 529

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FYI
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:54:04.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:54:02.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:54:04.000 PM
Body	Rep. Terry Jones stopped in, said there's a group of constituents who are consulting today with an attorney re. bringing a lawsuit against the state re. redistricting and he believes from when he spoke to you about it during the special session that you said we would defend the state but we couldn't intervene as an alternative litigation to adjudicate. He said if that's correct, then things will play out. If that's not correct and we can intervene to adjudicate, to contact him. Liz

Record 530

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	FYI
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:54:04.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 3:54:02.000 PM
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Record 531

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov

Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov, wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	open record request
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 7:57:36.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 7:57:34.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 7:57:36.000 AM
Body	I have an open record request for any electronic communications "to or from Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton" between December 1, 2020, and January 31, 2021. Liz

Record 532

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	open record request
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 7:57:34.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 7:57:36.000 AM

Record 533

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	FYI - Wayne
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 11:26:51.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 11:26:48.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 11:26:51.000 AM
Body	As some of you may already be aware, Wayne has been ill this week. Unfortunately, this morning his condition worsened, and he was taken by ambulance to Sanford Hospital and admitted. I am sure he will appreciate your positive thoughts while he recovers. Liz

Record 534

Sender Name	Brocker, Liz
Sender Email	lbrocker@nd.gov
Recipients	agall@nd.gov
Subject	Wayne
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 6:52:44.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 6:52:40.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 6:52:44.000 PM
Body	Unfortunately, Wayne's condition worsened throughout the day and despite every measure taken, the doctors were unable to save him. Wayne passed away at about 6:20 pm. I know this is a shock to everyone. Funeral arrangements are pending. Liz

Record 535

Sender Name	Grabowska, Lonnie
Sender Email	lgrabowska@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Bottineau County Death
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 10:10:23.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 10:10:22.000 AM

Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 10:10:23.000 AM
Body	Wayne and Troy, Please see below an update on a request for assistance from Bottineau County from S/A Allen Kluth. The case seems pretty straight forward and is hopefully a nervous husband moving a wife needing medical care. I wanted you to have the information incase the main office receives any calls from the Bottineau area. Thank you, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5530 - office §44-04-18.3 lgrabowska@nd.gov **From:** Leingang, Ben <bleingang@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:58 AM **To:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Bottineau County Death Lonnie, Please see Pat's narrative below regarding a case SA Kluth assisted Bottineau County with. Thank you Ben **From:** Lenertz, Pat J. <pjlenertz@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:36 AM **To:** Leingang, Ben <bleingang@nd.gov> **Subject:** Bottineau County Death Ben, In the late afternoon hours on December 21, 2021, S/A Kluth was contacted by a Bottineau Co Deputy regarding a suspicious death at a rural residence. S/A Kluth responded and assisted with obtaining a search warrant and the eventual search of the house. The decedent was Lorri Prevost, born in 1961 and her husband was William Prevost, born in 56. The wife was feeling sick and apparently fell, hitting her head on the way down. The husband called for an ambulance while dragging his wife out of the home in the meantime. The female was determined deceased by a coroner on scene. There were wounds on the decedent's head that appeared odd but possible. The husband cooperated with law enforcement and the body was taken to a funeral home for the time being. S/A Kluth was going to talk with the ME's office this morning to determine whether an autopsy would be necessary as it appears much of the story matches up, just odd looking wounds on the decedent's head. .Supervisory Special Agent Patrick Lenertz ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation PO Box 1348 Minot, ND 58702 §44-04-18.3 PJLENERTZ@ND.GOV
CC	lbrocker@nd.gov
Attachments	image001[14938].gif, image002[14939].jpg

Record 536

Sender Name	Grabowska, Lonnie
Sender Email	lgrabowska@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Bottineau County Death
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 10:10:23.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 10:10:22.000 AM
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Body	Wayne and Troy, Please see below an update on a request for assistance from Bottineau County from S/A Allen Kluth. The case seems pretty straight forward and is hopefully a nervous husband moving a wife needing medical care. I wanted you to have the information incase the main office receives any calls from the Bottineau area. Thank you, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5530 - office §44-04-18.3 lgrabowska@nd.gov **From:** Leingang, Ben <bleingang@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:58 AM **To:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Bottineau County Death Lonnie, Please see Pat's narrative below regarding a case SA Kluth assisted Bottineau County with. Thank you Ben **From:** Lenertz, Pat J. <pjlenertz@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:36 AM **To:** Leingang, Ben <bleingang@nd.gov> **Subject:** Bottineau County Death Ben, In the late afternoon hours on December 21, 2021, S/A Kluth was contacted by a Bottineau Co Deputy regarding a suspicious death at a rural residence. S/A Kluth responded and assisted with obtaining a search warrant and the eventual search of the house. The decedent was Lorri Prevost, born in 1961 and her husband was William Prevost, born in 56. The wife was feeling sick and apparently fell, hitting her head on the way down. The husband called for an ambulance while dragging his wife out of the home in the meantime. The female was determined deceased by a coroner on scene. There were wounds on the decedent's head that appeared odd but possible. The husband cooperated with law enforcement and the body was taken to a funeral home for the time being. S/A Kluth was going to talk with the ME's office this morning to determine whether an autopsy would be necessary as it appears much of the story matches up, just odd looking wounds on the decedent's head. .Supervisory Special Agent Patrick Lenertz ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation PO Box 1348 Minot, ND 58702 §44-04-18.3 PJLENERTZ@ND.GOV
CC	lbrocker@nd.gov
Attachments	image001[11489].gif, image002[11490].jpg

Record 537

Sender Name	Grabowska, Lonnie
Sender Email	lgrabowska@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Cell number
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 9:17:03.000 AM
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Record 539

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	NDBCI December Cyber Crime Report
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 9:58:43.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 9:58:42.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 9:58:44.000 AM

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Record 541

Sender Name	Grabowska, Lonnie
Sender Email	lgrabowska@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: LaMoure Co Suicide
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 11:58:56.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 11:58:55.000 AM
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov, aeisenbeis@nd.gov
Subject	Bryan Lang's father
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: 2021 WCNTF Yearly Report
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 8:05:44.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 8:05:42.000 PM
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
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Sender Email	lgrabowska@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Case update from CCDTF for "Tango Blast" gang member
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 10:59:15.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 10:59:11.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 10:59:16.000 AM
Body	Wayne and Troy, Please find below an overview of a drug search and attached photos from the Cass County Drug Task Force (CCDTF) related to a connected cartel-related gang member of the "Tango Blast" gang from the Houston, Texas area. You can "Wikipedia" Tango Blast for a quick overview of the criminal enterprise. The photos are of the confiscated guns, drugs, and money and the suspect. The third photo is S/A Voeltz after too many hours of surveillance! A really great case for the Fargo area! Thanks, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5530 · office §44-04-18.3 lgrabowska@nd.gov **From:** Franklin, Shelby <sfranklin@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 21, 2022 10:08 AM **To:** Brock Klettke (brock.r.klettke.mil@mail.mil) <brock.r.klettke.mil@mail.mil>; Miller, Casey J. <cajmiller@nd.gov>; Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov>; Greg Warren (Greg.Warren@westfargond.gov) <Greg.Warren@westfargond.gov>; Jones, Lori J. <jonesl@casscountynd.gov>; Rummel, Arnie <arummel@nd.gov>; Schmitz Olson, Kara S. <olsonka@casscountynd.gov>; Shane Orn <shane.orn@westfargond.gov>; Stading, Joel <stadingj@casscountynd.gov> **Cc:** Jahner, Jesse F. <jahnerj@casscountynd.gov>; Denis E. Otterness <denis.otterness@westfargond.gov>; David Zibolski <dzibolski@fargond.gov>; TMorris@fargond.gov **Subject:** Case update Good morning TF board, At the last quarterly meeting I gave a brief rundown of a case we were currently working involving the Tango Blast gang members from Houston, TX. Last night we took the main individual, Joel Quinonez, and his girlfriend, Jaimie Garcia into custody. This involved a very in-depth safety plan due to the intelligence we had that Quinonez was armed and violent. When we confronted Quinonez in a hotel parking lot he attempted to reach for his firearm, but due the safety plan put together by Sgt. Orn, Sgt. Morris, and TFO Kyle Hinrichs, he was not able to retrieve it fast enough. It was a tense moment, but eventually he complied and was taken into custody. We were crammed in our takedown van, and also in the hotel room adjacent to Quinonez's, for approximately 7 hours but in the end it paid off. He had 2 stolen firearms in each pocket, and a 3rd firearm in his backpack. He was also in possession of 2.6 pounds of methamphetamine, 1 oz of heroin, and $6,121. After he was in custody he made some comments that were also concerning regarding killing whoever "snitched" on him. I would like to commend TFO Hinrichs, as well as the whole team who contributed, to this investigation (Including our Minnesota partners). Many hours went into this investigation. I believe the community is much safer with this individual in jail. I've attached some photos for you to review. This is an ongoing investigation. Thank you, Special Agent Shelby Franklin North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation Cass County Drug Task Force Coordinator PO Box 9038 Fargo, ND 58106 §44-04-18.3
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Special Agent Bryan Lang
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 4:50:06.000 PM
Body	Wayne and Troy, I wanted to pass on an update regarding Special Agent Bryan Lang in our Devils Lake NDBCI Office. Bryan let us know today that he is going to be pulling a petition and running for the Ramsey County Sheriff. Bryan has discussed this decision with his family and the current Sheriff Steve Nelson. Sheriff Nelson is going to run again, but supports Bryan running also. Steve is ready to retire and has talked to Bryan for some time about being done due to health reasons. I wanted you to know Bryan will be running for the Office in Ramsey County and would do an amazing job! If elected, he will be a great proponent of the NDOAG and NDBCI. Thanks, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5530 - office §44-04-18.3 ell lgrabowska@nd.gov
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Sender Name	Mickelson, Lori S.
Sender Email	lmickelson@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	IC Loans for Dec 20, 2021
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Body	Hi Wayne, Congratulations on your decision! I am happy for you, but sad for us. It is truly a pleasure working for you and the OAG. □□ There are 2 loans for next week. I'll leave the binder with Liz. **North Dakota Mill & Elevator** NDCC §6-08.1-03; NDCC §6-09-35 **Industrial Commission** NDCC §6-08.1-03; NDCC §6-09-35

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	hydrogen hub
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Body	Wayne - this hydrogen hub funding is heading to the IC. We started looking into it after the Governor publically supported it in June. I haven't found evidence yet that this isn't just a grift for subsidies that will ever work in ND, and those requests for state funds will ever end on this thing. There is one big NEPA legal issue what hasn't be thought through by anyone on this also. I would need about an hour to lay out the evidence I have if you're interested? Busy today however.....Right now there is no reason for state funding commitments to this since part of the federal policy that it would take to make a go of it hasn't passed Congress yet and may not.....The Gov going so hard in public so early on this has stymied a critical staff review of relevant issues...Thx Ladd

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Bismarck Tribune story ...

Hydrogen hub, Coal Creek projects among those recommended for state funding

- AMY R. SISK

Proposals to establish a hydrogen hub in North Dakota and to retrofit Coal Creek Station with a carbon capture system are among the projects recommended for funding assistance via a new arm of state government focused on clean energy.

The eight voting members of the Clean Sustainable Energy Authority met Tuesday and recommended the state award a combined $28 million in grants and $135 million in loans to six applicants.

The three-member Industrial Commission, chaired by Gov. Doug Burgum, will have the final say over which projects receive funding. The commission is expected to make those decisions when it meets on Monday. Future funding rounds slated for 2022 are meant to allocate $17 million in remaining grant dollars and $115 million in loans.

The recommendations made Tuesday were unanimous except for one no vote on a proposal from the company Bakken Energy for money to support engineering and design work for its planned hydrogen hub.

Authority member Christopher Friez of North American Coal said unanswered questions surround the project, which aims to convert the Great Plains Synfuels Plant near Beulah for hydrogen production. The plant for decades has produced synthetic natural gas from coal mined at one of North American Coal's mines, along with a host of other products.

Others members of the energy authority supported the proposal, saying it could help put natural gas produced in western North Dakota's oil fields to use. Bakken Energy anticipates the market for hydrogen will grow substantially in future years. Its hydrogen could be used to fuel large trucks and other vehicles.

The authority recommended a $10 million grant and an $80 million loan to support the hydrogen project.

The panel also suggested the Industrial Commission award the following:

- A $7 million grant and a $40 million loan for Cerilion, which is developing a plant in Trenton that will convert natural gas into liquid fuels.
- A $7 million grant for the University of North Dakota's Energy & Environmental Research Center, which is working on the engineering and design of a system to capture the carbon dioxide emissions from Coal Creek, the state's largest coal-fired power plant. Carbon emissions released into the atmosphere contribute to climate change.
- A $3 million grant to Midwest AgEnergy for its carbon capture and storage project at Blue Flint Ethanol in McLean County.

Body

- A $1 million grant for Wellspring Hydro to source lithium and other products from saltwater produced in the oil fields. Lithium is used to make batteries and other products.

- A $15 million loan for Valence Natural Gas Solutions to expand the use of its mobile devices that capture natural gas that would otherwise be wastefully flared.

The energy authority recommended against funding Marathon Oil's proposal to install devices meant to reduce flaring at its oil field sites. Members indicated that they supported the project but did not want to help fund it because the technology is already commercially available. The goal of the Clean Sustainable Energy Authority is to promote the commercialization of emerging technology.

The Legislature established the energy authority this year, designating $25 million for grants to support projects, in addition to $20 million for hydrogen-related proposals. Lawmakers also made $250 million available in loans through a line of credit from the Bank of North Dakota.

Hydrogen

Leaders of the projects vying for funding each made pitches Tuesday to authority members, who spent considerable time learning about Bakken Energy's plan to establish a hydrogen hub in North Dakota centered around the synfuels plant.

Bakken Energy is working on a deal to purchase the facility from Basin Electric Power Cooperative, the current operator. The plant also produces fertilizer, which would continue even after it is converted.

The plant has faced financial trouble as it competes with cheap natural gas produced in places such as the Bakken amid the rise of horizontal drilling and fracking technology over the past 15 years.

"Producing natural gas from coal, we are having huge losses ... and all the byproducts can't even come close to mitigating those losses we are incurring," said Paul Sukut, who recently retired as Basin's CEO. "Over the last three years, we have incurred hundreds of millions of dollars in losses."

Basin leaders felt their options were either to shut the plant down entirely or close the coal gasification part of it and just produce fertilizer. Then along came Bakken Energy's hydrogen proposal.

"For Basin Electric it is a way better option," Sukut said. "We hold all those jobs. They stay in North Dakota."

The synfuels plant employs 525 people, all of whom are expected to retain their jobs. The workforce and the existing infrastructure at the facility are major reasons why Bakken Energy was interested in the site, CEO Mike Hopkins said.

The plant "has a great deal of the equipment and the processes that you need to produce clean hydrogen on a very large scale," he said, adding that it "also has the people who know how to operate and run such an operation."

"By acquiring and redeveloping the synfuels plant and by retaining this valuable workforce, we're in production faster and we have an unbeatable cost advantage," he said.

Bakken Energy plans to bring in natural gas from the western North Dakota oil patch to use for hydrogen production. The company is working with Mitsubishi Power Americas to develop its plans. Carbon emissions generated during hydrogen production would be captured and buried permanently underground.

It's unclear what the hydrogen proposal means for North American Coal's Freedom Mine, which supplies the plant with lignite used to make gas. No one at Tuesday's meeting provided a clear answer, though the topic came up.

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Wayne - this hydrogen hub funding is heading to the IC. We started looking into it after the Governor publically supported it in June. I haven't found evidence yet that this isn't just a grift for subsidies that will ever work in ND, and those requests for state funds will ever end on this thing. There is one big NEPA legal issue what hasn't be thought through by anyone on this also. I would need about an hour to lay out the evidence I have if you're interested? Busy today however.....Right now there is no reason for state funding commitments to this since part of the federal policy that it would take to make a go of it hasn't passed Congress yet and may not.....The Gov going so hard in public so early on this has stymied a critical staff review of relevant issues...Thx Ladd

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Hydrogen hub, Coal Creek projects among those recommended for state funding

- AMY R. SISK

Proposals to establish a hydrogen hub in North Dakota and to retrofit Coal Creek Station with a carbon capture system are among the projects recommended for funding assistance via a new arm of state government focused on clean energy.

The eight voting members of the Clean Sustainable Energy Authority met Tuesday and recommended the state award a combined $28 million in grants and $135 million in loans to six applicants.

The three-member Industrial Commission, chaired by Gov. Doug Burgum, will have the final say over which projects receive funding. The commission is expected to make those decisions when it meets on Monday. Future funding rounds slated for 2022 are meant to allocate $17 million in remaining grant dollars and $115 million in loans.

The recommendations made Tuesday were unanimous except for one no vote on a proposal from the company Bakken Energy for money to support engineering and design work for its planned hydrogen hub.

Authority member Christopher Friez of North American Coal said unanswered questions surround the project, which aims to convert the Great Plains Synfuels Plant near Beulah for hydrogen production. The plant for decades has produced synthetic natural gas from coal mined at one of North American Coal's mines, along with a host of other products.

Others members of the energy authority supported the proposal, saying it could help put natural gas produced in western North Dakota's oil fields to use. Bakken Energy anticipates the market for hydrogen will grow substantially in future years. Its hydrogen could be used to fuel large trucks and other vehicles.

The authority recommended a $10 million grant and an $80 million loan to support the hydrogen project.

The panel also suggested the Industrial Commission award the following:

- A $7 million grant and a $40 million loan for Cerilion, which is developing a plant in Trenton that will convert natural gas into liquid fuels.
- A $7 million grant for the University of North Dakota's Energy & Environmental Research Center, which is working on the engineering and design of a system to capture the carbon dioxide emissions from Coal Creek, the state's largest coal-fired power plant. Carbon emissions released into the atmosphere contribute to climate change.
- A $3 million grant to Midwest AgEnergy for its carbon capture and storage project at Blue Flint Ethanol in McLean County.

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Hi Wayne,

We are working with Paul, DEQ, and NDIC on drafting our own ND comments. Paul's recommendation is that we not join the WV comments but we can note that we do endorse those comments. I can let WV know if you agree.

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All,

Following up on our October letter concerning methane-related issues, West Virginia would invite you to join a comment letter concerning proposed regulations governing emissions of methane from sources in the oil and natural gas sectors. A draft is attached.

In short, EPA has proposed—at least in preamble form—a series of new source performance standards and emissions guidelines for existing sources in the oil and gas industries. As the letter explains, these acts overstep EPA's authority under Section 111 of the Clean Air Act, the very section at issue in *West Virginia v. EPA*. EPA has not made certain necessary endangerment and causation findings. They also appear to have given too much weight a Congressional Resolution Act resolution that disapproved of an early Trump effort in this space. Further, the proposed rule leads to a number of costs that outweigh benefits while also traipsing on state authority in this space.

The EPA has not yet proposed actual regulatory text. We expect a further "supplemental" rulemaking at some later time. Because we're not certain about the scope of comments that will be permitted in response to that supplemental rulemaking, we think it important to go on the record now.

Many of you joined our letter to Congress on proposed methane fees. We hope you'll again join us to resist the latest effort to overregulate these industries for the sake of one pollutant. The comment must be submitted by January 31, so we would ask that you letter us know whether you'd like to join no later than **January 31 at noon Eastern.**

Many thanks,
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See <Lindsay.S.See@wvago.gov> **Subject:** RE: Letter Opportunity - Methane Fee Good afternoon all, Many thanks to Oklahoma, Alabama, North Dakota, Montana, Nebraska, Arkansas, and South Carolina for signing on to the letter on the proposed methane fee. As a reminder, we had hoped to receive all joins by **6pm today**. That said, we will likely be able to extend that deadline if others are still considering. Just let me know. In response to comments, we made two non-substantive changes. Those are highlighted on page 3 in the attached. Let us know if you would like to join or have further comments. Thanks again to everyone for your time and support. Michael **Michael R. Williams** | Office of the West Virginia Attorney General | (681) 313-4511 | michael.r.williams@wvago.gov **From:** Michael R. 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See <Lindsay.S.See@wvago.gov> **Subject:** Letter Opportunity - Methane Fee Good afternoon all, Our office has drafted a letter to relevant Senate leadership to raise some concerns about a "methane fee" included in the reconciliation bill that's currently under discussion. We're writing to invite you to join us. As you know, the "Build Back Better Act" is working its way through the House, while related discussions are happening in the Senate. The present iteration includes a punitive $1500-per-ton fee on methane emissions from oil and natural-gas facilities, which echoes a Senate proposal from earlier this summer to impose an $1,800-per-ton fee on methane. The fees are based on some extraordinarily complicated formulas. But more importantly, they would drive up energy prices on Americans who are already facing some high prices. We also think that this is an incrementalist effort to impose a broader carbon tax. We hope you'll sign on to the attached draft. Because congressional negotiations are ongoing (and in a constant state of apparent flux), we would like to send the letter no later than next Thursday. With that said, would you please let us know if you'd like to sign on by **6pm Eastern on Wednesday, October 13**? If you could include an appropriate e-signature with any response joining the letter, that'd also be appreciated. Thanks for considering this issue. And please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any comments, questions, or otherwise. Michael **Michael R. Williams** Office of the West Virginia Attorney General 112 California Avenue State Capitol, Building 6, Room 433 Charleston, WV 25305 (681) 313-4511 michael.r.williams@wvago.gov
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Body	So you know, I was previously aware of the Petition, and that there would be an amicus distributed, but we just received the amicus. **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 11:08 AM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Amicus Brief in Self v. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community (U.S.) -- cert-stage This is a cert petition, with a one day deadline. We will pass and see whether we want to participate if cert is granted. Wayne **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 11:00 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Thiel, Jolene J. <jthiel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Amicus Brief in Self v. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community (U.S.) -- cert-stage Attached is a new amicus request drafted by Texas, regarding whether the immovable property exception applies to tribal sovereign immunity. Texas argues that the common law immovable property exception applies to tribes just as it does to State and other sovereigns. Deadline to sign on is December 14. Matt **From:** Dan Schweitzer <dschweitzer@naag.org> **Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 8:26 AM **To:** Dan Schweitzer <dschweitzer@naag.org> **Cc:** Natalie.Thompson@oag.texas.gov **Subject:** Amicus Brief in Self v. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community (U.S.) -- cert-stage ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** To: Civil Amicus Contacts Attached is the amicus brief Texas has drafted in support of the cert petition in *Self v. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community* (U.S.). The question presented is whether the immovable property exception applies to tribal sovereign immunity. Texas's brief argues that the common law immovable property exception applies to tribes just as it does to States and other sovereigns. Texas will need all joins by COB on December 14. To join, you may contact Assistant SG Natalie Thompson at Natalie.Thompson@oag.texas.gov. **From:** Dan Schweitzer <dschweitzer@naag.org> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 3:46 PM **To:** Dan Schweitzer <dschweitzer@naag.org> **Cc:** Natalie Thompson <Natalie.Thompson@oag.texas.gov>; Judd Stone <Judd.Stone@oag.texas.gov> **Subject:** Forthcoming Amicus Brief in Self v. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community (U.S.) -- cert-stage To: Civil Amicus Contacts Texas is drafting an amicus brief in support of the attached cert petition. The question presented is whether the immovable property exception applies to tribal sovereign immunity. Texas's brief will argue that the common law immovable property exception applies to tribes just as it does to States and other sovereigns. Texas will have the draft ready next week. It's due December 15, so Texas will need all joins by COB on December 14. To join, you may contact Assistant SG Natalie Thompson at Natalie.Thompson@oag.texas.gov.

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Attached is the Eighth Circuitâ€™s one-line order denying DOJâ€™s request for a stay pending appeal. The opinion notes that Judge Kelly voted to grant the motion. Iâ€™m not sure if weâ€™ll eventually see an opinion from the court on this or if this is all weâ€™ll get, but the stay will remain in place for the time being. Now weâ€™ll have to see if the DOJ decides to ask SCOTUS for a stay.

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Attached is our Response to DOJâ€™s motion to stay pending appeal that was filed yesterday.

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All,

Attached is our draft response to DOJâ€™s stay motion filed in the Eighth Circuit. If you have any suggestions, please send them to me by COB today. Weâ€™re already at the max word limit, but weâ€™ll do our best to incorporate your suggestions, if any. We also may cut out some material to make room for a favorable Fifth Circuit opinion, should we get one today or tomorrow.

Thanks.

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All,

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Sorry for the delay. Here is the circulation draft. Please send us any edits in the next hour or so. Sorry again for the short turnaround. **From:** Campbell, Jim **Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021 11:41 AM **To:** Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; Shasserre, Joshua <joshua.shasserre@nebraska.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Laue, Brant' <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>; 'Robison, Chris A (LAW)' <chris.robison@alaska.gov>; 'Farzin, Leah R (LAW)' <leah.farzin@alaska.gov>; 'Wiard, Kurtis' <Kurtis.Wiard@ag.ks.gov> **Cc:** Green, Maddie <Maddie.Green@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Federal Vaccine Mandate for Health-Care Workers - Draft PI MOTION We are working to finish the draft of our reply to the CMS defendantsâ€™ opposition (which Jesus circulated yesterday). We plan to circulate that draft to you all in the next hour or two. Because we need to file it by 5:00 Central today, please be on standby and send us any edits you have by 3:30 Central. 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DOJ has reach out to us and proposed filing their opposition to our PI motion by 12pm CT on 11/24 (the day before Thanksgiving). Recall that our motion to expedite proposed their opposition be due this Friday (with our reply brief filed on 11/22) to ensure we have a ruling from Judge Schelp by 5pm on 11/29. John, Jim, and I have conferred and are inclined to not consent to their proposal, as our proposal gives the judge time to consider briefing, hold an evidentiary hearing, and if we donâ€™t get relief, we have time to go to the Eighth Circuit for an injunction pending appeal. Please let us know if you disagree. Thanks. **Jesus A. Osete** | Deputy Solicitor General & Deputy Attorney General for Special Litigation

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FYIâ€¯our PI motion is on file. Thank you all for your efforts on such short notice, and a special thank you to Jim, Josh, and Maddie!

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Weâ€™ve been assigned to District Judge Matthew T. Schelp, who was appointed by President Trump in 2020.

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By my count, NE and MO have received the following number of declarations from you:

- Alaska: 2
- Arkansas: 1
- Iowa: 1
- New Hampshire: 2
- North Dakota: 2
- South Dakota: 1
- Wyoming: 1

Starting at 3pm, weâ€™re going to begin finalizing these as exhibits for filing, so if you have any additional materials, please send them by then. Thanks so much for the quick turnaround!

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All.

Attached are draft motions (1) for a preliminary injunction, and (2) for expedited consideration. We will be filing everything **today by 4:00 p.m. (CT)**. If possible, please send us any suggestions and declarations by **3pm** to ensure timely filing.

Thanks.

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I agree with everything Jim has said. To that end, I will circulate a draft motion for expedited briefing and consideration of the PI motion with the following proposed schedule:

- DOJ opposition: November 19
- Plaintiff Statesâ€™ Reply: November 22
- A hearing, if the Court deems it necessary, on November 23 (earliest) but no later than November 29 (we should leave the week of the 29th open in case we need to seek emergency relief from the Eighth Circuit/SCOTUS before December 5).

Let us know if you have any thoughts. Thanks.

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While Jesus is getting the complaint filed, I wanted to let you all know that our plan is to file a MPI on Friday. While this schedule is aggressive, so is the timeline weâ€™re up against. The mandate requires all covered employees to get their first shots by December 5, and obviously decisions by healthcare workers and facilities need to be made before then. So please start gathering declarations in support of the MPI. Here are the kinds of facts we need (Jesus, Maddie, John, and Josh, please feel free to add others) Note that Iâ€™ve highlighted the most important ones:

- Facts showing the existing healthcare staffing shortages in your state
- Facts about your state-run healthcare agencies that will be covered by the mandate
  - How many
  - How large
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Body	Note that we have a few draft declarations, particularly declarations from healthcare facilities, that my colleague Josh can share if anyone wants to see them. Itâ€™d be good to have the declarations by Friday morning, but the earlier you can get them to us, the better. Itâ€™ll expedite the process and enable us to make better use of the facts. Thanks for everyoneâ€™s help with this. **From:** Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021 10:30 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; Shasserre, Joshua <Joshua.shasserre@nebraska.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Laue, Brant' <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov> **Cc:** Green, Maddie <Maddie.Green@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Federal Vaccine Mandate for Health-Care Workers - Draft Complaint Clean version attached. Will file at 11:00am CT. Thank you so much everyone (especially Jim from Nebraska!!). **Jesus A. 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We are still planning to file by mid-morning Central time, so if your state wishes to join, please do let us know by 9:30 a.m. if possible. If you are considering it and need a little more time, please let me and Jim know that as well. If you join, we will plan to use the same signature block that we used for the federal contractor case, unless you send us a different signature block. Also, as in the contractor case, by joining, you are authorizing the Missouri and Nebraska attorneys who are entered to represent your state for the limited purpose of prosecuting this case. Of course, you may wish to enter as well on behalf of your own state, as many of you have done. 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Going forward with this, you may want to coordinate with DPI counsel. I will be occupied with depositions for the abortion case for the next two days.

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I will send you a couple of model declarations. To the extent you have cooperative Head Start officials, it certainly helps. I will send you something later today that you can use and feel free to modify. It would help to know who you have that would sign. State officials say something a different from Program Directors and Teachers.

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Just let me know.
Wayne

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We wonâ€™t be filing today â€" too many moving parts. Liz

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Thanks.

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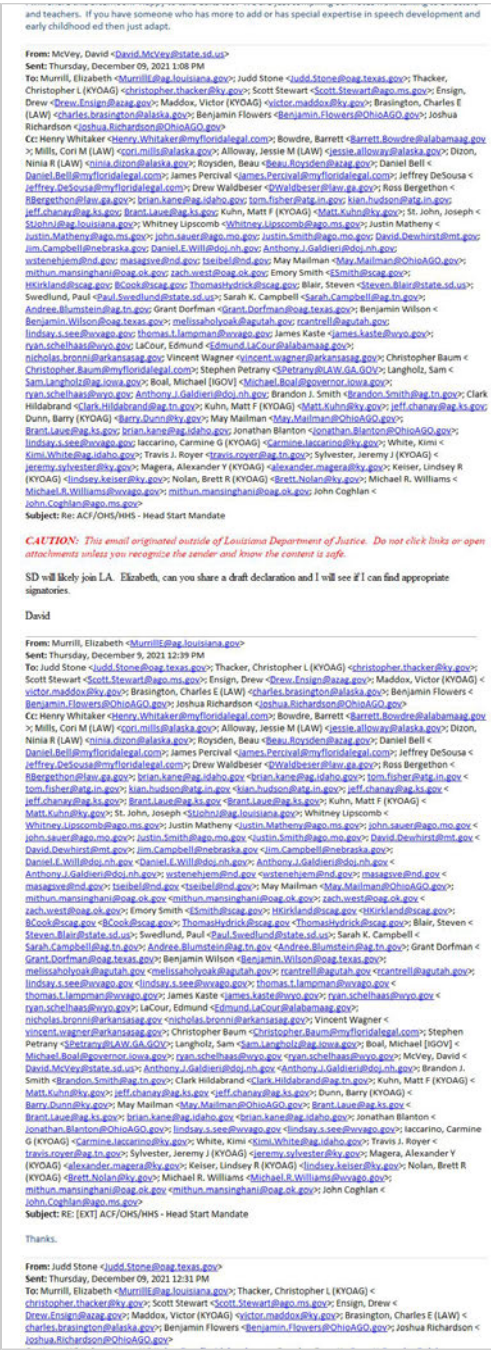

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Going forward with this, you may want to coordinate with DPI counsel. I will be occupied with depositions for the abortion case for the next two days.

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I will send you a couple of model declarations. To the extent you have cooperative Head Start officials, it certainly helps. I will send you something later today that you can use and feel free to modify. It would help to know who you have that would sign. State officials say something a different from Program Directors and Teachers.

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If you need a declaration of some sort from North Dakota, we can get one.
Just let me know.
Wayne

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We wonâ€™t be filing today â€" too many moving parts. Liz

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Thanks.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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The SG just filed an application with SCOTUS to stay the preliminary injunction of the CMS mandate in our case. See attached. Also, a footnote in that filing indicates that they have, or will shortly, file a similar application in the Louisiana CMS case.

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We filed for initial en banc and asked the eb court to enjoin the rule in Florida pending appeal.

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The masking requirements for 2 year olds takes effect immediately. I am not sure how this is being handled currently in these programs, but the Head Start guidance did not require it until the 25th I don't think. (The Early Care guidance was updated November 10, 2021; the Head Start guidance was updated November 29 (Monday)). We are working up a complaint, TRO, and PI. The TRO is necessary due to the masking requirements for 2 years olds, which took effect upon publication. An expedited PI would likely be necessary in the absence of a TRO due to the deadlines for compliance. Please let me know if you are interested in joining. We may be filing this one in the Eastern District of Louisiana due to a high number of Head Start programs located there. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. 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Team.

Justice Kavanaugh has requested our response to the Governmentâ€™s stay application in the CMS case by December 30 (which, incidentally, is the same day he requested the federal governmentâ€™s response to our stay request in the OSHA case). We will aim to circulate a draft a head of time. Stay tuned.

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Team.

The SG just filed an application with SCOTUS to stay the preliminary injunction of the CMS mandate in our case. See attached. Also, a footnote in that filing indicates that they have filed a similar application in the Louisiana CMS case. We will start drafting a response, anticipating that SCOTUS will ask for something by early next week.

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Attached is the Eighth Circuitâ€™s one-line order denying DOJâ€™s request for a stay pending appeal. The opinion notes that Judge Kelly voted to grant the motion. Iâ€™m not sure if weâ€™ll eventually see an opinion from the court on this or if this is all weâ€™ll get, but the stay will remain in place for the time being. Now weâ€™ll have to see if the DOJ decides to ask SCOTUS for a stay.

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Attached is our Response to DOJâ€™s motion to stay pending appeal that was filed yesterday.

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All,

Attached is our draft response to DOJâ€™s stay motion filed in the Eighth Circuit. If you have any suggestions, please send them to me by COB today. Weâ€™re already at the max word limit, but weâ€™ll do our best to incorporate your suggestions, if any. We also may cut out some material to make room for a favorable Fifth Circuit opinion, should we get one today or tomorrow.

Thanks.

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All,

Judge Schelp has granted our motion for a PI! Well done everyone!!

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Hey all,

Sorry for the delay. Here is the circulation draft. Please send us any edits in the next hour or so. Sorry again for the short turnaround.

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We are working to finish the draft of our reply to the CMS defendantsâ€™ opposition (which Jesus circulated yesterday). We plan to circulate that draft to you all in the next hour or two. Because we need to file it by 5:00 Central today, please be on standby and send us any edits you have by 3:30 Central. Thanks.

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Recall that our motion to expedite proposed their opposition be due this Friday (with our reply brief filed on 11/22) to ensure we have a ruling from Judge Schelp by 5pm on 11/29. John, Jim, and I have conferred and are inclined to not consent to their proposal, as our proposal gives the judge time to consider briefing, hold an evidentiary hearing, and if we donâ€™t get relief, we have time to go to the Eighth Circuit for an injunction pending appeal. Please let us know if you disagree. Thanks. **Jesus A. 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Thank you all for your efforts on such short notice, and a special thank you to Jim, Josh, and Maddie! **Jesus A. 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Schelp, who was appointed by President Trump in 2020. **Jesus A. 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Thanks so much for the quick turnaround!

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All.

Attached are draft motions (1) for a preliminary injunction, and (2) for expedited consideration. We will be filing everything **today by 4:00 p.m. (CT)**. If possible, please send us any suggestions and declarations by **3pm** to ensure timely filing.

Thanks.

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I agree with everything Jim has said. To that end, I will circulate a draft motion for expedited briefing and consideration of the PI motion with the following proposed schedule:

- DOJ opposition: November 19
- Plaintiff Statesâ€™ Reply: November 22
- A hearing, if the Court deems it necessary, on November 23 (earliest) but no later than November 29 (we should leave the week of the 29th open in case we need to seek emergency relief from the Eighth Circuit/SCOTUS before December 5).

Let us know if you have any thoughts. Thanks.

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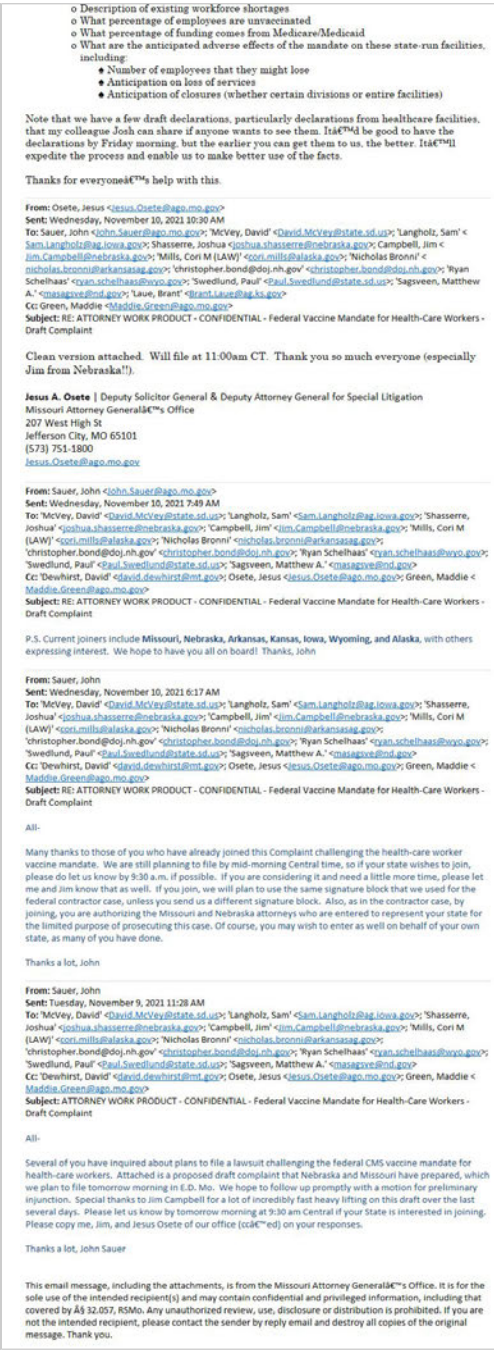
While Jesus is getting the complaint filed, I wanted to let you all know that our plan is to file a MPI on Friday. While this schedule is aggressive, so is the timeline weâ€™re up against. The mandate requires all covered employees to get their first shots by December 5, and obviously decisions by healthcare workers and facilities need to be made before then. So please start gathering declarations in support of the MPI. Here are the kinds of facts we need (Jesus, Maddie, John, and Josh, please feel free to add others) Note that Iâ€™ve highlighted the most important ones:

- Facts showing the existing healthcare staffing shortages in your state
- Facts about your state-run healthcare agencies that will be covered by the mandate
  - How many
  - How large
  - Description of existing workforce shortages
  - What percentage of employees are unvaccinated
  - What percentage of funding comes from Medicare/Medicaid
  - What are the anticipated adverse effects of the mandate on these state-run facilities, including:
    - Number of employees that they might lose
    - Anticipation on loss of services
    - Anticipation of closures (whether certain divisions or entire facilities)
- Facts about your state surveyors
  - How many
  - Confirm that they are state employees
  - Describe their duties in enforcing Medicare/Medicaid compliance
- Facts about specific healthcare facilities in your state that are willing to give a helpful declaration

Body	

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Note that we have a few draft declarations, particularly declarations from healthcare facilities, that my colleague Josh can share if anyone wants to see them. Itâ€™d be good to have the declarations by Friday morning, but the earlier you can get them to us, the better. Itâ€™ll expedite the process and enable us to make better use of the facts.

Thanks for everyoneâ€™s help with this.

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Clean version attached. Will file at 11:00am CT. Thank you so much everyone (especially Jim from Nebraska!!).

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P.S. Current joiners include **Missouri, Nebraska, Arkansas, Kansas, Iowa, Wyoming, and Alaska**, with others expressing interest. We hope to have you all on board! Thanks, John

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All-

Many thanks to those of you who have already joined this Complaint challenging the health-care worker vaccine mandate. We are still planning to file by mid-morning Central time, so if your state wishes to join, please do let us know by 9:30 a.m. if possible. If you are considering it and need a little more time, please let me and Jim know that as well. If you join, we will plan to use the same signature block that we used for the federal contractor case, unless you send us a different signature block. Also, as in the contractor case, by joining, you are authorizing the Missouri and Nebraska attorneys who are entered to represent your state for the limited purpose of prosecuting this case. Of course, you may wish to enter as well on behalf of your own state, as many of you have done.

Thanks a lot, John

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All-

Several of you have inquired about plans to file a lawsuit challenging the federal CMS vaccine mandate for health-care workers. Attached is a proposed draft complaint that Nebraska and Missouri have prepared, which we plan to file tomorrow morning in E.D. Mo. We hope to follow up promptly with a motion for preliminary injunction. Special thanks to Jim Campbell for a lot of incredibly fast heavy lifting on this draft over the last several days. Please let us know by tomorrow morning at 9:30 am Central if your State is interested in joining. Please copy me, Jim, and Jesus Osete of our office (ccâ€™ed) on your responses.

Thanks a lot, John Sauer

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Team.

Justice Kavanaugh has requested our response to the Governmentâ€™s stay application in the CMS case by December 30 (which, incidentally, is the same day he requested the federal governmentâ€™s response to our stay request in the OSHA case). We will aim to circulate a draft a head of time. Stay tuned.

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The SG just filed an application with SCOTUS to stay the preliminary injunction of the CMS mandate in our case. See attached. Also, a footnote in that filing indicates that they have filed a similar application in the Louisiana CMS case. We will start drafting a response, anticipating that SCOTUS will ask for something by early next week.

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Attached is the Eighth Circuitâ€™s one-line order denying DOJâ€™s request for a stay pending appeal. The opinion notes that Judge Kelly voted to grant the motion. Iâ€™m not sure if weâ€™ll eventually see an opinion from the court on this or if this is all weâ€™ll get, but the stay will remain in place for the time being. Now weâ€™ll have to see if the DOJ decides to ask SCOTUS for a stay.

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Attached is our Response to DOJâ€™s motion to stay pending appeal that was filed yesterday.

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Body

All,

Attached is our draft response to DOJâ€™s stay motion filed in the Eighth Circuit. If you have any suggestions, please send them to me by COB today. Weâ€™re already at the max word limit, but weâ€™ll do our best to incorporate your suggestions, if any. We also may cut out some material to make room for a favorable Fifth Circuit opinion, should we get one today or tomorrow.

Thanks.

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Judge Schelp has granted our motion for a PI! Well done everyone!!

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Hey all.

Sorry for the delay. Here is the circulation draft. Please send us any edits in the next hour or so. Sorry again for the short turnaround.

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We are working to finish the draft of our reply to the CMS defendantsâ€™ opposition (which Jesus circulated yesterday). We plan to circulate that draft to you all in the next hour or two. Because we need to file it by 5:00 Central today, please be on standby and send us any edits you have by 3:30 Central. Thanks.

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FYIâ€¦DOJâ€™s opposition to our PI Motion attached.

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Recall that our motion to expedite proposed their opposition be due this Friday (with our reply brief filed on 11/22) to ensure we have a ruling from Judge Schelp by 5pm on 11/29. John, Jim, and I have conferred and are inclined to not consent to their proposal, as our proposal gives the judge time to consider briefing, hold an evidentiary hearing, and if we donâ€™t get relief, we have time to go to the Eighth Circuit for an injunction pending appeal. Please let us know if you disagree. Thanks. **Jesus A. 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Thank you all for your efforts on such short notice, and a special thank you to Jim, Josh, and Maddie! **Jesus A. 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Schelp, who was appointed by President Trump in 2020. **Jesus A. 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Thanks so much for the quick turnaround!

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All.

Attached are draft motions (1) for a preliminary injunction, and (2) for expedited consideration. We will be filing everything **today by 4:00 p.m. (CT)**. If possible, please send us any suggestions and declarations by **3pm** to ensure timely filing.

Thanks.

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I agree with everything Jim has said. To that end, I will circulate a draft motion for expedited briefing and consideration of the PI motion with the following proposed schedule:

- DOJ opposition: November 19
- Plaintiff Statesâ€™ Reply: November 22
- A hearing, if the Court deems it necessary, on November 23 (earliest) but no later than November 29 (we should leave the week of the 29th open in case we need to seek emergency relief from the Eighth Circuit/SCOTUS before December 5).

Let us know if you have any thoughts. Thanks.

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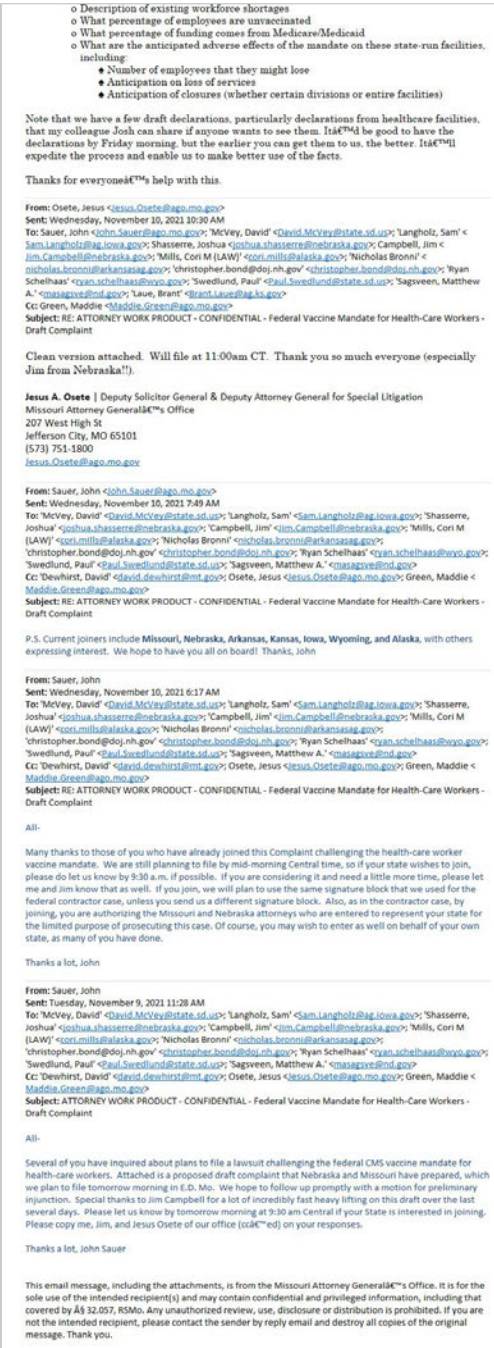
While Jesus is getting the complaint filed, I wanted to let you all know that our plan is to file a MPI on Friday. While this schedule is aggressive, so is the timeline weâ€™re up against. The mandate requires all covered employees to get their first shots by December 5, and obviously decisions by healthcare workers and facilities need to be made before then. So please start gathering declarations in support of the MPI. Here are the kinds of facts we need (Jesus, Maddie, John, and Josh, please feel free to add others) Note that Iâ€™ve highlighted the most important ones:

- Facts showing the existing healthcare staffing shortages in your state
- Facts about your state-run healthcare agencies that will be covered by the mandate
  - How many
  - How large
  - Description of existing workforce shortages
  - What percentage of employees are unvaccinated
  - What percentage of funding comes from Medicare/Medicaid
  - What are the anticipated adverse effects of the mandate on these state-run facilities, including:
    - Number of employees that they might lose
    - Anticipation on loss of services
    - Anticipation of closures (whether certain divisions or entire facilities)
- Facts about your state surveyors
  - How many
  - Confirm that they are state employees
  - Describe their duties in enforcing Medicare/Medicaid compliance
- Facts about specific healthcare facilities in your state that are willing to give a helpful declaration

Body	

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♦ Number of employees that they might lose
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♦ Anticipation of closures (whether certain divisions or entire facilities)

Note that we have a few draft declarations, particularly declarations from healthcare facilities, that my colleague Josh can share if anyone wants to see them. Itâ€™d be good to have the declarations by Friday morning, but the earlier you can get them to us, the better. Itâ€™ll expedite the process and enable us to make better use of the facts.

Thanks for everyoneâ€™s help with this.

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Clean version attached. Will file at 11:00am CT. Thank you so much everyone (especially Jim from Nebraska!!).

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P.S. Current joiners include **Missouri, Nebraska, Arkansas, Kansas, Iowa, Wyoming, and Alaska**, with others expressing interest. We hope to have you all on board! Thanks, John

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All-

Many thanks to those of you who have already joined this Complaint challenging the health-care worker vaccine mandate. We are still planning to file by mid-morning Central time, so if your state wishes to join, please do let us know by 9:30 a.m. if possible. If you are considering it and need a little more time, please let me and Jim know that as well. If you join, we will plan to use the same signature block that we used for the federal contractor case, unless you send us a different signature block. Also, as in the contractor case, by joining, you are authorizing the Missouri and Nebraska attorneys who are entered to represent your state for the limited purpose of prosecuting this case. Of course, you may wish to enter as well on behalf of your own state, as many of you have done.

Thanks a lot, John

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All-

Several of you have inquired about plans to file a lawsuit challenging the federal CMS vaccine mandate for health-care workers. Attached is a proposed draft complaint that Nebraska and Missouri have prepared, which we plan to file tomorrow morning in E.D. Mo. We hope to follow up promptly with a motion for preliminary injunction. Special thanks to Jim Campbell for a lot of incredibly fast heavy lifting on this draft over the last several days. Please let us know by tomorrow morning at 9:30 am Central if your State is interested in joining. Please copy me, Jim, and Jesus Osete of our office (ccâ€™ed) on our responses.

Thanks a lot, John Sauer

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Friends:
Attached is the **clean draft of the Complaint and the PI Memo.** Please provide any **final edits** to Tyler/Jeff **by 4 p.m. Central today.** **We plan to file tomorrow morning.** Our press office will reach out to yours with a swiss cheese release if you want to use it. The list of declarations are listed below. We have enough declarations to file (a very good pile), and we can supplement if we get others.

Decs:

- A: NHSA Summary & Letter to Javier Becerra
- B: Amy Jacobs, Comm'r GA Early Care and Learning
- C: JH Thompson, Supt, NE school system
- D: Wes Watts, Supt, WBR School system
- E: Jeff Powell, Supt., Rapides Parish School system
- F: Marcus Bevier, HS program dir., SD
- G: Krystie Hohnstein, HS program dir. NE
- H: Dr. Tamera Hummel, HS program ED in SD
- I: Sue Glodt, HS program dir, SD
- J: Juli Schultz, HS program dir, SD
- K: Jessi Hegg, HS program dir. ND
- L: Amanda Gross, HS teacher (Dry Prong, LA)
- M: Lisa Sanburn, HS teacher assistant (Dry Prong, LA)
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Friends:
Attached is the working draft of the Complaint, which still has a few nits I need to run down. I apologize if I did not get in some of the edits. If I missed something you feel strongly needs fixing or changing, please email me. A couple of overall comments (hopefully nothing deal breaking):

- I moderated some adjectives/rhetoric as recommended by several states.
- I am reviewing the use of child/children/toddler throughout to make sure we use it appropriately in that sentence. Sometimes it makes sense to emphasize they are toddlers and sometimes its better to say child/children.
- Used "staff and volunteers" rather than "educators" and will search for any places we need to replace. (the rule actually goes beyond them so we point that out in places too.)
- Amped up some of the blended funds paragraphs and will have Declarations from Louisiana school Superintendents on that point. GA also had some State enforcement. I think we are in a good spot with regard to state impacts.
- I did not take out the references to harm to the toddlers due to the Toddler Mask Mandate b/c we are seeking a TRO/PI to halt that immediately. We have to show its harmful or we can't meet the legal standard. I will have a pediatrician to back up the allegations. And if we have a live PI hearing, I may put some teachers on the stand to talk about the practical effect in the classroom of this requirement.

PLEASE CHECK YOUR SIG BLOCKS.
Tyler and his rock stars are working on the PI memo. **IF YOU HAVE A DECLARATION COMING, PLEASE CC TYLER WHEN YOU SEND TO ME. A few of the Decs are attached for your reference (so far we are likely to have about 15). I also attached the NHSA summary of its survey after the rule came out. The Director of Gov't Relations returned my call tonight. He is checking on my request for someone to do a declaration that authenticates their letter to Becerra and this summary of their survey. If they don't, I may just attach it anyway b/c they sent it to Becerra.**

THANKS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION. WE HAVE A REALLY STRONG COALITION. HOPING TO FILE THE WHOLE PACKAGE MONDAY.

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Friends – attached is the most updated draft of the complaint. The State-specific allegations for plaintiffs and states are still a work in progress, but we have a robust coalition. Several states have sent me some suggested revisions, including minimizing allegations that get into efficacy of vaccines. I agree with that approach. I didn't take it all out but modified some paragraphs and deleted others. I worked on amplifying State standing allegations.

Please provide me with signature blocks and any other recommendations. GA has provided a declaration, which may change a little but is provided for your reference. Also attached a draft Dec we are using with our program directors. If you have a superintendent of a public school system who is a willing declarant, it would be helpful for him/her to speak to blending of funds, need to lean on the state to backfill lost funding, educational opportunities lost and hindered for entering Kindergarten.

If I missed edits you suggested, please resend them to me.

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I think it would help to have some teachers say it takes up important teaching time policing masking, its unhygienic for kids that young b/c they drop them and get their snot all over them and put them in their mouths or trade them, and the increased tension with the child inhibits the relationship with the teacher and child and interferes with learning. **From:** Murrill, Elizabeth **Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 7:59 AM **To:** Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Benjamin Flowers' <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov>; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; cori.mills@alaska.gov; Corrine.Youngs@atg.in.gov; daniel.bell@myfloridalegal.com; Drew Waldbeser <DWaldbeser@LAW.GA.GOV>; Smith, Emory <ESmith@scag.gov>; 'Fisher, Tom' <Tom.Fisher@atg.in.gov>; Galdieri, Anthony <Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov>; henry.whitaker@myfloridalegal.com; Higgins, Kevin A (LAW <kevin.higgins@alaska.gov>; Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; Kane, Brian <brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov>; 'LaCour, Edmund' <Edmund.LaCour@AlabamaAG.gov>; 'Laue, Brant' <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>; 'Lindsay S. 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Friends:
Attached is the **clean draft of the Complaint and the PI Memo.** Please provide any **final edits** to Tyler/Jeff **by 4 p.m. Central today.** **We plan to file tomorrow morning.** Our press office will reach out to yours with a swiss cheese release if you want to use it. The list of declarations are listed below. We have enough declarations to file (a very good pile), and we can supplement if we get others.

Decs:

- A: NHSA Summary & Letter to Javier Becerra
- B: Amy Jacobs, Comm'r GA Early Care and Learning
- C: JH Thompson, Supt, NE school system
- D: Wes Watts, Supt, WBR School system
- E: Jeff Powell, Supt., Rapides Parish School system
- F: Marcus Bevier, HS program dir., SD
- G: Krystie Hohnstein, HS program dir. NE
- H: Dr. Tamera Hummel, HS program ED in SD
- I: Sue Glodt, HS program dir, SD
- J: Juli Schultz, HS program dir, SD
- K: Jessi Hegg, HS program dir. ND
- L: Amanda Gross, HS teacher (Dry Prong, LA)
- M: Lisa Sanburn, HS teacher assistant (Dry Prong, LA)
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Friends:
Attached is the working draft of the Complaint, which still has a few nits I need to run down. I apologize if I did not get in some of the edits. If I missed something you feel strongly needs fixing or changing, please email me. A couple of overall comments (hopefully nothing deal breaking):

- I moderated some adjectives/rhetoric as recommended by several states.
- I am reviewing the use of child/children/toddler throughout to make sure we use it appropriately in that sentence. Sometimes it makes sense to emphasize they are toddlers and sometimes its better to say child/children.
- Used "staff and volunteers" rather than "educators" and will search for any places we need to replace. (the rule actually goes beyond them so we point that out in places too.)
- Amped up some of the blended funds paragraphs and will have Declarations from Louisiana school Superintendents on that point. GA also had some State enforcement. I think we are in a good spot with regard to state impacts.
- I did not take out the references to harm to the toddlers due to the Toddler Mask Mandate b/c we are seeking a TRO/PI to halt that immediately. We have to show its harmful or we can't meet the legal standard. I will have a pediatrician to back up the allegations. And if we have a live PI hearing, I may put some teachers on the stand to talk about the practical effect in the classroom of this requirement.

PLEASE CHECK YOUR SIG BLOCKS.
Tyler and his rock stars are working on the PI memo. **IF YOU HAVE A DECLARATION COMING, PLEASE CC TYLER WHEN YOU SEND TO ME. A few of the Decs are attached for your reference (so far we are likely to have about 15). I also attached the NHSA summary of its survey after the rule came out. The Director of Gov't Relations returned my call tonight. He is checking on my request for someone to do a declaration that authenticates their letter to Becerra and this summary of their survey. If they don't, I may just attach it anyway b/c they sent it to Becerra.**

THANKS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION. WE HAVE A REALLY STRONG COALITION. HOPING TO FILE THE WHOLE PACKAGE MONDAY.

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Friends – attached is the most updated draft of the complaint. The State-specific allegations for plaintiffs and states are still a work in progress, but we have a robust coalition. Several states have sent me some suggested revisions, including minimizing allegations that get into efficacy of vaccines. I agree with that approach. I didn't take it all out but modified some paragraphs and deleted others. I worked on amplifying State standing allegations.

Please provide me with signature blocks and any other recommendations. GA has provided a declaration, which may change a little but is provided for your reference. Also attached a draft Dec we are using with our program directors. If you have a superintendent of a public school system who is a willing declarant, it would be helpful for him/her to speak to blending of funds, need to lean on the state to backfill lost funding, educational opportunities lost and hindered for entering Kindergarten.

If I missed edits you suggested, please resend them to me.

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I think it would help to have some teachers say it takes up important teaching time policing masking, its unhygienic for kids that young b/c they drop them and get their snot all over them and put them in their mouths or trade them, and the increased tension with the child inhibits the relationship with the teacher and child and interferes with learning. **From:** Murrill, Elizabeth **Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 7:59 AM **To:** Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Benjamin Flowers' <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov>; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; cori.mills@alaska.gov; Corrine.Youngs@atg.in.gov; daniel.bell@myfloridalegal.com; Drew Waldbeser <DWaldbeser@LAW.GA.GOV>; Smith, Emory <ESmith@scag.gov>; 'Fisher, Tom' <Tom.Fisher@atg.in.gov>; Galdieri, Anthony <Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov>; henry.whitaker@myfloridalegal.com; Higgins, Kevin A (LAW <kevin.higgins@alaska.gov>; Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; Kane, Brian <brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov>; 'LaCour, Edmund' <Edmund.LaCour@AlabamaAG.gov>; 'Laue, Brant' <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>; 'Lindsay S. 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For greater detail on the challenged rule, we are attaching the opening brief of one of the challengers as well.

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Subject: Re: Amicus Brief Supporting Challenge to NASDAQ Race- and Sex-Based Quotas

Hi all,

Attached is our draft amicus brief in support of the challenges to the SEC/Nasdaq Quota Rule. Please let us know any questions or suggestions that you have. Given the outrageousness of SEC's adoption of explicit race- and sex-based quotas for Nasdaq-listed companies, we are hopeful that we can have a broad coalition here.

For greater detail on the challenged rule, we are attaching the opening brief of one of the challengers as well.

We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 5pm Eastern.**

Sincerely,
Drew

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Thanks for the opportunity to weigh in, Matt. We were generally not familiar with this particular NASDAQ rule-making, apparently approved by the SEC this past summer, for improved racial and gender diversity on the corporate boards of listed companies. It does not appear to be an issue that has generated discussion among state securities regulators which is understandable, given the limited regulation we would have over stocks traded on the Exchanges.

We wouldn't take a position on whether the Commission exceeded its authority in this case.

Stay warm,
Mike

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Mike,
I don't know if you are in the office this week, but I was just checking to see if you are familiar with this issue? And, whether your client has an opinion on the issue. Sorry for the short turn-around on brief.
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The amicus brief would support challenges to SEC approval of a NASDAQ proposed "diversity" requirement. That requirement (discussed in greater detail below) adopts one of the crudest and most odious tool available to the government: race- and sex-based quotas. All companies that fail to satisfy those quotas would be compelled to make statements explaining (i.e., apologizing for) their failure to do so. Challenges to SEC's approval have been consolidated in the Fifth Circuit. One opening brief challenging the rule has already been filed (attached). Another will be filed on December 20, so our amicus brief will be due December 27. Because of the holiday season, we wanted to give everyone a heads up that this brief will be coming. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 2pm Eastern.** Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions or suggestions. Sincerely, Drew **Nasdaq Quota Requirement Overview:** On December 1, 2020, the Nasdaq proposed to adopt a series of rules related to corporate board "diversity." After taking comments, Nasdaq submitted an amended proposal to the SEC in February which had three main components, which apply to every Nasdaq-listed firm (minus some exceptions for small and foreign firms): (1) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who "self-identifies her gender as a woman;" (2) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who self-identifies as "Black or African American, Hispanic or Latinx, Asian, Native American or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, or Two or More Races or Ethnicities" or as "LGBTQ+," which is defined as "lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or as a member of the queer community;" and (3) to provide statistical information on directors' sex, race, and sexual orientation status. *See* Securities and Exchange Commission, Order Approving Proposed Rule Changes, as Modified by Amendments No. 1, 86 Fed. Reg. 44,424 (Aug. 6, 2021). https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/08/12/2021-17179/self-regulatory-organizations-the-nasdaq-stock-market-llc-order-approving-proposed-rule-changes-as. On August 6, 2021, the Securities and Exchange Commission—on a 3-2 party-line vote—approved Nasdaq's proposal without modification, finalizing these requirements as Nasdaq rules. In response to objections that this proposal violated the Constitution, the SEC adopted Nasdaq's argument that the rule was not subject to the Constitution because Nasdaq was not a state actor. https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2021-17179/p-301. On August 10, 2021, the Alliance for Fair Board Recruitment (AFBR) filed a Petition for Review of the SEC's action in the Fifth Circuit. Additional petitioner National Center for Public Policy Research (NCPPR) filed in the Third Circuit, and was transferred to the Fifth Circuit on October 28, 2021.
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Thanks for the opportunity to weigh in, Matt. We were generally not familiar with this particular NASDAQ rule-making, apparently approved by the SEC this past summer, for improved racial and gender diversity on the corporate boards of listed companies. It does not appear to be an issue that has generated discussion among state securities regulators which is understandable, given the limited regulation we would have over stocks traded on the Exchanges.

We wouldn't take a position on whether the Commission exceeded its authority in this case.

Stay warm,
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Subject: Re: Amicus Brief Supporting Challenge to NASDAQ Race- and Sex-Based Quotas

Hi all,

Attached is our draft amicus brief in support of the challenges to the SEC/Nasdaq Quota Rule. Please let us

Body	know any questions or suggestions that you have. Given the outrageousness of SEC's adoption of explicit race- and sex-based quotas for Nasdaq-listed companies, we are hopeful that we can have a broad coalition here. For greater detail on the challenged rule, we are attaching the opening brief of one of the challengers as well. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 5pm Eastern.** Sincerely, Drew **From:** Ensign, Drew **Sent:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021 7:42:49 AM **To:** Benjamin Flowers; Dewhirst, David; Chanay, Jeff; Murrill, Elizabeth; Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Brasington, Charles E (LAW); Judd Stone; Joshua Richardson; Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; Mills, Cori M (LAW); Alloway, Jessie M (LAW); Dizon, Ninia R (LAW); Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; Laue, Brant; Meredith, Chad (KYOAG); Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Campbell, Jim; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; Seibel, Troy; May Mailman; Mansinghani, Mithun; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Smith, Emory; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. 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The amicus brief would support challenges to SEC approval of a NASDAQ proposed "diversity" requirement. That requirement (discussed in greater detail below) adopts one of the crudest and most odious tool available to the government: race- and sex-based quotas. All companies that fail to satisfy those quotas would be compelled to make statements explaining (i.e., apologizing for) their failure to do so. Challenges to SEC's approval have been consolidated in the Fifth Circuit. One opening brief challenging the rule has already been filed (attached). Another will be filed on December 20, so our amicus brief will be due December 27. Because of the holiday season, we wanted to give everyone a heads up that this brief will be coming. We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 2pm Eastern.** Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions or suggestions. 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After taking comments, Nasdaq submitted an amended proposal to the SEC in February which had three main components, which apply to every Nasdaq-listed firm (minus some exceptions for small and foreign firms): (1) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who "self-identifies her gender as a woman;" (2) to have, or explain why it does not have, at least one director who self-identifies as "Black or African American, Hispanic or Latinx, Asian, Native American or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, or Two or More Races or Ethnicities" or as "LGBTQ+," which is defined as "lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or as a member of the queer community;" and (3) to provide statistical information on directors' sex, race, and sexual orientation status. *See* Securities and Exchange Commission, Order Approving Proposed Rule Changes, as Modified by Amendments No. 1, 86 Fed. Reg. 44,424 (Aug. 6, 2021). https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/08/12/2021-17179/self-regulatory-organizations-the-nasdaq-stock-market-llc-order-approving-proposed-rule-changes-as. On August 6, 2021, the Securities and Exchange Commission—on a 3-2 party-line vote—approved Nasdaq's proposal without modification, finalizing these requirements as Nasdaq rules. In response to objections that this proposal violated the Constitution, the SEC adopted Nasdaq's argument that the rule was not subject to the Constitution because Nasdaq was not a state actor. https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2021-17179/p-301. On August 10, 2021, the Alliance for Fair Board Recruitment (AFBR) filed a Petition for Review of the SEC's action in the Fifth Circuit. Additional petitioner National Center for Public Policy Research (NCPPR) filed in the Third Circuit, and was transferred to the Fifth Circuit on October 28, 2021.
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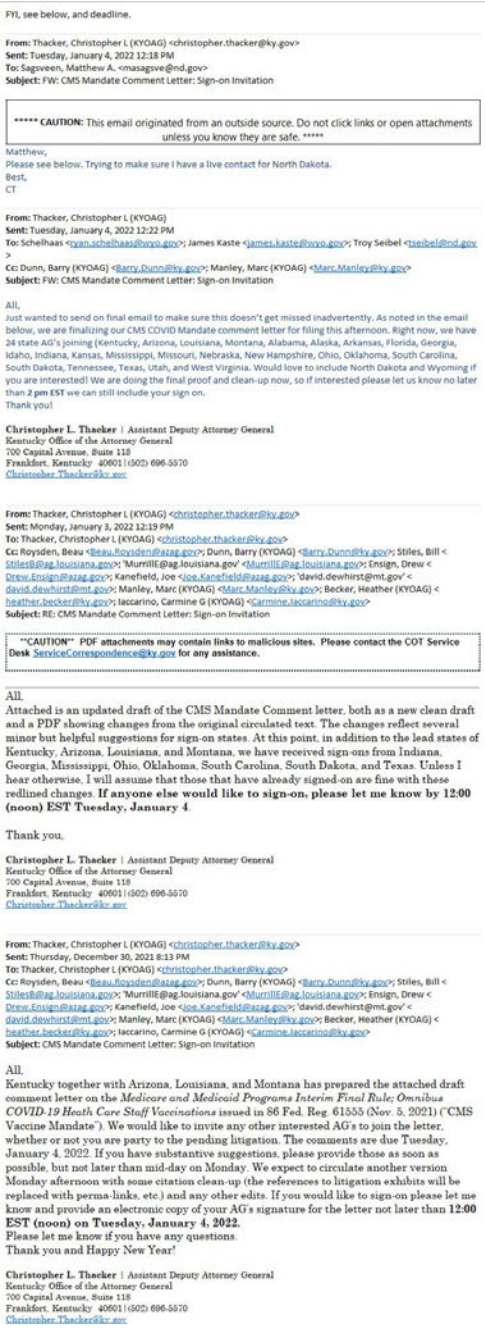
Body	
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A few minutes ago, the Sixth Circuit issued the attached opinion denying the federal government's motion to stay the injunction obtained by Kentucky, Ohio and Tennessee in our federal contractor case. The opinion is attached.

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The district court in Kentucky denied the government's motion to stay the federal contractor PI entered for Kentucky, Ohio, and Tennessee. The order is attached. DOJ then moved the Sixth Circuit to stay the preliminary injunction (also attached). Our response is due today, and DOJ must file a reply by Monday, December 20.

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Regards,
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Congratulations, Drew and team. DOJ filed a motion for stay pending appeal after we received a PI. I've attached the filing. Our response is due tomorrow, and DOJ has the opportunity to reply on Friday.

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Friends,

Judge Baker just issued a nationwide injunction in our federal contractor mandate case. We're still reviewing, but wanted to make you aware. Also, I'm adding Georgia's new SG, Stephen Petrany, to this chain.

Best,
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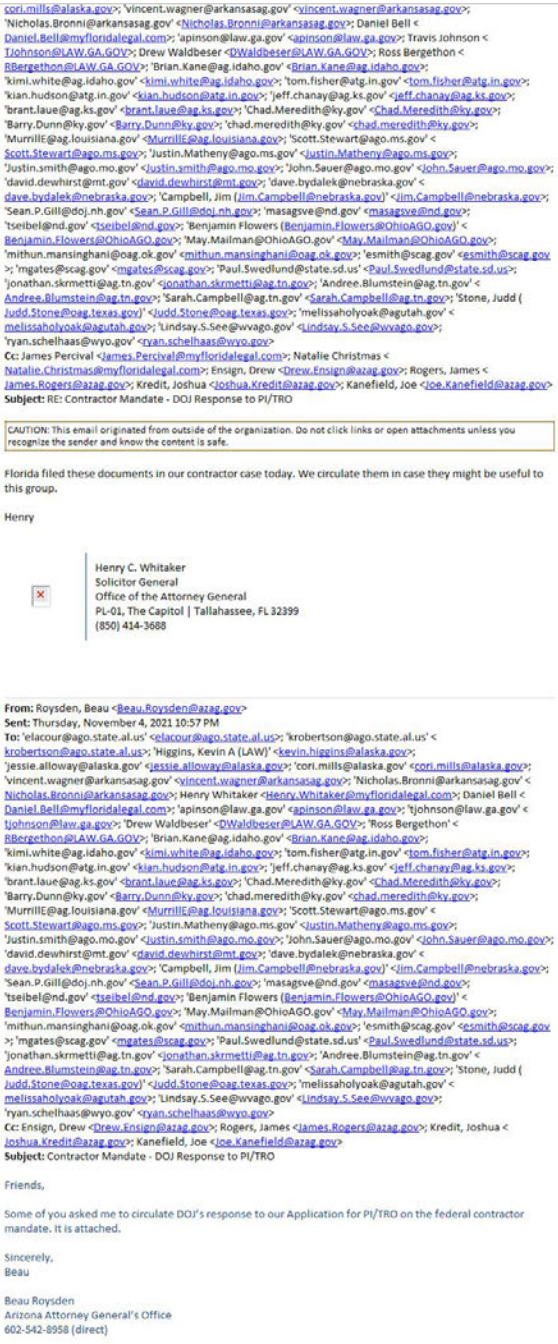
Body	
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A few minutes ago, the Sixth Circuit issued the attached opinion denying the federal government's motion to stay the injunction obtained by Kentucky, Ohio and Tennessee in our federal contractor case. The opinion is attached.

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The district court in Kentucky denied the government's motion to stay the federal contractor PI entered for Kentucky, Ohio, and Tennessee. The order is attached. DOJ then moved the Sixth Circuit to stay the preliminary injunction (also attached). Our response is due today, and DOJ must file a reply by Monday, December 20.

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Hi everyone—

DOJ moved to stay in our case in Arizona as well. The judge denied the motion. Attached is our response brief, in case it might be of use to any of you. Also attached is the minute entry denying the motion, in case you want to file as a Notice of Supplemental Authority to show an example of a stay being denied in a contractor mandate case.

Regards,
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Congratulations, Drew and team. DOJ filed a motion for stay pending appeal after we received a PI. I've attached the filing. Our response is due tomorrow, and DOJ has the opportunity to reply on Friday.

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Friends,

Judge Baker just issued a nationwide injunction in our federal contractor mandate case. We're still reviewing, but wanted to make you aware. Also, I'm adding Georgia's new SG, Stephen Petrany, to this chain.

Best,
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Matt,

Following up to get your thoughts on the below as well as the proposed revisions to S.3200 sent in e-mail dated 12/29/2021. Happy to discuss in a call if convenient.

Also, be advised that the McKenzie County Grazing Association has sent the attached letter to Representative Armstrong requesting that the Little Missouri National Grasslands be completely removed from the current bill. Paragraph 3 calls out the section line rights-of-way issue.

Thank You,

James

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Matt,

I don't believe we have specifically discussed sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3, but I don't see any glaring issues aside from those we have already discussed. Here is my take, please let me know if you disagree with anything - I would be happy to discuss further.

- Article IX, § 6 of the constitution requires further legislative authority to exchange state- owned original grant lands with federal lands (see highlighted language below).
- This legislative authority appears in N.D.C.C. §§ 15-06-19.1, 54-01-12, and 54-01-13:
  - § 15- 06- 19.1 grants the Board legislative authority to exchange "[o]riginal grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands" with federal lands "of like character and value". I interpret this grant of authority to be quite broad and apply to *all* lands under the control of the Board (whether granted in the Enabling act or otherwise acquired thereafter, and wherever located).
  - § 54- 01- 12 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located on Indian reservations within the state with federal lands also located on Indian reservations within the state. The language does not indicate that the lands exchanged must be located the same reservation.
  - § 54- 01- 13 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located within the borders of Fort Berthold reservation with federal lands located *outside* of Fort Berthold reservation.
- S.3200 specifically proposes an exchange of state- owned land located within the Little Missouri National Grassland and within the reservations.
- N.D.C.C. §§ 54- 01- 13.1, 13.2, and 13.3 all appear to apply only to exchanges of land within Theodore Roosevelt National Park. It is my understanding that most (if not all) state- owned land within the Park has already been exchanged.

N.D. Const. art. IX, § 6.
Any of said lands that may be required for townsite purposes, schoolhouse sites, church sites, cemetery sites, sites for other educational or charitable institutions, public parks, airplane landing fields, fairgrounds, public highways, railroad right of way, or other railroad uses and purposes, reservoirs for the storage of water for irrigation, irrigation canals, and ditches, drainage ditches, or for any of the purposes for which private lands may be taken under the right of eminent domain under the constitution and laws of this state, may be sold under the provisions of this article, and shall be paid for in full at the time of sale, or at any time thereafter as herein provided. Any of said lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands, including state coal mineral interests, may, with the approval of said board, be exchanged for lands and coal mineral interests of the United States, the state of North Dakota or any county or municipality thereof as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject, and the state shall reserve all mineral and water power rights in land so transferred, except coal mineral interests approved for exchange by the board of university and school lands under this section.

15-06-19.1. Exchange of lands with the United States

Body	15-00-15.1. Exchange of lands with the United States. Original grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands may be exchanged for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government when it appears that such exchange will be advantageous to the state of North Dakota and will effect an increase in the value of such lands by consolidation or by making lands more accessible. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring the giving of notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of North Dakota of the land for which such lands are exchanged, and the lands so acquired are subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject. **54-01-12. Exchange of lands on Indian reservation between state and federal government.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, may exchange tracts and sections of land on Indian reservations within the state, belonging to the state of North Dakota, and not a part of the original grant of land to the state provided in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government on Indian reservations within this state. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the appropriate department of the federal government and the lands must be appraised in the manner provided by law. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law, without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and it may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of the lands for which such state lands are exchanged. **54-01-13. Exchange of lands on Fort Berthold reservation.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, is hereby authorized and empowered to exchange tracts, sections, and parcels of land located within the diminished borders of Fort Berthold reservation belonging to the state of North Dakota and not a part of the original grant of lands to the state provided for in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government located outside of the diminished borders of said Fort Berthold reservation. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. 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Appraisal.** The lands to be conveyed to the United States of America and also the lands to be taken in exchange therefor, under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1, must be appraised by the county superintendent of schools, the county auditor, and the chairman of the board of county commissioners in the county where the land is situated, at its fair market value, but no state school lands may be appraised and valued at less than ten dollars per acre [.40 hectare]. The county director of tax equalization shall serve as an assistant in making the appraisals. **54-01-13.3. Conveyance.** Conveyances made under section 54-01-13.1 to the United States of America of state school lands must be executed in the same form and manner as now provided by law for the sale and conveyance of state school lands and conveyance by the state of other lands under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1 must be executed on behalf of the state of North Dakota by the governor and attested by the secretary of state. James **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 11:33 AM **To:** Wald, James J. <jawald@nd.gov> **Subject:** Land Transfers James, I forget if we discussed state laws, and I apologize if we did, but did you review sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3? Matt
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Also, be advised that the McKenzie County Grazing Association has sent the attached letter to Representative Armstrong requesting that the Little Missouri National Grasslands be completely removed from the current bill. Paragraph 3 calls out the section line rights-of-way issue.

Thank You,

James

From: Wald, James J.
Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 5:29 PM
To: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Land Transfers

Matt,

I don't believe we have specifically discussed sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3, but I don't see any glaring issues aside from those we have already discussed. Here is my take, please let me know if you disagree with anything - I would be happy to discuss further.

- Article IX, § 6 of the constitution requires further legislative authority to exchange state- owned original grant lands with federal lands (see highlighted language below).
- This legislative authority appears in N.D.C.C. §§ 15-06-19.1, 54-01-12, and 54-01-13:
  - § 15- 06- 19.1 grants the Board legislative authority to exchange "[o]riginal grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands" with federal lands "of like character and value". I interpret this grant of authority to be quite broad and apply to *all* lands under the control of the Board (whether granted in the Enabling act or otherwise acquired thereafter, and wherever located).
  - § 54- 01- 12 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located on Indian reservations within the state with federal lands also located on Indian reservations within the state. The language does not indicate that the lands exchanged must be located the same reservation.
  - § 54- 01- 13 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located within the borders of Fort Berthold reservation with federal lands located *outside* of Fort Berthold reservation.
- S.3200 specifically proposes an exchange of state- owned land located within the Little Missouri National Grassland and within the reservations.
- N.D.C.C. §§ 54- 01- 13.1, 13.2, and 13.3 all appear to apply only to exchanges of land within Theodore Roosevelt National Park. It is my understanding that most (if not all) state- owned land within the Park has already been exchanged.

N.D. Const. art. IX, § 6.
Any of said lands that may be required for townsite purposes, schoolhouse sites, church sites, cemetery sites, sites for other educational or charitable institutions, public parks, airplane landing fields, fairgrounds, public highways, railroad right of way, or other railroad uses and purposes, reservoirs for the storage of water for irrigation, irrigation canals, and ditches, drainage ditches, or for any of the purposes for which private lands may be taken under the right of eminent domain under the constitution and laws of this state, may be sold under the provisions of this article, and shall be paid for in full at the time of sale, or at any time thereafter as herein provided. Any of said lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands, including state coal mineral interests, may, with the approval of said board, be exchanged for lands and coal mineral interests of the United States, the state of North Dakota or any county or municipality thereof as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject, and the state shall reserve all mineral and water power rights in land so transferred, except coal mineral interests approved for exchange by the board of university and school lands under this section.

15-06-19.1. Exchange of lands with the United States

Body	15-06-15.1. Exchange of lands with the United States. Original grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands may be exchanged for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government when it appears that such exchange will be advantageous to the state of North Dakota and will effect an increase in the value of such lands by consolidation or by making lands more accessible. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring the giving of notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of North Dakota of the land for which such lands are exchanged, and the lands so acquired are subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject. **54-01-12. Exchange of lands on Indian reservation between state and federal government.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, may exchange tracts and sections of land on Indian reservations within the state, belonging to the state of North Dakota, and not a part of the original grant of land to the state provided in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government on Indian reservations within this state. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the appropriate department of the federal government and the lands must be appraised in the manner provided by law. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law, without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and it may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of the lands for which such state lands are exchanged. **54-01-13. Exchange of lands on Fort Berthold reservation.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, is hereby authorized and empowered to exchange tracts, sections, and parcels of land located within the diminished borders of Fort Berthold reservation belonging to the state of North Dakota and not a part of the original grant of lands to the state provided for in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government located outside of the diminished borders of said Fort Berthold reservation. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. 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Appraisal.** The lands to be conveyed to the United States of America and also the lands to be taken in exchange therefor, under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1, must be appraised by the county superintendent of schools, the county auditor, and the chairman of the board of county commissioners in the county where the land is situated, at its fair market value, but no state school lands may be appraised and valued at less than ten dollars per acre [.40 hectare]. The county director of tax equalization shall serve as an assistant in making the appraisals. **54-01-13.3. Conveyance.** Conveyances made under section 54-01-13.1 to the United States of America of state school lands must be executed in the same form and manner as now provided by law for the sale and conveyance of state school lands and conveyance by the state of other lands under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1 must be executed on behalf of the state of North Dakota by the governor and attested by the secretary of state. James **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 11:33 AM **To:** Wald, James J. <jawald@nd.gov> **Subject:** Land Transfers James, I forget if we discussed state laws, and I apologize if we did, but did you review sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3? Matt
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Body	I have been in a meeting and missed this. Next week? **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 7, 2022 12:54 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: 1:15 is all I have available **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 7, 2022 11:51 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Do you have time to meet after lunch to discuss the legislation affecting the land board?

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Body	I just received the attached in the mail. I have not heard anything from counsel managing the case. Matt
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	A North Carolina Business Court judge held that the dormant Commerce Clause prohibited states from imposing sales taxes on out-of-state goods delivered by common carrier into the state. Under *Dilworth*, the court concluded, a state sales (as opposed to use) tax "survives scrutiny under the Commerce Clause only where the purchase of tangible personal property—i.e., the transfer of ownership from the seller to buyer—takes place in the taxing state." *Quad Graphics, Inc. v. N.C. Dep't of Revenue*, No. 20 CVS 7449, 2021 WL 2584282, at *11 (N.C. Super. June 23, 2021). North Carolina has appealed this decision to the North Carolina Supreme Court. Notably, many other states have similar destination-based sourcing schemes.
	
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	As we craft and refine the brief, **it would be helpful to know the following by January 7** (if you happen to have responsive information):
	
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	The District of Columbia is preparing an amicus brief supporting respondent-appellant North Carolina in *Quad Graphics, Inc. v. North Carolina Department of Revenue*, No. 407-A-21, in the North Carolina Supreme Court. The relevant question presented is whether the dormant Commerce Clause bars states from asserting and collecting sales taxes on transactions originating from out-of-state and delivered to in-state consumers. We expect the North Carolina AG to argue that *Dilworth* formalism—which allows use taxes, but not sales taxes on such transactions—is no longer good law.
	
	States have a critical interest in protecting their sovereign authority to fairly tax interstate commerce and to preserve the gains they received from the Supreme Court's decision in *South Dakota v. Wayfair*, 138 S. Ct. 2080 (2018). The District's brief will therefore make two related arguments: *First*, the brief will argue that reaffirming Dilworth formalism would be inconsistent with the Supreme Court's decision in *Wayfair* and would reintroduce many of the policy concerns that animated the Court's abrogation of the physical-presence rule. *Second*, the brief will highlight the particular concerns raised by the lower court's decision in states with destination-based sourcing schemes. The District and at least 39 states have tax-sourcing statutes that identify the location of the "sale" as the place where the goods are delivered. Allowing courts to override such statutes and conclude that there is no transactional nexus absent physical purchase within the taxing state would undermine states' sovereign taxing authority and contradict the fundamental principle that "the modes adopted [by the States] to enforce the taxes levied should be interfered with as little as possible." *Dows v. City of Chicago*, 78 U.S. 108, 110 (1871).
	
	As we craft and refine the brief, **it would be helpful to know the following by January 7** (if you happen to have responsive information):
	
	1. Does your state have a destination-based sourcing scheme? If so, a citation to the specific provision of the state tax code would be ideal.
	2. In the wake of *Wayfair*:
	    1. Is your state assessing and collecting sales taxes on out-of-state companies that deliver goods to in-state consumers?
	    2. Has your state faced *Dilworth*-based challenges such as the one at issue here?
	
	Please contact caroline.vanzile@dc.gov and norah.rast@dc.gov with your responses. We will circulate a draft brief on or around **January 14**, in advance of the **January 21 join deadline**. Many thanks in advance for your help.
	
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Body	Did you ever reach out to Nate regarding this conflict issue, or did you want me to? **From:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, October 28, 2021 6:21 AM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation Whether a conflict exists or not, he must run these by us per the terms of his SAAG agreement. Troy T. Seibel Chief Deputy Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 tseibel@nd.gov **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021 2:39 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Job Service Representation FYI, see email below about implied tolerance of potential conflict of interest. How would you like me to respond? **From:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021 2:16 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Cc:** Lawrence King <LKing@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Matt, I reviewed the cases in which I am adverse to a state agency in conjunction with the ethical rules and do not believe there is a conflict. At the time I was appointed as a SAAG to represent the N.D. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, the firm already had existing matters adverse to state agencies. We also have other attorneys in the firm who are appointed as SAAGs. It was our understanding the Attorney General's Office had impliedly authorized our representation against state agencies given these designations with that knowledge. Given your raised concerns, however, please confirm the Office of Attorney General approves of our continued representation of certain state agencies as well as clients who have issues adverse to unrelated state agencies. Please include Lawrence King on any other concerns since he is the firm's managing partner and we have other SAAG designations here. **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 4:15 PM **To:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation So, you have determined that your representation of Job Service is not a conflict of interest, or the appearance of a conflict? Matt **From:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 3:49 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hey Matt – yes, I am absolutely representing the NDSBCE in its disciplinary case against Dr. Schmitz. I also have a case or two representing clients in unrelated Job Service cases. Is that a concern? **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 10:52 AM **To:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** Job Service Representation Nate, I was surprised to see your name on a Job Service pleading. You are still a SAAG and representing the Chiropractic Board, correct? Matt Matthew Sagsveen Solicitor General Director of Civil Litigation, Natural Resources, and Indian Affairs Division North Dakota Office of Attorney General 500 N. 9th Street Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 (701) 328-3640

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Body	Did you ever reach out to Nate regarding this conflict issue, or did you want me to? **From:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, October 28, 2021 6:21 AM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation Whether a conflict exists or not, he must run these by us per the terms of his SAAG agreement. Troy T. Seibel Chief Deputy Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 tseibel@nd.gov **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021 2:39 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Job Service Representation FYI, see email below about implied tolerance of potential conflict of interest. How would you like me to respond? **From:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021 2:16 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Cc:** Lawrence King <LKing@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Matt, I reviewed the cases in which I am adverse to a state agency in conjunction with the ethical rules and do not believe there is a conflict. At the time I was appointed as a SAAG to represent the N.D. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, the firm already had existing matters adverse to state agencies. We also have other attorneys in the firm who are appointed as SAAGs. It was our understanding the Attorney General's Office had impliedly authorized our representation against state agencies given these designations with that knowledge. Given your raised concerns, however, please confirm the Office of Attorney General approves of our continued representation of certain state agencies as well as clients who have issues adverse to unrelated state agencies. Please include Lawrence King on any other concerns since he is the firm's managing partner and we have other SAAG designations here. **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 4:15 PM **To:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation So, you have determined that your representation of Job Service is not a conflict of interest, or the appearance of a conflict? Matt **From:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 3:49 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Job Service Representation ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hey Matt – yes, I am absolutely representing the NDSBCE in its disciplinary case against Dr. Schmitz. I also have a case or two representing clients in unrelated Job Service cases. Is that a concern? **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 10:52 AM **To:** Nathan Svihovec <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** Job Service Representation Nate, I was surprised to see your name on a Job Service pleading. You are still a SAAG and representing the Chiropractic Board, correct? Matt Matthew Sagsveen Solicitor General Director of Civil Litigation, Natural Resources, and Indian Affairs Division North Dakota Office of Attorney General 500 N. 9th Street Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 (701) 328-3640

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Body	Wayne and Troy, I just want to make sure you are aware of this request from supplemental briefing from the Court – see below. It is probably unnecessary for the AG to file an amicus brief regarding this matter, but the issues considered by the court could definitely impact the Attorney General's administration of the open meetings law, and every single governing body's relationship with their attorney. Matt **From:** Hulm, Petra <PHulm@ndcourts.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 27, 2022 11:31 AM **To:** 'gmann@gbg-lawoffice.com' <gmann@gbg-lawoffice.com>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'nsvihovec@zkslaw.com' <nsvihovec@zkslaw.com> **Subject:** Schmitz v. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, Supreme Court No. 20210273, Schmitz v. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** *SUPREME COURT OF NORTH DAKOTA* *OFFICE OF THE CLERK* *600 E Boulevard Avenue* *Bismarck, ND 58505-0530* *(701) 328-2221 (voice) (701) 328-4480 (fax)* *1-800-366-6888 (TTY)* *supclerkofcourt@ndcourts.gov* ***VIA E-MAIL ONLY*** January 27, 2022 Michael J. Geiermann 425 N. Fifth St. P.O. Box 2196 Bismarck, ND 58502-2196 Matthew Arnold Sagsveen Office of the Attorney General 500 N. Ninth St. Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 Nathan J. Svihovec 316 N. Fifth St. P.O. Box 1695 Bismarck ND 58502-1695 RE: Schmitz v. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners Supreme Court No. 20210135 Burleigh Co. No. 2020-CV-01829 Schmitz v. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners Supreme Court No. 20210273 Burleigh Co. No. 2020-CV-01827 The Court directed that supplemental briefs be filed in *Schmitz v. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners*, Supreme Court No. 20210273, which was argued on January 6, 2022. Briefs must be no more than 15 pages, are due February 4, 2022, and are limited to the following issues: 1. Is the definition for "attorney consultation" found in N.D.C.C. § 44-04-19.1(5) ambiguous? If so, what is the meaning and scope of "attorney consultation" in this case? 2. What is meant by the phrase "an adverse fiscal effect" in N.D.C.C. § 44-04-19.1(5)? 3. Does the phrase "which, if held in public, would have an adverse fiscal effect on the entity" modify the entire subsection in N.D.C.C. § 44-04-19.1(5)? Please be advised that these issues will be discussed at the February 8, 2022, oral argument in *Schmitz v. State Board of Chiropractic Examiners*, Supreme Court No. 20210135. Ten additional minutes will be provided to each party. The argument on the supplemental briefs will occur in the first 20 minutes, followed by argument in Supreme Court No. 20210135. Oral argument has been rescheduled to 2:45 on February 8, 2022, to allow for the additional time. Sincerely, /s/ Petra H. Mandigo Hulm Clerk North Dakota Supreme Court *This email and any transmitted files attached are intended solely for the use of the individual or entity to which they are addressed, and may be confidential under the law. If you have received this email in error please notify the originator of the message.*

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Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hello All, Attached are a redline and clean version of the ERISA comments letter with some revisions. Many thanks to Arkansas and Idaho for already joining! Please reach out with any questions/comments. Thanks! Melissa **From:** Melissa Holyoak **Sent:** Wednesday, December 8, 2021 4:58 PM **To:** Bowdre, Barrett <Barrett.Bowdre@AlabamaAG.gov>; cori.mills@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; Beau.Roysden <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov; vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov; henry.whitaker@myfloridalegal.com; daniel.bell@myfloridalegal.com; james.percival@myfloridalegal.com; jeffrey.desousa@myfloridalegal.com; christopher.baum@myfloridalegal.com; Jordan Watson <JWatson@LAW.GA.GOV>; Montgomery, Eric <Eric.Montgomery@ag.ks.gov>; Carswell, Dwight <Dwight.Carswell@ag.ks.gov>; Wiard, Kurtis <Kurtis.Wiard@ag.ks.gov>; Coatney, Denise <Denise.Coatney@ag.ks.gov>; Christopher, Blake R (KYOAG) <blake.christopher@ky.gov>; John Coghlan <John.Coghlan@ago.ms.gov>; Jennifer Lewis <jennifer.lewis@oag.ok.gov>; Maranda Spears <Maranda.Spears@oag.ok.gov>; Judy Mitchell <judy.mitchell@wyo.gov>; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; Tom.Fisher@atg.in.gov; Kian.Hudson@atg.in.gov; julia.payne@atg.in.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; jeff.chanay <jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov>; matt.kuhn@ky.gov; murrillE@ag.louisiana.gov; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; John Coghlan <John.Coghlan@ago.ms.gov>; John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; tseibel@nd.gov; Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; Esmith@scag.gov; Steven.Blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah.Campbell@ag.tn.gov; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Judd.Stone@oag.texas.gov; aaron.reitz@oag.texas.gov; Grant.Dorfman@oag.texas.gov; Lindsay.S.See@wvago.gov; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; james.kaste@wyo.gov; Christopher, Blake R (KYOAG) <blake.christopher@ky.gov>; Youngs, Corrine <Corrine.Youngs@atg.in.gov>; Stephen Petrany <SPetrany@LAW.GA.GOV>; 'Matt Gates' <MGates@scag.gov>; Webster, Brent <Brent.Webster@oag.texas.gov>; 'LaCour Eddie' <elacour@ago.state.al.us>; Thomas Hydrick <ThomasHydrick@scag.gov>; Robert D. Cheren <Robert.D.Cheren@wvago.gov> **Cc:** Virginia Brooks <virginiabrooks@agutah.gov>; Aaron Waite <aaronmwaite@agutah.gov> **Subject:** ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 3 pm ET Hello All, Attached is a draft comments letter in response to a revised DOL rule regarding ERISA plan sponsors' obligations relating to ESG investments. The letter argues that these investments are often misleading and administratively costly and should not be encouraged. The administration also does not provide justification for departure from the current rules that went into effect early 2021. The current rules clarify that only pecuniary factors can be considered when investing. **I apologize for the short turnaround but we need joins by Monday December 13 at 6 pm ET.** Also, please note that we worked with our state Treasurer on this letter. He is circulating to treasurers from other states to see if they would like to add their signatures. We welcome any feedback and if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thanks, Melissa Melissa A. Holyoak Utah Solicitor General Office of Utah Attorney General Sean D. Reyes Work Cell: 385-271-2484 Direct: 801-366-0113 Fax: 801-366-0221 Email: melissaholyoak@agutah.gov Confidentiality Notice: The information contained in this email and the documents attached hereto contain confidential information intended only for the use of the intended recipients. If the reader of the message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copying of the information contained herein is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please immediately notify me by reply email.
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Utah joins. Thanks Drew!

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Subject: Re: Amicus Brief Supporting Challenge to NASDAQ Race- and Sex-Based Quotas

Hi all,

Here is a very slightly updated version of the amicus brief supporting the challenges to SEC's/Nasdaq's explicit race- and sex-based quotas, and last call for sign-ons.

Thanks to everyone that has joined so far. We are currently at 8 states: Arizona, Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, and South Carolina.

We can accept sign-ons until **tomorrow, Monday, December 27 at 5pm EST.** Please also let us know if you have any questions, concerns, or edits.

Sincerely,

Drew

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Subject: Re: Amicus Brief Supporting Challenge to NASDAQ Race- and Sex-Based Quotas

Hi all,

Attached is a slightly updated version of the Fifth Circuit amicus brief for the Nasdaq/SEC Quota Rule challenge. So far Alaska, Arkansas, and Montana have joined.

Basically, the brief makes two points that are probably pretty uncontroversial for this group: (1) explicit race- and sex-based quotas are bad and violate the Constitution and (2) SEC cannot use a highly generalized and circumscribed grant of authority to intrude upon an area traditionally regulated by state law and in service of an agenda of restructuring society in the agency's own social-justice-minded image (while violating the Constitution in the process).

We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 5pm Eastern.** Please let us know if you have any questions or would like to discuss any of this.

Sincerely,
Drew

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Hi all,

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For greater detail on the challenged rule, we are attaching the opening brief of one of the challengers as well.

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BISMARCK, N.D. (DEC. 15, 2021) â€“ Gov. Doug Burgum and Lt. Gov. Brent Sanford today marked the fifth anniversary of being sworn into office, reflecting on a year filled with historic progress on infrastructure, workforce, economic development and other priorities, as well as major challenges including extreme drought conditions and the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

â€œAs always, North Dakotans have responded to this yearâ€™s unprecedented challenges with incredible strength and resiliency,â€ Burgum said. â€œOur administration continues to draw inspiration from the hardworking citizens of our great state as we strive to empower people, improve lives and inspire success.â€

In his January 2021 State of the State Address, Burgum called for bold action to move the state forward. He worked with the state Legislature to deliver a landmark $680 million bonding package to support infrastructure improvements across the state. The package includes flood control, roads, bridges, water projects and an agricultural products development center â€“ all with using Legacy Fund earnings and without raising taxes. The water project funding includes $435.5 million for the Fargo-Moorhead-West Fargo area flood diversion, $74.5 million for Mouse River Flood Control at Minot and a $50 million revolving loan fund for water projects.

As recommended in Burgumâ€™s Accelerate ND proposal, a special session of the Legislature in November also invested hundreds of millions of dollars of federal funding into infrastructure, including a proposed west-to-east natural gas pipeline to support communities and economic growth; workforce development including career centers where high school students can pursue high-demand careers; economic development programs and energy projects; and health care and behavioral health enhancements.

Burgum proposed and signed into law an income tax relief package that will provide an estimated $211 million in relief to approximately half a million North Dakotans in tax years 2021 and 2022. The governor also signed legislation eliminating the state income tax on Social Security income, making North Dakota the 38th state to eliminate the tax. As a result, approximately 20,000 North Dakotans will save an estimated $14.6 million per biennium.

The administration worked closely with stakeholders to usher in several of the largest economic development project announcements in state history, with a focus on diversifying the economy and adding value to the stateâ€™s raw commodities. The projects include ADMâ€™s plans to build a $350 million soybean crush and refinery in Spiritwood, N.D.; plans by Bakken Energy LLC and Mitsubishi Power Americas Inc. to establish a world-class clean hydrogen hub; and Cerilon Inc.â€™s plans to build a $2.8 billion gas-to-liquids complex in Williams County.

Sanford also spearheaded the administrationâ€™s efforts on the sale of Coal Creek Station, the stateâ€™s largest coal-fired power plant, to Rainbow Energy â€“ avoiding a shutdown of the plant, saving jobs and preserving baseload power generation.

Together, these projects will play a major role in North Dakotaâ€™s agriculture, energy and overall economic growth, along with efforts toward the governorâ€™s goal, announced in May, of making North Dakota the first carbon-neutral state by 2030.

Burgum also appointed several members to the governorâ€™s cabinet: Indian Affairs Commission Executive Director Nathan Davis, Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Director Dave Krabbenhoft, Commerce Commissioner James Leiman, Parks and Recreation Director Cody Schulz, Department of Water Resources Director Andrea Travnicek, State Health Officer Dr. Nizar Wehbi, and Game and Fish Department Director Jeb Williams. Stacey Breuer also joined the cabinet as chief people officer.

Historic drought

- The governor declared a statewide drought disaster in early April, marking the second time in five years that North Dakota farmers and ranchers faced widespread extreme drought conditions that threatened crops, livestock herds and livelihoods.
- At the same time, Burgum, who chairs the State Water Commission, and Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring, also a member, announced the reactivation of the Drought Disaster Livestock Water Supply Project Assistance Program through the newly formed Department of Water Resources. So far, over $5.6 million in cost-share assistance has been approved for over 1,400 projects submitted by more than 1,000 unique applicants, with an average approval time of less than three days from application.
- Burgum also signed an executive order waiving hours of service for haulers of livestock, hay and water to help livestock producers battling extreme drought conditions across the state.
- With its partners at the North Dakota Forest Service and North Dakota National Guard, the Department of Emergency Services (DES) coordinated the response to significant wildland fire events, including an April 1 fire that encroached on Medora and prompted evacuations. Army National Guard Black Hawk helicopters supported local and regional firefighting efforts to save Medora by distributing water via 600-gallon water buckets.
- Local, tribal, state and federal agencies responded to two large wildfires from April 30 to May 2. The Roosevelt Creek Fire in the Little Missouri National Grassland, north of Medora, burned more than 4,600 acres, while another fire on the Fort Berthold Reservation, about six miles south of Mandaree, burned an estimated 9,800 acres.
- Total Army National Guard support, including to Mandaree, involved distributing over 108,000 gallons of water and eight Guard members working with the North Dakota Forest Service on the

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- As of Dec. 2, North Dakota had experienced more than 2,400 fires burning over 125,600 acres in 2021.
- As proposed in Accelerate ND, Burgum signed legislation providing funding to convert abandoned oil wells to permanent freshwater supply wells to enhance resiliency against drought conditions in western North Dakota. Itâ€™s estimated the $3.2 million appropriation will support the conversion of up to 16 wells.
- While serving and protecting citizens at home, DES also coordinated and resourced firefighting teams to provide aid to another state. A group of 15 firefighters from the Williston, Williston Rural, Bismarck Rural and Dickinson fire departments spent two weeks supporting Hurricane Ida recovery efforts in September along the Gulf Coast. This was after Burgum approved an Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) request from the state of Louisiana, allowing North Dakotaâ€™s firefighters to assist with fire suppression missions there.

COVID-19 pandemic response

- Since January 2021, more than 900,000 doses of the COVID-19 vaccine have been administered in North Dakota. The percentage of adults in the state with at least one dose is 60.7%, and more than 83% of those over age 65 have started their vaccine series.
- The North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH) State Laboratory processed more than 692,497 tests, and its hotline responded to more than 93,000 citizen calls and 4,100 emails. The NDDoH developed the North Dakota COVID-19 Impact Wall to connect North Dakotans impacted by the disease.
- The NDDoH developed and updated communication channels for citizens, including website dashboards for COVID-19 cases and vaccine distribution, so citizens could quickly access data to make informed decisions about their health. The COVID-19 cases dashboard had more than 2 million page views this year, and the COVID-19 vaccine dashboard had more than 400,000 page views in this time frame.
- The pandemic has the North Dakota National Guard serving its longest domestic response in history â€“ 638 days and nearly 128,000 personnel days as of Monday. Guard members have administered testing, facilitated over 103,000 doses of vaccine, conducted traffic control, partnered with local and tribal health organizations, and transported test samples to the state lab, among other duties.
- The DES has coordinated the obligation of more than $126 million through the Federal Emergency Management Agencyâ€™s Public Assistance Program. The agency assisted eligible local, state, tribal and nonprofit organizations in submitting applications to reimburse costs for medical care, testing and vaccinations, as well as costs required to perform safe opening and operations.
- Job Service North Dakota provided vital economic support to the unemployed by injecting over $1.2 billion into the economy since the start of the pandemic. In a typical year, Job Service will pay between $80 million to $90 million to recipients during times of economic downturns, but payments to unemployed recipients in 2021 alone had already reached $362 million by early December.
- Security and medical team members from the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (DOCR) have cared for more than 950 residents diagnosed with COVID-19 at facilities across the state. Partnering with the NDDoH, DOCR team members offered extensive testing and monoclonal antibody treatments to provide excellent care on-site to prevent serious illness. Very few COVID-positive residents required hospitalization, minimizing the impact on already strained community medical resources.
- The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) helped develop the executive proposal for over $1 billion in federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) investments; managed the distribution of over $25 million in ARPA funding to North Dakota cities; and managed the stateâ€™s reporting requirements for $1.25 billion in federal Coronavirus Relief Funds.
- Recognizing how employers play an essential role in healthy, vibrant communities, Job Service worked with policymakers to ensure that the Unemployment Insurance (UI) Trust Fund remained healthy and that employers were held harmless for UI benefit charges to their employees during 2020. As importantly, the steps taken ensured there were no unemployment tax rate increases for employers in 2021. By utilizing federal Cares Act dollars to strengthen the UI Trust Fund, it positioned the UI program to again hold rates flat in the upcoming 2022 calendar year.

In addition to addressing drought and COVID challenges, the administration continued to make progress on the governorâ€™s five strategic initiatives: Main Street Initiative, Behavioral Health and Addiction, Tribal Engagement, Transforming Education and Reinventing Government.

Main Street Initiative

- The Department of Commerce worked to increase infill and reduce property taxes by updating Renaissance Zones and working across state agencies to successfully stack and align state programs for mixed use and infill.
- North Dakota was one of only six states selected for the second phase of the National Governors Associationâ€™s Workforce Innovation Network, in which states will deploy cross-agency teams to identify and implement strategies that advance digital skill development and more equitable economic participation.
- Commerceâ€™s Workforce Division is implementing systematic changes with $20 million allocated to improve talent attraction efforts. One strategy launched in 2021 involves a national project with RoleCall to address workforce needs by helping to make North Dakota a national leader in talent attraction innovation and action.
- The Main Street ND Summit, held in West Fargo this year, featured a lineup of renowned speakers and community innovators on the topic of smart, efficient infrastructure. Videos of the keynotes, breakout sessions and Main Street Awards can be viewed here.

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The Legislature last spring also created a Challenge Grant for the Parks and Recreation Department to drive investment from the private and public sectors for parks. • Commerce, Job Service and the DOCR worked together on The Last Mile, a collaborative effort to provide instruction on front- and back-end website design to enable DOCR residents to be workforce ready in a highly technical field of coding and website design. • The Department of Water Resourcesâ€™ Cost-Share Program continued to advance critical water supply infrastructure in all areas of the state. For municipal water supply projects, $19.7 million was approved to benefit over 15,000 water users in communities of all sizes. Rural water systems received over $8 million for system expansions and improvements that will benefit over 20,000 water users. • The larger regional water supply systems, including the Western Area Water Supply, Red River Valley Water Supply, Southwest Pipeline Project, and Northwest Area Water Supply were approved for $93.6 million in state funding, and $20.4 million in federal Municipal, Rural and Industrial Water Supply Program funding. Combined, these four regional water supply systems will one day provide water service to 75% of North Dakotaâ€™s population. **Behavioral Health and Addiction** • More than 650 in-person attendees and over 3,000 online viewers participated in the fifth Recovery Reinvented, a daylong event in Bismarck focused on reinventing recovery through eliminating the stigma of addiction. The governor and First Lady Kathryn Burgum shared the results of the statewide North Dakota Addressing Addiction survey, which found stigma has been reduced over the last three years. • The Department of Human Services completed statewide implementation of a behavioral health crisis services response system that includes crisis line, mobile response and walk-in services at its eight human service centers. At the Life Skills and Transition Center in Grafton, the system was expanded with a specialized team who respond to people with developmental and intellectual disabilities in crisis so they can continue to live successfully in their communities. Crisis response services de-escalate situations and prevent law enforcement involvement and unnecessary emergency room visits. • Building on the success of the Free Through Recovery program, Human Services launched the Community Connect program, which provides community-based behavioral health services designed to assist individuals with care coordination, peer support and recovery services. • Human Services also implemented a Medicaid 1915(i) state plan amendment, which allows North Dakota Medicaid to pay for additional in-home and community-based services to support individuals with behavioral health conditions. Services include care coordination, benefits planning, nonmedical transportation, respite, supported education, supported employment, housing and peer support. • The DOCR partnered with Restoring Promise, an initiative of the Vera Institute of Justice, and MILPA, to create a housing unit at the State Penitentiary grounded in dignity for young adults in prison. Restoring Promise helps transform correctional culture through training, presentations, workshops and healing circles â€“ setting a new tone for the entire system. Young adults participate in meaningful daily activities, experience healing, cultivate an ideology of self-determination and restore relationships with family and community. Mentors over the age of 25 support them in their personal growth, and staff undergo intensive training to become agents of change within the system. • The Highway Patrol created a two-member crash assistance program that will provide enhanced services to victims of crashes, including providing information about understanding grief; reducing stress reactions after trauma; tools to process reactions to crisis and trauma; and information to support children as they process grief and trauma. **Tribal Engagement** • The North Dakota National Guard finished signing memorandums of agreement with all five tribal colleges in North Dakota to make the State Tuition Assistance program available to qualified student service members attending college. • Burgum signed legislation providing a framework for the state and the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara (MHA) Nation to share tax revenue from oil wells that straddle the boundary of the Fort Berthold Reservation, settling an unresolved issue from the stateâ€™s historic 2019 tax agreement with the MHA Nation. • The North Dakota Highway Patrol entered an agreement with the MHA Nation to enhance emergency response on the Fort Berthold Reservation. The agreement, signed by Burgum and MHA Chairman Mark Fox, allows the closest available peace officer to respond to an emergency call for service until the agency with primary jurisdiction arrives and assumes the lead. The agreement to allow mutual aid across reservation boundaries was made possible by legislation signed in 2019 and 2021. • Burgum also signed legislation to allow NDIT to enter into agreements with tribes and other government entities to assist with cybersecurity incident response, and to allow NDDOT to enter into agreements with tribal governments to assist with federally funded safety improvement projects on tribal-owned highways, streets, roads and bridges. • The Highway Patrol created and implemented a five-member criminal interdiction team that

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Creating personalized graduation pathways to complement the traditional credit-hour K-12 education system was the No. 1 recommendation from the Governorâ€™s Innovative Education Task Force created through executive order in 2017. • Burgum proposed and ultimately signed legislation providing $38 million to Bismarck State College to create the stateâ€™s first polytechnic institution. This new approach to higher education will equip students with the skills needed to fill in-demand careers throughout the state. • The North Dakota Information Technology (NDIT) Cybersecurity Team enhanced IT security services for the K-12 education community as part of the IT Shared Services/Unification initiative. This increased cybersecurity posture for the K-12 community sets the stage for better response planning and defense, and better security around school and student data. NDIT also expanded Extended Detection Response in schools, added protection to 10,000 Chromebooks, and provided Security User Awareness training to over 2,500 users. • NDIT also enabled a 24-hour service desk supported by live agents for all state agencies and school districts. In the past year, NDIT has processed an average of 12,000 incidents per month. By offering around-the-clock support, NDIT is better equipped to handle support queries more quickly while improving customer service and creating long-lasting relationships. **Reinventing Government** • The North Dakota Department of Transportation (NDDOT) increased driverâ€™s license and motor vehicle kiosks to 52 locations across North Dakota. Citizens are now able to print their motor vehicle tabs, renew or request a replacement license or ID card, schedule a road test, pay a reinstatement fee, change their address and edit donor registry information without visiting an office. The department also increased online appointments and reduced customer wait times for driverâ€™s license and motor vehicle services from nearly 30 minutes to less than 10 minutes. • The NDDOT also launched driverâ€™s license online knowledge tests, allowing North Dakotans an easy and convenient way to get their learnerâ€™s permit 24/7 from anywhere with internet access. • The Highway Patrolâ€™s unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) program became fully active in 2021 following several months of planning and officer training. The UAS program will provide enhanced crash reconstruction services and allow officers to assess dangerous incidents from a safe distance, such as fire hot spots, unknown package identification or quickly locating missing or dangerous individuals in rough terrain. • The DES completed a new streamlined system to provide a one-stop shop for energy industry producers, transporters and developers, as well as the public, to report hazardous material spills and releases instead of reporting spills to multiple state agencies. The reporting system, available at www.spill.nd.gov or by calling 1-833-99SPILL (1-833-997-7455), was supported by the Department of Environmental Quality, Department of Agriculture and the Industrial Commissionâ€™s Oil and Gas Division. • Wildfire response by the DES led to some dramatic improvements leveraging technology. One of those innovations was a GPS-configured wildland fire dashboard that provided leaders, planners and firefighters with better situational awareness. It was the first time data could be compiled through reports from local emergency managers and 9-1-1 calls, as well as historical data from the Integrated Reporting of Wildland-Fire Information (IRWIN) system used by fire departments. • The DES also initiated a program to augment the stateâ€™s firefighting capabilities and resources by creating a wildland task force for the state. The task force concept was adopted to allow local fire departments the ability to respond outside their jurisdictions, if needed. Departments that volunteer will coordinate directly with the Forest Service to preposition personnel and equipment for potential state wildfire suppression missions. • The North Dakota Game and Fish Department became the first state in the nation to allow electronic posting of private land with the passage of Senate Bill 2144. The bill gives landowners and hunters alike a convenient option for posting private land and checking its status for hunting, while also leaving the traditional physical posting process in place for those who wish to continue using it. • The Department of Human Services implemented the Safety Framework Practice model, which redesigned in-home child and family support services and foster care services to increase the number of children remaining safely in their homes. • Human Services also launched statewide centralized intake for child abuse and neglect reporting in January 2021. Overall, the number of children living in foster care has decreased in 2021. Efforts are underway to continue shifting resources to in-home services to support children and their families together. • The pandemicâ€™s challenges provided an opportunity for Job Service to reinvent how it ensures benefits are getting to those who need it and not to identity thieves and criminal enterprises. By implementing an industry-leading ID proofing/verification service and by expanding utilization of fraud detection data analytics, Job Service prevented over 8,000 fraudulent claims, which could have resulted in over $150 million in fraudulent payments. • The North Dakota Healthcare Directive Registry development by NDIT was completed and is available at https://apps.nd.gov/itd/nin/hdir/login. This system allows citizens to store, maintain and retrieve important health care documents, such as advance directive documents that are key when determining proper patient care. Users can share documents with providers and family as

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- Workforce Safety & Insurance (WSI) successfully deployed upgrades to its myWSI and CAPS systems, providing better customer experience for internal and external customers through automation of manual tasks and online accessibility.

- The Department of Water Resources expanded the utility and functionality of PRESENS (Pushing REmote SENSors), a real-time water level monitoring program. The program now has a much broader range of data collection opportunities to include soil moisture, soil temperature and precipitation measurements. This real-time data will assist with water management into the future and will be used for modeling efforts and analysis. The department deployed more than 220 PRESENS units at peak operation, and aims to grow that number to around 1,000 units in the coming years.

- The Securities Department completed two significant technology projects designed to improve efficiency and the service experience for constituents. A new case management system facilitates the timely, effective and impactful execution of examinations and investigations to support the departmentâ€™s mission of protecting investors. And the new ND Securities Filing Portal delivers a fully electronic filing experience for issuers of securities and other filers, while completing the departmentâ€™s conversion to electronic systems for all securities and investment industry filings, which totaled approximately 148,000 in the last fiscal year.

- Five state agencies â€" the NDDOT, Department of Water Resources, Department of Environmental Quality, Public Finance Authority and Bank of North Dakota â€" collaborated to create Funding for Infrastructure in North Dakota (FIND), a central hub for local governments to apply for infrastructure funding. With five different infrastructure funding programs in the state, knowing which fund to apply for and completing multiple applications was a strain for city and county staff, but FIND provides a one-stop shop for applications. The site was gradually rolled out starting in June and has already received 13 applications.

Citizen-focused agencies make progress

In addition, state agencies worked hard to deliver core services and improve outcomes in many areas:

- Human Services launched a new early childhood division to focus resources on school readiness; strong, stable families; and quality early childhood experiences. To date, the division has awarded federal grant dollars to 713 North Dakota child care programs for financial stabilization.

- Human Services worked with housing partners to implement the new, more comprehensive ND Rent Help program to support housing stability and financial stability and promote strong, stable families. In 2021, 3,295 renter households received emergency rent or utility assistance from ND Rent Help, and 1,095 unique housing providers and utility providers received direct payments from the program. Total assistance disbursed through Nov. 30, 2021, was $13,428,408.

- Human Services improved access to in-home and community-based long-term support services so that older adults and adults with physical disabilities who qualify for skilled nursing care can live at home if they choose. North Dakotans can easily apply online or by phone through the Aging and Disability Resource LINK (ADRL) to get connected to in-home services.

- Human Service provided all Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) households with the maximum benefit amount for households their size. During 2021, approximately 17,800 North Dakota households benefited each month during the COVID-19 public health emergency.

- During the 67th Legislative Assembly, Burgum signed a bill to redesign the way nursing homes are paid by North Dakota Medicaid. Under this new payment system, nursing homes will be incentivized to provide cost-effective care and to renovate rather than build facilities. The new payment system will reduce overall expenses in the future, making it advantageous to taxpayers as well.

- In January 2021, Human Services assumed administration and operation of resettlement support services from contracted vendor Lutheran Social Services of North Dakota. Services help individuals adjust to life in North Dakota and become self-sufficient. The goal is to see New Americans accepted, integrated and supported as they add value to North Dakota and enrich the culture of their new communities. In 2021, 35 refugees resettled in North Dakota.

- The statewide cancer registry maintained by the NDDoH was recognized by the CDC as a â€œRegistry of Excellence.â€ For the period December 2020 through November 2021, Womenâ€™s Way screened 284 people for breast and/or cervical cancer. The program provides these important services to more than 70 women per month.

- The Women, Infants & Children (WIC) Program provided healthy food and support to more than 15,000 North Dakotans. The oral health program distributed 47,000 toothbrushes to 188 schools; 14 workplaces were designated as infant friendly, benefiting 3,821 employees; and the child passenger safety program launched new interactive maps and certified 67 technicians.

- The NDDoH distributed 1,560 state-of-the-art automated external defibrillators (AEDs) to law enforcement via a partnership with the Helmsley Charitable Trust. One of these AEDs was successfully deployed in August 2021 in Grand Forks and helped save a life.

- OMB launched Team ND Connect, a statewide intranet available to all state team members, and delivered Leadership Everywhere training to over 1,500 Team ND members. The agency also led a statewide change management initiative, launched a new website on the statewide platform and centralized certain printing and procurement services.

- Parks and Recreation began offering a new option for North Dakota State park annual permit holders. The family permit, authorized by the 67th Legislative Assembly, allows members of the same household to buy two annual permits at a discounted price of $55.

- The NDDOT finalized the long-range transportation plan, â€œTransportation Connection.â€ The 25-year plan helps identify future transportation needs in the state.

- The NDDOT and Parks and Recreation partnered to replace and install various signs to promote recreational opportunities across the state. The project is designed to increase visibility of state parks and help guide visitors to parks and recreational areas.

- Parks and Recreation also partnered with the State Historical Society to offer the North Dakota

Body	Passport. The goal is to help residents and out-of-state travelers make the most of their visits to recreational and historical sites throughout the state. The passport is an all-in-one guide to adventure as users collect stamps at 37 featured destinations, varying from state parks and recreation areas to state historic sites and museums. • North Dakotaâ€™s regulatory framework for geologic sequestration of carbon dioxide led the nation as the state Industrial Commission in October approved the first Class VI carbon capture and storage project under state primacy in North Dakota and in the United States. North Dakota was the first state to receive primacy of Class VI wells from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in 2018, followed only by Wyoming in 2020. • An exhibit featuring Dakota, a mummified hadrosaur, opened at the North Dakota Heritage Center with over 600 families and friends of paleontology at the grand opening in October. The new interactive exhibit includes a 3D print of Dakotaâ€™s mummified dinosaur skin and a large mural depicting what Dakota looked like when she roamed North Dakota. • Bank of North Dakota transferred the servicing of most of its residential loan portfolio to the North Dakota Housing Finance Agency, taking advantage of an opportunity to consolidate residential lending, streamline service to consumers and increase efficiency in state government. On April 1, BND discontinued its residential lending program by the end of the year. BNDâ€™s residential portfolio was just over $535 million on Dec. 31, 2020, compared to NDHFAâ€™s portfolio of $1.4 billion. • Game and Fish unveiled the Meadowlark Initiative, a statewide strategy that teams landowners, conservation groups, biologists and others to enhance, restore and sustain native grasslands in North Dakota. • The Heart River Correctional Center (HRCC) opened its doors to minimum custody women on June 15 in Mandan, the result of a team approach to ensure the facility was prepared for adult women. HRCC focuses on providing person-centered rehabilitative and recovery services in a safe, consistent and structured environment of support where women can develop lifelong skills and experience long-term success. • Burgum signed bipartisan legislation aimed at increasing access to services and improving outcomes for youth involved in the juvenile justice system. It was the first major overhaul of state law covering juvenile justice issues since 1969. • The North Dakota Department of Labor and Human Rights entered a space-sharing agreement with the Gaming Division of the Attorney Generalâ€™s Office to utilize office space and tax dollars effectively while continuing to work on a rotating remote basis and in a completely paperless system. • In just the past six months, the NDIT Cybersecurity Team has defended against 187 million threats that were prevented or detected; over 72 million vulnerability attacks that were blocked; and more than 7 million spam and phishing messages. • The Department of Financial Institutions (DFI) spent considerable efforts modernizing outdated laws affecting banks and credit unions and oversaw a 17% increase in financial service providers doing business in North Dakota, now licensing 8,300 entities. Banks and credit unions under DFIâ€™s supervision grew their assets by 18% to a total of $43 billion. • WSI reported that workplace injury rates have been reduced by 30% over the last decade, with a rate of 4.6 claims filed per 100 covered workers in 2021. The agency issued nearly $26 million in safety premium discounts to employers for successful participation in safety programs in fiscal year 2021. • North Dakota maintains one of the nation's highest drinking water compliance rates, with 99% of public water systems meeting all health-based standards overseen by the Department of Environmental Quality. The state also ranked No. 3 in cleanest air and water in US News and World Reportâ€™s Best States for Air and Water Quality. • The Happy Hooligans of the North Dakota Air National Guardâ€™s 119th Wing accepted the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award (AFOUA) for the 22nd time on March 6 and is among the most decorated Air National Guard wings in the nation. Burgum will deliver his 2022 State of the State Address at 10 a.m. Jan. 19 in Festival Concert Hall at the Reineke Fine Arts Center at North Dakota State University in Fargo. The address will be livestreamed from the Governorâ€™s Office website at www.governor.nd.gov. Census 2020 results released in April showed North Dakotaâ€™s population at a record high of 779,094, with a 15.8% growth rate that was the fourth-highest among states from 2010 to 2020. â€œWorking together, we are overcoming the challenges facing our state and emerging stronger than ever before,â€ Burgum said. â€“ # # # â€“ CONTACT: Mike Nowatzki mnowatzki@nd.gov 701.328.2424 Mike Kennedy mikekennedy@nd.gov 701.328.2937 600 E Boulevard Ave. Bismarck ND 58505-0001 PHONE 701.328.2200
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Five years after taking office, Burgum, Sanford reflect on stateâ€™s historic progress and challenges during 2021

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BISMARCK, N.D. (DEC. 15, 2021) â€“ Gov. Doug Burgum and Lt. Gov. Brent Sanford today marked the fifth anniversary of being sworn into office, reflecting on a year filled with historic progress on infrastructure, workforce, economic development and other priorities, as well as major challenges including extreme drought conditions and the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

â€œAs always, North Dakotans have responded to this yearâ€™s unprecedented challenges with incredible strength and resiliency,â€ Burgum said. â€œOur administration continues to draw inspiration from the hardworking citizens of our great state as we strive to empower people, improve lives and inspire success.â€

In his January 2021 State of the State Address, Burgum called for bold action to move the state forward. He worked with the state Legislature to deliver a landmark $680 million bonding package to support infrastructure improvements across the state. The package includes flood control, roads, bridges, water projects and an agricultural products development center â€“ all with using Legacy Fund earnings and without raising taxes. The water project funding includes $435.5 million for the Fargo-Moorhead-West Fargo area flood diversion, $74.5 million for Mouse River Flood Control at Minot and a $50 million revolving loan fund for water projects.

As recommended in Burgumâ€™s Accelerate ND proposal, a special session of the Legislature in November also invested hundreds of millions of dollars of federal funding into infrastructure, including a proposed west-to-east natural gas pipeline to support communities and economic growth; workforce development including career centers where high school students can pursue high-demand careers; economic development programs and energy projects; and health care and behavioral health enhancements.

Burgum proposed and signed into law an income tax relief package that will provide an estimated $211 million in relief to approximately half a million North Dakotans in tax years 2021 and 2022. The governor also signed legislation eliminating the state income tax on Social Security income, making North Dakota the 38th state to eliminate the tax. As a result, approximately 20,000 North Dakotans will save an estimated $14.6 million per biennium.

The administration worked closely with stakeholders to usher in several of the largest economic development project announcements in state history, with a focus on diversifying the economy and adding value to the stateâ€™s raw commodities. The projects include ADMâ€™s plans to build a $350 million soybean crush and refinery in Spiritwood, N.D.; plans by Bakken Energy LLC and Mitsubishi Power Americas Inc. to establish a world-class clean hydrogen hub; and Cerilon Inc.â€™s plans to build a $2.8 billion gas-to-liquids complex in Williams County.

Sanford also spearheaded the administrationâ€™s efforts on the sale of Coal Creek Station, the stateâ€™s largest coal-fired power plant, to Rainbow Energy â€“ avoiding a shutdown of the plant, saving jobs and preserving baseload power generation.

Together, these projects will play a major role in North Dakotaâ€™s agriculture, energy and overall economic growth, along with efforts toward the governorâ€™s goal, announced in May, of making North Dakota the first carbon-neutral state by 2030.

Burgum also appointed several members to the governorâ€™s cabinet: Indian Affairs Commission Executive Director Nathan Davis, Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Director Dave Krabbenhoft, Commerce Commissioner James Leiman, Parks and Recreation Director Cody Schulz, Department of Water Resources Director Andrea Travnicek, State Health Officer Dr. Nizar Wehbi, and Game and Fish Department Director Jeb Williams. Stacey Breuer also joined the cabinet as chief people officer.

Historic drought

- The governor declared a statewide drought disaster in early April, marking the second time in five years that North Dakota farmers and ranchers faced widespread extreme drought conditions that threatened crops, livestock herds and livelihoods.
- At the same time, Burgum, who chairs the State Water Commission, and Agriculture Commissioner Doug Goehring, also a member, announced the reactivation of the Drought Disaster Livestock Water Supply Project Assistance Program through the newly formed Department of Water Resources. So far, over $5.6 million in cost-share assistance has been approved for over 1,400 projects submitted by more than 1,000 unique applicants, with an average approval time of less than three days from application.
- Burgum also signed an executive order waiving hours of service for haulers of livestock, hay and water to help livestock producers battling extreme drought conditions across the state.
- With its partners at the North Dakota Forest Service and North Dakota National Guard, the Department of Emergency Services (DES) coordinated the response to significant wildland fire events, including an April 1 fire that encroached on Medora and prompted evacuations. Army National Guard Black Hawk helicopters supported local and regional firefighting efforts to save Medora by distributing water via 600-gallon water buckets.
- Local, tribal, state and federal agencies responded to two large wildfires from April 30 to May 2. The Roosevelt Creek Fire in the Little Missouri National Grassland, north of Medora, burned more than 4,600 acres, while another fire on the Fort Berthold Reservation, about six miles south of Mandaree, burned an estimated 9,800 acres.
- Total Army National Guard support, including to Mandaree, involved distributing over 108,000 gallons of water and eight Guard members working with the North Dakota Forest Service on the

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- As of Dec. 2, North Dakota had experienced more than 2,400 fires burning over 125,600 acres in 2021.
- As proposed in Accelerate ND, Burgum signed legislation providing funding to convert abandoned oil wells to permanent freshwater supply wells to enhance resiliency against drought conditions in western North Dakota. Itâ€™s estimated the $3.2 million appropriation will support the conversion of up to 16 wells.
- While serving and protecting citizens at home, DES also coordinated and resourced firefighting teams to provide aid to another state. A group of 15 firefighters from the Williston, Williston Rural, Bismarck Rural and Dickinson fire departments spent two weeks supporting Hurricane Ida recovery efforts in September along the Gulf Coast. This was after Burgum approved an Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) request from the state of Louisiana, allowing North Dakotaâ€™s firefighters to assist with fire suppression missions there.

COVID-19 pandemic response

- Since January 2021, more than 900,000 doses of the COVID-19 vaccine have been administered in North Dakota. The percentage of adults in the state with at least one dose is 60.7%, and more than 83% of those over age 65 have started their vaccine series.
- The North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH) State Laboratory processed more than 692,497 tests, and its hotline responded to more than 93,000 citizen calls and 4,100 emails. The NDDoH developed the North Dakota COVID-19 Impact Wall to connect North Dakotans impacted by the disease.
- The NDDoH developed and updated communication channels for citizens, including website dashboards for COVID-19 cases and vaccine distribution, so citizens could quickly access data to make informed decisions about their health. The COVID-19 cases dashboard had more than 2 million page views this year, and the COVID-19 vaccine dashboard had more than 400,000 page views in this time frame.
- The pandemic has the North Dakota National Guard serving its longest domestic response in history â€“ 638 days and nearly 128,000 personnel days as of Monday. Guard members have administered testing, facilitated over 103,000 doses of vaccine, conducted traffic control, partnered with local and tribal health organizations, and transported test samples to the state lab, among other duties.
- The DES has coordinated the obligation of more than $126 million through the Federal Emergency Management Agencyâ€™s Public Assistance Program. The agency assisted eligible local, state, tribal and nonprofit organizations in submitting applications to reimburse costs for medical care, testing and vaccinations, as well as costs required to perform safe opening and operations.
- Job Service North Dakota provided vital economic support to the unemployed by injecting over $1.2 billion into the economy since the start of the pandemic. In a typical year, Job Service will pay between $80 million to $90 million to recipients during times of economic downturns, but payments to unemployed recipients in 2021 alone had already reached $362 million by early December.
- Security and medical team members from the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (DOCR) have cared for more than 950 residents diagnosed with COVID-19 at facilities across the state. Partnering with the NDDoH, DOCR team members offered extensive testing and monoclonal antibody treatments to provide excellent care on-site to prevent serious illness. Very few COVID-positive residents required hospitalization, minimizing the impact on already strained community medical resources.
- The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) helped develop the executive proposal for over $1 billion in federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) investments; managed the distribution of over $25 million in ARPA funding to North Dakota cities; and managed the stateâ€™s reporting requirements for $1.25 billion in federal Coronavirus Relief Funds.
- Recognizing how employers play an essential role in healthy, vibrant communities, Job Service worked with policymakers to ensure that the Unemployment Insurance (UI) Trust Fund remained healthy and that employers were held harmless for UI benefit charges to their employees during 2020. As importantly, the steps taken ensured there were no unemployment tax rate increases for employers in 2021. By utilizing federal Cares Act dollars to strengthen the UI Trust Fund, it positioned the UI program to again hold rates flat in the upcoming 2022 calendar year.

In addition to addressing drought and COVID challenges, the administration continued to make progress on the governorâ€™s five strategic initiatives: Main Street Initiative, Behavioral Health and Addiction, Tribal Engagement, Transforming Education and Reinventing Government.

Main Street Initiative

- The Department of Commerce worked to increase infill and reduce property taxes by updating Renaissance Zones and working across state agencies to successfully stack and align state programs for mixed use and infill.
- North Dakota was one of only six states selected for the second phase of the National Governors Associationâ€™s Workforce Innovation Network, in which states will deploy cross-agency teams to identify and implement strategies that advance digital skill development and more equitable economic participation.
- Commerceâ€™s Workforce Division is implementing systematic changes with $20 million allocated to improve talent attraction efforts. One strategy launched in 2021 involves a national project with RoleCall to address workforce needs by helping to make North Dakota a national leader in talent attraction innovation and action.
- The Main Street ND Summit, held in West Fargo this year, featured a lineup of renowned speakers and community innovators on the topic of smart, efficient infrastructure. Videos of the keynotes, breakout sessions and Main Street Awards can be viewed here.

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The Legislature last spring also created a Challenge Grant for the Parks and Recreation Department to drive investment from the private and public sectors for parks. • Commerce, Job Service and the DOCR worked together on The Last Mile, a collaborative effort to provide instruction on front- and back-end website design to enable DOCR residents to be workforce ready in a highly technical field of coding and website design. • The Department of Water Resourcesâ€™ Cost-Share Program continued to advance critical water supply infrastructure in all areas of the state. For municipal water supply projects, $19.7 million was approved to benefit over 15,000 water users in communities of all sizes. Rural water systems received over $8 million for system expansions and improvements that will benefit over 20,000 water users. • The larger regional water supply systems, including the Western Area Water Supply, Red River Valley Water Supply, Southwest Pipeline Project, and Northwest Area Water Supply were approved for $93.6 million in state funding, and $20.4 million in federal Municipal, Rural and Industrial Water Supply Program funding. Combined, these four regional water supply systems will one day provide water service to 75% of North Dakotaâ€™s population. **Behavioral Health and Addiction** • More than 650 in-person attendees and over 3,000 online viewers participated in the fifth Recovery Reinvented, a daylong event in Bismarck focused on reinventing recovery through eliminating the stigma of addiction. The governor and First Lady Kathryn Burgum shared the results of the statewide North Dakota Addressing Addiction survey, which found stigma has been reduced over the last three years. • The Department of Human Services completed statewide implementation of a behavioral health crisis services response system that includes crisis line, mobile response and walk-in services at its eight human service centers. At the Life Skills and Transition Center in Grafton, the system was expanded with a specialized team who respond to people with developmental and intellectual disabilities in crisis so they can continue to live successfully in their communities. Crisis response services de-escalate situations and prevent law enforcement involvement and unnecessary emergency room visits. • Building on the success of the Free Through Recovery program, Human Services launched the Community Connect program, which provides community-based behavioral health services designed to assist individuals with care coordination, peer support and recovery services. • Human Services also implemented a Medicaid 1915(i) state plan amendment, which allows North Dakota Medicaid to pay for additional in-home and community-based services to support individuals with behavioral health conditions. Services include care coordination, benefits planning, nonmedical transportation, respite, supported education, supported employment, housing and peer support. • The DOCR partnered with Restoring Promise, an initiative of the Vera Institute of Justice, and MILPA, to create a housing unit at the State Penitentiary grounded in dignity for young adults in prison. Restoring Promise helps transform correctional culture through training, presentations, workshops and healing circles â€“ setting a new tone for the entire system. Young adults participate in meaningful daily activities, experience healing, cultivate an ideology of self-determination and restore relationships with family and community. Mentors over the age of 25 support them in their personal growth, and staff undergo intensive training to become agents of change within the system. • The Highway Patrol created a two-member crash assistance program that will provide enhanced services to victims of crashes, including providing information about understanding grief; reducing stress reactions after trauma; tools to process reactions to crisis and trauma; and information to support children as they process grief and trauma. **Tribal Engagement** • The North Dakota National Guard finished signing memorandums of agreement with all five tribal colleges in North Dakota to make the State Tuition Assistance program available to qualified student service members attending college. • Burgum signed legislation providing a framework for the state and the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara (MHA) Nation to share tax revenue from oil wells that straddle the boundary of the Fort Berthold Reservation, settling an unresolved issue from the stateâ€™s historic 2019 tax agreement with the MHA Nation. • The North Dakota Highway Patrol entered an agreement with the MHA Nation to enhance emergency response on the Fort Berthold Reservation. The agreement, signed by Burgum and MHA Chairman Mark Fox, allows the closest available peace officer to respond to an emergency call for service until the agency with primary jurisdiction arrives and assumes the lead. The agreement to allow mutual aid across reservation boundaries was made possible by legislation signed in 2019 and 2021. • Burgum also signed legislation to allow NDIT to enter into agreements with tribes and other government entities to assist with cybersecurity incident response, and to allow NDDOT to enter into agreements with tribal governments to assist with federally funded safety improvement projects on tribal-owned highways, streets, roads and bridges. • The Highway Patrol created and implemented a five-member criminal interdiction team that

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Creating personalized graduation pathways to complement the traditional credit-hour K-12 education system was the No. 1 recommendation from the Governorâ€™s Innovative Education Task Force created through executive order in 2017. • Burgum proposed and ultimately signed legislation providing $38 million to Bismarck State College to create the stateâ€™s first polytechnic institution. This new approach to higher education will equip students with the skills needed to fill in-demand careers throughout the state. • The North Dakota Information Technology (NDIT) Cybersecurity Team enhanced IT security services for the K-12 education community as part of the IT Shared Services/Unification initiative. This increased cybersecurity posture for the K-12 community sets the stage for better response planning and defense, and better security around school and student data. NDIT also expanded Extended Detection Response in schools, added protection to 10,000 Chromebooks, and provided Security User Awareness training to over 2,500 users. • NDIT also enabled a 24-hour service desk supported by live agents for all state agencies and school districts. In the past year, NDIT has processed an average of 12,000 incidents per month. By offering around-the-clock support, NDIT is better equipped to handle support queries more quickly while improving customer service and creating long-lasting relationships. **Reinventing Government** • The North Dakota Department of Transportation (NDDOT) increased driverâ€™s license and motor vehicle kiosks to 52 locations across North Dakota. Citizens are now able to print their motor vehicle tabs, renew or request a replacement license or ID card, schedule a road test, pay a reinstatement fee, change their address and edit donor registry information without visiting an office. The department also increased online appointments and reduced customer wait times for driverâ€™s license and motor vehicle services from nearly 30 minutes to less than 10 minutes. • The NDDOT also launched driverâ€™s license online knowledge tests, allowing North Dakotans an easy and convenient way to get their learnerâ€™s permit 24/7 from anywhere with internet access. • The Highway Patrolâ€™s unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) program became fully active in 2021 following several months of planning and officer training. The UAS program will provide enhanced crash reconstruction services and allow officers to assess dangerous incidents from a safe distance, such as fire hot spots, unknown package identification or quickly locating missing or dangerous individuals in rough terrain. • The DES completed a new streamlined system to provide a one-stop shop for energy industry producers, transporters and developers, as well as the public, to report hazardous material spills and releases instead of reporting spills to multiple state agencies. The reporting system, available at www.spill.nd.gov or by calling 1-833-99SPILL (1-833-997-7455), was supported by the Department of Environmental Quality, Department of Agriculture and the Industrial Commissionâ€™s Oil and Gas Division. • Wildfire response by the DES led to some dramatic improvements leveraging technology. One of those innovations was a GPS-configured wildland fire dashboard that provided leaders, planners and firefighters with better situational awareness. It was the first time data could be compiled through reports from local emergency managers and 9-1-1 calls, as well as historical data from the Integrated Reporting of Wildland-Fire Information (IRWIN) system used by fire departments. • The DES also initiated a program to augment the stateâ€™s firefighting capabilities and resources by creating a wildland task force for the state. The task force concept was adopted to allow local fire departments the ability to respond outside their jurisdictions, if needed. Departments that volunteer will coordinate directly with the Forest Service to preposition personnel and equipment for potential state wildfire suppression missions. • The North Dakota Game and Fish Department became the first state in the nation to allow electronic posting of private land with the passage of Senate Bill 2144. The bill gives landowners and hunters alike a convenient option for posting private land and checking its status for hunting, while also leaving the traditional physical posting process in place for those who wish to continue using it. • The Department of Human Services implemented the Safety Framework Practice model, which redesigned in-home child and family support services and foster care services to increase the number of children remaining safely in their homes. • Human Services also launched statewide centralized intake for child abuse and neglect reporting in January 2021. Overall, the number of children living in foster care has decreased in 2021. Efforts are underway to continue shifting resources to in-home services to support children and their families together. • The pandemicâ€™s challenges provided an opportunity for Job Service to reinvent how it ensures benefits are getting to those who need it and not to identity thieves and criminal enterprises. By implementing an industry-leading ID proofing/verification service and by expanding utilization of fraud detection data analytics, Job Service prevented over 8,000 fraudulent claims, which could have resulted in over $150 million in fraudulent payments. • The North Dakota Healthcare Directive Registry development by NDIT was completed and is available at https://apps.nd.gov/itd/nin/hdir/login. This system allows citizens to store, maintain and retrieve important health care documents, such as advance directive documents that are key when determining proper patient care. Users can share documents with providers and family as

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- Workforce Safety & Insurance (WSI) successfully deployed upgrades to its myWSI and CAPS systems, providing better customer experience for internal and external customers through automation of manual tasks and online accessibility.

- The Department of Water Resources expanded the utility and functionality of PRESENS (Pushing REmote SENSors), a real-time water level monitoring program. The program now has a much broader range of data collection opportunities to include soil moisture, soil temperature and precipitation measurements. This real-time data will assist with water management into the future and will be used for modeling efforts and analysis. The department deployed more than 220 PRESENS units at peak operation, and aims to grow that number to around 1,000 units in the coming years.

- The Securities Department completed two significant technology projects designed to improve efficiency and the service experience for constituents. A new case management system facilitates the timely, effective and impactful execution of examinations and investigations to support the departmentâ€™s mission of protecting investors. And the new ND Securities Filing Portal delivers a fully electronic filing experience for issuers of securities and other filers, while completing the departmentâ€™s conversion to electronic systems for all securities and investment industry filings, which totaled approximately 148,000 in the last fiscal year.

- Five state agencies â€" the NDDOT, Department of Water Resources, Department of Environmental Quality, Public Finance Authority and Bank of North Dakota â€" collaborated to create Funding for Infrastructure in North Dakota (FIND), a central hub for local governments to apply for infrastructure funding. With five different infrastructure funding programs in the state, knowing which fund to apply for and completing multiple applications was a strain for city and county staff, but FIND provides a one-stop shop for applications. The site was gradually rolled out starting in June and has already received 13 applications.

Citizen-focused agencies make progress

In addition, state agencies worked hard to deliver core services and improve outcomes in many areas:

- Human Services launched a new early childhood division to focus resources on school readiness; strong, stable families; and quality early childhood experiences. To date, the division has awarded federal grant dollars to 713 North Dakota child care programs for financial stabilization.

- Human Services worked with housing partners to implement the new, more comprehensive ND Rent Help program to support housing stability and financial stability and promote strong, stable families. In 2021, 3,295 renter households received emergency rent or utility assistance from ND Rent Help, and 1,095 unique housing providers and utility providers received direct payments from the program. Total assistance disbursed through Nov. 30, 2021, was $13,428,408.

- Human Services improved access to in-home and community-based long-term support services so that older adults and adults with physical disabilities who qualify for skilled nursing care can live at home if they choose. North Dakotans can easily apply online or by phone through the Aging and Disability Resource LINK (ADRL) to get connected to in-home services.

- Human Service provided all Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) households with the maximum benefit amount for households their size. During 2021, approximately 17,800 North Dakota households benefited each month during the COVID-19 public health emergency.

- During the 67th Legislative Assembly, Burgum signed a bill to redesign the way nursing homes are paid by North Dakota Medicaid. Under this new payment system, nursing homes will be incentivized to provide cost-effective care and to renovate rather than build facilities. The new payment system will reduce overall expenses in the future, making it advantageous to taxpayers as well.

- In January 2021, Human Services assumed administration and operation of resettlement support services from contracted vendor Lutheran Social Services of North Dakota. Services help individuals adjust to life in North Dakota and become self-sufficient. The goal is to see New Americans accepted, integrated and supported as they add value to North Dakota and enrich the culture of their new communities. In 2021, 35 refugees resettled in North Dakota.

- The statewide cancer registry maintained by the NDDoH was recognized by the CDC as a â€œRegistry of Excellence.â€ For the period December 2020 through November 2021, Womenâ€™s Way screened 284 people for breast and/or cervical cancer. The program provides these important services to more than 70 women per month.

- The Women, Infants & Children (WIC) Program provided healthy food and support to more than 15,000 North Dakotans. The oral health program distributed 47,000 toothbrushes to 188 schools; 14 workplaces were designated as infant friendly, benefiting 3,821 employees; and the child passenger safety program launched new interactive maps and certified 67 technicians.

- The NDDoH distributed 1,560 state-of-the-art automated external defibrillators (AEDs) to law enforcement via a partnership with the Helmsley Charitable Trust. One of these AEDs was successfully deployed in August 2021 in Grand Forks and helped save a life.

- OMB launched Team ND Connect, a statewide intranet available to all state team members, and delivered Leadership Everywhere training to over 1,500 Team ND members. The agency also led a statewide change management initiative, launched a new website on the statewide platform and centralized certain printing and procurement services.

- Parks and Recreation began offering a new option for North Dakota State park annual permit holders. The family permit, authorized by the 67th Legislative Assembly, allows members of the same household to buy two annual permits at a discounted price of $55.

- The NDDOT finalized the long-range transportation plan, â€œTransportation Connection.â€ The 25-year plan helps identify future transportation needs in the state.

- The NDDOT and Parks and Recreation partnered to replace and install various signs to promote recreational opportunities across the state. The project is designed to increase visibility of state parks and help guide visitors to parks and recreational areas.

- Parks and Recreation also partnered with the State Historical Society to offer the North Dakota

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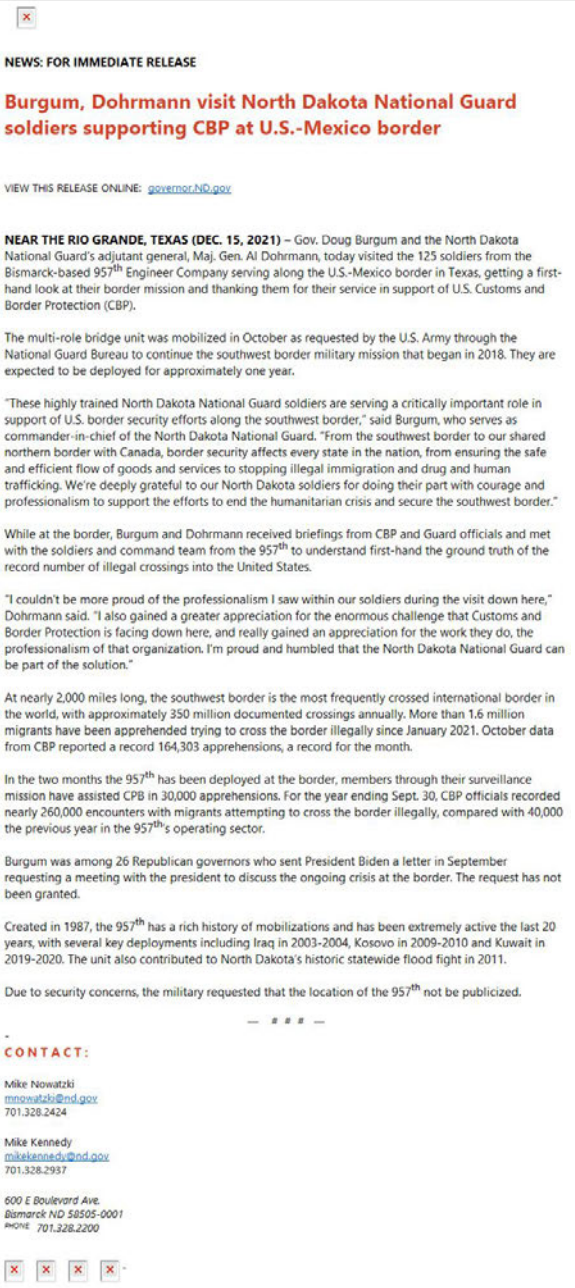
Body	
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Body	You're welcome, those words are well-deserved. After five years in state government, I can't imagine the dedication it must take to serve 45 years, so much respect and many thanks to you. Best, Mike **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 11:32 AM **To:** Nowatzki, Mike <mnowatzki@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: BURGUM STATEMENT ON ATTORNEY GENERAL WAYNE STENEHJEM NOT SEEKING RE-ELECTION IN 2022 Thanks so much, Mike. This means a lot. Wayne **From:** Nowatzki, Mike <mnowatzki@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 11:30 AM **To:** Nowatzki, Mike <mnowatzki@nd.gov> **Subject:** BURGUM STATEMENT ON ATTORNEY GENERAL WAYNE STENEHJEM NOT SEEKING RE-ELECTION IN 2022 **NEWS: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** **Burgum releases statement on Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem not seeking re-election in 2022** VIEW THIS RELEASE ONLINE: governor.ND.gov **BISMARCK, N.D. (DEC. 17, 2021)** – Gov. Doug Burgum released the following statement after North Dakota Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem announced today he will not seek re-election in 2022. Stenehjem is the longest-serving attorney general in North Dakota history, having held the position for 21 years. He was elected as the state's 29th attorney general in 2000 and was re-elected in 2004, 2006, 2010, 2014 and 2018. Stenehjem also served in the North Dakota Legislature for 24 years, including four years in the House and 20 years in the Senate, where he was chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee from 1995-2000. "Wayne Stenehjem is the epitome of a dedicated public servant. We are deeply grateful for his more than four decades of exemplary service to the State of North Dakota, both as a legislator and attorney general, a position he held longer than his three predecessors combined," Burgum said. "As the state's top law enforcement officer for more than 20 years, Wayne's chief concern has always been the safety and well-being of North Dakota citizens, and our state is a better place because of his devoted service. We very much look forward to partnering with him on important initiatives during his remaining time in office to keep our state moving forward." — # # # — - CONTACT: Mike Nowatzki mnowatzki@nd.gov 701.328.2424 Mike Kennedy mikekennedy@nd.gov 701.328.2937 *600 E Boulevard Ave.* *Bismarck ND 58505-0001* PHONE *701.328.2200* -
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Body	**NEWS: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** **WITH VIDEO: Burgum, Gianforte stake friendly wager on FCS championship game between NDSU and Montana State** VIEW THIS RELEASE ONLINE: governor.ND.gov WATCH THE VIDEO HERE **BISMARCK, N.D. (JAN. 6, 2022)** – North Dakota Gov. Doug Burgum and Montana Gov. Greg Gianforte have staked a friendly wager on Saturday's NCAA Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) title game between the Montana State University Bobcats and the North Dakota State University Bison, who are vying for their ninth national title since 2011. The governor of the state whose team wins the championship will receive a gift basket with North Dakota- or Montana-made goods from the losing team's governor, who also must post a photo to social media of himself wearing the winning team's jersey. "Congratulations to the Bobcats on scratching their way to the FCS championship game, but it takes a lot more than sharp claws to stop a Thundering Herd," Burgum said. "North Dakota State is hungry to regain the FCS title and continue building on its incredible dynasty of eight championships in the last decade, and Bison Nation won't be denied. Go Bison!" If the Bobcats win, Burgum pledged to send North Dakota treats including Dot's Homestyle Pretzels from Velva, Widman's Candy Chippers from Grand Forks, honey from A Touch of Honey in Linton, Badlands Delicious Jerky from Bismarck, Cloverdale sausage from Mandan, Giants sunflower seeds from Wahpeton, Baker Boy donuts from Dickinson, Grubbersputz's Premium Popcorn from Devils Lake and Ax Water from Fargo. — # # # — **CONTACT:** Mike Nowatzki mnowatzki@nd.gov 701.328.2424 Mike Kennedy mikekennedy@nd.gov 701.328.2937 *600 E Boulevard Ave.* *Bismarck ND 58505-0001* *PHONE: 701.328.2200*
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Body	Good evening, The link to Gov. Burgum's weekly newsletter is below. https://express.adobe.com/page/RWVnsIbSLUJIZ/ Best regards, Mike Nowatzki *Communications Director* 701.328.2424 • 701.955.2044 (m) • mnowatzki@nd.gov • www.governor.nd.gov 701.328.2200 • governor@nd.gov • 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Bismarck, ND 58505-0001 --- To unsubscribe from the GOV-PRESS-CONTACTS list, click the following link: https://apps.nd.gov/itd/listserv/maint.htm?reqid=GOV&REQUEST=AgencyListServEnterEmail
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Body	**NEWS: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** **Burgum to attend NGA Winter Meeting, participate in sessions on infrastructure, education** VIEW THIS RELEASE ONLINE: governor.ND.gov **BISMARCK, N.D. (JAN. 28, 2022)** – Gov. Doug Burgum will attend the National Governors Association (NGA) Winter Meeting Friday through Monday in Washington, D.C., as the bipartisan gathering of the nation's governors takes place in person for the first time in two years. Governors will discuss best practices and collaboration on top policy issues such as infrastructure, cybersecurity and computer science education, which is the chairman's initiative of the current NGA chairman, Arkansas Gov. Asa Hutchinson. Commerce Secretary Gina Raimondo and Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg are among the cabinet officials scheduled to participate. Burgum also will attend a business session being held at the White House in conjunction with the Winter Meeting. "The National Governors Association offers a unique bipartisan forum for governors to share ideas, discuss best practices and highlight policy successes and solutions to the challenges we have in common," Burgum said. "We look forward to connecting with state, national and international leaders on topics that affect North Dakotans and advocating for federal policy that respects states' rights and supports economic growth, including in our two biggest industries, agriculture and energy." Burgum also will meet with members of the bipartisan Western Governors' Association while in the nation's capital. The NGA Winter Meeting is one of two annual convenings of the NGA, a bipartisan organization representing governors from the 55 states and U.S. territories. — # # # — **CONTACT:** Mike Nowatzki mnowatzki@nd.gov 701.328.2424 Mike Kennedy mikekennedy@nd.gov 701.328.2937 *600 E Boulevard Ave.* *Bismarck ND 58505-0001* *PHONE 701.328.2200*
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Body	Wayne: Please know that we are sending you our good thoughts, best wishes and prayers. I hope that you recover very quickly and that we see you at the office very soon. Marina **Marina Spahr, Director MFCU** **Assistant Attorney General** **ND Office of the Attorney General** **701-328-5532** STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY: The contents of this email and its attachments are intended solely for the addressee(s) hereof. In addition, this email may be confidential. If you are not the named addressee or if this message has been addressed to you in error, you are hereby notified that you are strictly prohibited from and directed not to read, disclose, reproduce, distribute, disseminate or otherwise use this transmission. Delivery of this message to any person other than the intended recipient(s) is not intended in any way to waive privilege or confidentiality. If you have received this transmission in error, please alert the sender by reply email; we also request that you immediately delete this message and its attachments, if any.

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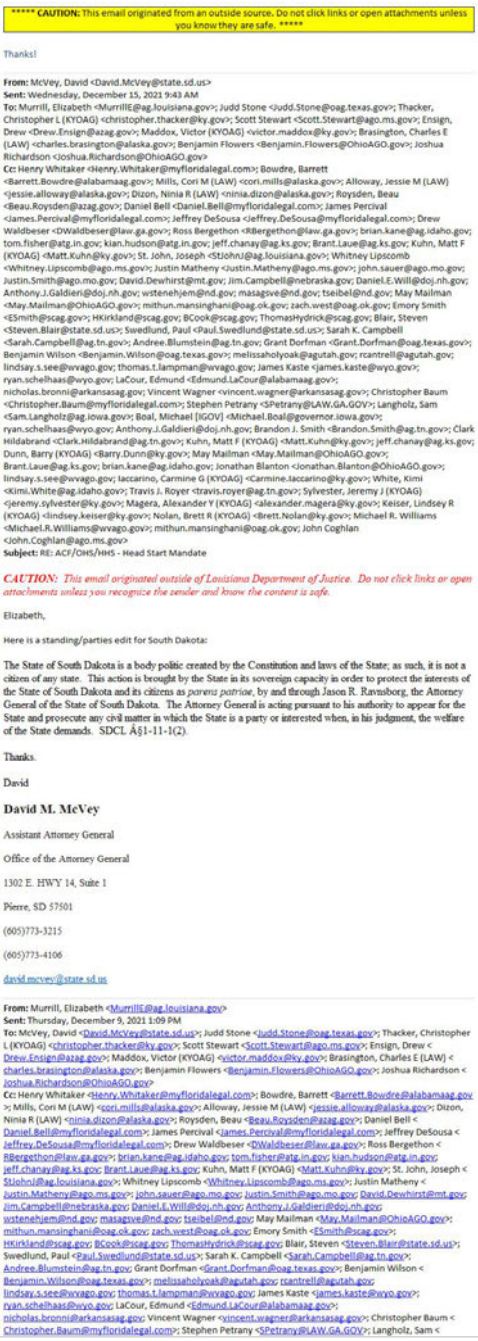
Body	

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Thanks.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Texas plans to file in the Lubbock Division today on behalf of Lubbock ISD.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are

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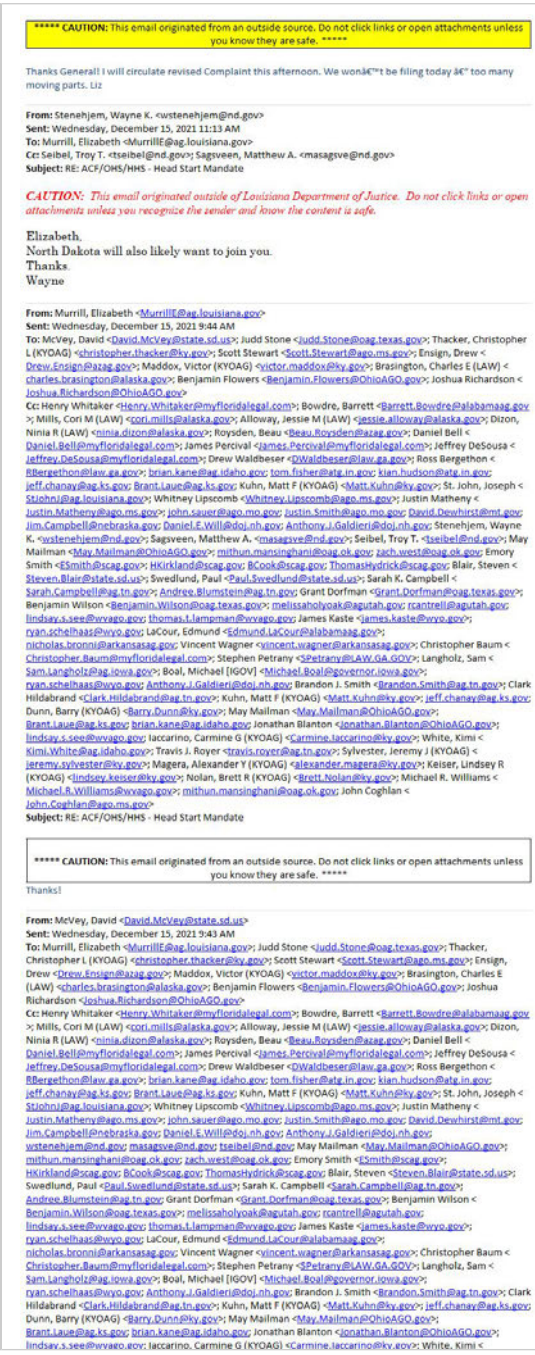

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We wonâ€™t be filing today â€" too many moving parts. Liz

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Elizabeth,
North Dakota will also likely want to join you.
Thanks.
Wayne

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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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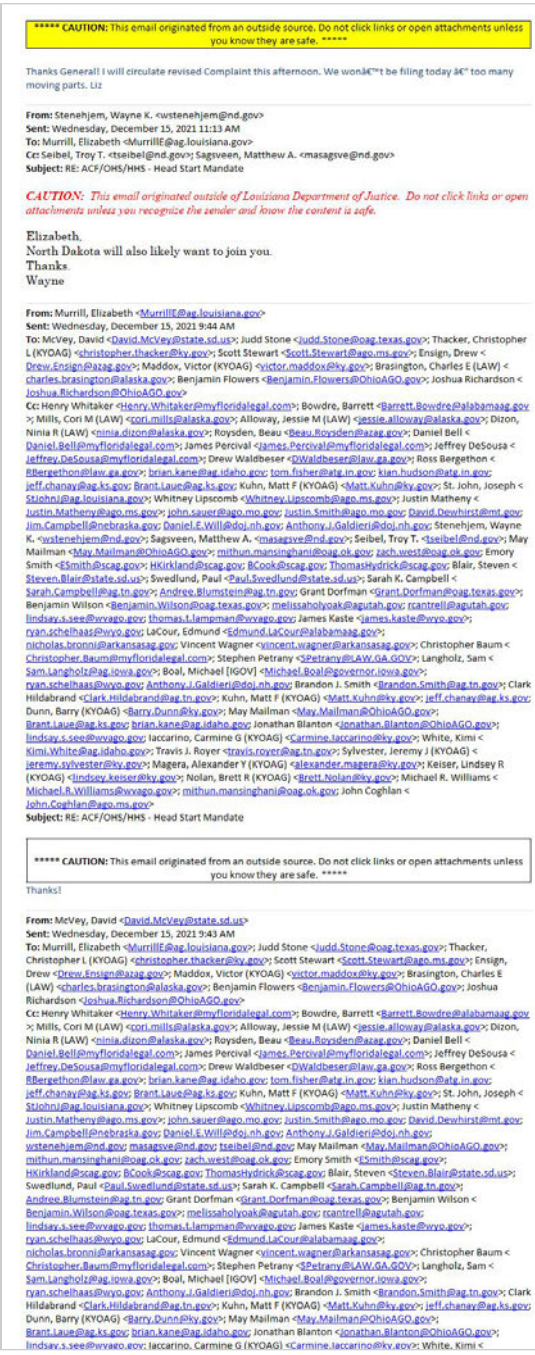

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We wonâ€™t be filing today â€" too many moving parts. Liz

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Elizabeth,
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Thanks.
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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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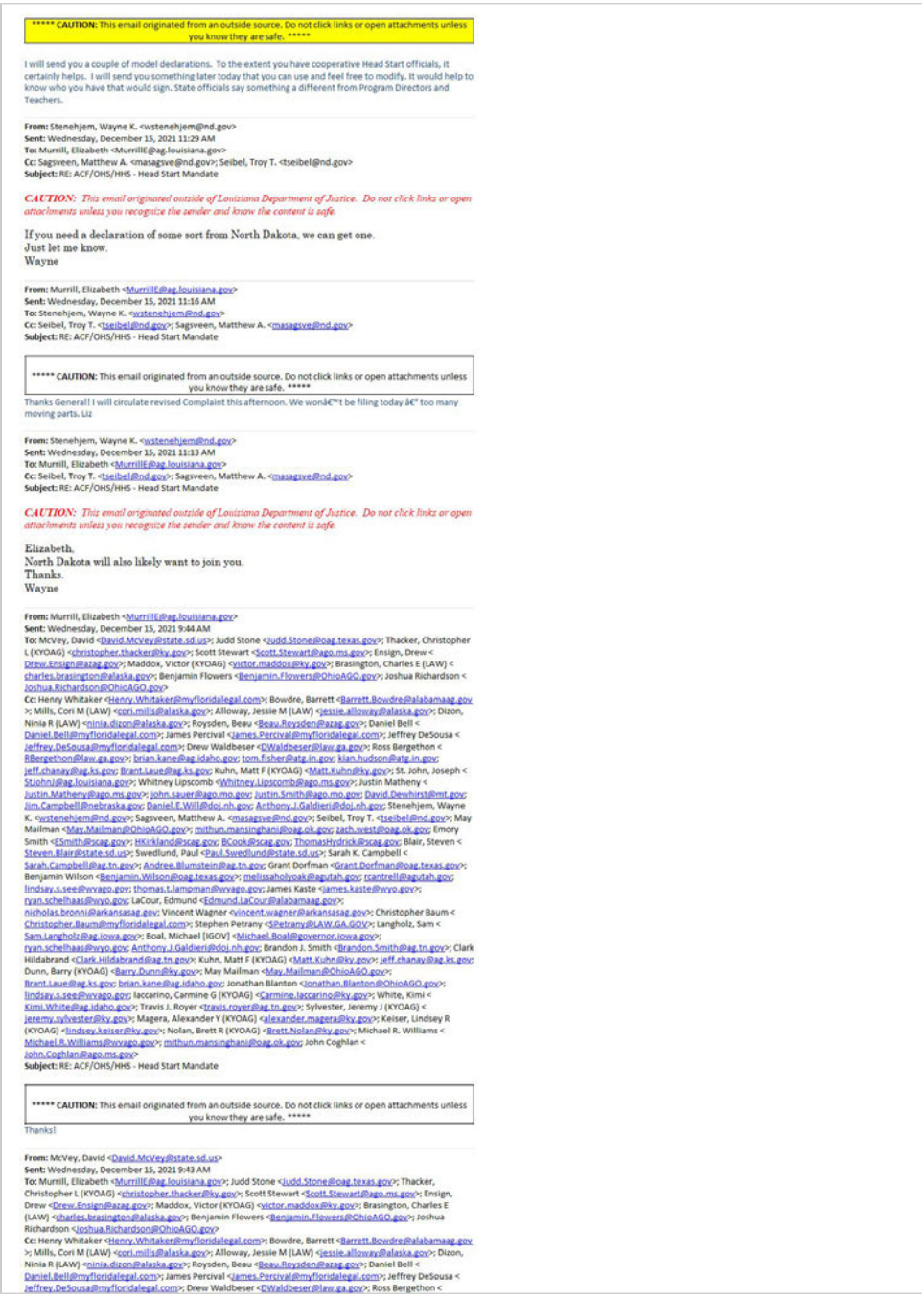

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I will send you a couple of model declarations. To the extent you have cooperative Head Start officials, it certainly helps. I will send you something later today that you can use and feel free to modify. It would help to know who you have that would sign. State officials say something a different from Program Directors and Teachers.

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If you need a declaration of some sort from North Dakota, we can get one.
Just let me know.
Wayne

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We won't be filing today – too many moving parts. Liz

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Elizabeth,
North Dakota will also likely want to join you.
Thanks.
Wayne

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Elizabeth,

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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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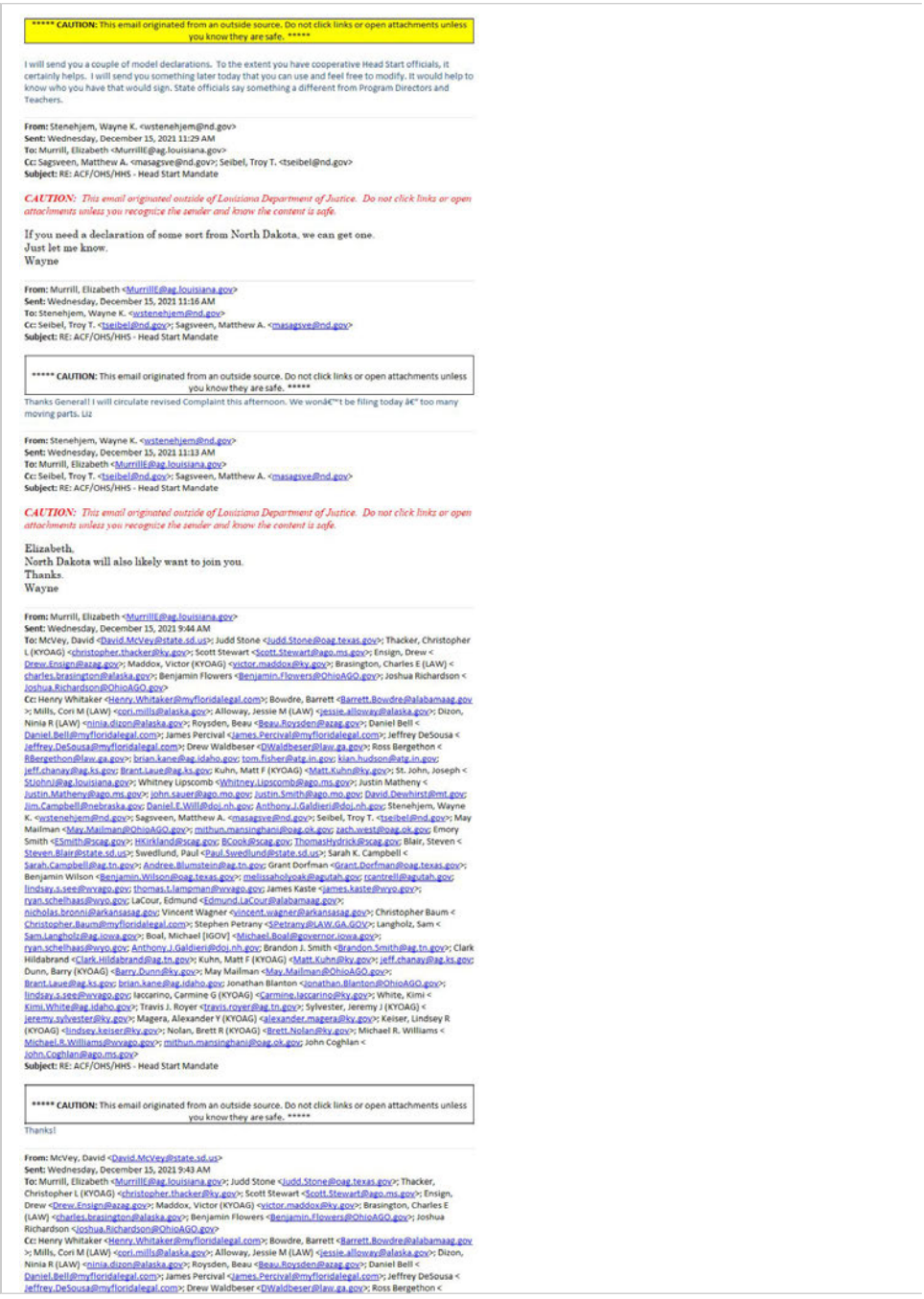

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I will send you a couple of model declarations. To the extent you have cooperative Head Start officials, it certainly helps. I will send you something later today that you can use and feel free to modify. It would help to know who you have that would sign. State officials say something a different from Program Directors and Teachers.

From: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
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If you need a declaration of some sort from North Dakota, we can get one.
Just let me know.
Wayne

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We won't be filing today – too many moving parts. Liz

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Elizabeth,
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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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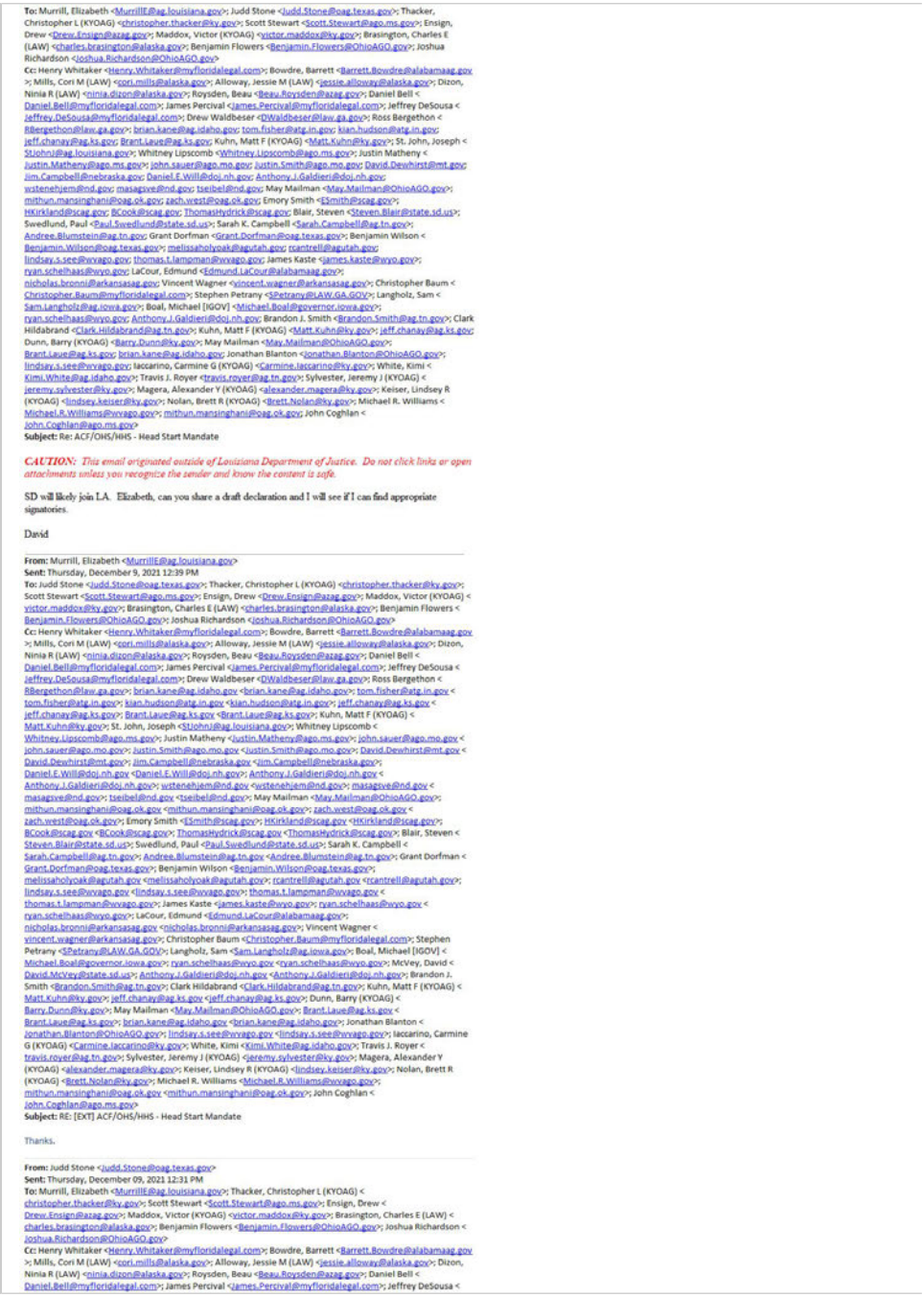

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As soon as possible. I wonâ€™t be able to file today, and its probably unrealistic to hope for tomorrow. But I would like to try and get decs by Friday morning.

From: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, December 15, 2021 1:20 PM
To: Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Cc: Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>
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Elizabeth,
What kind of deadline do you have for declarations?
Matt

From: Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, December 15, 2021 11:30 AM
To: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Cc: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>
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I will send you a couple of model declarations. To the extent you have cooperative Head Start officials, it certainly helps. I will send you something later today that you can use and feel free to modify. It would help to know who you have that would sign. State officials say something a different from Program Directors and Teachers.

From: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, December 15, 2021 11:29 AM
To: Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>
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If you need a declaration of some sort from North Dakota, we can get one.
Just let me know.
Wayne

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We wonâ€™t be filing today â€“ too many moving parts. Liz

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Elizabeth,
North Dakota will also likely want to join you.
Thanks.
Wayne

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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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As soon as possible. I wonâ€™t be able to file today, and its probably unrealistic to hope for tomorrow. But I would like to try and get decs by Friday morning.

From: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>
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Elizabeth,
What kind of deadline do you have for declarations?
Matt

From: Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, December 15, 2021 11:30 AM
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I will send you a couple of model declarations. To the extent you have cooperative Head Start officials, it certainly helps. I will send you something later today that you can use and feel free to modify. It would help to know who you have that would sign. State officials say something a different from Program Directors and Teachers.

From: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
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If you need a declaration of some sort from North Dakota, we can get one.
Just let me know.
Wayne

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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We wonâ€™t be filing today â€“ too many moving parts. Liz

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Elizabeth,
North Dakota will also likely want to join you.
Thanks.
Wayne

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Thanks.

David

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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SD will likely join LA. Elizabeth, can you share a draft declaration and I will see if I can find appropriate signatories.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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Hobbs Hello all, I've attached a draft States amicus brief in support of Arizona's motion to dismiss in its most recent voting litigation concerning two laws: (1) requiring missing signatures on mail-in ballots to be provided by election day; and (2) removing voters from the early voting list such that they no longer automatically receive mail-in ballots if they don't vote for two cycles and fail to respond when asked if they wish to remain on the list. Plaintiffs have not brought a section 2 results claim, but only a discriminatory-purpose claim and an undue-burden claim. Our amicus brief focuses on the purpose claim and highlights the need for adequate allegations of invidious purpose, the presumption of legislative good faith, and the discovery burdens that await if the motion to dismiss is denied. We'd like to file this on Friday, so please let me know if you'd like to join by noon (CT) on Friday, January 21. Thank you! 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Cc: Burgum, Doug <doug@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email?

I have waited for Marcie to set a time to discuss concerns with me since December 22nd , as she suggested, with no response. Now I see she in on leave until the day I retire. I expect a call from someone regarding my concerns listed below before I retire. All of you have been very good at ignoring my issues and the issues of many, many other staff within the Dept of Human Services hoping they will quietly disappear. I know you are all very aware of the issues and chalking the way you are treating state employees, that have years of service, with never any complaint about their work, under the guise of "restructure" is inhumane or worse. If you are not part of the solution, you are part of the problem as the saying goes.

Wayne, as a prior next door neighbor of yours in Grand Forks, I am including you in this email. I wonder if you have any idea what has been going on in the Department of Human Services for the past while and all the staff that are quitting because of the way they (we) are being treated? I truly believe things need to be looked into very deeply.....starting of course at the top.

Becky Savaloja
Account Tech II

From: Savaloja, Rebecca L.
Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 8:56 AM
To: Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov>
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Subject: RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email?

Marci—

I have not heard from you regarding a time to verbally discuss. Please talk to Donna and Jeff before we talk. If there is one thing I am certain of, it is that laws were broken in not posting the positions given to two Fargo staff for accounts payable entry statewide.

Things are in self destruct mode here at NEHSC which in the end will be good overall for anyone that ends of staying at NEHSC going forward. If anyone does stay.

Becky

From: Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:45 PM
To: Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov>
Cc: Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov>; Strebe, Arnold <astrebe@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email?

Thank you for the response Becky. I understand that you are frustrated and I do want to assure that your questions are answered, even though your concerns go back farther than 15 days. In order to look into what your questions are, discussion will need to be held with Jeff Stenseth and Donna Aukland. As you point out, the grievance process is a written process with specific time limits governed by Century Code and Administrative Rule. But that does not mean that issues cannot be resolved by other means.

I would add that when reorganizations occur, certain processes are handled differently, but still are required to be follow State and Federal employment laws. This reorganization would be no different.

I'm not sure when your last day of work is, but would you have any time next week or the following week to connect and we can verbally walk through your concerns?

From: Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, December 21, 2021 9:30 AM
To: Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov>
Cc: Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov>; Strebe, Arnold <astrebe@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov>
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Good Morning Marcie,

I know from prior staff that grievances go nowhere and it almost always hurts the staff that files them. I did look at the grievance form and it said that it needed to be filed with 15 days of incident. I am questioning what happened long after 15 days has past and just want a few answers before I retire. I have included others in this email because they need to know what is going on if they are not aware already. I am not going to personally talk to Jeff Stenseth or Donna Aukland about this because I am afraid of what they would potentially do to me.

In further clarification:

I received verbal notification in a meeting (no written notice) from Lynn Bingham with Jeff Stenseth present and a few other staff that were also having some minor duties removed. Again, Lynn apologized for not giving me more notice but said he was instructed not to! I just left Lynn Bingham's office and asked Lynn who he received the instruction from as far as giving me **no notice** that all my duties were being taken away. He said it was Donna Aukland. He said Donna, in meetings, told all business managers not to say anything to staff until they met with staff the end of July. The meeting occurred at the very end of July and I was told I was losing almost all of accounts payable duties **immediately**. There was another staff or two in the office that were also losing a few duties but I was the only one losing 90 percent or more along with others in my position in the state. I'm sure this was due to statewide reorganization. That is not the problem or the question. In the meeting it was said that some of my duties, going forward, were going to be required to be done by the business managers and the remainder was being given to two office assistants in SEHSC. I immediately asked why these 2 staff were just given all of my duties other than what the business manager was to do. Lynn Bingham threw out the response that their office was bigger or something to that effect, which of course I knew had nothing to do with anything. Jeff Stenseth sat there and said nothing regarding that.

My questions remain—

- **Why didn't the two office assistants have to apply for the jobs they got working on accounts payable for the whole state? Jobs that were taken from others statewide and just given to them? Is it not policy that these positions should have been opened up for me or others to have applied for if we wished? That is a question that I believe you would have the answer to Marcie.**
- **Why did I get such late notice that my job was disappearing. This, most likely, would be a question for Donna Aukland and Jeff Stenseth.**
- **Donna Aukland said there would be other duties to replace the ones I lost but I was never given**

Body	**anything? I do not know if my counterparts statewide were given new duties or not. Also please note that Lynn Bingham asked Donna several times, if I could help him out with duties given to him and Donna said No.** I expect that Donna and Jeff will come up with excuses that in their minds they can justify. I however, think it is very sad what they, and possibly their superiors, are doing to so many employees within the state. Jeff Stenseth introduces himself at meetings as the person who they bring in to get rid of staff but that it is not true. I have heard him say this on more than one occasion as has everyone else here. You do not get a reputation for something that is not deserved so of course it is true. I am not certain that he was trying to get rid of me. I do think they were getting rid of my position but there has to be a better way of doing this other than devaluing people that have given many years of service to this state and offering them nothing in return as far as other duties, a buy out or whatever. There are many instances where staff have been treated so badly that they quit or retire but I can't and won't speak for others. All anyone has to do is look at the turnover to know this as a fact. I do want my questions answered and this brought out in the open so hopefully going forward a better process can be in place that treats employees with dignity and respect. Neither of which I feel I was afforded. This is the reason unions are formed to protect employees from being treated the way I have been treated. I have never been a union member or even thought there was a need for unions prior to this but I am , unfortunately, realizing that there is a need. Thank you Becky Savaloja **From:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 4:33 PM **To:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? Hi Becky, Thank you for your email, as well as your patience as I have looked into this issue. Based on the information I've been able to ascertain, it appears there was a statewide reorganization that occurred which impacted many different positions. Unfortunately I don't have answers to your specific questions; however, I think it's important that you get them. I also want to assure that you are aware of the grievance policy and your rights under that policy I am not sure if you are inferring that you wish to file a grievance, but regardless, you should receive an answer to the questions you have posed. Can you please confirm for me who you have received what notifications from? That will help me determine next steps. My initial thought is that Jeff Stenseth should be able to answer some of your questions, as he is the senior leader within your chain of command, but I am not certain who you have already talked to or asked these questions of. Also, if you have received any notifications in writing please send those to me. Thank you, Becky, for the work that you do. If you can let me know those two pieces of information I will be able to make some determination as to next steps. **Marcie Wuitschick, SHRM-CP, PHR** Director, Human Resources ND Department of Human Services 701-328-1290 mwuitschick@nd.gov **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 07, 2021 8:46 AM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 3:13 PM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Subject:** Question Marcie— Something has been bothering me and I would like your input on it. The end of July, I was told by my supervisor that I would be losing most of my job duties immediately the next day and he told me he was sorry he did not give me more notice but that he was instructed not to. That it was not only me but also my counterparts in the other human service centers in the state. I was told that part of my accounts payable duties and others that had the same position as me, were going to be done by the Business Managers and the rest of it was going to 2 office assistants at SEHSC who would take over the remainder of our duties statewide. I was told that this decision was made by Donna Aukland. I asked why those positions that were given to SEHSC staff were not posted internally for me or others to apply for and I did not receive an answer, even though Jeff Stenseth was in the meeting and would certainly know why his staff were just handed our duties. I was told that Donna would be giving us new job duties but there has been nothing so far and that the new duties would have nothing to do with anything that I had experience in. I am retiring in January (a little earlier than I intended because of this) and am very bitter that my 15 years with the state is ending this way. I know that the decisions that were made had nothing to do with my job performance because I was excellent in my position as everyone can attest to. What I would like from you is an explanation on how this can happen? How and why would I and others not have been able to at least apply for the job that was being taken away from us and just given to others with no notice? Is this a new direction the state is going in regards to how they treat state employees? Are you the person that can answer my questions or would it be legal or someone else? Your response will not change anything. I will retire in January but like I said, this has had an impact on my mental health and I feel that I am at least owed an explanation and should have asked for it months ago. Thank you Becky Savaloja Account Tech II Northeast Human Service Center
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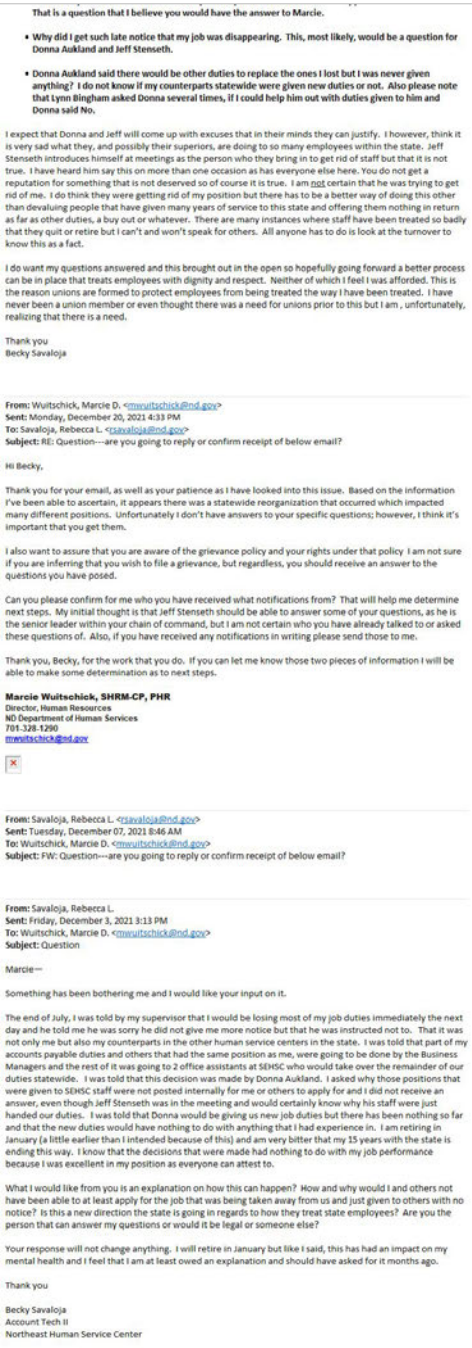
Jeff Stenseth sat there and said nothing regarding that. **My questions remain—** • **Why didn't the two office assistants have to apply for the jobs they got working on accounts payable for the whole state? Jobs that were taken from others statewide and just given to them? Is it not policy that these positions should have been opened up for me or others to have applied for if we wished?**

Body	
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That is a question that I believe you would have the answer to Marcie.

- **Why did I get such late notice that my job was disappearing. This, most likely, would be a question for Donna Aukland and Jeff Stenseth.**
- **Donna Aukland said there would be other duties to replace the ones I lost but I was never given anything? I do not know if my counterparts statewide were given new duties or not. Also please note that Lynn Bingham asked Donna several times, if I could help him out with duties given to him and Donna said No.**

I expect that Donna and Jeff will come up with excuses that in their minds they can justify. I however, think it is very sad what they, and possibly their superiors, are doing to so many employees within the state. Jeff Stenseth introduces himself at meetings as the person who they bring in to get rid of staff but that it is not true. I have heard him say this on more than one occasion as has everyone else here. You do not get a reputation for something that is not deserved so of course it is true. I am not certain that he was trying to get rid of me. I do think they were getting rid of my position but there has to be a better way of doing this other than devaluing people that have given many years of service to this state and offering them nothing in return as far as other duties, a buy out or whatever. There are many instances where staff have been treated so badly that they quit or retire but I can't and won't speak for others. All anyone has to do is look at the turnover to know this as a fact.

I do want my questions answered and this brought out in the open so hopefully going forward a better process can be in place that treats employees with dignity and respect. Neither of which I feel I was afforded. This is the reason unions are formed to protect employees from being treated the way I have been treated. I have never been a union member or even thought there was a need for unions prior to this but I am , unfortunately, realizing that there is a need.

Thank you
Becky Savaloja

From: Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov>
Sent: Monday, December 20, 2021 4:33 PM
To: Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email?

Hi Becky,

Thank you for your email, as well as your patience as I have looked into this issue. Based on the information I've been able to ascertain, it appears there was a statewide reorganization that occurred which impacted many different positions. Unfortunately I don't have answers to your specific questions; however, I think it's important that you get them.

I also want to assure that you are aware of the grievance policy and your rights under that policy I am not sure if you are inferring that you wish to file a grievance, but regardless, you should receive an answer to the questions you have posed.

Can you please confirm for me who you have received what notifications from? That will help me determine next steps. My initial thought is that Jeff Stenseth should be able to answer some of your questions, as he is the senior leader within your chain of command, but I am not certain who you have already talked to or asked these questions of. Also, if you have received any notifications in writing please send those to me.

Thank you, Becky, for the work that you do. If you can let me know those two pieces of information I will be able to make some determination as to next steps.

Marcie Wuitschick, SHRM-CP, PHR
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From: Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, December 07, 2021 8:46 AM
To: Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov>
Subject: FW: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email?

From: Savaloja, Rebecca L.
Sent: Friday, December 3, 2021 3:13 PM
To: Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov>
Subject: Question

Marcie—

Something has been bothering me and I would like your input on it.

The end of July, I was told by my supervisor that I would be losing most of my job duties immediately the next day and he told me he was sorry he did not give me more notice but that he was instructed not to. That it was not only me but also my counterparts in the other human service centers in the state. I was told that part of my accounts payable duties and others that had the same position as me, were going to be done by the Business Managers and the rest of it was going to 2 office assistants at SEHSC who would take over the remainder of our duties statewide. I was told that this decision was made by Donna Aukland. I asked why those positions that were given to SEHSC staff were not posted internally for me or others to apply for and I did not receive an answer, even though Jeff Stenseth was in the meeting and would certainly know why his staff were just handed our duties. I was told that Donna would be giving us new job duties but there has been nothing so far and that the new duties would have nothing to do with anything that I had experience in. I am retiring in January (a little earlier than I intended because of this) and am very bitter that my 15 years with the state is ending this way. I know that the decisions that were made had nothing to do with my job performance because I was excellent in my position as everyone can attest to.

What I would like from you is an explanation on how this can happen? How and why would I and others not have been able to at least apply for the job that was being taken away from us and just given to others with no notice? Is this a new direction the state is going in regards to how they treat state employees? Are you the person that can answer my questions or would it be legal or someone else?

Your response will not change anything. I will retire in January but like I said, this has had an impact on my mental health and I feel that I am at least owed an explanation and should have asked for it months ago.

Thank you

Becky Savaloja
Account Tech II
Northeast Human Service Center

Record 756

Sender Name	-Info-Attorney General
Sender Email	ndag@nd.gov
Recipients	ndaghd@nd.gov
Subject	STENEHJEM: GIFT CARD SCAMS ON THE INCREASE
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Body	**NEWS RELEASE-Office of Attorney General** *Media contact: Liz Brocker, 701-328-2213* December 13, 2021 **STENEHJEM: GIFT CARD SCAMS ON THE INCREASE** BISMARCK, ND – As the holidays approach, Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem reminds North Dakotans that gift cards are for gifts. "Only buy gift cards if you are giving them as gifts to family or friends, because gift cards are a favorite tool used by scam artists," cautioned Stenehjem. According to the Federal Trade Commission, many gift card scams start with a phone call from someone impersonating a government agency. Scammers may claim that they will freeze your accounts or threaten to arrest you, unless you make an immediate payment. The scammers will even stay on the phone with their victims while they go to the store to purchase specific gift cards or a prepaid card. Once the victim has purchased the gift cards, the scam artist asks them for the numbers on the back of the cards. Those numbers are all anyone needs to go online from anywhere in the world and transfer the balance of the gift card into their own account. "No government agency *ever* accepts gift cards to pay a debt," Stenehjem warned. The Attorney General's Consumer Protection division reports that in the last two weeks, they have received nine reports from victims of gift card scams, with losses totaling $45,000. The victims, who range in age from 26 to 75, reportedly fell for different versions of the scam, including: • telephone calls from fake government officials threatening the victim would lose their benefits; • phony sweepstakes officials pretending the victim had won a prize but needed to make an upfront payment; • fake online job listings; and • false account payment error emails supposedly from Amazon and other well- known businesses. "The one thing all these scams had in common is that the victim was told to purchase prepaid cards and gift cards," said Parrell Grossman, director of the Consumer Protection division. "The government and legitimate companies do not demand that you make payments using gift cards. If that is what you are told, it is guaranteed to be a scam," he continued. ### ###

Record 757

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE – NORTH DAKOTA LOTTERY** www.lottery.nd.gov *For immediate release* Contact: Ryan Koppy (701) 328-1574 December 13, 2021 **$100,000 POWERBALL PRIZE WON IN WILLISTON** Bismarck – A lucky North Dakota Powerball player hit it big for the holidays with a lucky ticket! A $100,000 Powerball with Power Play ticket for Saturday night's draw won by matching four white balls and the Powerball. The winning numbers were 3, 25, 44, 53, 64 and the Powerball was 10. The Power Play multiplier was 2. The lucky ticket was sold at Simonson Station Store #6, 1409 2nd Avenue West, in Williston. The prize was $50,000, but as the player had also purchased the Power Play option, the ticket is worth $100,000. Simonson Station Store #6 will receive a $2,000 bonus for selling the winning Powerball ticket. No one has contacted the Lottery office to claim the prize. Winners have 180 days from the date of the drawing to claim their prize. Prizes over $599 must be claimed at the North Dakota Lottery office, which recently moved and is now located at 1720 Burlington Drive Suite C in Bismarck. The Powerball jackpot for the Monday, December 13 draw is $320 million. For winning numbers and other information, visit us on the web at LOTTERY.ND.GOV. ###

Record 758

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE – NORTH DAKOTA LOTTERY** www.lottery.nd.gov *For immediate release* Contact: Ryan Koppy (701) 328-1574 December 16, 2021 **$100,000 POWERBALL PRIZE CLAIMED** BISMARCK, ND – A North Dakota Powerball player claimed the $100,000 Powerball prize won on the December 11 draw, just in time for the holidays! The lucky winner from Williston, who chose to remain anonymous, hit it big with a quick pick ticket. The winner plans to use the winnings to payoff some bills and enjoy not having to worry about them anymore. The Powerball jackpot for the Saturday, December 18 draw is $353 million. For winning numbers and other information, visit us on the web at LOTTERY.ND.GOV. ###

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Record 760

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Body	A new Attorney General's Opinion has been issued: Opinion #: 2021-L-04 Date issued: December 30, 2021 Issued to: Ethics Commission Request: Is Article XIV Section 2(5) of the North Dakota State Constitution an unconstitutional restriction of the First Amendment freedom of association, because of its restriction on campaign contributions? Conclusion: Section 2(5) requires recusal of a public official in a quasi-judicial role where there is an appearance of bias to a reasonable person in order to provide a fair tribunal for adjudication of the issue. It does not restrict a party's political speech. Because ND Const. art XIV, Section 2(5) requires recusal and does not limit political speech, it is not manifestly contrary to the federal constitution and therefore, likely to be upheld by a court of competent jurisdiction. You can view this opinion at: **ETHICS COMMISSION RESTRICTIONS ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS** The requirement for recusal of a public official if there is an appearance of bias to a reasonable person is not manifestly contrary to the federal constitution and therefore likely to be upheld by a court of competent jurisdiction. https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Opinions/2021/Letter/2021-L-04.pdf North Dakota Office of Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem Attorney General

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Record 762

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Body	A new Attorney General's Opinion has been issued: Opinion #: 2022-L-01 Date issued: January 4, 2022 Issued to: Thomas Beadle, State Treasurer Request: How should the state's share of revenue from wells located on reservation lands be allocated? Conclusion: The portion of the gross production and oil extraction tax revenue derived from oil and gas exploration and production within the exterior boundaries of the reservations and on trust properties outside reservation boundaries, which is distributed directly to the tribes pursuant to N.D.C.C. ch. 57-51.2, should not be included in the definition of revenue when making constitutional allocations of oil and gas revenues under N.D. Const. art. X. You can view this opinion at: **GROSS PRODUCTION AND OIL EXTRACTION TAX REVENUE** When distributing funds, the Treasurer should not take into account the gross production and oil extraction tax revenue derived from oil and gas exploration and production from wells located on reservation lands. https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Opinions/2022/Legal/2022-L-01.pdf North Dakota Office of Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem Attorney General

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE – NORTH DAKOTA LOTTERY** www.lottery.nd.gov *For immediate release* Contact: Ryan Koppy (701) 328-1574 January 6, 2022 **$100,000 POWERBALL PRIZE WON IN BISMARCK** Bismarck, ND - A lucky North Dakota Powerball player started 2022 with a bang! A $100,000 Powerball with Power Play ticket for last night's draw won big by matching four white balls and the Powerball. The winning numbers were 6, 14, 25, 33, 46 and the Powerball was 17. The Power Play multiplier was 2. The lucky ticket was sold at Horizon Market, 125 Durango Drive, in Bismarck. The prize was $50,000, but as the player had also purchased the Power Play option, the ticket is worth $100,000. Horizon Market will receive a $2,000 bonus for selling the winning Powerball ticket. No one has contacted the Lottery office to claim the prize. "We are extremely excited here at the Lottery office," said Randy Miller, director of the North Dakota Lottery. "What a great way for a North Dakota Powerball player to ring in the New Year, with a six-figure win!" Winners have 180 days from the date of the drawing to claim their prize. The Powerball jackpot for the Saturday, January 8 draw is $20 million. For winning numbers and other information, visit us on the web at LOTTERY.ND.GOV. ###

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Record 766

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE – NORTH DAKOTA LOTTERY** www.lottery.nd.gov *For immediate release* Contact: Ryan Koppy (701) 328-1574 January 7, 2022 **$100,000 POWERBALL PRIZE CLAIMED** BISMARCK, ND – A North Dakota Powerball player claimed the $100,000 Powerball prize won on the January 5 draw. The lucky winner from Bismarck, who chose to remain anonymous, hit it big with a quick pick ticket. The winner plans to use the winnings to payoff some bills and enjoy having a bit of a savings buffer for the coming year. The Powerball jackpot for the Saturday, January 8 draw is $20 million. For winning numbers and other information, visit us on the web at LOTTERY.ND.GOV. ###

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Record 768

Sender Name	-Info-Attorney General
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Recipients	ndagnews@nd.gov
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Body	**NEWS RELEASE-Office of Attorney General** *Media contact: Liz Brocker, 701-328-2213* January 13, 2022 **Statement of Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem in response to today's Supreme Court decisions on vaccine mandates** I am pleased that the Supreme Court, by a 6- 3 vote, held that the federal Occupational Safety & Health Administration lacked constitutional authority under its "workplace safety" regulations to impose a vaccine mandate that would have affected more than 80 million employees across the country. As the Supreme Court majority opinion stated, "Although Congress has indisputably given OSHA the power to regulate occupational dangers, it has not given that agency the power to regulate public health more broadly." I can appreciate the distinction the Supreme Court made between the OSHA mandate for workers generally and the CMS mandates for medical workers, but I continue to have serious concerns about the effect the ruling will have on retaining health care workers, many of whom may elect to simply quit rather than get the vaccine, seriously exacerbating staffing issues, especially in our rural medical facilities. As I have emphasized from the beginning, the lawsuits were not about whether people should get vaccinated, they were about opposing federal overreach. Two other lawsuits continue, one against the federal mandate for federal contractors, and the other for employees, volunteers, and children with Head Start programs. # ##

Record 769

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE-Office of Attorney General** *Media contact: Liz Brocker, 701-328-2213* January 13, 2022 **Statement of Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem in response to today's Supreme Court decisions on vaccine mandates** I am pleased that the Supreme Court, by a 6- 3 vote, held that the federal Occupational Safety & Health Administration lacked constitutional authority under its "workplace safety" regulations to impose a vaccine mandate that would have affected more than 80 million employees across the country. As the Supreme Court majority opinion stated, "Although Congress has indisputably given OSHA the power to regulate occupational dangers, it has not given that agency the power to regulate public health more broadly." I can appreciate the distinction the Supreme Court made between the OSHA mandate for workers generally and the CMS mandates for medical workers, but I continue to have serious concerns about the effect the ruling will have on retaining health care workers, many of whom may elect to simply quit rather than get the vaccine, seriously exacerbating staffing issues, especially in our rural medical facilities. As I have emphasized from the beginning, the lawsuits were not about whether people should get vaccinated, they were about opposing federal overreach. Two other lawsuits continue, one against the federal mandate for federal contractors, and the other for employees, volunteers, and children with Head Start programs. ###

Record 770

Sender Name	-Info-Attorney General
Sender Email	ndag@nd.gov
Recipients	ndagnews@nd.gov
Subject	ATTORNEY GENERAL STENEHJEM WORKS TO STOP INTERNATIONAL SCAM CALLS
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Body	**NEWS RELEASE-Office of Attorney General** *Media contact: Liz Brocker, 701-328-2213* January 14, 2022 **ATTORNEY GENERAL STENEHJEM WORKS TO STOP INTERNATIONAL SCAM CALLS** BISMARCK, ND – This week, Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem joined a bipartisan group of attorneys general in urging the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to adopt measures to help stem the tide of foreign-based illegal robocalls that attempt to scam Americans. "Illegal robocalls are more than just a nuisance. Every day, my office receives reports from victims of these scam calls. Unfortunately, when consumers unwittingly respond to these calls, they may lose thousands of dollars, often with financially devastating results. I will continue my efforts to protect North Dakotans," said Stenehjem, who reminded consumers not to accept or return any of these calls under any circumstances. The comment letter, which was signed by the attorneys general from all 50 states, calls for the FCC to require "gateway providers" – companies that allow foreign calls into the United States – to take steps to reduce how easily robocalls have been able to enter the US telephone network, including requiring those providers to implement caller ID technology that helps prevent spoofed calls. The letter states that based upon consumer complaints, these fraudulent foreign-originated robocalls often involve caller ID spoofing US phone numbers. The attorneys general called on the FCC to take decisive action, stating "[T]he time has come to start cutting the strings that form the nets that these illegal robocallers cast over the public." The attorneys general asked the FCC to require these gateway providers to take additional steps to reduce robocalls, including to: • Block calls when providers are aware of an illegal or likely fraudulent caller. • Block calls that originate from numbers that are on a "do not originate" list – such as government phone numbers that take incoming calls only. • Ensure that foreign telephone companies they partner with are ensuring that calls are being made from legitimate numbers. • Respond to requests from law enforcement, state attorneys general, or the FCC to trace back calls within 24 hours. The attorneys general encouraged the FCC to require all phone companies to block calls from any gateway provider that fails to meet these requirements. Illegal robocalls are a scourge – in 2020, Americans lost more than $520 million through robocall scams. ### Read the Comment Letter: https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/MediaAttachments/2022-01-14-Robocalls-FCC.pdf

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Record 772

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Body	A new Attorney General's Opinion (Open Records/Meetings) has been issued: Opinion #: 2022-O-01 Date issued: January 19, 2022 Issued to: Stark County Commission Request: Did the Stark County Commission violate the open records laws by failing to respond to a request within a reasonable time and by improperly denying a record request? Conclusion: At the time Stark County received the request for records relating to finalist applications for a human resources position, the County was experiencing staff turnover, illness, and an election. As a result, the county took 11 days to acknowledge the response. The County initially denied the request on the ground that there were no finalists designated. When the County realized the denial was based on misinformation, it voluntarily provided the records. Although the initial denial was correct based on the information available at the time, and the county provided the records as soon as the error was realized, the delay acknowledging the request and eventually providing records was unreasonable. You can view this opinion at: **UNREASONABLE DELAY IN RESPONDING TO RECORDS** Stark County Commission violated the law when it took eleven days to acknowledge a request for records, failed to communicate with the requester about the delay, and ultimately took more than two months to provide the records. https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Opinions/2022/OR-OM/2022-O-01.pdf North Dakota Office of Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem Attorney General

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Record 774

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Body	A new Attorney General's Opinion (Open Records/Meetings) has been issued: Opinion #: 2022-O-02 Date issued: January 19, 2022 Issued to: Hettinger Public School Request: Did Hettinger Public School violate the open meetings laws by failing to properly describe the subject matter and legal authority before entering an executive session and by holding an unauthorized executive session? Conclusion: At its regular meeting, the Hettinger School Board received a letter from the Hettinger Agriculture Education Advisory Board Committee recommending that a part-time teaching position become full-time. The Board then passed a motion to enter an executive session to "discuss negotiating strategy." The meeting notice failed to provide any information to the public about the topic of the executive session. During the approximately 41-minute executive session no actual negotiation discussion took place; rather, the board members talked unrelated topics. The board's announcement before entering the executive session failed to convey a specific topic to be discussed. The executive session failed to meet the legal authority and the discussed topics outside the announced topics. In these respects, the Board violated the law. The Board must provide, at no cost, the recording or transcript of the executive session. You can view this opinion at: **HETTINGER PUBLIC SCHOOL VIOLATED OPEN MEETING LAW** Hettinger Public School Board violated the open meetings law by holding an executive session without the proper legal authority and then by discussing topics outside those that were announced. https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Opinions/2022/OR-OM/2022-O-02.pdf North Dakota Office of Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem Attorney General

Record 775

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE – NORTH DAKOTA LOTTERY** www.lottery.nd.gov *For immediate release* Contact: Ryan Koppy (701) 328-1574 January 20, 2022 **$150,000 POWERBALL PRIZE WON IN BISMARCK** Bismarck, ND – A lucky North Dakota Powerball player continues the big winning in January! A $150,000 Powerball with Power Play ticket for last night's draw won big by matching four white balls and the Powerball. The winning numbers were 11, 15, 43, 55, 61 and the Powerball was 10. The Power Play multiplier was 3. The lucky ticket was sold at Superpumper #80246, 1833 East Main Avenue, in Bismarck. The prize was $50,000, but as the player had also purchased the Power Play option, the ticket is worth $150,000. Superpumper will receive a $2,000 bonus for selling the winning Powerball ticket. No one has contacted the Lottery office to claim the prize. "January has been an extremely lucky month for North Dakota Powerball players," said Randy Miller, director of the North Dakota Lottery. "Since 2018, January has produced four $100,000 Powerball winners, one $150,000 winner and two $1 Million winners." Winners have 180 days from the date of the drawing to claim their prize. The Powerball jackpot for the Saturday, January 22 draw is $76 million. For winning numbers and other information, visit us on the web at LOTTERY.ND.GOV. ###

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Body	I forgot to send this to you earlier. Do you want to do an interview on either/both of the topics? Liz **From:** Reuter, Micheal <mreuter@cherrycreekmedia.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 19, 2022 8:33 PM **To:** -Info-Attorney General <ndag@nd.gov> **Cc:** Travers, Robin <rshepherd@cherrycreekradio.com> **Subject:** Interview request ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good evening, I am reaching out to see if the AG would be able to have a short interview to talk about the Anti-Corporate farming laws in the state, and recent legislative challenges. If that subject is off the table, we would still love to have the AG on to talk about his tenure as AG and what are his plans for the future. Thanks, *Mike Reuter* *News Anchor* *Cherry Creek Media* *Williston-Sidney* *(701) 572-5371 (o)* *(701) 240-5563 (c)* Cherry Creek Radio does not discriminate in advertising sales based on race or ethnicity. Any provision in any order or agreement for advertising that purports to discriminate on the basis of race or ethnicity, even if handwritten, typed or otherwise made a part of a particular contract, will be rejected.

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Body	**NEWS RELEASE-Office of Attorney General** *Media contact: Liz Brocker, 701-391-0050* January 28, 2022 **Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem** BISMARCK, ND – It is with the utmost sadness that the Office of Attorney General announces that Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem passed away unexpectedly on Friday January 28, 2022. He was 68. We know Wayne was a widely respected and well- known public figure, but we ask that his family be allowed time to grieve in private. Funeral arrangements are pending with Bismarck Funeral Home, for both public and private services. • Media inquiries - Liz Brocker, 701-391-0050, lbrocker@nd.gov. # ##

Record 782

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Sender Email	ndalert@ndalert.nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Body	This is a test of BND's Emergency Contact System that would be used if there were a weather-related closure or other event impacting our ability to serve you. If you do not wish to be on this contact list or would like someone else in your organization included, please contact BND Communications Manager Janel Schmitz at janelschmitz@nd.gov. The sender provided the following contact information. Sender's Name: State of North Dakota Sender's Email: janelschmitz@nd.gov Sender's Contact Phone: 17013280911

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Biden Admin. Gives Green Light To Major Calif. Solar Projects

The Biden administration said Tuesday that it had approved a pair of significant solar projects in California, moving forward with renewable energy efforts just days after West Virginia Sen. Joe Manchin said he wouldn't be supporting the administration's Build Back Better Act.

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Minn. Agency Stands By Air Permit Issued To Metals Mine

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency has stood by its decision to issue an air quality permit for a copper-nickel-platinum mine in the northeast of the state, saying the company didn't mislead regulators and that the potential for a future expansion doesn't cost the mine its air permit.

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Union Pacific Gets Texas MDL For Cancer Suits

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Tetra Tech Fights Tribal Immunity In Fire Cleanup Wage Row

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Green Group Sues To Stop Large-Scale Project In Idaho Forest

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A proposed class of diners is firing back against Red Lobster Management LLC's bid to escape a suit alleging it misleads consumers about the sustainability of its lobster and shrimp sources, saying the restaurant can't expect customers to check its website after its menu promises its products are environmentally friendly.

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Ohio Utility Gets Investor Suit Over $60M Bribery Plot Tossed

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St. Croix Refinery's Reopened Ch. 11 Sale OK'd In Texas

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Nearly 100 congressional Republicans have asked the country's highest court to rule that the Environmental Protection Agency does not have the authority to carry out a transformation of the U.S. power sector from coal to renewable energy.

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The Biden administration said Tuesday that it had approved a pair of significant solar projects in California, moving forward with renewable energy efforts just days after West Virginia Sen. Joe Manchin said he wouldn't be supporting the administration's Build Back Better Act.

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Minn. Agency Stands By Air Permit Issued To Metals Mine

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency has stood by its decision to issue an air quality permit for a copper-nickel-platinum mine in the northeast of the state, saying the company didn't mislead regulators and that the potential for a future expansion doesn't cost the mine its air permit.

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Union Pacific Gets Texas MDL For Cancer Suits

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European Union competition officials announced on Tuesday the formal adoption of guidelines governing the financial support and other aid that member countries give to climate, environmental and energy projects.

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Tetra Tech Fights Tribal Immunity In Fire Cleanup Wage Row

A consulting and engineering services firm urged the Ninth Circuit to revive its efforts to hold a tribal entity responsible for alleged wage and hour violations during the cleanup of wildfire damage on reservation land, arguing a district court ruling rendered a provision of its contract with the tribe "meaningless."

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Green Group Sues To Stop Large-Scale Project In Idaho Forest

An Idaho conservation group has sued the federal government for approving an extensive, 67,800-acre landscape-scale restoration project in the Boise National Forest, arguing it rushed the review process and ignored environmental analysis of the area.

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Green Groups Again Sue Army Corps Over Shellfish Permit

A pair of nonprofit organizations have again sued the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in Washington federal court over a nationwide permit allowing for commercial shellfish operations, which they claim is a rehash of a Trump-era permit that the court rebuked in 2019.

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Red Lobster Customers Push Back Against Dismissal Bid

A proposed class of diners is firing back against Red Lobster Management LLC's bid to escape a suit alleging it misleads consumers about the sustainability of its lobster and shrimp sources, saying the restaurant can't expect customers to check its website after its menu promises its products are environmentally friendly.

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Ohio Utility Gets Investor Suit Over $60M Bribery Plot Tossed

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St. Croix Refinery's Reopened Ch. 11 Sale OK'd In Texas

A second-chance, $62 million bidder for the bankrupt and environmentally troubled Limetree Bay Refinery on the island of St. Croix in the U.S. Virgin Islands secured Bankruptcy Court approval for the deal in Texas late Tuesday after a daylong emergency sale hearing contested by the originally named winner.

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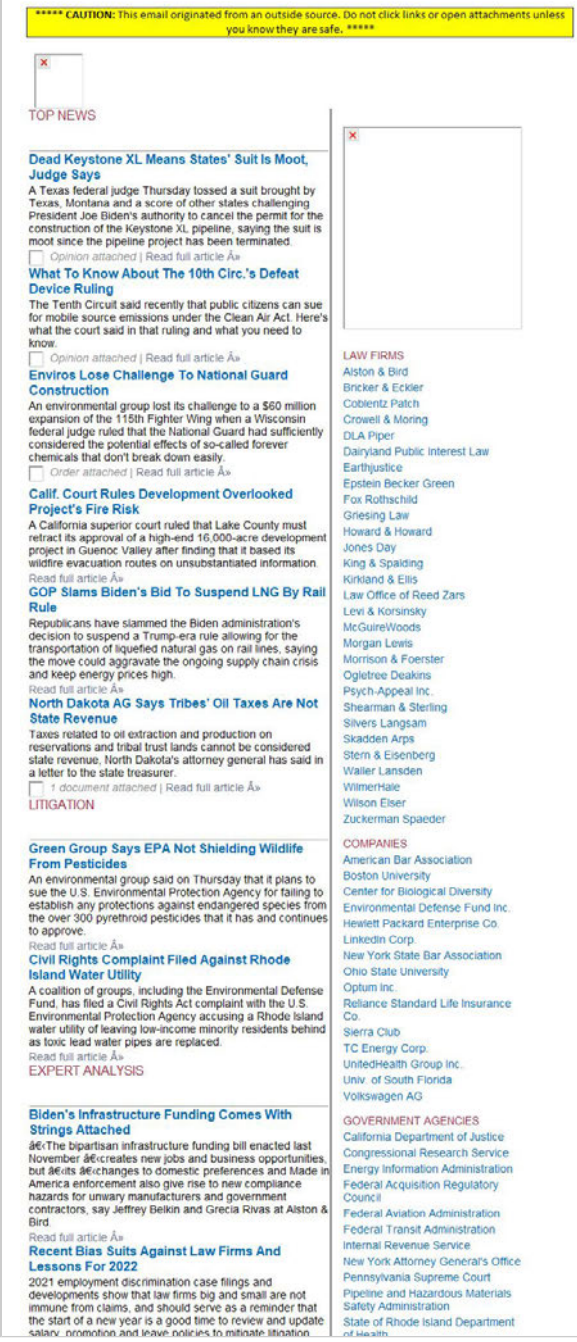

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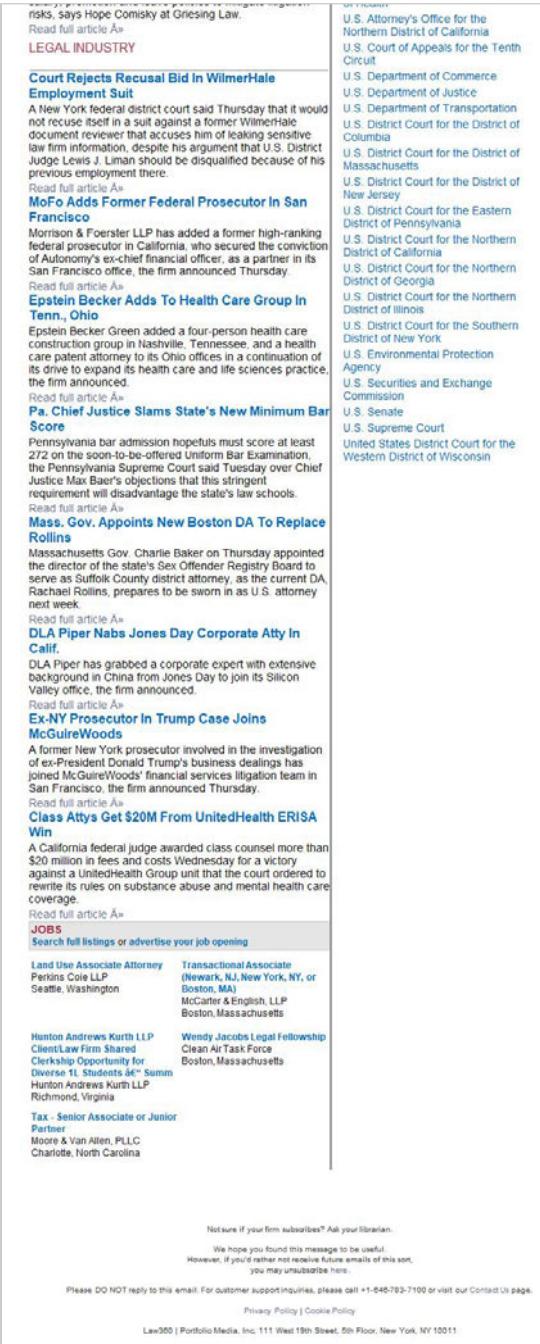
Body	

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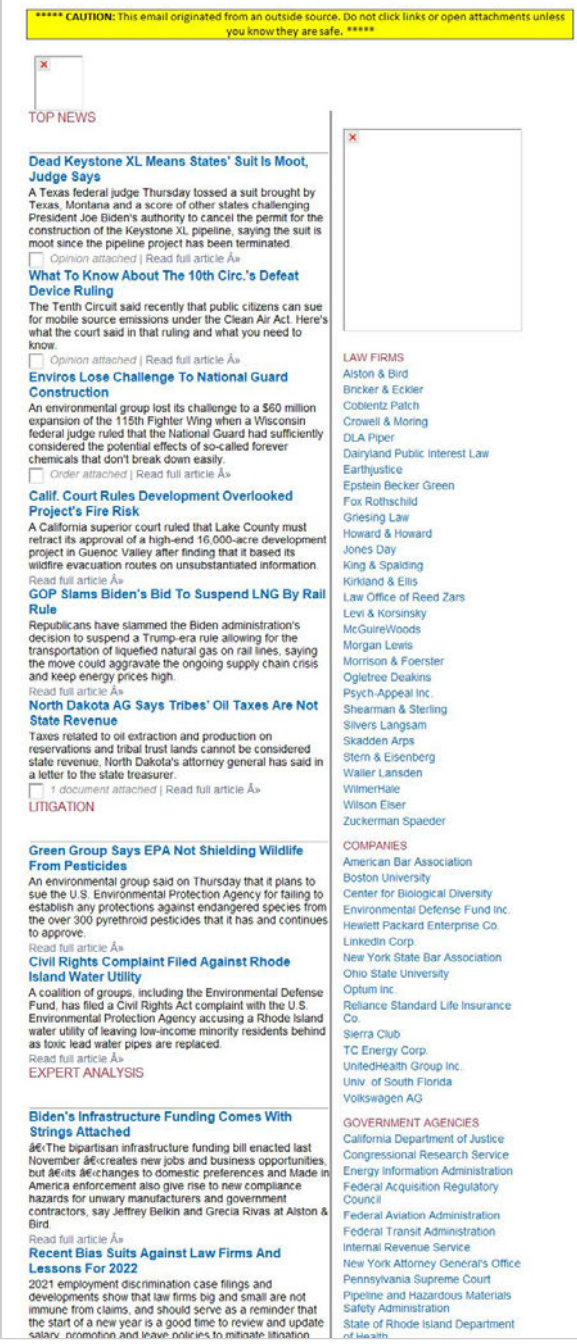

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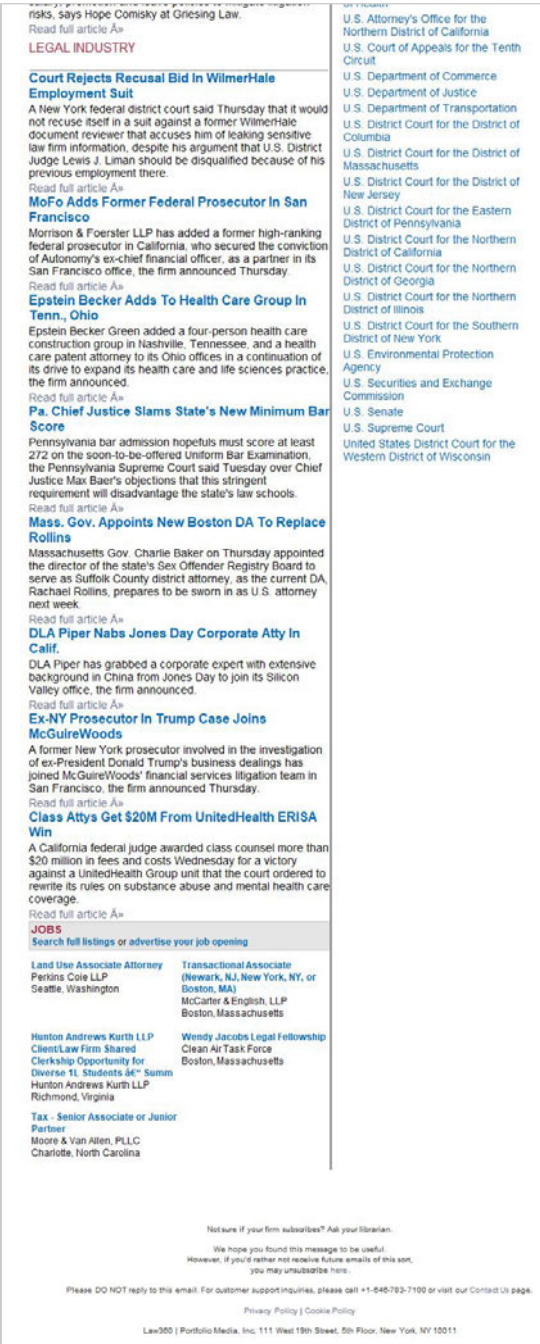
Body	

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Analysis

'Just Do Your Job': Justice Breyer's Legacy Of Pragmatism

With the coming retirement of Justice Stephen Breyer, the U.S. Supreme Court loses not only a core member of its liberal bloc, but also a judicial thinker who cares deeply about making the law work on a practical level, those who worked with him said.

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Analysis

5 Breyer Opinions You Need To Know

Justice Stephen Breyer, who was confirmed Wednesday to be stepping down from the court after 27 years, was a pragmatist who thought about the real-world implications of the high courtâ€™s decisions. Here, Law360 looks at some of the cases that epitomize his career.

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Meet The Possible Nominees For Justice Breyer's Seat

President Joe Biden has promised to nominate the first-ever Black woman to the nation's highest court. Here we look at the contenders for Justice Stephen Breyer's seat, including one notable front-runner.

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Democrats Plan Swift Confirmation Of Breyer Successor

The U.S. Senate's Democratic leaders pledged Wednesday to move swiftly to confirm a successor for U.S. Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer, who is expected to formally announce his retirement Thursday.

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Justice Breyer To Retire From High Court

Justice Stephen Breyer, one of the longest-serving liberal members of the U.S. Supreme Court, will resign his post after more than 27 years on the bench.

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EPA's Enviro Justice Campaign Adds Inspections, Monitoring

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency will take a much more aggressive stance toward polluting facilities in vulnerable communities, including increasing the number of surprise inspections and expanding air quality monitoring capacity, the EPA's leader said Tuesday.

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EPA Declines To Switch Up Ethylene Oxide Risk Calculation

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency on Wednesday proposed sticking with a Trump-era plan for assessing risks posed by ethylene oxide pollution, refusing requests for the agency to use a different risk calculation model that was developed by Texas environmental regulators.

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Biden Administration Revokes Approval For Minn. Mines

The Biden administration on Wednesday revoked an Antofagasta PLC subsidiary's mining leases in Minnesota's Superior National Forest, reversing a Trump-era decision to approve the leases and prompting a threat of legal action from the company.

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Trump NEPA Rule Fight Is A Non-Starter, 4th Circ. Told

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce and other business groups on Tuesday urged the Fourth Circuit not to revive environmentalists' challenge to a Trump-era rule overhauling the National Environmental Policy Act, backing White House arguments that green groups can't fight a rule that hasn't been implemented.

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9th Circ. Won't Rehear Dealers' German Car Antitrust MDL

The Ninth Circuit won't review a three-judge panel's October decision to quash allegations from U.S. car dealerships claiming German auto manufacturers conspired to control diesel emissions system specifications and unreasonably restrain trade in violation of U.S. antitrust law.

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US Steel Disputes Enviro Groups' Standing In Sulfur Suit

U.S. Steel Corp. contended that its Pittsburgh-area facilitiesâ€™ neighbors didn't have standing to sue over alleged environmental violations following a 2018 fire that knocked out a plant's pollution controls for months, arguing to a federal judge that the offending sulfur and soot could have come from other sources.

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Feds Hit With ESA Suit Over Offshore Calif. Drilling

The federal government is underestimating the dangers to endangered species that are posed by oil drilling operations off the California coast and needs to reevaluate those approvals, an environmental group told a federal court Wednesday.

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Allied Universal Nabs Ex-Newmeyer Dillion Atty As New CCO

Allied Universal has hired an ex-Newmeyer Dillion LLP attorney for a new chief compliance officer role after recent legal troubles embroiled the private security giant in allegations of pay discrimination and wrongful deaths.

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How AI Can Transform Crisis Management In Litigation

Attorneys should understand how to use rapidly advancing artificial intelligence technology to help clients prepare for potential catastrophic events and the inevitable litigation arising from them, from predicting crises before they occur to testing legal theories once they arise, say Stratton Horres at Wilson Elser and David Steiger.

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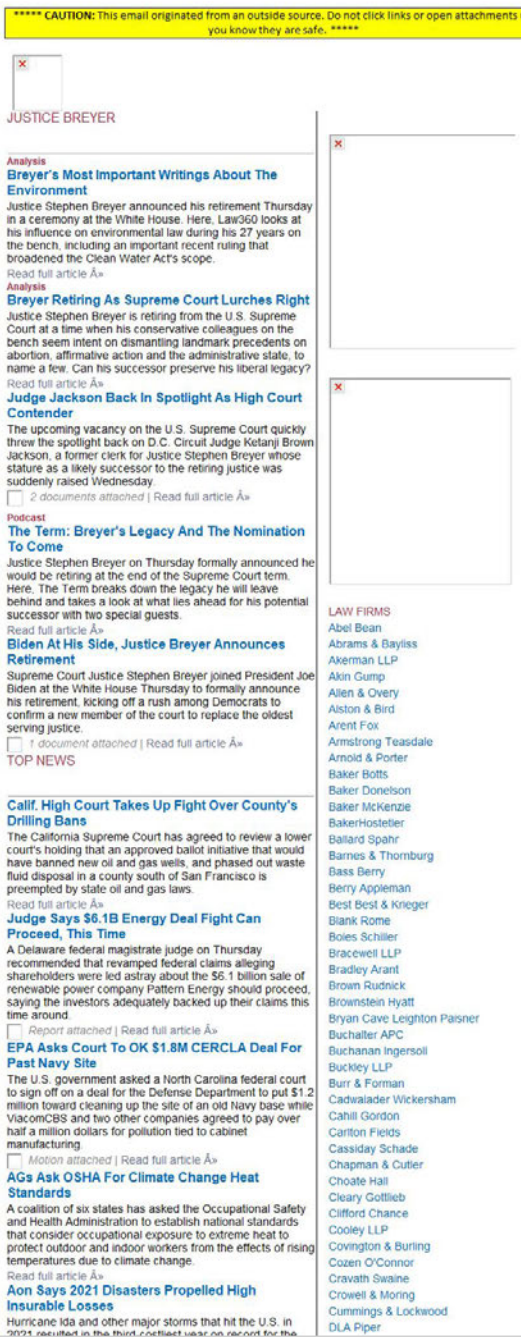

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Breyer's Most Important Writings About The Environment

Justice Stephen Breyer announced his retirement Thursday in a ceremony at the White House. Here, Law360 looks at his influence on environmental law during his 27 years on the bench, including an important recent ruling that broadened the Clean Water Act's scope.

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Breyer Retiring As Supreme Court Lurches Right

Justice Stephen Breyer is retiring from the U.S. Supreme Court at a time when his conservative colleagues on the bench seem intent on dismantling landmark precedents on abortion, affirmative action and the administrative state, to name a few. Can his successor preserve his liberal legacy?

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Judge Jackson Back In Spotlight As High Court Contender

The upcoming vacancy on the U.S. Supreme Court quickly threw the spotlight back on D.C. Circuit Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson, a former clerk for Justice Stephen Breyer whose stature as a likely successor to the retiring justice was suddenly raised Wednesday.

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The Term: Breyer's Legacy And The Nomination To Come

Justice Stephen Breyer on Thursday formally announced he would be retiring at the end of the Supreme Court term. Here, The Term breaks down the legacy he will leave behind and takes a look at what lies ahead for his potential successor with two special guests.

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Biden At His Side, Justice Breyer Announces Retirement

Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer joined President Joe Biden at the White House Thursday to formally announce his retirement, kicking off a rush among Democrats to confirm a new member of the court to replace the oldest serving justice.

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Calif. High Court Takes Up Fight Over County's Drilling Bans

The California Supreme Court has agreed to review a lower court's holding that an approved ballot initiative that would have banned new oil and gas wells, and phased out waste fluid disposal in a county south of San Francisco is preempted by state oil and gas laws.

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Judge Says $6.1B Energy Deal Fight Can Proceed, This Time

A Delaware federal magistrate judge on Thursday recommended that revamped federal claims alleging shareholders were led astray about the $6.1 billion sale of renewable power company Pattern Energy should proceed, saying the investors adequately backed up their claims this time around.

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EPA Asks Court To OK $1.8M CERCLA Deal For Past Navy Site

The U.S. government asked a North Carolina federal court to sign off on a deal for the Defense Department to put $1.2 million toward cleaning up the site of an old Navy base while ViacomCBS and two other companies agreed to pay over half a million dollars for pollution tied to cabinet manufacturing.

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AGs Ask OSHA For Climate Change Heat Standards

A coalition of six states has asked the Occupational Safety and Health Administration to establish national standards that consider occupational exposure to extreme heat to protect outdoor and indoor workers from the effects of rising temperatures due to climate change.

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Aon Says 2021 Disasters Propelled High Insurable Losses

Hurricane Ida and other major storms that hit the U.S. in 2021 resulted in the third-costliest year on record for the

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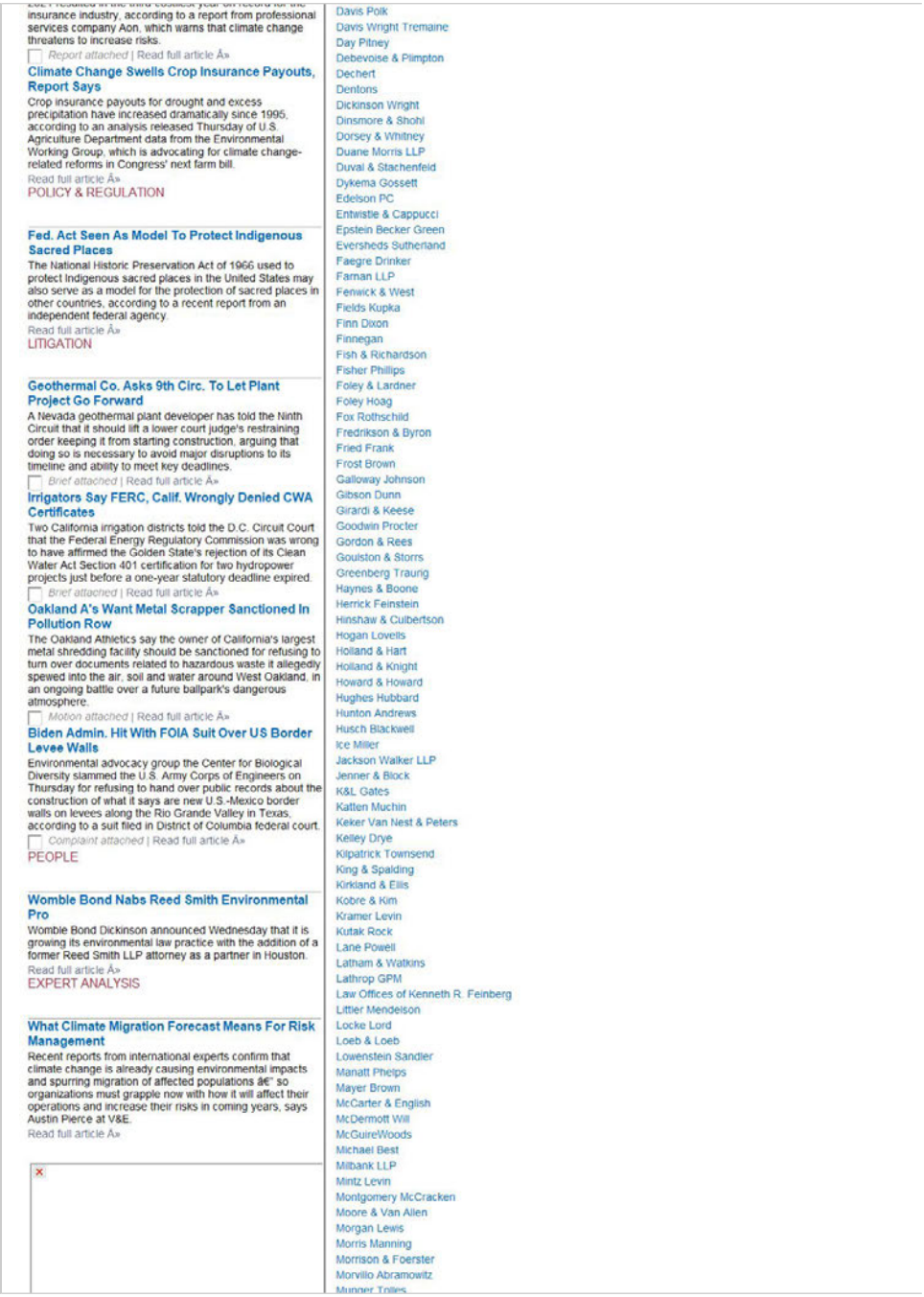

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Climate Change Swells Crop Insurance Payouts, Report Says

Crop insurance payouts for drought and excess precipitation have increased dramatically since 1995, according to an analysis released Thursday of U.S. Agriculture Department data from the Environmental Working Group, which is advocating for climate change-related reforms in Congress' next farm bill.

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Fed. Act Seen As Model To Protect Indigenous Sacred Places

The National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 used to protect Indigenous sacred places in the United States may also serve as a model for the protection of sacred places in other countries, according to a recent report from an independent federal agency.

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Geothermal Co. Asks 9th Circ. To Let Plant Project Go Forward

A Nevada geothermal plant developer has told the Ninth Circuit that it should lift a lower court judge's restraining order keeping it from starting construction, arguing that doing so is necessary to avoid major disruptions to its timeline and ability to meet key deadlines.

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Irrigators Say FERC, Calif. Wrongly Denied CWA Certificates

Two California irrigation districts told the D.C. Circuit Court that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission was wrong to have affirmed the Golden State's rejection of its Clean Water Act Section 401 certification for two hydropower projects just before a one-year statutory deadline expired.

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Oakland A's Want Metal Scrapper Sanctioned In Pollution Row

The Oakland Athletics say the owner of California's largest metal shredding facility should be sanctioned for refusing to turn over documents related to hazardous waste it allegedly spewed into the air, soil and water around West Oakland, in an ongoing battle over a future ballpark's dangerous atmosphere.

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Biden Admin. Hit With FOIA Suit Over US Border Levee Walls

Environmental advocacy group the Center for Biological Diversity slammed the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on Thursday for refusing to hand over public records about the construction of what it says are new U.S.-Mexico border walls on levees along the Rio Grande Valley in Texas, according to a suit filed in District of Columbia federal court.

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Womble Bond Nabs Reed Smith Environmental Pro

Womble Bond Dickinson announced Wednesday that it is growing its environmental law practice with the addition of a former Reed Smith LLP attorney as a partner in Houston.

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What Climate Migration Forecast Means For Risk Management

Recent reports from international experts confirm that climate change is already causing environmental impacts and spurring migration of affected populations â€" so organizations must grapple now with how it will affect their operations and increase their risks in coming years, says Austin Pierce at V&E.

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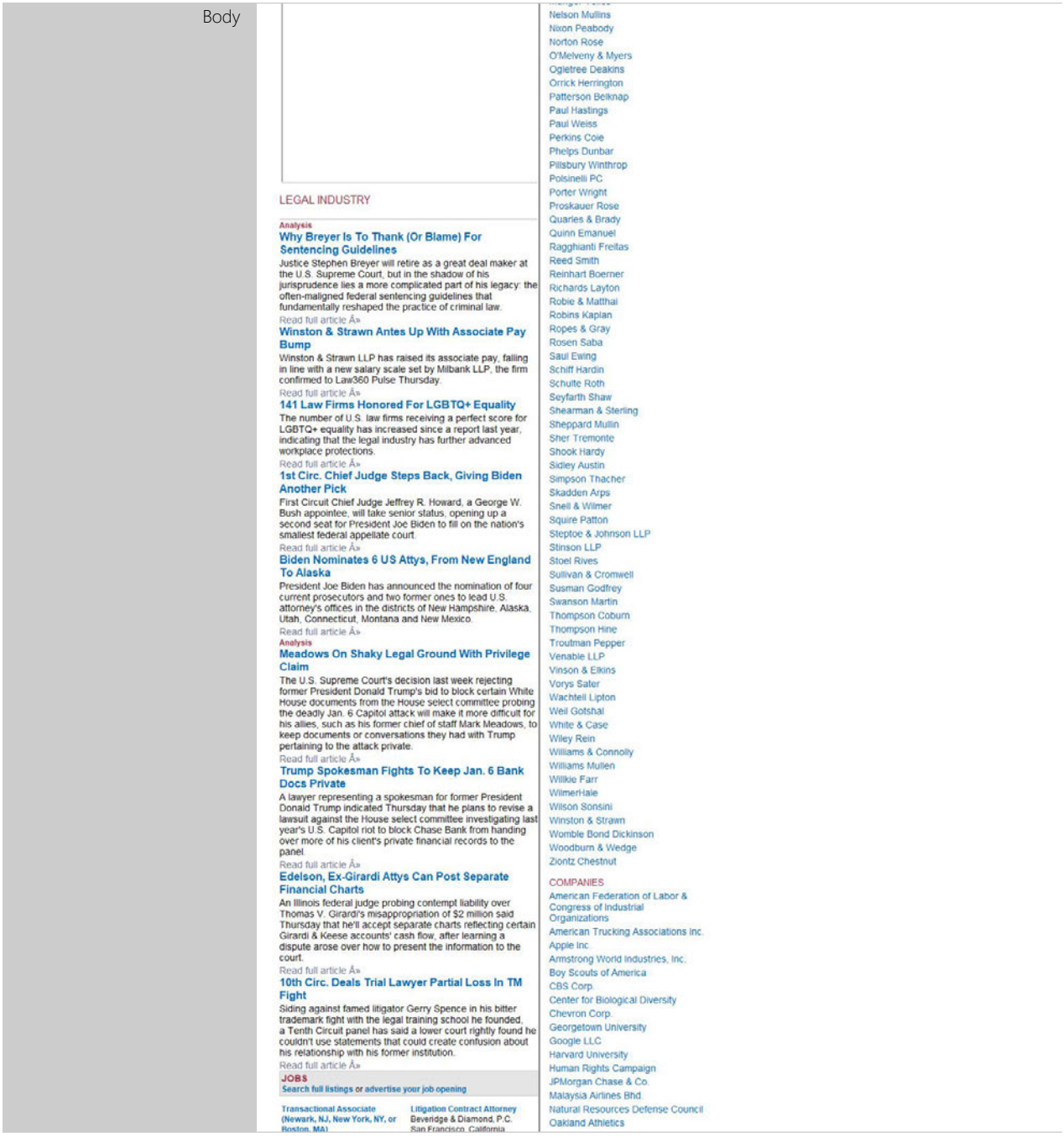

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Why Breyer Is To Thank (Or Blame) For Sentencing Guidelines

Justice Stephen Breyer will retire as a great deal maker at the U.S. Supreme Court, but in the shadow of his jurisprudence lies a more complicated part of his legacy: the often-maligned federal sentencing guidelines that fundamentally reshaped the practice of criminal law.

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1st Circ. Chief Judge Steps Back, Giving Biden Another Pick

First Circuit Chief Judge Jeffrey R. Howard, a George W. Bush appointee, will take senior status, opening up a second seat for President Joe Biden to fill on the nation's smallest federal appellate court.

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Biden Nominates 6 US Attys, From New England To Alaska

President Joe Biden has announced the nomination of four current prosecutors and two former ones to lead U.S. attorney's offices in the districts of New Hampshire, Alaska, Utah, Connecticut, Montana and New Mexico.

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Analysis

Meadows On Shaky Legal Ground With Privilege Claim

The U.S. Supreme Court's decision last week rejecting former President Donald Trump's bid to block certain White House documents from the House select committee probing the deadly Jan. 6 Capitol attack will make it more difficult for his allies, such as his former chief of staff Mark Meadows, to keep documents or conversations they had with Trump pertaining to the attack private.

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Trump Spokesman Fights To Keep Jan. 6 Bank Docs Private

A lawyer representing a spokesman for former President Donald Trump indicated Thursday that he plans to revise a lawsuit against the House select committee investigating last year's U.S. Capitol riot to block Chase Bank from handing over more of his client's private financial records to the panel.

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Edelson, Ex-Girardi Attys Can Post Separate Financial Charts

An Illinois federal judge probing contempt liability over Thomas V. Girardi's misappropriation of $2 million said Thursday that he'll accept separate charts reflecting certain Girardi & Keese accounts' cash flow, after learning a dispute arose over how to present the information to the court.

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10th Circ. Deals Trial Lawyer Partial Loss In TM Fight

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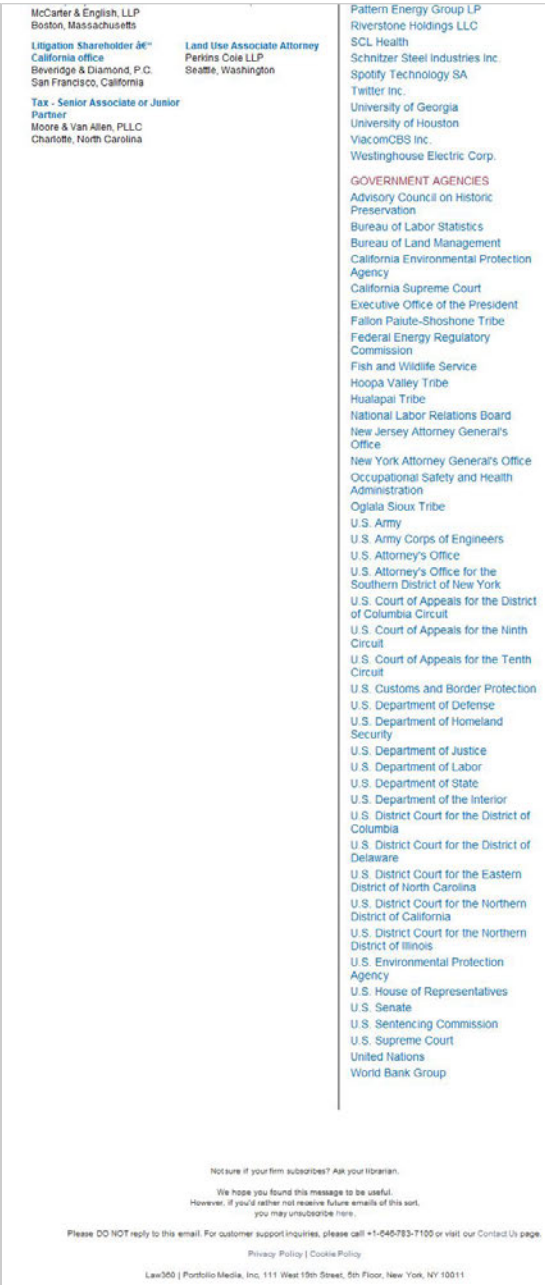
Body	

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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 3:39:07.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 4:33:49.000 PM
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** **ECJD issues order suspending jury trials** East Central Judicial District Presiding Judge John Irby has issued an order suspending jury trials due to COVID-19 transmission increases. **SCJD to return to remote proceedings** South Central Judicial District Presiding Judge Bruce Romanick has issued an order on expanded use of reliable electronic means proceedings. **N.D. Attorney General opinions: Jan. 19** Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem has issued two new opinions. **Big Muddy Bar Association posts 2022 schedule, seeks members** The Big Muddy Bar Association will again be hosting luncheons and providing CLE opportunities for its members in the South Central Judicial District. **U.S. Supreme Court opinion: Jan. 20** The United States Supreme Court has issued an opinion in a confrontation clause case.

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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 4:33:30.000 PM
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** **New opinions: Jan. 27** The Supreme Court has issued three new opinions. **8th Circuit issues opinion in N.D. case** The United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit has issued an opinion in a North Dakota firearms possession case. **U.S. District Court sponsors civics education event** On Jan. 19, 48 students from West Fargo's Sheyenne High School participated in a civics education event organized by U.S. Magistrate Judge Alice R. Senechal. **Job Announcement - Law Clerk** A job announcement for a Law Clerk with the Burleigh County State's Attorney's office in Bismarck has been posted.

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Sender Email	News@ndcourts.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	News from the N.D. Supreme Court
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 11:24:42.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 11:11:15.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 11:24:42.000 AM
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** **Supreme Court accepting applications for Rural Attorney Recruitment Program** The North Dakota Supreme Court is currently accepting applications from counties, municipalities and attorneys interested in participating in the Rural Attorney Recruitment Program. **Edgeley High School team tops 'We the People' finals** After a morning of simulated congressional hearings that tested their knowledge of the U.S. Constitution and Bill of Rights, Edgeley High School took top honors at the 'We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution' state finals challenge. **8th Circuit decides N.D. case** The United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit has issued an opinion in a North Dakota insurance coverage case.

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Record 815

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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	State and local governments have a historic opportunity to serve their communities.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/11/2021 9:10:12.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/11/2021 9:10:08.000 AM
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Record 816

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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Can Political Parties Reform Themselves to Guide the Country Forward?
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/12/2021 9:35:08.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/12/2021 9:35:04.000 AM
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Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Most Major Cities Perform Poorly With Clean Energy
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:19:45.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:19:41.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/15/2021 6:19:45.000 AM

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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Birth, Death and Everything in Between: the Need for Seamless Government
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 6:26:43.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 6:26:39.000 AM
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Record 821

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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	[Papers] The Future Government Workplace, Grant Management Solutions, and More
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 2:04:00.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 2:03:56.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 2:04:00.000 PM

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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Rolling Coal vs. Biking. How Politics Has Changed Transportation.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 6:20:56.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 6:19:50.000 AM
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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Incumbency Addiction: the Habit That Doesn't Go Away
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 6:24:05.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 6:23:14.000 AM
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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Map: How Have Past Pandemic Surges Affected Unemployment?
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 7:30:22.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/22/2021 7:29:15.000 AM
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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	THE YEAR IN REVIEW: Transportation
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/27/2021 6:20:24.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/27/2021 6:19:35.000 AM
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	THE YEAR IN REVIEW: Communities and Housing
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/28/2021 6:21:17.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/28/2021 6:20:08.000 AM
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Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	THE YEAR IN REVIEW: Politics and Race
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/29/2021 6:21:22.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/29/2021 6:19:56.000 AM
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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/29/2021 6:21:22.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/29/2021 6:19:56.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/29/2021 6:21:23.000 AM

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Record 835

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Rescuing Great Books from the Elites
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 6:21:03.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 6:20:12.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 6:21:03.000 AM

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Record 836

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Rescuing Great Books from the Elites
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 6:21:03.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 6:20:12.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 6:21:03.000 AM

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Record 837

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Why Land Titles Need to Go Digital
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 6:20:21.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 6:20:16.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 6:20:22.000 AM

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Record 838

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Why Land Titles Need to Go Digital
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 6:20:21.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 6:20:16.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/4/2022 6:20:22.000 AM

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Record 839

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	2022 Brings Hope for State and Local Broadband Progress
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 3:40:31.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 3:39:41.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 3:40:32.000 PM

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Record 840

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	2022 Brings Hope for State and Local Broadband Progress
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 3:40:31.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 3:39:41.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 3:40:32.000 PM

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Record 841

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The U.S. Has Weathered Crises Before. Here's Why Jan. 6 Was Different.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 6:20:44.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 6:19:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 6:20:44.000 AM

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Record 842

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The U.S. Has Weathered Crises Before. Here's Why Jan. 6 Was Different.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 6:20:44.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 6:19:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/6/2022 6:20:44.000 AM

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Record 843

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Lessons from Washington Metro, America's Last Great Subway System
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 6:21:04.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 6:19:58.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 6:21:05.000 AM

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Record 844

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Lessons from Washington Metro, America's Last Great Subway System
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 6:21:04.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 6:19:58.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 6:21:05.000 AM

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Record 845

Sender Name	GOVERNING Saturday
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority is simultaneously impressive and frustr ating for residents.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 9:10:47.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 9:09:39.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 9:10:47.000 AM

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Record 846

Sender Name	GOVERNING Saturday
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority is simultaneously impressive and frustr ating for residents.
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 9:10:47.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 9:09:39.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/8/2022 9:10:47.000 AM

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Record 847

Sender Name	GOVERNING Sunday Reads
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	An Essential Detour to Wounded Knee, South Dakota
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/9/2022 9:35:38.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/9/2022 9:34:45.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/9/2022 9:35:38.000 AM

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Record 848

Sender Name	GOVERNING Sunday Reads
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	An Essential Detour to Wounded Knee, South Dakota
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/9/2022 9:35:38.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/9/2022 9:34:45.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/9/2022 9:35:38.000 AM

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Record 849

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Why Being Governor Is the Best Job in Politics
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 6:20:41.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 6:19:50.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 6:20:41.000 AM

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Record 850

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Why Being Governor Is the Best Job in Politics
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 6:20:41.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 6:19:50.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 6:20:41.000 AM

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Record 851

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Prison Population Drops as States Revamp Admission Policies
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 6:18:43.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 6:17:51.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 6:18:43.000 AM

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Record 852

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Prison Population Drops as States Revamp Admission Policies
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 6:18:43.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 6:17:51.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/14/2022 6:18:43.000 AM

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Record 853

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Biggest Issues to Watch in 2022
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 6:05:36.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 6:04:34.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 6:05:37.000 AM

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Record 854

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Biggest Issues to Watch in 2022
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 6:05:36.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 6:04:34.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/18/2022 6:05:37.000 AM

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Record 855

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Greener Acres: A Journey from San Francisco to Iowa Farmland
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/19/2022 6:18:41.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/19/2022 6:17:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/19/2022 6:18:41.000 AM

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Record 856

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Greener Acres: A Journey from San Francisco to Iowa Farmland
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/19/2022 6:18:41.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/19/2022 6:17:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/19/2022 6:18:41.000 AM

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Record 857

Sender Name	GOVERNING Saturday
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Schools Are Literally Running Out of Teachers
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 9:04:36.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 9:04:33.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 9:04:37.000 AM

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Record 858

Sender Name	GOVERNING Saturday
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Schools Are Literally Running Out of Teachers
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 9:04:36.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 9:04:33.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 9:04:37.000 AM

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Record 859

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Threat to Our Democracy's Survival, and What We Can Do About It
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 6:19:10.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 6:19:07.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 6:19:11.000 AM

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Record 860

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Threat to Our Democracy's Survival, and What We Can Do About It
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 6:19:10.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 6:19:07.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/26/2022 6:19:11.000 AM

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Record 861

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Fascinating Rise and Fall of Streetcar Suburbs
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 6:22:34.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 6:21:24.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 6:22:34.000 AM

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Record 862

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	The Fascinating Rise and Fall of Streetcar Suburbs
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 6:22:34.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 6:21:24.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 6:22:34.000 AM

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Record 863

Sender Name	Governing
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	[Papers] Improving Outdoor Experience, Social Services Transformation, and More
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 2:02:57.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 2:02:36.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 2:02:57.000 PM

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Record 864

Sender Name	GOVERNING Daily
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	When Politics and Public Administration Are at Odds
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 6:20:09.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 6:20:06.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/28/2022 6:20:10.000 AM

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Record 865

Sender Name	GOVERNING Saturday
Sender Email	newsletters@governing.com
Subject	American cars are getting almost as big as World War II tanks.
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/29/2022 9:05:53.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/29/2022 9:07:33.000 AM

Record 866

Sender Name	The Well News
Sender Email	newsletters@thewellnews.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Fare Well: Issue 39 | Generic Drug Boom, Blockchain for Veteran Health, Contraception Coverage Issues
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:13:09.000 AM

Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:13:00.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:13:09.000 AM
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Record 867

Sender Name	The Well News
Sender Email	newsletters@thewellnews.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Fare Well: Issue 39 | Generic Drug Boom, Blockchain for Veteran Health, Contraception Coverage Issues
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:13:09.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:13:00.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/20/2022 9:13:09.000 AM

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Record 868

Sender Name	The Well News
Sender Email	newsletters@thewellnews.com
Subject	Fare Well: Issue 40 | The Silent Pandemic, COVID Clips, Dementia Village
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:18.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:25.000 AM

Record 869

Sender Name	The Well News
Sender Email	newsletters@thewellnews.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Fare Well: Issue 40 | The Silent Pandemic, COVID Clips, Dementia Village
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:24.000 AM

Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:18.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:25.000 AM
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Record 870

Sender Name	The Well News
Sender Email	newsletters@thewellnews.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Fare Well: Issue 40 | The Silent Pandemic, COVID Clips, Dementia Village
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:24.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:18.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/27/2022 9:23:25.000 AM

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Record 871

Sender Name	C-SPAN.org
Sender Email	noreply@c-spanarchives.org
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	C-SPAN Alert
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 12:42:41.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 12:42:22.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 12:42:41.000 PM

Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Dear Wayne, Justices Hear Case on Vaccine Mandate for Health Care Workers is now available for viewing in the C-SPAN Video Library. Thank you for your interest in the C-SPAN Networks. Cancel this alert.

Record 872

Sender Name	C-SPAN.org
Sender Email	noreply@c-spanarchives.org
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	C-SPAN Alert
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 12:42:41.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 12:42:22.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/7/2022 12:42:41.000 PM
Body	***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Dear Wayne, Justices Hear Case on Vaccine Mandate for Health Care Workers is now available for viewing in the C-SPAN Video Library. Thank you for your interest in the C-SPAN Networks. Cancel this alert.

Record 873

Sender Name	LinkedIn
Sender Email	notifications-noreply@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	You appeared in 1 search this week
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 6:11:16.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 6:10:52.000 AM
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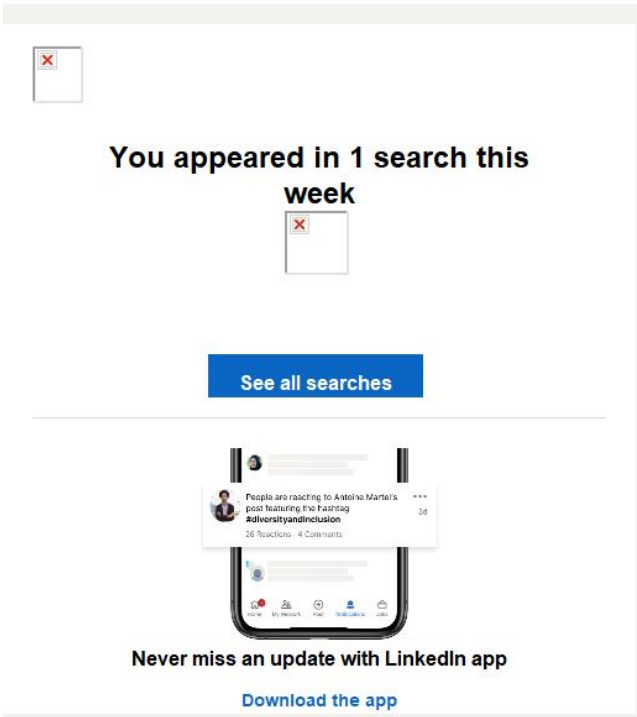
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. You are receiving LinkedIn notification emails. Unsubscribe | Help © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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Sender Email	notifications-noreply@linkedin.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	You appeared in 1 search this week
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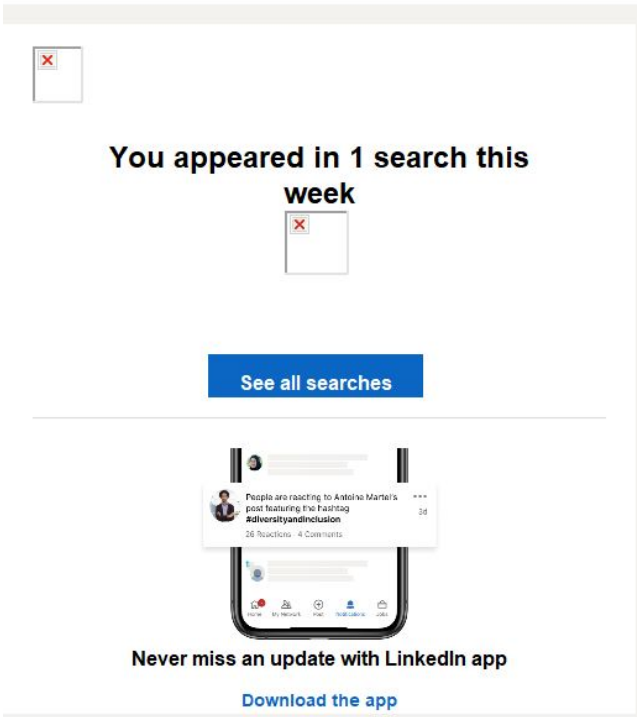
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  This email was intended for Wayne Stenehjem (Attorney General at Office of Attorney General). Learn why we included this. You are receiving LinkedIn notification emails. Unsubscribe | Help © 2022 LinkedIn Corporation, 1000 West Maude Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94085. LinkedIn and the LinkedIn logo are registered trademarks of LinkedIn.

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Subject	You appeared in 8 searches this week
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/29/2022 10:11:04.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/29/2022 10:11:09.000 AM

Record 876

Sender Name	Poolman, Nicole
Sender Email	npoolman@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Retirement
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Sender Email	ntryhus@nd.gov
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Call for you
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 10:07:58.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/12/2022 10:08:00.000 AM
Body	Sen Diane Larson called for you. She has a question arise last night at their District meeting on what the State Republican Party did. 701-400-7218 Thank you and I hope you have a fantastic day! **Nikki Tryhus** Administrative Assistant I Office of Attorney General www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov (701)328-2210 ntryhus@nd.gov

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Sender Name	Grand Forks Herald
Sender Email	offers@grandforksherald.com
Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	Join Jessie Veeder for an exclusive live blog this Wednesday!
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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/14/2021 4:53:09.000 PM
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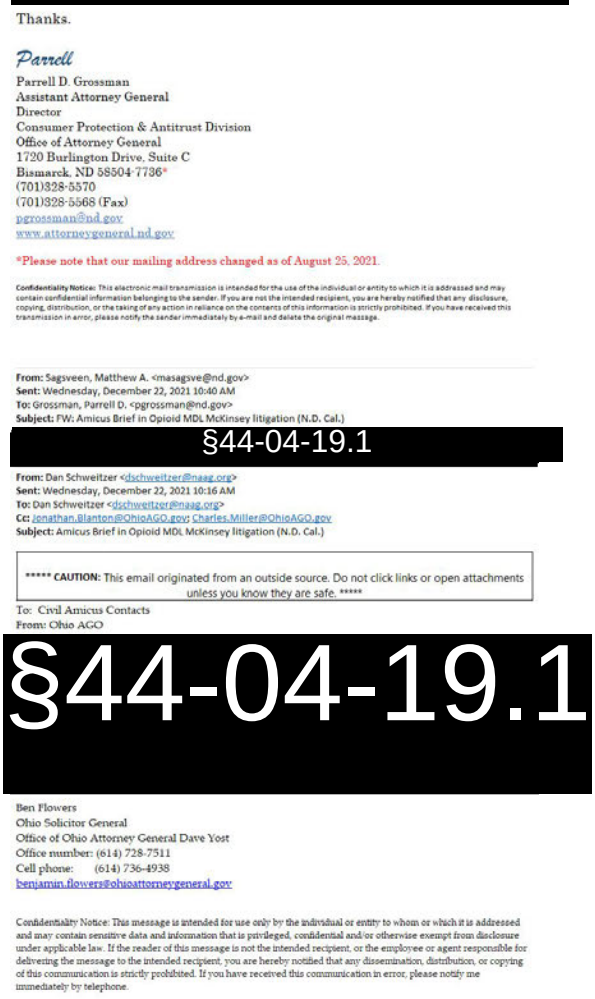
Body	§44-04-19.1 
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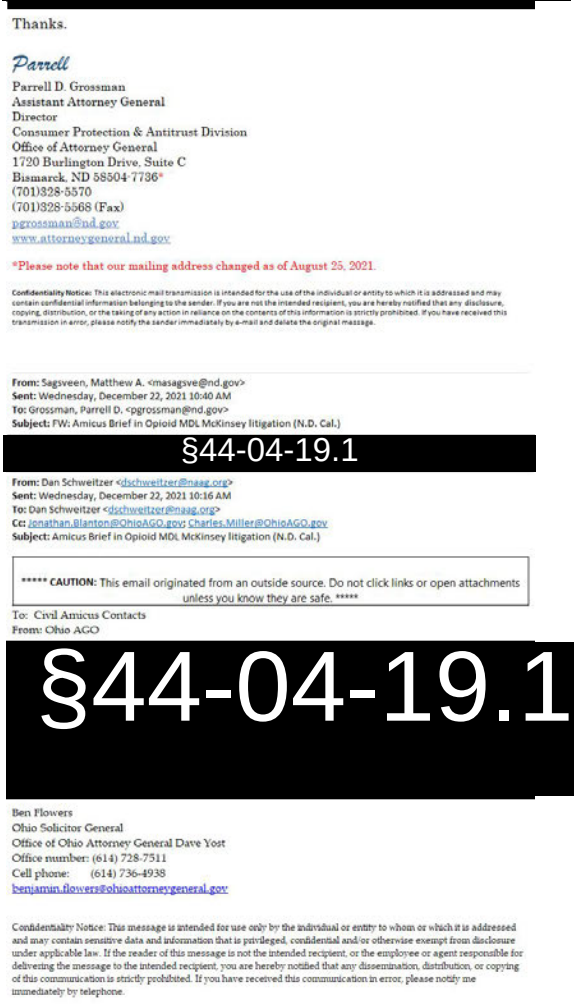
Body	§44-04-19.1 
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Subject: NEW Robocall Sign-On for FCC Reply Comments on Gateway Providers; DEADLINE next Friday, Jan. 7

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OK. Thanks!

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Unless you hear otherwise from me, join!

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Wayne, I recommend we join in this sign-on. The deadline is January 7.

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Body	Attention Honorable Jim Kasper: Representative Kasper, attached is our Investigative Report in this matter. The matter has been completed and will remain on file. Thank you for reporting your concerns to this Office. Respectfully, *Parrell* Parrell D. Grossman Assistant Attorney General Director Consumer Protection & Antitrust Division Office of Attorney General 1720 Burlington Drive, Suite C Bismarck, ND 58504-7736* (701)328-5570 (701)328-5568 (Fax) pgrossman@nd.gov www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov *Please note that our mailing address changed as of August 25, 2021. **Confidentiality Notice:** This electronic mail transmission is intended for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain confidential information belonging to the sender. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution, or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify the sender immediately by e-mail and delete the original message.
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Thanks, Matt. This 9th Circuit panel decision is astounding and my recommendation will be to join after we have had an opportunity to join the amicus brief.

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Subject: FW: Google Street View Amicus Brief - 9th Circuit

Just FYI, AZ is giving us advance notice of an upcoming short deadline brief relating to the class action settlement in the Google case.
Matt

From: Sawyer, Kate <Kate.Sawyer@azag.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 12, 2022 11:02 AM
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Colleagues,

The Ninth Circuit issued an opinion at the end of December affirming the class action settlement in *In Re Google Inc. Street View Electronic Communications Litigation* (opinion attached). Your AGs previously signed on to the amicus brief that we filed in the Ninth Circuit in August 2020 (also attached).

As a reminder, this is a case where the settlement creates a $13 million cash fund, but the entire fund is being sent to class counsel, class representatives, and *cy pres* recipients. Additionally, the settlement's injunctive

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Body	The last attachment is the states signed on so far. The deadline in tomorrow and I don't see a compelling need to join, but have no objection and defer to you. Thanks! *Parrell* **From:** Ryan Greenstein <rgreenstein@naag.org> **Sent:** Thursday, January 13, 2022 3:30 PM **To:** Ryan Greenstein <rgreenstein@naag.org> **Cc:** Wertheimer, Michael <Michael.Wertheimer@ct.gov>; Melissa Wright <Melissa.Wright@OhioAGO.gov>; Blake, Jonathan <Jonathan.Blake@ct.gov> **Subject:** REMINDER: Sign-On Opportunity: Comment Letter to FDA re: OTC Hearing Aid Rules ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** *This message is being sent to all Attorneys General, Chief Deputies/Chiefs of Staff, and Executive Assistants:* As a reminder, if you'd like to sign-on to the attached letter, please return the response form to Ryan Greenstein by email at rgreenstein@naag.org by **5:00pm ET on January 14, 2022.** The request for comments is attached and available at https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/10/20/2021-22473/medical-devices-ear-nose-and-throat-devices-establishing-over-the-counter-hearing-aids If you have any questions about the letter, please do not hesitate to contact Michael Wertheimer of Connecticut at Michael.Wertheimer@ct.gov or Melissa Wright of Ohio at Melissa.Wright@OhioAGO.gov. For an update on signatories, you may access policy letters' status at this link. **Ryan Greenstein** **Legislative Director and** **Special Assistant to the Executive Director** National Association of Attorneys General 1850 M Street NW, 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036 202.326.6262 rgreenstein@naag.org www.naag.org **From:** Ryan Greenstein **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 9:29 AM **To:** Ryan Greenstein <rgreenstein@naag.org> **Cc:** Wertheimer, Michael <Michael.Wertheimer@ct.gov>; Melissa Wright <Melissa.Wright@OhioAGO.gov>; Blake, Jonathan <Jonathan.Blake@ct.gov> **Subject:** RE: Sign-On Opportunity: Comment Letter to FDA re: OTC Hearing Aid Rules *This message is being sent to all Attorneys General, Chief Deputies/Chiefs of Staff, and Executive Assistants:* In response to feedback from other offices, the comment letter to the FDA has been amended. Please see the attached redlined version. If you'd like to sign-on to the attached letter, please return the response form to Ryan Greenstein by email at rgreenstein@naag.org by **5:00pm ET on January 14, 2022.** The request for comments is attached and available at https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/10/20/2021-22473/medical-devices-ear-nose-and-throat-devices-establishing-over-the-counter-hearing-aids

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ATTORNEY GENERAL NEWS

ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIME

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AGA and Illinois Attorney General brought attention to this crucial issue affecting Attorneys General all over the United States; discussing the importance of the investigation and prosecution of these retail criminals.

â€œOrganized retail theft is about more than lost revenue and stolen products. Frequently, the criminal enterprises behind these crimes are connected to other crimes, such as the drug trade and human trafficking. I am committed to identifying the perpetrators behind this and other organized retail crimes in Illinois.â€

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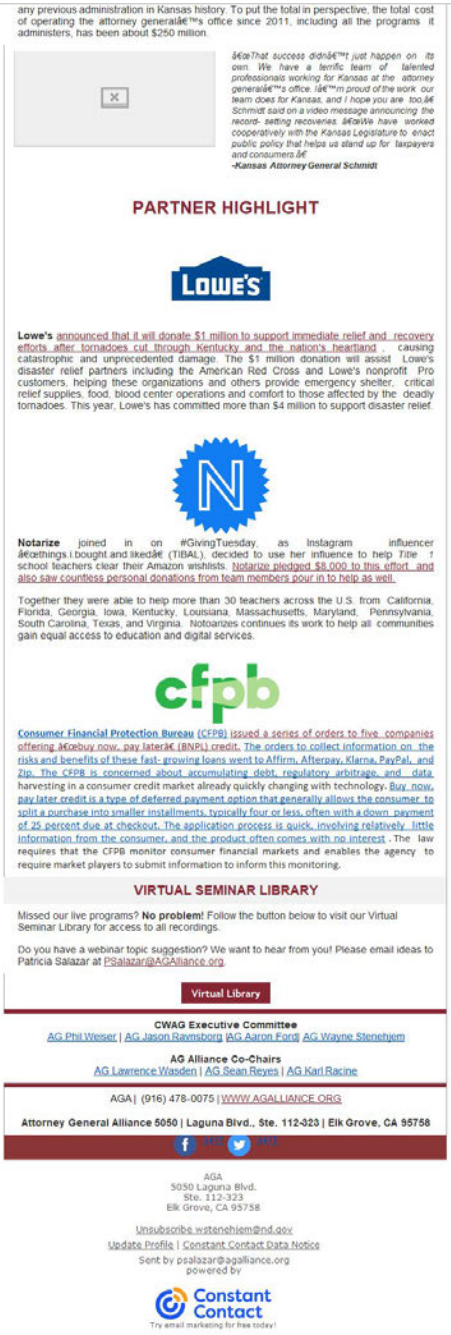
Body	

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Notarize joined in on #GivingTuesday, as Instagram influencer â€œthings i bought and liked†(TIBAL), decided to use her influence to help Title 1 school teachers clear their Amazon wishlists. Notarize pledged $8,000 to this effort, and also saw countless personal donations from team members pour in to help as well.

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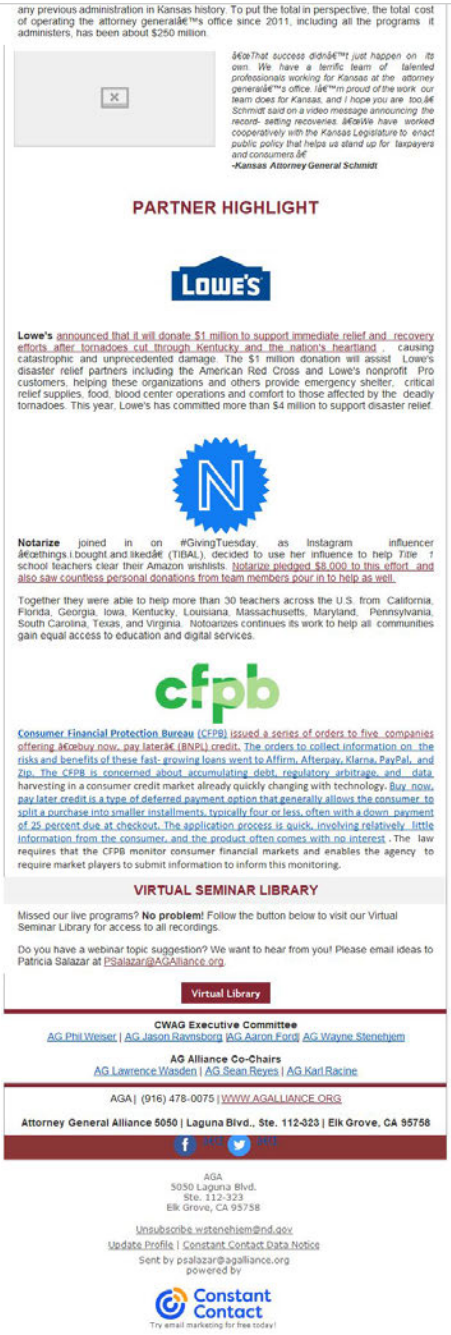
Body	

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Amicus Brief

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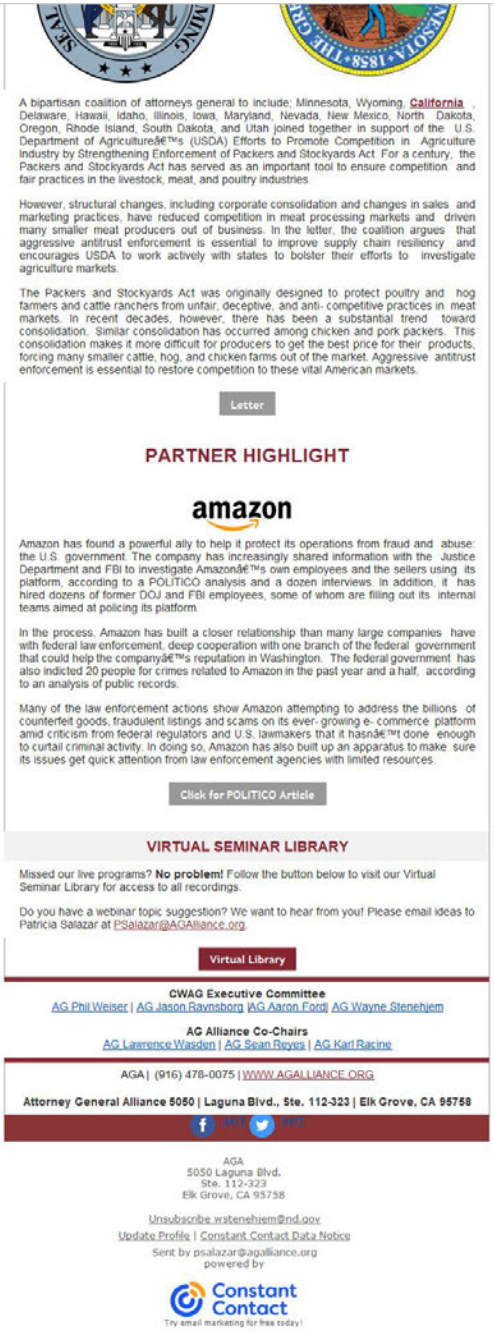
Body	

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Amicus Brief

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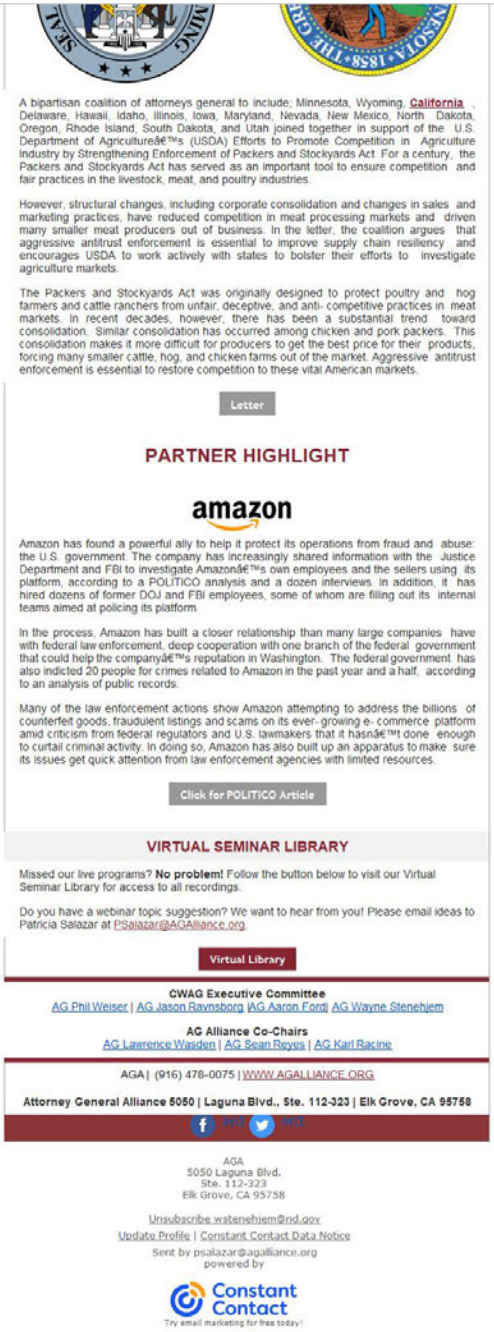
Body	

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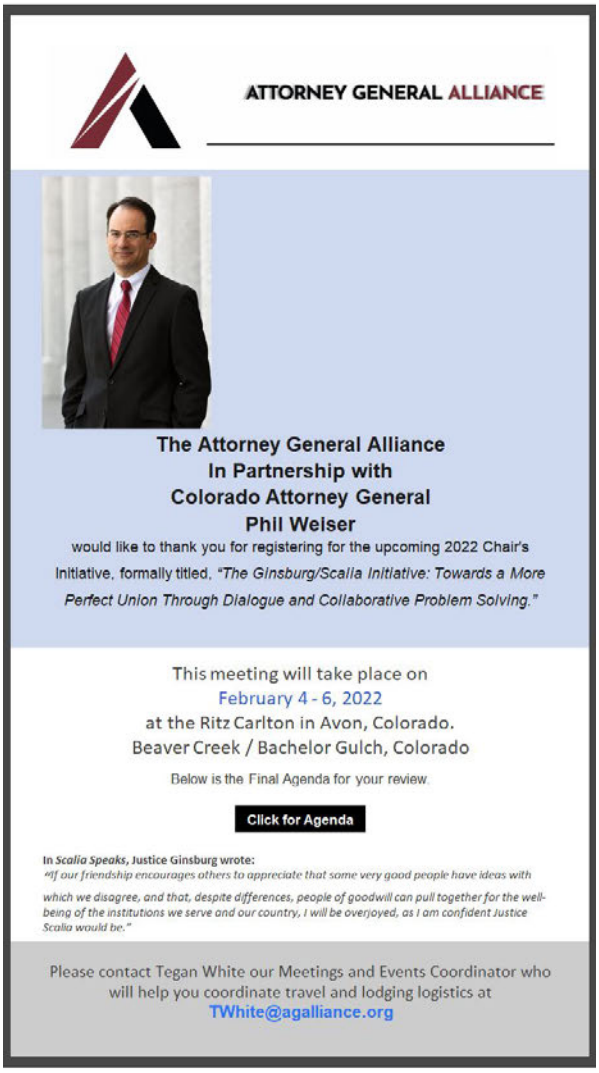

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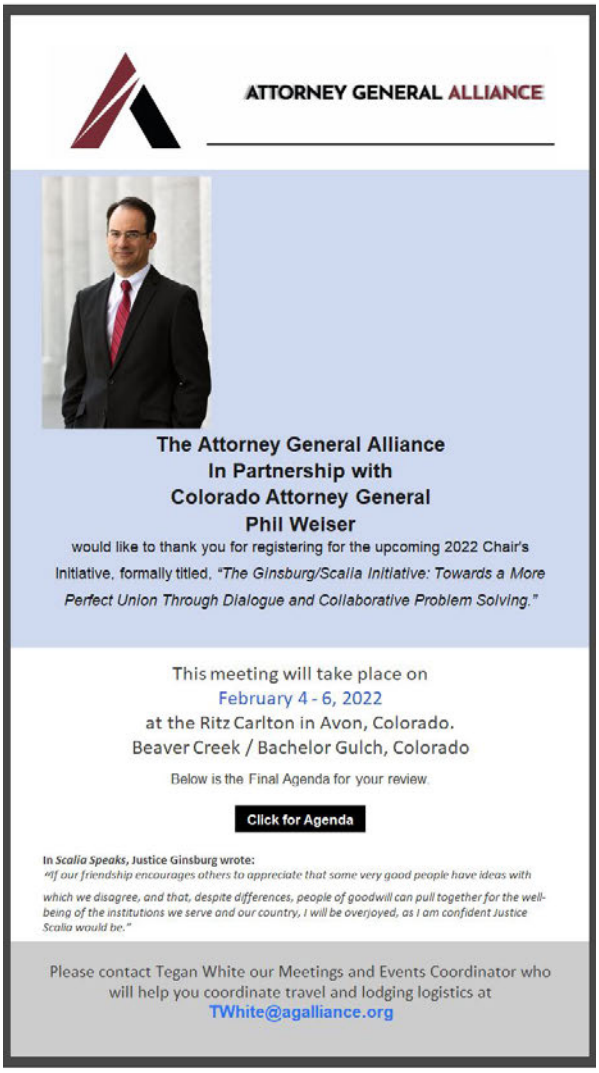

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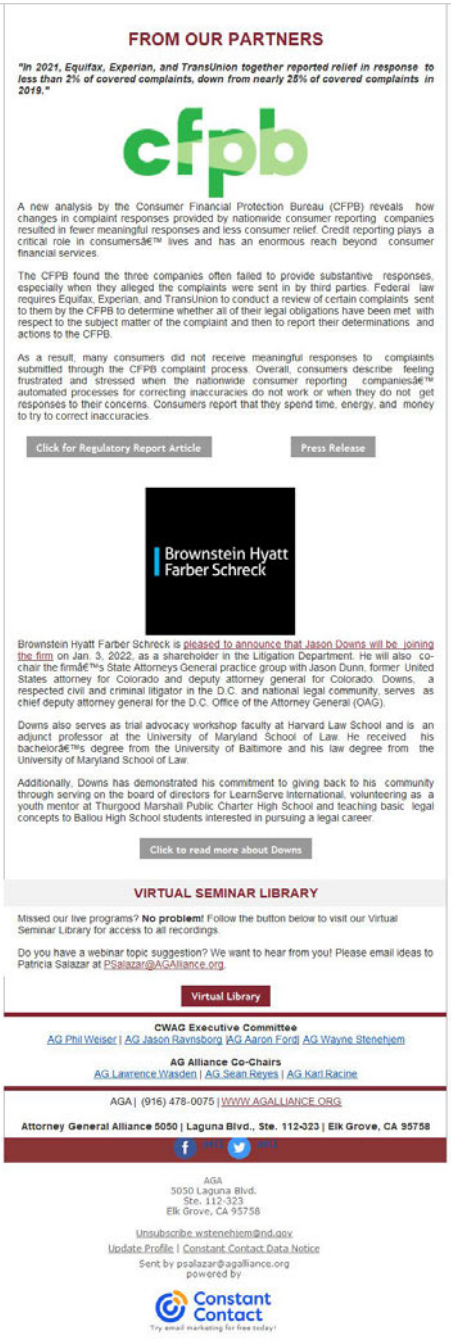
Body	

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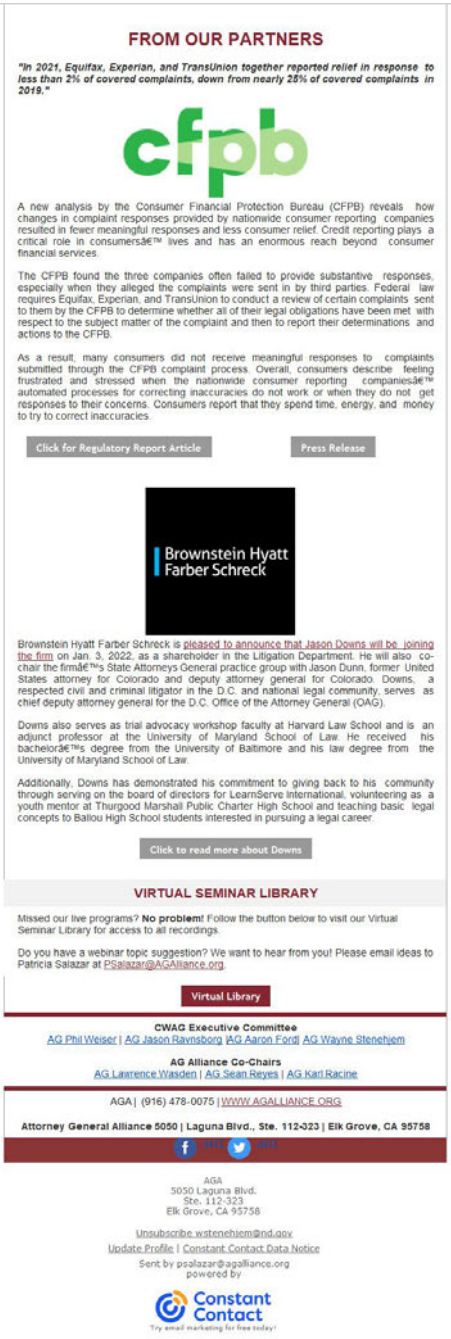
Body	

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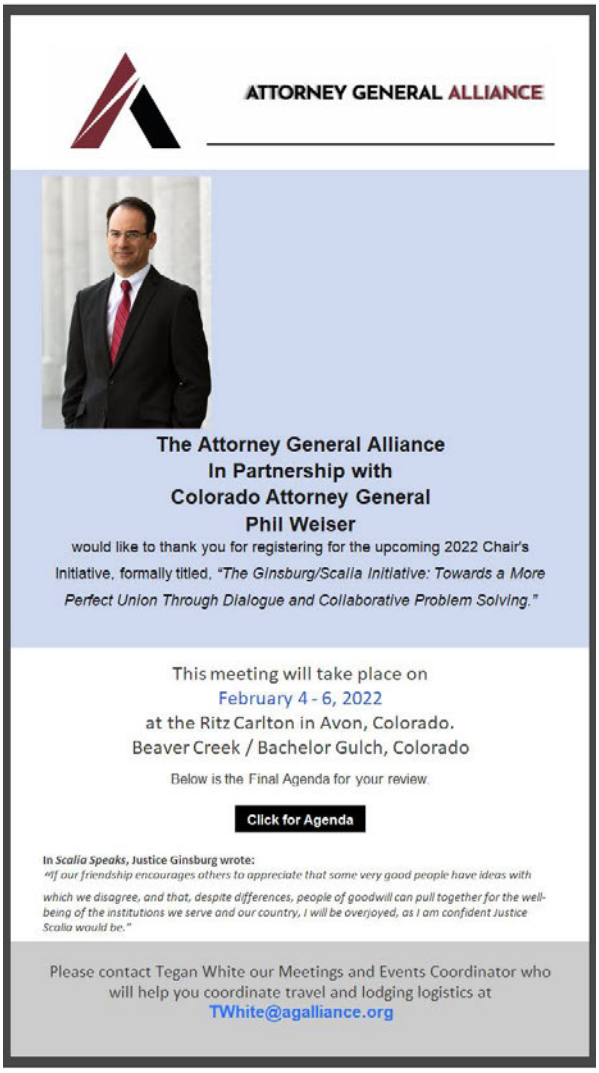

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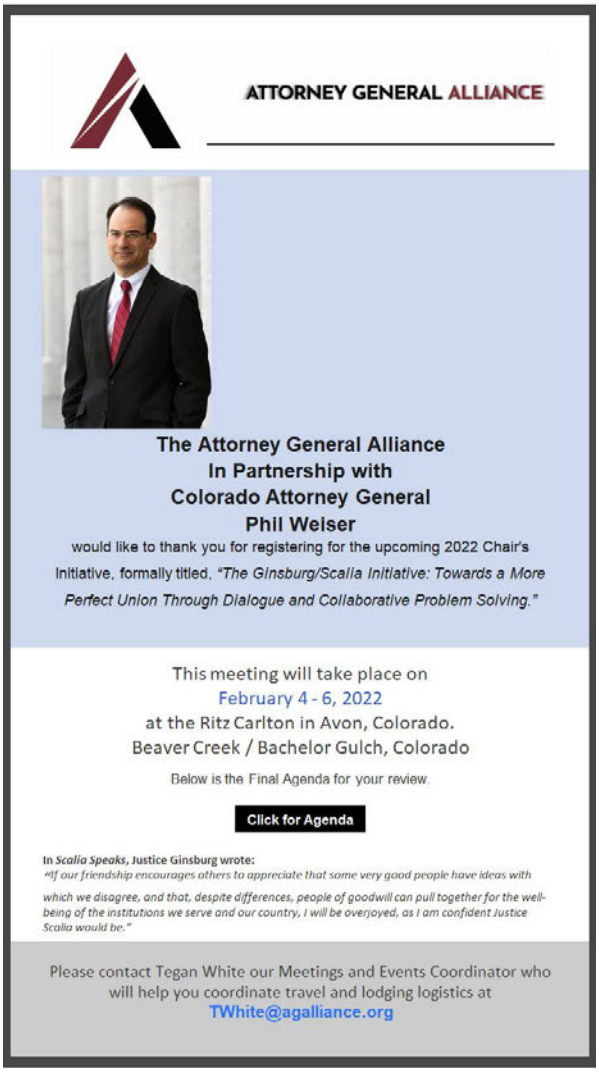

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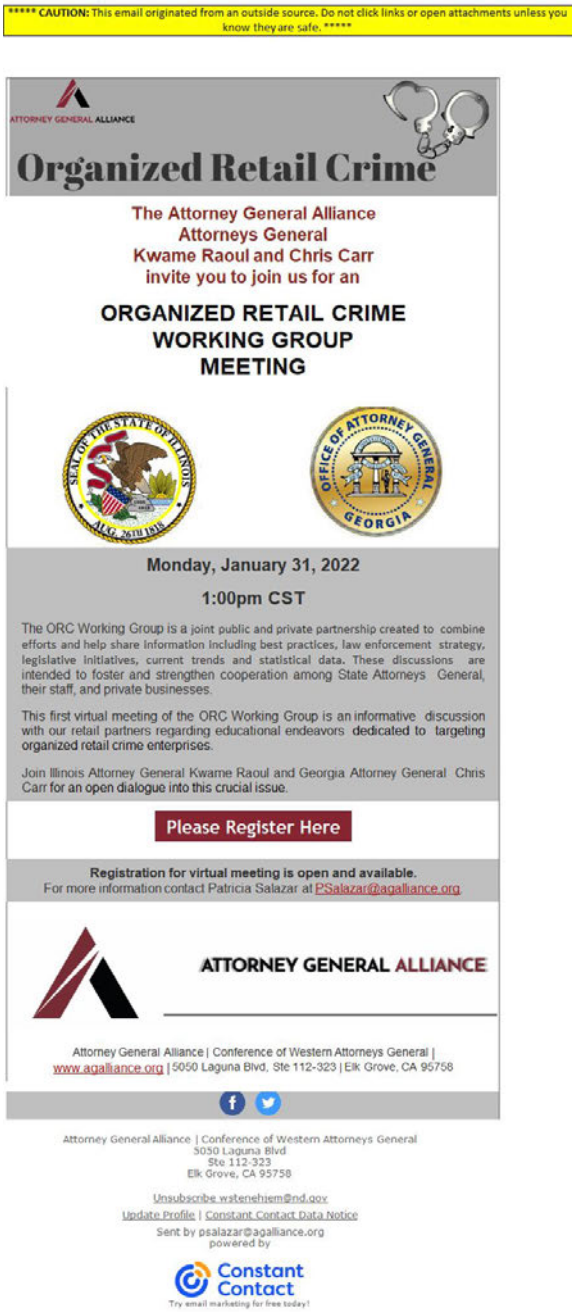
Body	

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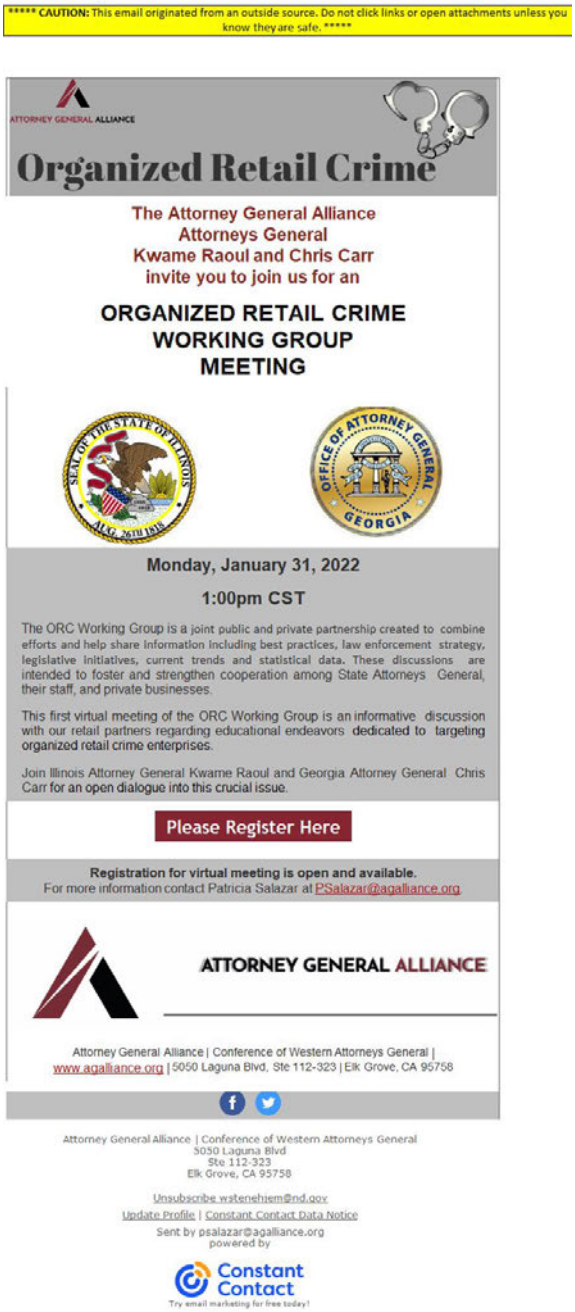

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This half- day seminar is geared toward educating individuals and entities about the national privacy landscape following passage of the Colorado Privacy Act.

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Nebraska Attorney General Doug Peterson joined Governor Pete Ricketts and Colonel John Bolduc from the Nebraska State Patrol in recognizing National Human Trafficking Awareness Month.

Attorney General Peterson reviewed the collaborative work done by many agencies in bringing about some ground- breaking investigations and prosecutions this past year. His office released the Nebraska Human Trafficking Task Force (NHTTF) Update that outlines prosecutions and training numbers for 2021. Agencies and organizations representing 12 groups attended the event and proclamation signing.

Click for NHTTF HT Website Press Release

Body

â€œWe stand ready on behalf of Nebraskans to investigate and prosecute any human trafficking case anywhere in the state. For five years, we have been organizing regionally to make certain we are ready to investigate and stop any trafficking we uncover. The teams are also prepared to make sure each victim involved has access to all the available lifelines.â€
--Nebraska Attorney General Peterson

CONSUMER PROTECTION

A bipartisan coalition of 42 states and territories joined together in urging the U.S. Food and Drug Administration to preserve state authority to enforce their consumer protection laws in connection with the sale of over-the-counter hearing aids.

The FDA is currently considering a proposal that would establish for the first time a new category of over- the- counter hearing aids that would allow such devices to be sold directly to consumers without a medical exam or fitting by an audiologist.

Currently, all 50 states have professional licensing requirements for selling hearing aids, and many states have important protections for hearing aid consumers, including mandatory warranties and returns and advertising restrictions. The attorneys general caution that rules currently under review by the FDA may unintentionally hinder those important consumer protection efforts, undermining statesâ€™ abilities to ensure safe and affordable access to hearing aids. The attorneys general urge the FDA to make explicit that their federal rule will not preempt these critical state consumer protections.

The attorneys general further urge the FDA to strengthen age verification processes to protect children under 18 and make it clear that over- the- counter hearing aids are only appropriate for those with mild to moderate hearing loss.

The comment letter was led by **Connecticut Attorney General William Tong** and **Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost** , and joined by the attorneys general of **Arizona** , Arkansas, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Guam, **Hawaii** , **Illinois** , Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, **South Carolina** , South Dakota, **Texas** , Utah, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wisconsin.

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â€œOver- the- counter hearing aids could become a good option for adults with mild to moderate hearing loss, but we need regulations to ensure they are marketed and managed safely. States have long played that consumer protection role, and federal regulation should complement, not preempt these important safeguards.â€
- - Connecticut Attorney General WilliamTong.

â€œThere need to be affordable options for Ohioans who need hearing assistance, but some of the â€˜aidsâ€™ out there are nothing more than a decorative ear piece. The statesâ€™ ability to protect consumers with things such as warranties, refunds and exchanges is vital and these new rules could prevent that.â€
-Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost

Idaho Attorney General Lawrence Wasden and Secretary of State Lawerence Denney send MyPillow CEO a cease and desist letter along with a $6k bill. Three months after a state investigation disproved MyPillow CEO Mike Lindellâ€™s accusations of voter fraud in Idaho, the information remains on Lindellâ€™s website. Idaho government officials want it gone. They also want Lindell to pay the state for the money it spent proving Lindellâ€™s allegations wrong. Secretary of State Lawerence Denney and Attorney General Lawrence Wasden sent a cease-and-desist letter to Lindell on Tuesday. They asked Lindell to â€œpromptly remove all false statements about Idahoâ€™s elections from your websiteâ€ and â€œrefrain from making similar statements in the future.â€

Body

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MEDICIAD FRAUD

Massachusetts Attorney General Maura Healey announced that her officeâ€™s Medicaid Fraud Division recovered more than $55 million in calendar year 2021.

The AGâ€™s Medicaid Fraud Division investigates and prosecutes providers who defraud the stateâ€™s Medicaid program, MassHealth. The Division is also responsible for reviewing complaints of abuse, neglect, mistreatment, and financial exploitation of patients in long-term care facilities and MassHealth members in any health care settings.

In 2021, the Division secured 22 civil settlements with various entities, including home health agencies, substance abuse treatment facilities, adult day health centers, adult foster care providers, skilled nursing facilities, and dental practices. The overwhelming majority of the Divisionâ€™s recoveries were returned to MassHealth, but funds were also returned to the Department of Public Healthâ€™s Long- Term Care Facility Quality Improvement Fund; patients who had paid out- of- pocket for services that should have been covered by MassHealth; the federal Medicare program; and whistleblowers who brought lawsuits against providers alleging fraud.

Press Release

â€œIâ€™m proud of the vital work our Medicaid Fraud Division does to protect our most vulnerable residents, safeguard taxpayer dollars, and uphold the integrity of the MassHealth program. Addressing fraud and misconduct in the health care sector is a top priority for my office, and we will continue this important work in 2022.â€
--Massachusetts Attorney General Maura Healy

CONSUMER PROTECTION & COVID-19

California Attorney General Rob Bonta issued a price- gouging alert following Governor Gavin Newsom's Executive Order prohibiting price gouging of at- home COVID- 19 test kits. The Executive Order protects Californians by generally prohibiting the sale of at- home COVID- 19 test kits at a price that exceeds, by more than 10%, the price the seller charged for the item on December 1, 2021. Sellers who have not previously sold at- home COVID-19 test kits may not sell testing kits for a price that is greater than 50% of what the seller paid to acquire the testing kit.

Press Release Executive Order

Michigan Attorney General Dana Nessel is amplifying new warnings related to reports of fake at- home COVID- 19 tests being sold online. Both the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and Better Business Bureau (BBB) recently released warnings related to fraudulent tests as AG Nessel issues her website's alert.

Press Release

Body	 **New Mexico Attorney General Hector Balderas** issued a consumer alert warning New Mexicans about COVID- 19 test scams. With more and more people seeking tests, scammers may be exploiting this demand to steal personal, financial, or medical information. New Mexicans should also be aware of reports that certain testing sites are issuing illegitimate â€œnegativeâ€ test results without actual testing taking place. Attorney General Balderas asks New Mexicans to remain vigilant when requesting a COVID- 19 testâ€”both at a testing site and at home. Press Release **Colorado Attorney General Phil Weiser** , in cooperation with the Colorado Department of Public Health & Environment, have ordered the Center for COVID Control to stop all testing operations in the state for failing to be properly certified by the federal government to perform COVID- 19 testing and for failing to report COVID- 19 testing results and cases to the Department as required by state law. Testing locations operated by Macagain Corp. were also ordered to halt operations due to failure to comply with reporting requirements. Press Release **Washington Attorney General Bob Ferguson** is urging consumers to be on the lookout for price gouging on at- home test kits for COVID- 19. Businesses that raise prices on emergency goods and services in order to maximize profit during a declared public health emergency or natural disaster commit an unfair business practice. Washington is one of a minority of states that does not have an anti- price gouging law. Last year, AG Ferguson proposed legislation to prohibit price- gouging on emergency goods and services during a declared state of emergency. Press Release **Oregon Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum** encourages Oregonians to watch out for suspicious COVID- 19 Testing Sites. With the growth of the highly contagious Omicron variant and the demand for COVID- 19 tests rising throughout Oregon, Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum reminded Oregonians to watch for testing sites or vendors that are selling at- home tests for sky- high prices. Oregonians should be cautious of pop- up testing sites that charge out- of- pocket fees, do not display logos, do not disclose the laboratory performing the test, are not affiliated with a known organization, and those that ask for sensitive information like social security numbers. Press Release **STUDENT LOANS**

Body	 A coalition of 39 state attorneys general â€" led by AGs from Pennsylvania , Washington , Illinois, Massachusetts , and California â€" reached a settlement with student loan servicer Navient over allegedly unfair, deceptive, and abusive student loan origination and servicing practices. The $1.8 billion settlement will undoubtedly draw eyes, but perhaps just as important is the validation that state AGs are keying in on ability- to- repay determinations as a source for potential unfair and deceptive acts or practices (UDAP) claims. Over the last several years, this ability- to- repay theory has gained major traction with the AGs as they combat what they perceive to be predatory lending in a number of industries. **WELCOMING VIRGINIA'S NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Jason Stuart Miyares** assumed the office of the State of Virginia's 48th Attorney General on January 15, 2022. Attorney General Miyares was born February 11, 1976 in Greensboro, North Carolina and attended public schools in Virginia Beach. He earned a Bachelor of Business Administration from James Madison University and a Juris Doctor from College of William & Maryâ€™s Law School. He served as an assistant commonwealth's attorney in Virginia Beach and was elected a member of the Virginia House of Delegates on November 3, 2015, from the 82nd district which encompasses part of Virginia Beach. *"A person whoâ€™s different than you politically is not your enemy, so letâ€™s stop acting like it.â€* ***-- Virginia Attorney General Jason Miyares*** **VIRTUAL SEMINAR LIBRARY** Missed our live programs? **No problem!** Follow the button below to visit our Virtual Seminar Library for access to all recordings. Do you have a webinar topic suggestion? We want to hear from you! Please email ideas to Patricia Salazar at PSalazar@AGAlliance.org **Virtual Library** **CWAG Executive Committee** AG Phil Weiser | AG Jason Ravnsborg |AG Aaron Ford| AG Wayne Stenehjem **AG Alliance Co-Chairs** AG Lawrence Wasden | AG Sean Reyes | AG Kari Racine AGA| (916) 476-0075 | WWW.AGALLIANCE.ORG **Attorney General Alliance 5050 | Laguna Blvd., Ste. 112-323 | Elk Grove, CA 95758** AGA 5050 Laguna Blvd. Ste. 112-323 Elk Grove, CA 95758 Unsubscribe wstenehjem@nd.gov Update Profile | Constant Contact Data Notice Sent by psalazar@agalliance.org powered by Constant Contact Try email marketing for free today!

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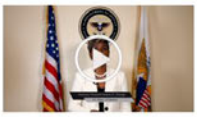
U.S. Virgin Islands Attorney General Denise George announced a collaboration with the national child protection thinktank, CHILD USA, local and federal law enforcement agencies as well as victim services organizations in the Virgin Islands to spearhead programs to combat human trafficking crimes that have plagued the Virgin Islands for years.

This month is proclaimed National Human Trafficking Prevention Month and dedicated to deepening public understanding of human trafficking, as well as an opportunity to denounce the individuals, institutions, and systems that enable and perpetuate human trafficking.



Press Release Training Link

CONSUMER PROTECTION

A bipartisan group of four Attorneys Generals recently sued Google, LLC for deceiving and manipulating consumers to gain access to their location data, including making it nearly impossible for users to stop their location from being tracked. This coordinated bipartisan effort is meant to hold Google accountable for misleading and violating the privacy of its users.

CNN News The Washington Post CNBC News

Body

"Iâ€™m proud to lead this bipartisan group of attorneys general that will hold Google accountable for its deception. Through this lawsuit, we will hold Google accountable, and in the process, educate consumers on how their personal dataâ€”particularly sensitive data about their physical locationâ€”is collected, stored, and monetized. This result of our collective action is that consumers, not Google, will determine how their data is or is not used.â€
-- District of Columbia Attorney General Karl A. Racine

DC Lawsuit | Press Release

â€œGoogleâ€™s founding motto is â€"Donâ€™t Be Evil.â€™ And yet it systematically lies to millions of consumers in order to stack billions of dollars into its coffers. Big Tech companies like Google continue to erode the American way of life and often break the law to maintain their overwhelming dominant market position. This lawsuit is just another part of my fight against Big Tech. Iâ€™ll hold Google accountable for misleading and deceiving Texans. This is not only an unethical invasion of privacyâ€”itâ€™s against the law.â€
-- Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton

TX Lawsuit | Press Release

â€œLocation data is deeply personal for consumers. This information reveals the most significant details of our lives. Google denied consumers the ability to choose whether Google could track their sensitive location data to make a profit. Google kept tracking individualsâ€™ location data even after consumers told the corporation to stop. This is not only dishonest â€" itâ€™s unlawful.â€
-- Washington Attorney General Bob Ferguson

WA Lawsuit | Press Release

â€œProtecting Hoosiers from Big Techâ€™s deceptive and unfair practices continues to be a major focal point of my administration. Consumers tend to believe the promises that companies make to them, and Iâ€™m here to hold businesses accountable when they unlawfully betray consumersâ€™ trust.â€
--Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita

IN Lawsuit | Press Release

COVID-19 MANDATES

Missouri Attorney General Eric Schmitt announced nine more lawsuits against Missouri school districts with masking rules, with the majority of new legal actions targeting districts in the St. Louis region. Schmitt, said in a news release that his office was now suing Bayless, Hancock Place, Jennings, Lexington, Kirkwood, Ritenour, Special School District of St. Louis County, Meramec Valley and University City. The new lawsuits were in addition to 36 lawsuits filed last week, including at least 19 that targeted districts in the St. Louis region.

Press Release

Body

â€œAs weâ€™ve made clear from the beginning, the power to make health decisions for their children should be in the hands of parents, not bureaucrats,â€ Schmitt said in a statement.
-- Missouri Attorney General Eric Schmitt

OPIOIDS

New York, North Carolina, California, Ohio, and Illinois Attorneys General announced that a [federal court ruled in favor of the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), and seven other states, finding that convicted criminal Martin Shkreli engaged in illegal and monopolistic behavior when he served as the CEO of Vyera Pharmaceuticals (previously known as Turing Pharmaceuticals). The court found that Shkreli violated both federal and state laws by engaging in anticompetitive conduct to protect monopoly profits on the life- saving drug Daraprim (pyrimethamine) â€" banning him for life from the pharmaceutical industry and ordering him to pay nearly $65 million.

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â€œâ€Envy, greed, lust, and hate,â€™ donâ€™t just â€"separate,â€™ but they obviously motivated Mr. Shkreli and his partner to illegally jack up the price of a life- saving drug as Americansâ€™ lives hung in the balance. But Americans can rest easy because Martin Shkreli is a pharma bro no more. A federal court has not only found that his conduct was illegal, but also banned this convicted criminal from the pharmaceutical industry for life and required him to pay nearly $65 million. This is on top of the $40 million weâ€™ve already secured from Vyera. The rich and powerful donâ€™t get to play by their own set of rules, so it seems that cash doesnâ€™t rule everything around Mr. Shkreli. New Yorkers can trust that my office will do everything possible to hold the powerful accountable, in addition to fighting to protect their health and their wallets.â€
--New York Attorney General Letitia James

NY Press Release

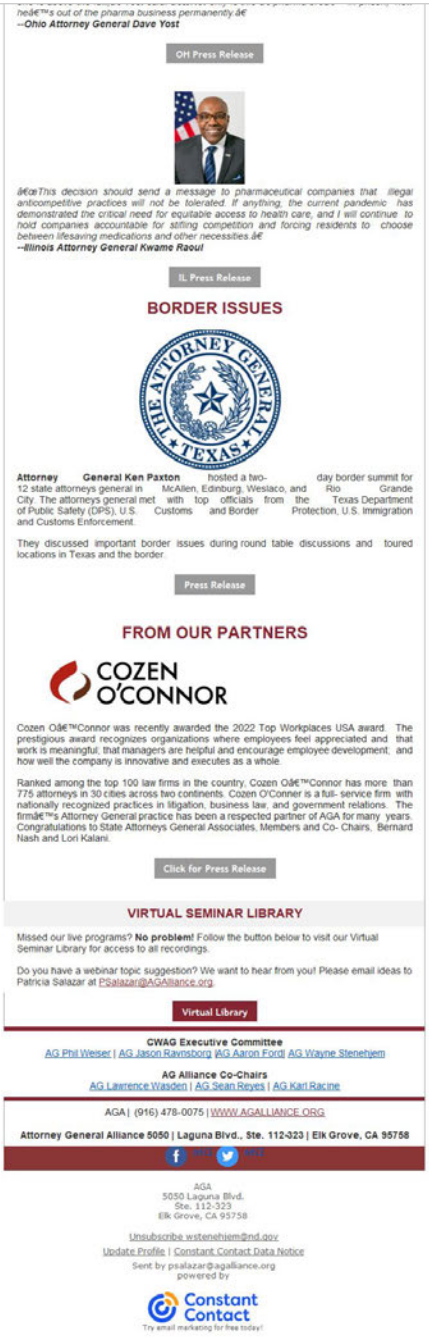
â€œTodayâ€™s win is an important one in our fight to make sure Americans can get affordable, live- saving medications. Martin Shkreli put profits over peopleâ€™s lives â€" it was unconscionable and illegal, and Iâ€™m pleased heâ€™ll never be able to work in the pharmaceutical industry again. Drug companies and executives should take note: if you illegally raise drug prices for your own financial gain, I will hold you accountable.â€
--North Carolina Attorney General Josh Stein

NC Press Release

â€œWithout regard for the lives he put at risk, Martin Shkreli orchestrated a scheme to raise the price of a vital medication from less than $20 to $750 â€" making it nearly impossible for the people who rely on the medication to access or afford it. Todayâ€™s relief is extraordinary and fair. Shkreli will be held accountable for his misconduct, and I hope it sends a message that similar conduct will not be tolerated.â€
--California Attorney General Rob Bonta

CA Press Release

â€œMartin Shkreli thought he could make his own rules because he had money, but no one is above the law,â€ Yost said. â€œHe's not only is this â€"pharma broâ€™ in prison, now

Body	

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Body	*of Staff, and Executive Assistants:* The Attached and below are provided by Tracy Nayer in the NC AGO. _____ These Reply Comments support the FCC's proposal to place new obligations on gateway providers that serve as the U.S. point of entry for foreign-originated illegal robocalls. This effort is co-sponsored by Arkansas, Pennsylvania, and North Carolina. Attached is a copy of the FNPRM, the sign-on memo and form, and the Reply Comments. If you are interested in joining as a signatory to these Reply Comments, please complete and **return the sign-on form to Tracy Nayer in NC (tnayer@ncdoj.gov), Ryan Greenstein at NAAG (rgreenstein@naag.org), and Ashley Wynstra at NAAG (awynstra@naag.org) by NEXT Friday, January 7, 2022, at 3:00 pm ET.** *NOTE: The FCC filing is the following Monday, so we do have a bit of wiggle room if you need a few more hours beyond the 3pm ET deadline. Please keep Tracy Nayer in NC AGO Tnayer@ncdoj.gov posted on your progress.* These comments build on prior comments to which 51 AGs signed on and these comments are the next steps in our collective advocacy and are absolutely significant and consequential so we urge all prior signatories to these comments as well. If you have any questions about the Reply Comments as you consider joining, please feel free to contact any of the following members of the Robocall Technologies Working Group Executive Committee: • John Abel in PA (jabel@attorneygeneral.gov) • Brandon Bingle in PA (bbingle@attorneygeneral.gov) • David McCoy in AR (david.mccoy@arkansasag.gov) • Peggy Johnson in AR (peggy.johnson@arkansasag.gov) • Tracy Nayer in NC (tnayer@ncdoj.gov). Press will be coordinated for this sign-on through North Carolina's press office. Please direct all press related inquiries to NC's Press Secretary Nazneen Ahmed at Nahmed@ncdoj.gov or 919-716-0060. **Tracy Nayer** Assistant Attorney General North Carolina Department of Justice Consumer Protection Division (919) 716-6581 tnayer@ncdoj.gov Post Office Box 629, Raleigh, NC 27602 ncdoj.gov Please note messages to or from this address may be public records. **Todd E. Leatherman** **Program Counsel, NAGTRI Center for Consumer Protection** National Association of Attorneys General 1850 M Street NW, 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036 859.753.0726 office tleatherman@naag.org www.naag.org
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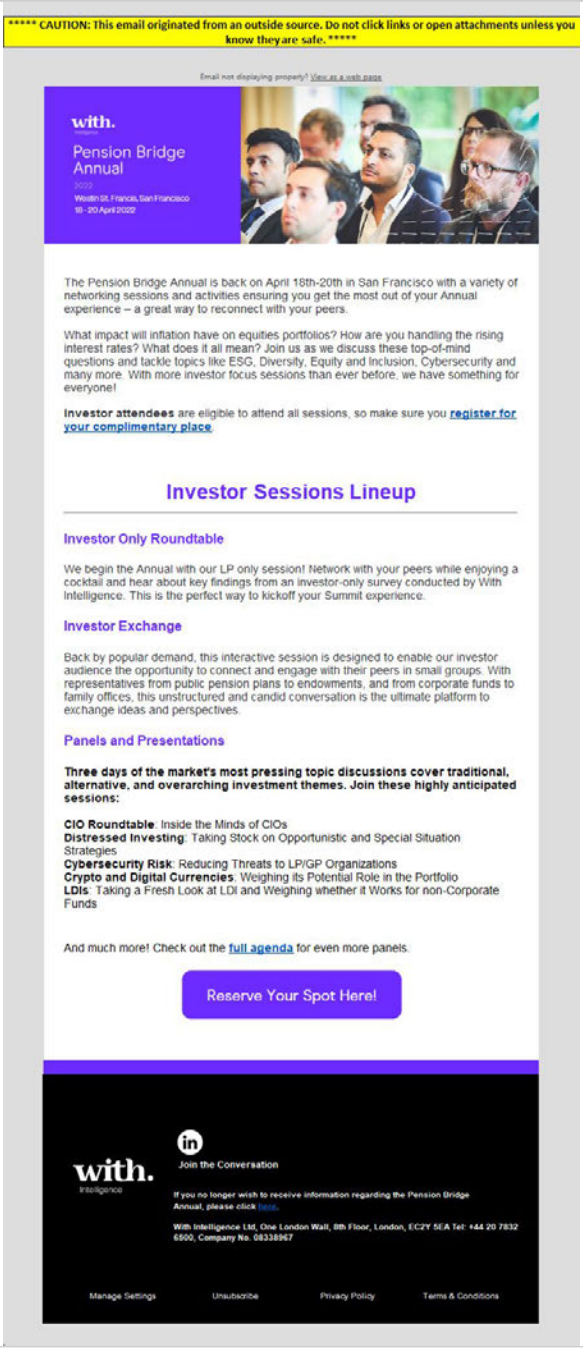

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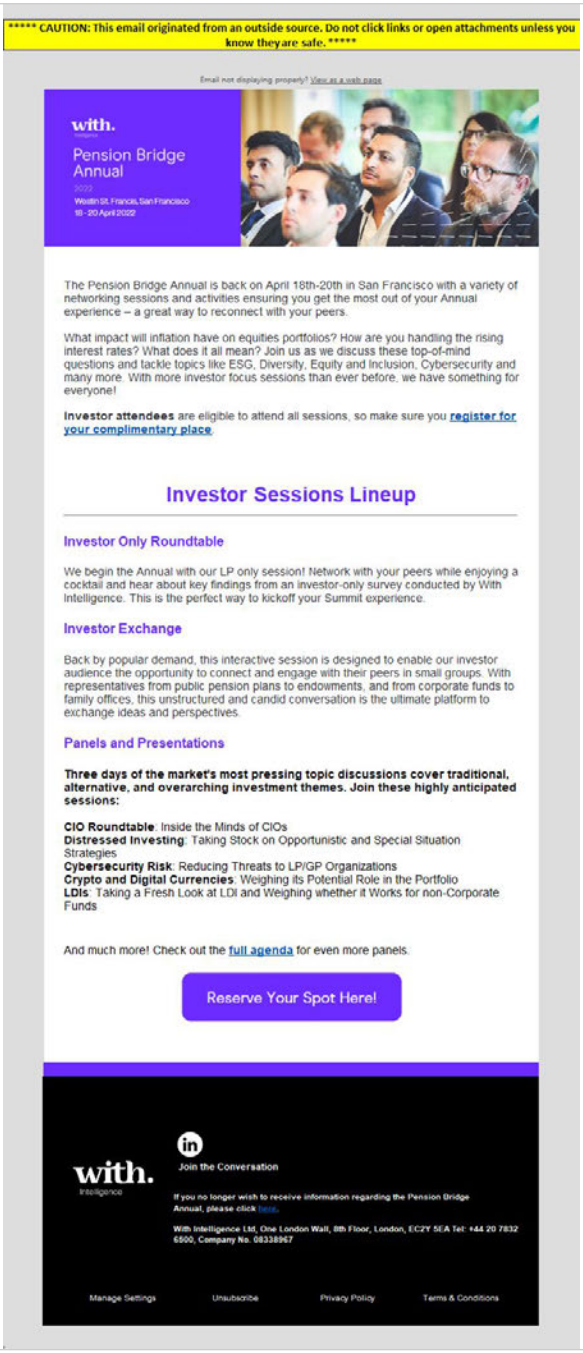
Body	

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Body	Hi Wayne! I had no idea you were ill. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers. Robyn

Record 972

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Body	Wayne, Char received a call yesterday from John Mortenson, Hemp Program Coordinator for the ND Department of Agriculture. He indicated he has licensed Hemp processors under the Department of Agriculture that are following the law on Delta-8 but have been complaining that smoke shops and retailers are not and are actively selling Delta-8 products. The Department of Agriculture doesn't regulate Hemp products nor do they have the authority to do so. He asked Char where and to whom he should bring these concerns to. I told her that I would reach out to you for a recommendation and a point of contact for John. Regards, Robyn **A. Robyn Quinn, M.S., CFM-I** **Director** **Crime Laboratory Division** **Office of Attorney General** **2641 East Main Avenue** **Bismarck, ND 58501-5044** **(701) 328-6359** NOTE: Correspondence referencing cases may be retained as part of the Crime Laboratory Division case record and are subject to Discovery Requests. *Please visit our website at https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Crime-Lab1/CrimeLabCustomerSurvey-SFN16700.pdf to complete the Laboratory Feedback Survey. Your feedback is important to us.* CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: This e-mail message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message.
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I wonder if you have any idea what has been going on in the Department of Human Services for the past while and all the staff that are quitting because of the way they (we) are being treated? I truly believe things need to be looked into very deeply.....starting of course at the top. Becky Savaloja Account Tech II **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. **Sent:** Tuesday, January 4, 2022 8:56 AM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Cc:** Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov>; Strebe, Arnold <astrebe@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? Marci— I have not heard from you regarding a time to verbally discuss. Please talk to Donna and Jeff before we talk. If there is one thing I am certain of, it is that laws were broken in not posting the positions given to two Fargo staff for accounts payable entry statewide. Things are in self destruct mode here at NEHSC which in the end will be good overall for anyone that ends of staying at NEHSC going forward. If anyone does stay. Becky **From:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:45 PM **To:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Cc:** Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov>; Strebe, Arnold <astrebe@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? Thank you for the response Becky. I understand that you are frustrated and I do want to assure that your questions are answered, even though your concerns go back farther than 15 days. In order to look into what your questions are, discussion will need to be held with Jeff Stenseth and Donna Aukland. As you point out, the grievance process is a written process with specific time limits governed by Century Code and Administrative Rule. But that does not mean that issues cannot be resolved by other means. I would add that when reorganizations occur, certain processes are handled differently, but still are required to be follow State and Federal employment laws. This reorganization would be no different. I'm not sure when your last day of work is, but would you have any time next week or the following week to connect and we can verbally walk through your concerns? **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 21, 2021 9:30 AM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Cc:** Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov>; Strebe, Arnold <astrebe@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? Good Morning Marcie, I know from prior staff that grievances go nowhere and it almost always hurts the staff that files them. I did look at the grievance form and it said that it needed to be filed with 15 days of incident. I am questioning what happened long after 15 days has past and just want a few answers before I retire. I have included others in this email because they need to know what is going on if they are not aware already. I am not going to personally talk to Jeff Stenseth or Donna Aukland about this because I am afraid of what they would potentially do to me. In further clarification: I received verbal notification in a meeting (no written notice) from Lynn Bingham with Jeff Stenseth present and a few other staff that were also having some minor duties removed. Again, Lynn apologized for not giving me more notice but said he was instructed not to! I just left Lynn Bingham's office and asked Lynn who he received the instruction from as far as giving me **no notice** that all my duties were being taken away. He said it was Donna Aukland. He said Donna, in meetings, told all business managers not to say anything to staff until they met with staff the end of July. The meeting occurred at the very end of July and I was told I was losing almost all of accounts payable duties immediately. There was another staff or two in the office that were also losing a few duties but I was the only one losing 90 percent or more along with others in my position in the state. I'm sure this was due to statewide reorganization. That is not the problem or the question. In the meeting it was said that some of my duties, going forward, were going to be required to be done by the business managers and the remainder was being given to two office assistants in SEHSC. I immediately asked why these 2 staff were just given all of my duties other than what the business manager was to do. Lynn Bingham threw out the response that their office was bigger or something to that effect, which of course I knew had nothing to do with anything. Jeff Stenseth sat there and said nothing regarding that. **My questions remain—** • **Why didn't the two office assistants have to apply for the jobs they got working on accounts payable for the whole state? Jobs that were taken from others statewide and just given to them? Is it not policy that these positions should have been opened up for me or others to have applied for if we wished? That is a question that I believe you would have the answer to Marcie.** • **Why did I get such late notice that my job was disappearing. This, most likely, would be a question for Donna Aukland and Jeff Stenseth.** • **Donna Aukland said there would be other duties to replace the ones I lost but I was never given anything? I do not know if my counterparts statewide were given new duties or not. Also please note that Lynn Bingham asked Donna several times, if I could help him out with duties given to him and Donna said No.** I expect that Donna and Jeff will come up with excuses that in their minds they can justify. I however, think it

Body	is very sad what they, and possibly their superiors, are doing to so many employees within the state. Jeff Stenseth introduces himself at meetings as the person who they bring in to get rid of staff but that it is not true. I have heard him say this on more than one occasion as has everyone else here. You do not get a reputation for something that is not deserved so of course it is true. I am not certain that he was trying to get rid of me. I do think they were getting rid of my position but there has to be a better way of doing this other than devaluing people that have given many years of service to this state and offering them nothing in return as far as other duties, a buy out or whatever. There are many instances where staff have been treated so badly that they quit or retire but I can't and won't speak for others. All anyone has to do is look at the turnover to know this as a fact. I do want my questions answered and this brought out in the open so hopefully going forward a better process can be in place that treats employees with dignity and respect. Neither of which I feel I was afforded. This is the reason unions are formed to protect employees from being treated the way I have been treated. I have never been a union member or even thought there was a need for unions prior to this but I am , unfortunately, realizing that there is a need. Thank you Becky Savaloja **From:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 4:33 PM **To:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? Hi Becky, Thank you for your email, as well as your patience as I have looked into this issue. Based on the information I've been able to ascertain, it appears there was a statewide reorganization that occurred which impacted many different positions. Unfortunately I don't have answers to your specific questions; however, I think it's important that you get them. I also want to assure that you are aware of the grievance policy and your rights under that policy I am not sure if you are inferring that you wish to file a grievance, but regardless, you should receive an answer to the questions you have posed. Can you please confirm for me who you have received what notifications from? That will help me determine next steps. My initial thought is that Jeff Stenseth should be able to answer some of your questions, as he is the senior leader within your chain of command, but I am not certain who you have already talked to or asked these questions of. Also, if you have received any notifications in writing please send those to me. Thank you, Becky, for the work that you do. If you can let me know those two pieces of information I will be able to make some determination as to next steps. **Marcie Wuitschick, SHRM-CP, PHR** Director, Human Resources ND Department of Human Services 701-328-1290 mwuitschick@nd.gov **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 07, 2021 8:46 AM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 3:13 PM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Subject:** Question Marcie— Something has been bothering me and I would like your input on it. The end of July, I was told by my supervisor that I would be losing most of my job duties immediately the next day and he told me he was sorry he did not give me more notice but that he was instructed not to. 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I am retiring in January (a little earlier than I intended because of this) and am very bitter that my 15 years with the state is ending this way. I know that the decisions that were made had nothing to do with my job performance because I was excellent in my position as everyone can attest to. What I would like from you is an explanation on how this can happen? How and why would I and others not have been able to at least apply for the job that was being taken away from us and just given to others with no notice? Is this a new direction the state is going in regards to how they treat state employees? Are you the person that can answer my questions or would it be legal or someone else? Your response will not change anything. I will retire in January but like I said, this has had an impact on my mental health and I feel that I am at least owed an explanation and should have asked for it months ago. Thank you Becky Savaloja Account Tech II Northeast Human Service Center
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- **Why did I get such late notice that my job was disappearing. This, most likely, would be a question for Donna Aukland and Jeff Stenseth.**
- **Donna Aukland said there would be other duties to replace the ones I lost but I was never given anything? I do not know if my counterparts statewide were given new duties or not. Also please note that Lynn Bingham asked Donna several times, if I could help him out with duties given to him and Donna said No.**

I expect that Donna and Jeff will come up with excuses that in their minds they can justify. However, think it is very sad what they, and possibly their superiors, are doing to so many employees within the state. Jeff Stenseth introduces himself at meetings as the person who they bring in to get rid of staff but that it is not true. I have heard him say this on more than one occasion as has everyone else here. You do not get a reputation for something that is not deserved so of course it is true. I am not certain that he was trying to get rid of me. I do think they were getting rid of my position but there has to be a better way of doing this other than devaluing people that have given many years of service to this state and offering them nothing in return as far as other duties, a buy out or whatever. There are many instances where staff have been treated so badly that they quit or retire but I can't and won't speak for others. All anyone has to do is look at the turnover to know this as a fact.

I do want my questions answered and this brought out in the open so hopefully going forward a better process can be in place that treats employees with dignity and respect. Neither of which I feel I was afforded. This is the reason unions are formed to protect employees from being treated the way I have been treated. I have never been a union member or even thought there was a need for unions prior to this but I am , unfortunately, realizing that there is a need.

Body	Thank you Becky Savaloja **From:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 4:33 PM **To:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? Hi Becky, Thank you for your email, as well as your patience as I have looked into this issue. Based on the information I've been able to ascertain, it appears there was a statewide reorganization that occurred which impacted many different positions. Unfortunately I don't have answers to your specific questions; however, I think it's important that you get them. I also want to assure that you are aware of the grievance policy and your rights under that policy I am not sure if you are inferring that you wish to file a grievance, but regardless, you should receive an answer to the questions you have posed. Can you please confirm for me who you have received what notifications from? That will help me determine next steps. My initial thought is that Jeff Stenseth should be able to answer some of your questions, as he is the senior leader within your chain of command, but I am not certain who you have already talked to or asked these questions of. Also, if you have received any notifications in writing please send those to me. Thank you, Becky, for the work that you do. If you can let me know those two pieces of information I will be able to make some determination as to next steps. **Marcie Wuitschick, SHRM-CP, PHR** **Director, Human Resources** **ND Department of Human Services** **701-328-1290** **mwuitschick@nd.gov** **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. <rsavaloja@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 07, 2021 8:46 AM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Question---are you going to reply or confirm receipt of below email? **From:** Savaloja, Rebecca L. **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 3:13 PM **To:** Wuitschick, Marcie D. <mwuitschick@nd.gov> **Subject:** Question Marcie— Something has been bothering me and I would like your input on it. The end of July, I was told by my supervisor that I would be losing most of my job duties immediately the next day and he told me he was sorry he did not give me more notice but that he was instructed not to. That it was not only me but also my counterparts in the other human service centers in the state. I was told that part of my accounts payable duties and others that had the same position as me, were going to be done by the Business Managers and the rest of it was going to 2 office assistants at SEHSC who would take over the remainder of our duties statewide. I was told that this decision was made by Donna Aukland. I asked why those positions that were given to SEHSC staff were not posted internally for me or others to apply for and I did not receive an answer, even though Jeff Stenseth was in the meeting and would certainly know why his staff were just handed our duties. I was told that Donna would be giving us new job duties but there has been nothing so far and that the new duties would have nothing to do with anything that I had experience in. I am retiring in January (a little earlier than I intended because of this) and am very bitter that my 15 years with the state is ending this way. I know that the decisions that were made had nothing to do with my job performance because I was excellent in my position as everyone can attest to. What I would like from you is an explanation on how this can happen? How and why would I and others not have been able to at least apply for the job that was being taken away from us and just given to others with no notice? Is this a new direction the state is going in regards to how they treat state employees? Are you the person that can answer my questions or would it be legal or someone else? Your response will not change anything. I will retire in January but like I said, this has had an impact on my mental health and I feel that I am at least owed an explanation and should have asked for it months ago. Thank you Becky Savaloja Account Tech II Northeast Human Service Center
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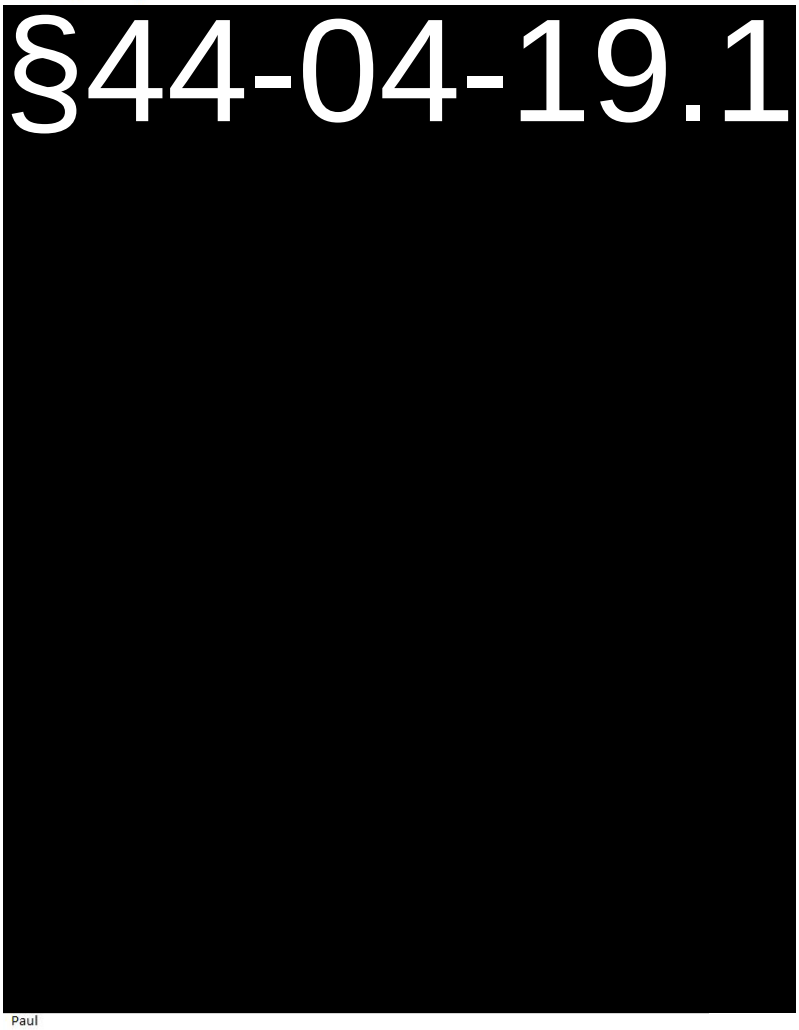

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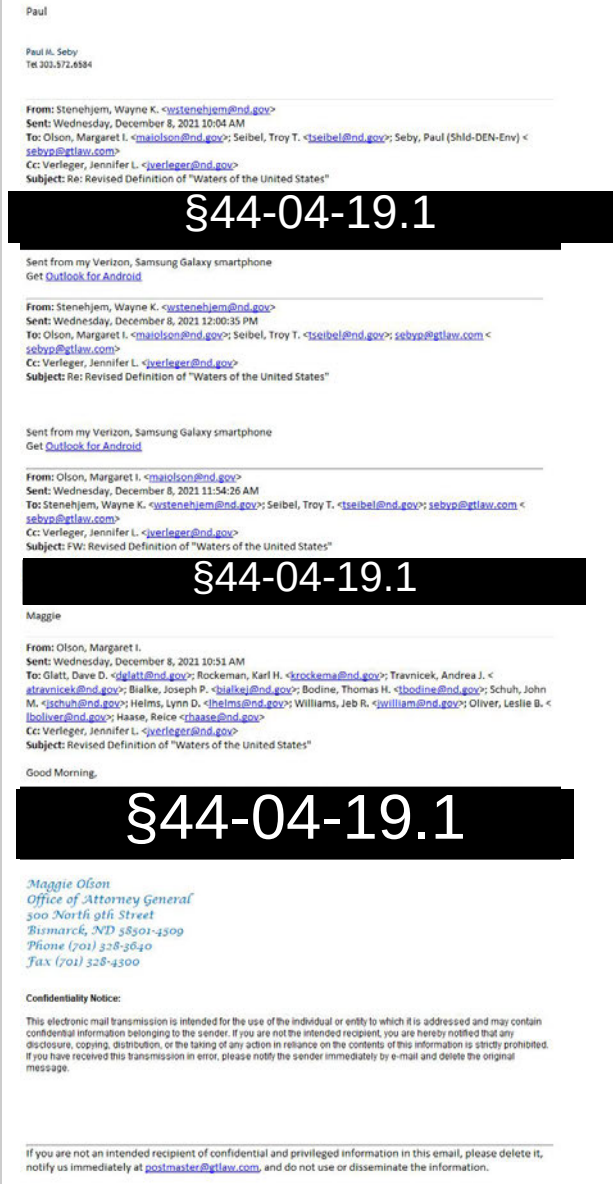
Body	§44-04-19.1 

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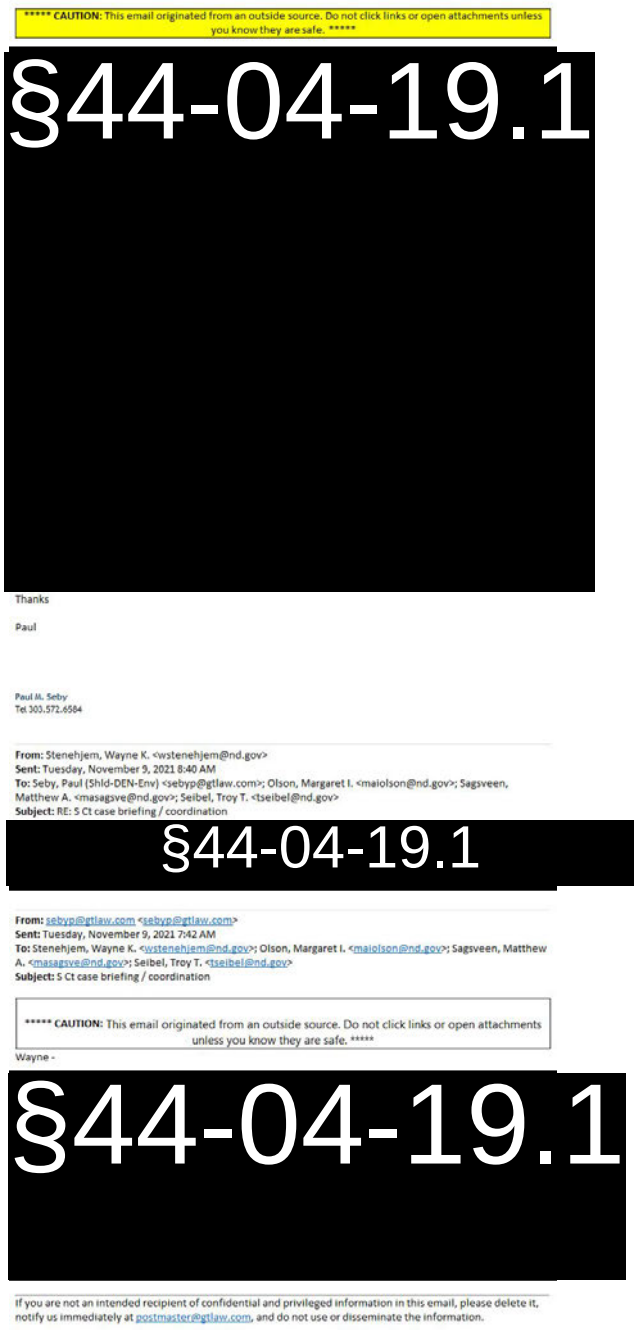
Body	

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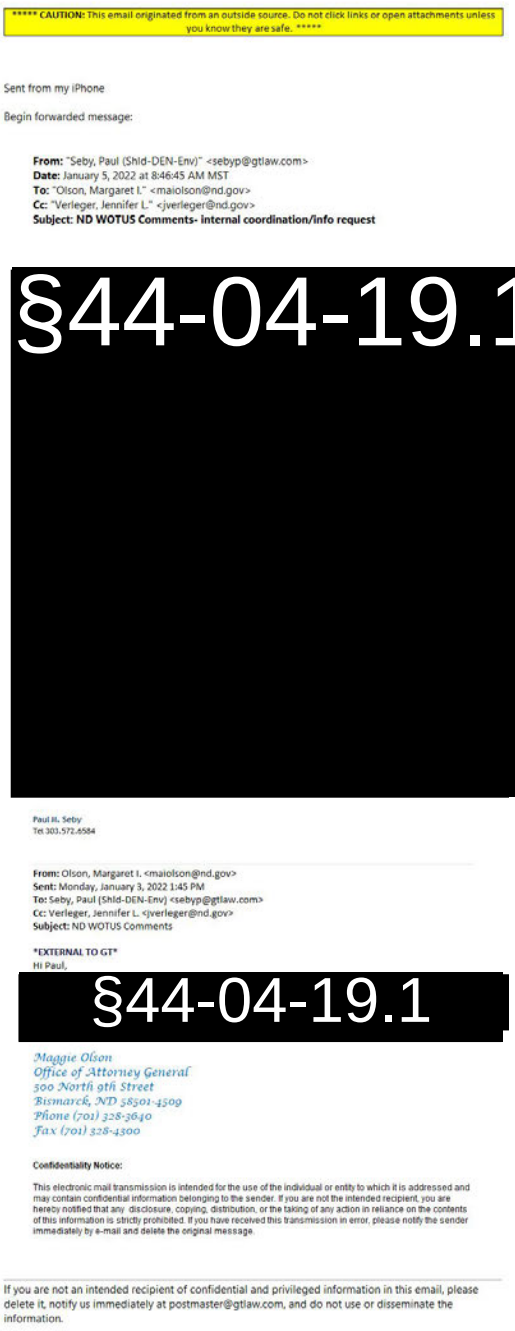
Body	

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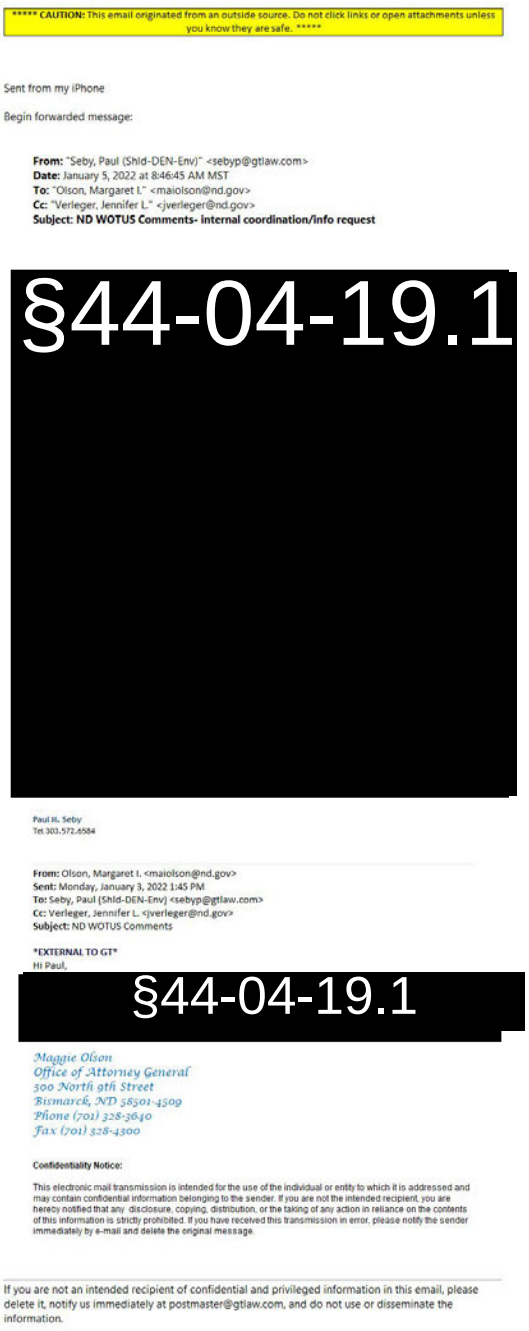
Body	

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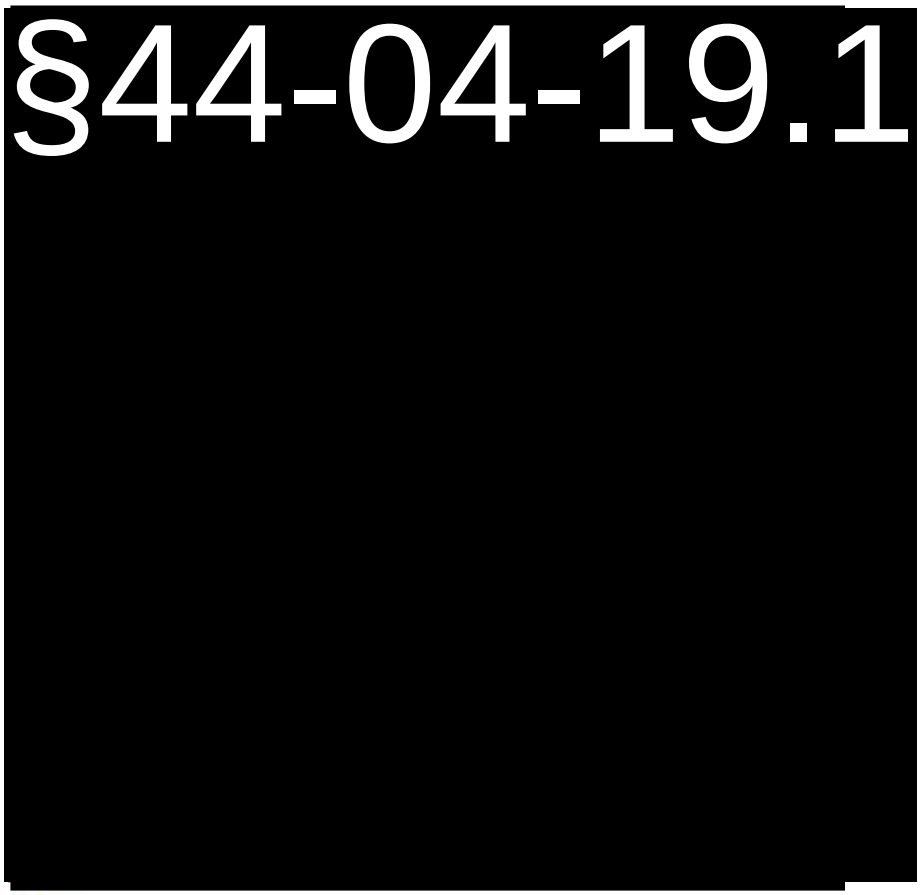
Body	**From:** sebyp@gtlaw.com <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 11:34 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** S Ct Oral Argum- draft email to Petitioners counsel ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne-  Thank you If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.
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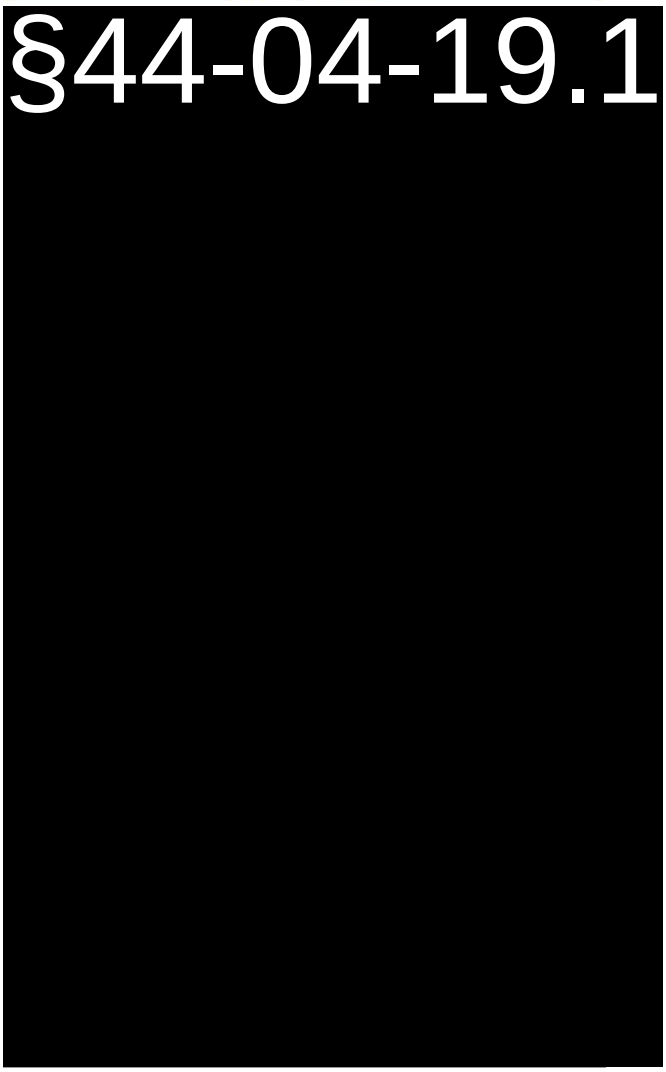
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Paul M. Seby Tel 303.572.6584 If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.
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Subject	Re: my proposed response to WV
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Sender Email	sebyp@gtlaw.com
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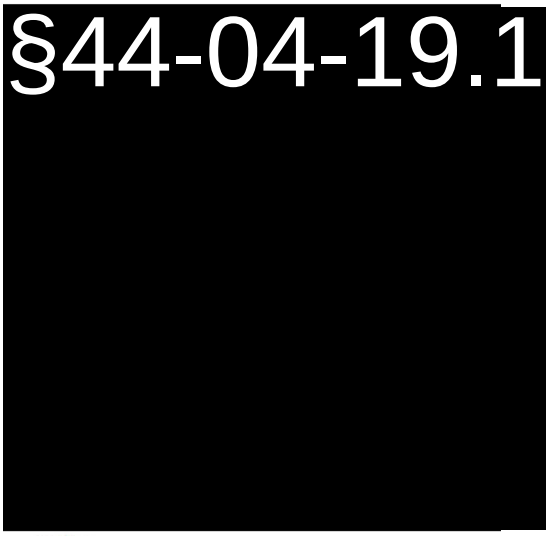
Body	***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. *****  Thank you Begin forwarded message: **From:** Denise McNerney <dmcnerney@supremecourt.gov> **Date:** January 14, 2022 at 5:00:43 PM MST **To:** "Lindsay S. See" <Lindsay.S.See@wvago.gov>, "Tseytlin, Misha" <Misha.Tseytlin@troutman.com>, eschilling@hollandhart.com, elin@huntonak.com, Sean Donahue <sean@donahuegoldberg.com>, "Wu, Steven" <Steven.Wu@ag.ny.gov>, "B. UNDERWOOD" <Barbara.Underwood@ag.ny.gov>, bbrinkmann@cov.com, "Roth, Yaakov M." <yroth@jonesday.com>, "Grossman, Andrew M" <agrossman@bakerlaw.com>, "Seby, Paul (Shld-DEN-Env)" <sebyp@gtlaw.com>, "Feigin, Eric (OSG) (Eric.Feigin@usdoj.gov)" <Eric.Feigin@usdoj.gov>, "Stewart, Malcolm L (OSG)" <Malcolm.L.Stewart@usdoj.gov>, "Gannon, Curtis E. (OSG)" <Curtis.Gannon@usdoj.gov>, "Fletcher, Brian H. (OSG)" <Brian.Fletcher@usdoj.gov>, "Kneedler, Edwin S (OSG)" <Edwin.S.Kneedler@usdoj.gov> **Subject: Timing of motions pertaining to the oral argument in No. 20-1530, et al.** ***EXTERNAL TO GT*** Counsel, Respectfully, *Denise McNerney* Merits Cases Clerk Office of the Clerk, Supreme Court U.S. (202) 479-3032 If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.
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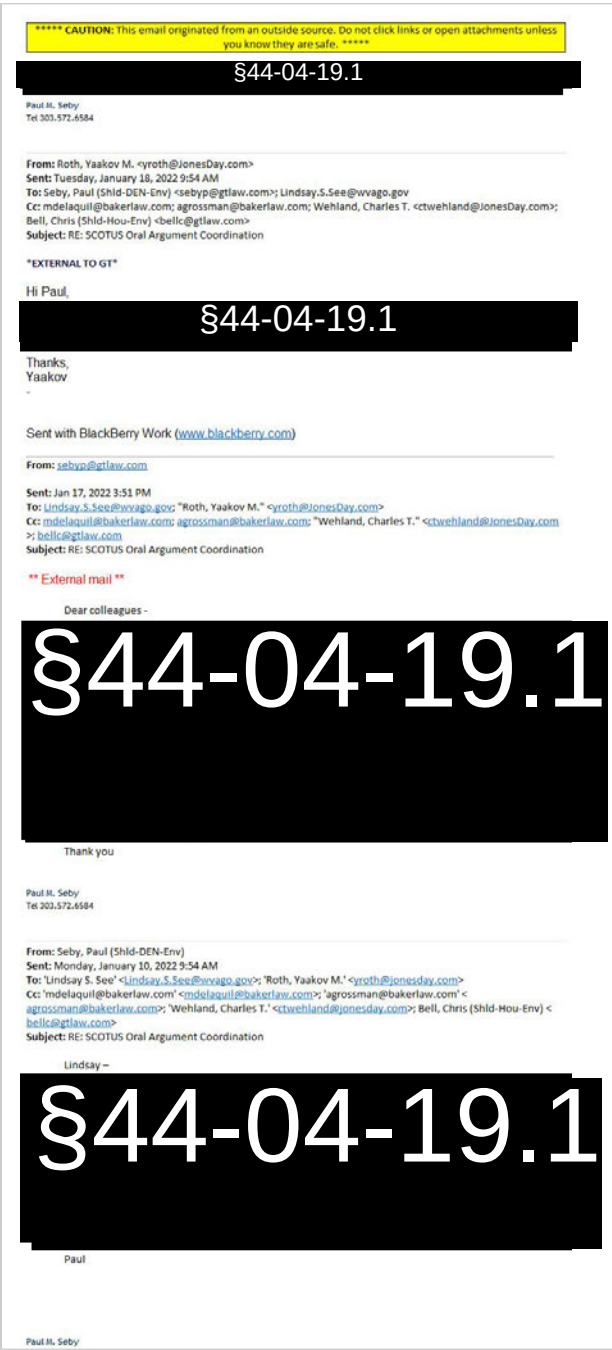

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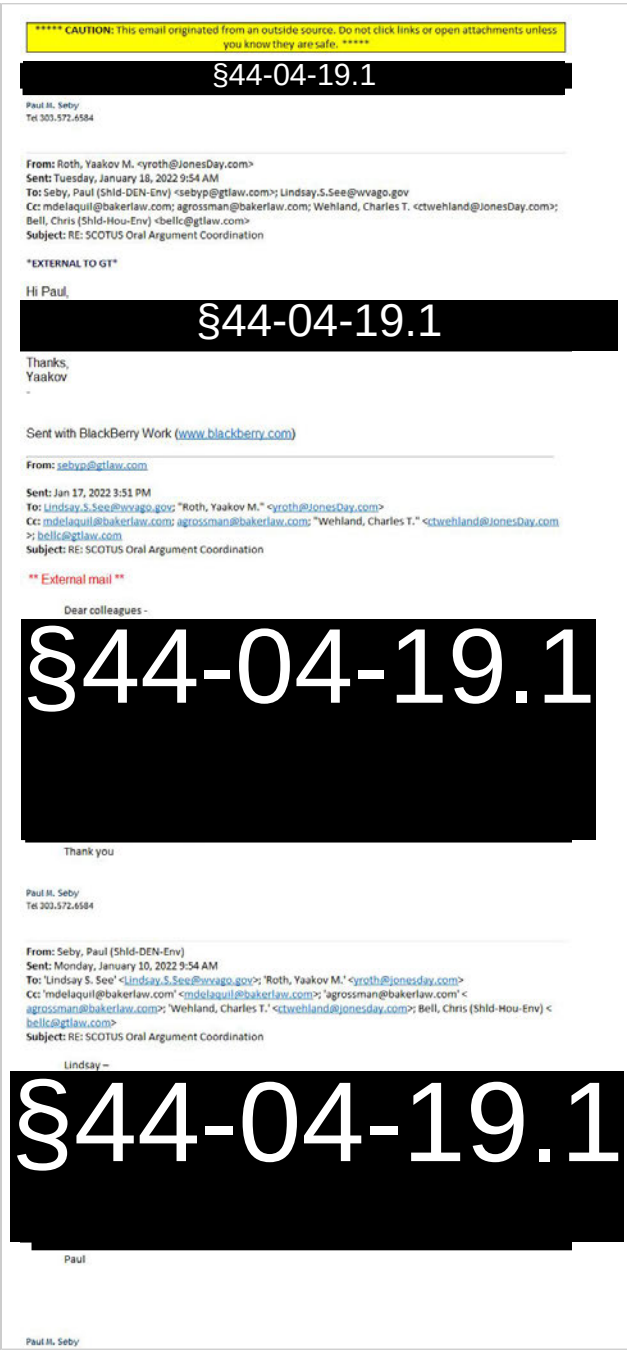

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Mr. Seby,

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Best regards,
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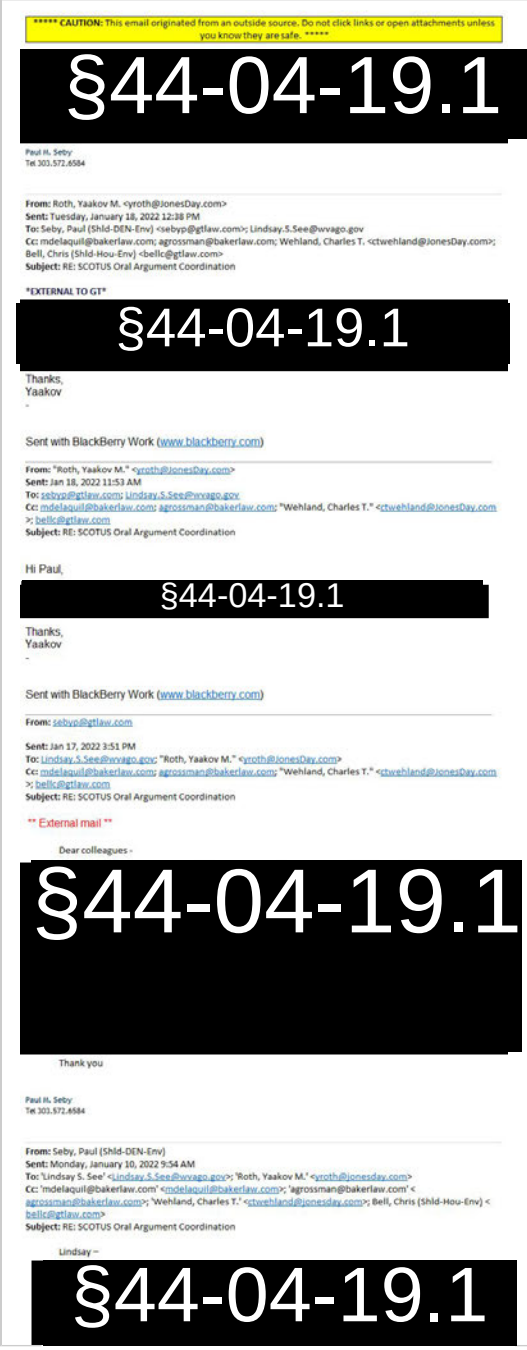

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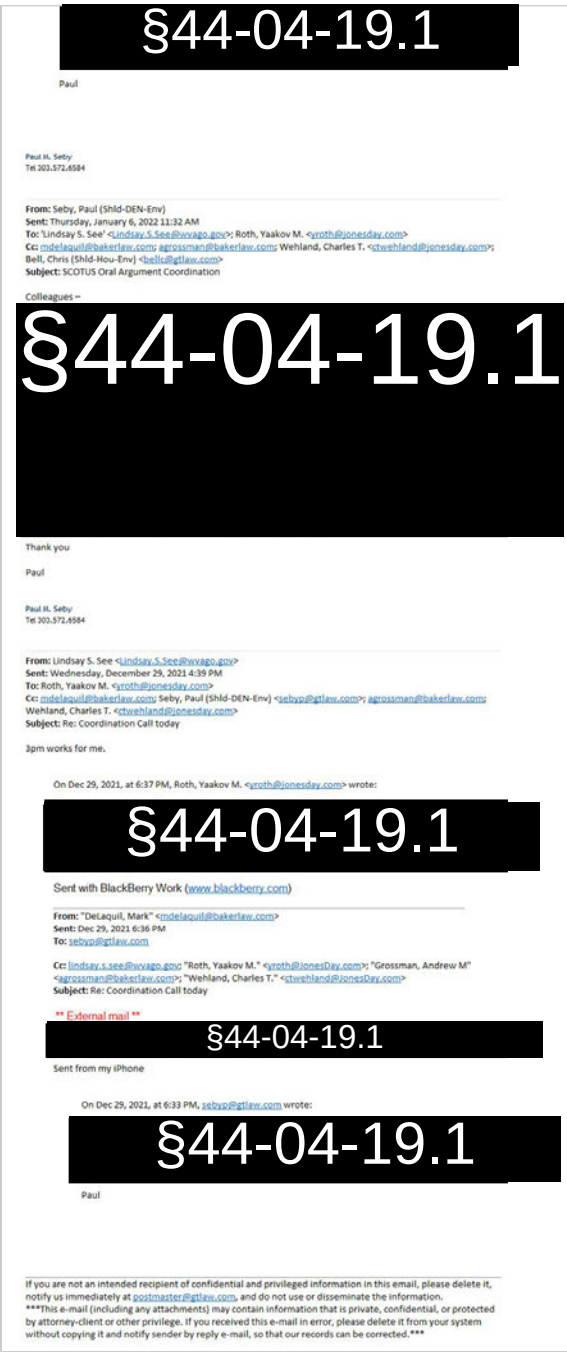
Body	

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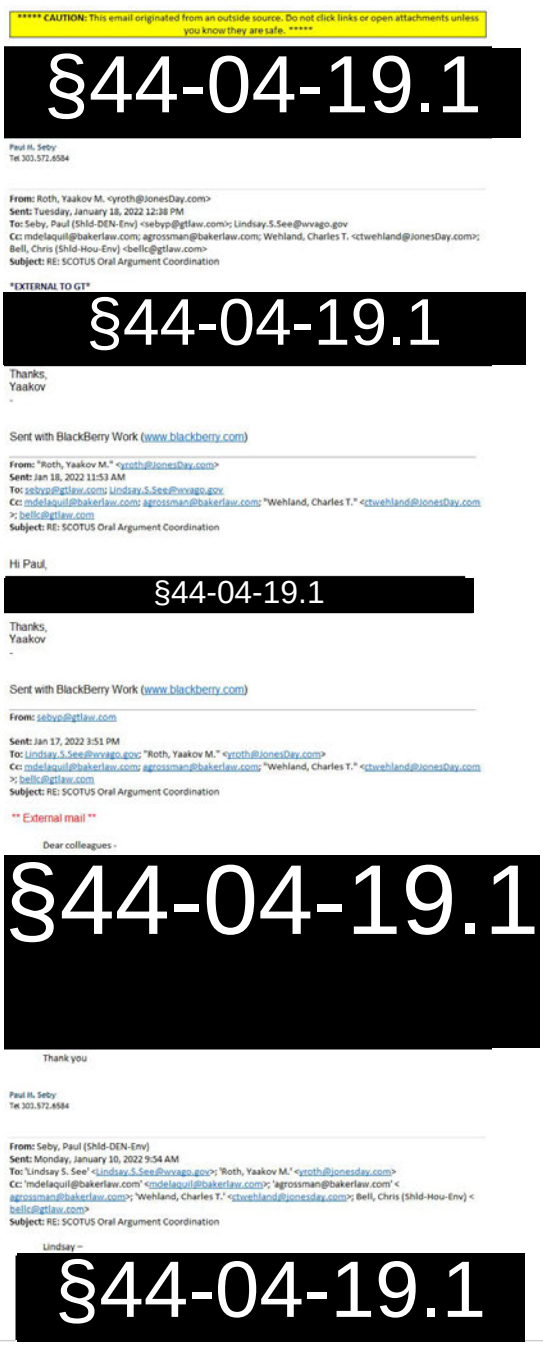

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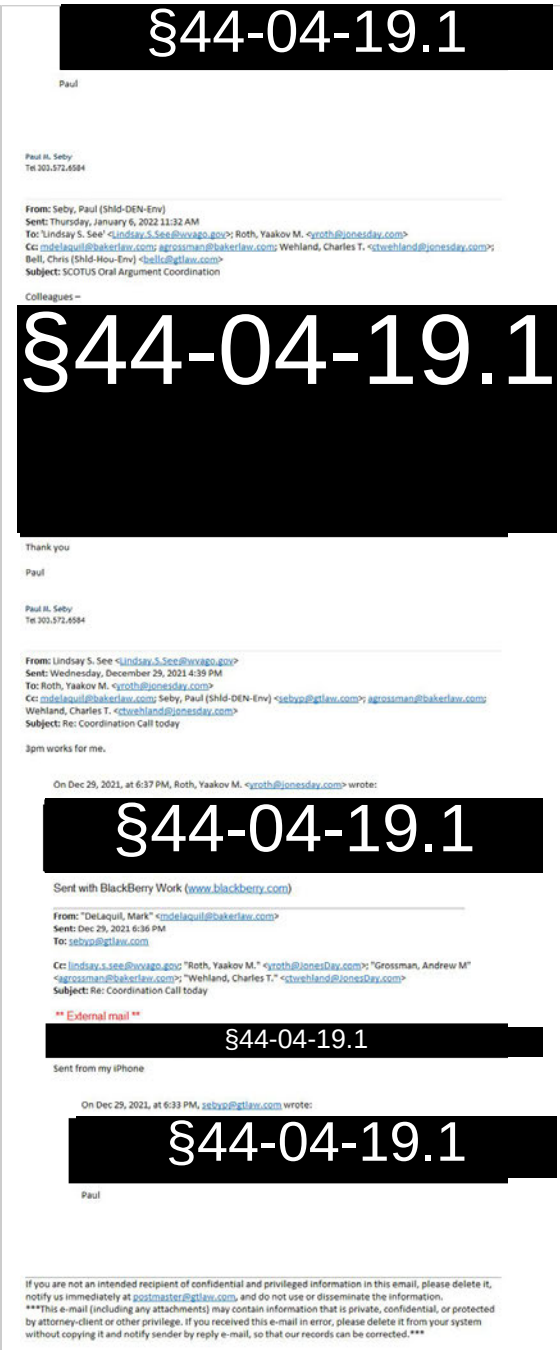
Body	

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Subject: RE: Comment Letter Join Opportunity: Methane Regulations for Oil and Gas

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All,

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Many thanks,
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	At-home COVID Tests, EGD Global Consequences, and Retire in Style
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Recipients	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Subject	MIT Prof Case Dismissed, Puerto Rico's Bankruptcy, and 2022 Economic Challenges
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/22/2022 6:04:43.000 AM
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Subject	Crypto Mayors, US to Help Europe Gas Woes, and City Finances
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Record 1072

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Body	Hi all, Happy New Year! The hours for the month of January are 168. There is one Holiday in January, Monday January 17th/Martin Luther King Day. Remember to enter your 8 hours Holiday in first on this day, then enter any time worked as **worked Holiday**. The amount of comp time earned will depend on if you have pre-approval to work the Holidays. **Please have everything submitted to your supervisor by 5:00 PM (or whatever time your supervisor wants them) on Tuesday February 1st. Supervisors the deadline to have time approved is 11:00 PM on Tuesday February 1st.** Please let myself or Bev Haman 328-4295 know if anyone has any questions or concerns. Thank you, Shannon VandeVenter Office of Attorney General Account Budget Specialist II 701-328-3626 shvandeventer@nd.gov

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Record 1074

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Body	Hi all, Just a reminder that when entering a few days of leave together please do not enter two separate months in one entry. See below, this entry runs from Dec into Jan. For this you would need to do two separate entries for the December leave and a separate entry for the January leave. This entry will need to be deleted and re-entered. Does not matter what time of leave, please do not lump MONTH(S) together. Please let Bev Haman or myself know if you have any questions. **AL STANDARD 12/30/2021 1/3/2022 16.00** Thank you, Shannon VandeVenter Office of Attorney General Account Budget Specialist II 701-328-3626 shvandeventer@nd.gov

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Body	Hi all, Just a reminder that when entering a few days of leave together please do not enter two separate months in one entry. See below, this entry runs from Dec into Jan. For this you would need to do two separate entries for the December leave and a separate entry for the January leave. This entry will need to be deleted and re-entered. Does not matter what time of leave, please do not lump MONTH(S) together. Please let Bev Haman or myself know if you have any questions. **AL STANDARD 12/30/2021 1/3/2022 16.00** Thank you, Shannon VandeVenter Office of Attorney General Account Budget Specialist II 701-328-3626 shvandeventer@nd.gov

Record 1076

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I spoke with NFIB. They are happy to divide time, though we postponed the precise division until tomorrow.

I will plan on arguing this, absent any objections

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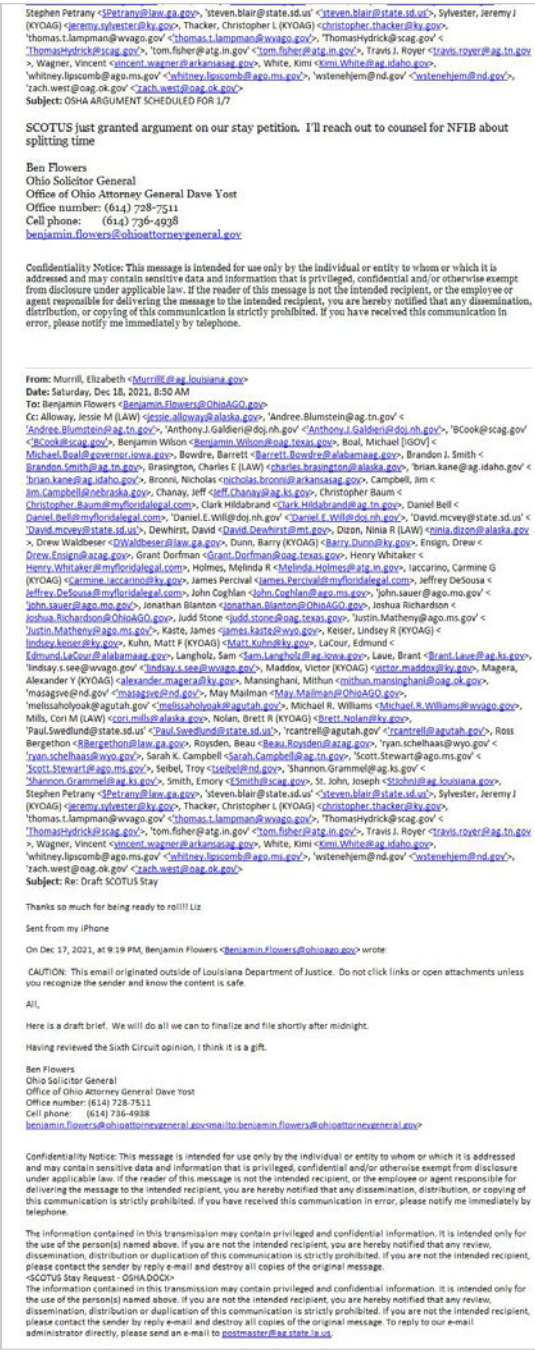
Body	

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SCOTUS just granted argument on our stay petition. I'll reach out to counsel for NFIB about splitting time

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I will plan on arguing this, absent any objections

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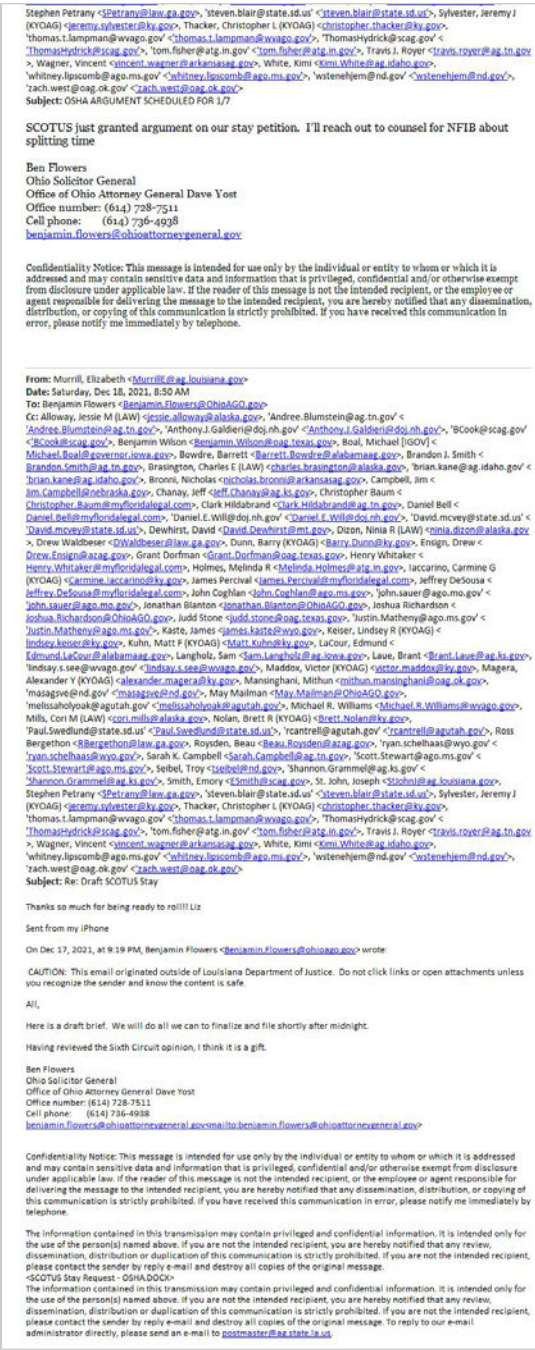
Body	

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Body	Very quiet. Knock on wood. Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2021 2:33:31 PM **To:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** What's going on at the office? Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android

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Let me know if there's anything else I need to do before the end of the year.
Wayne

From: DeltaAirLines@g.delta.com <DeltaAirLines@g.delta.com>
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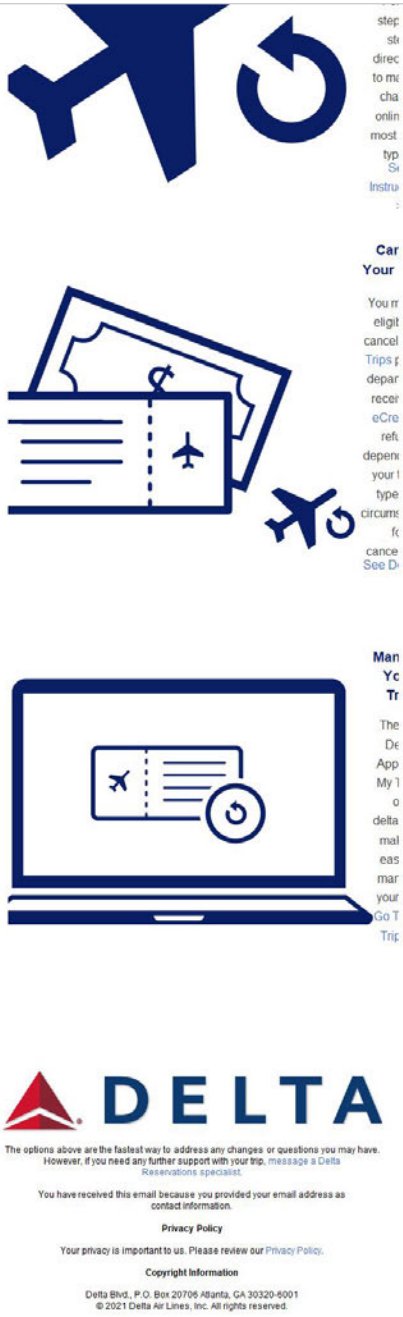
Body	

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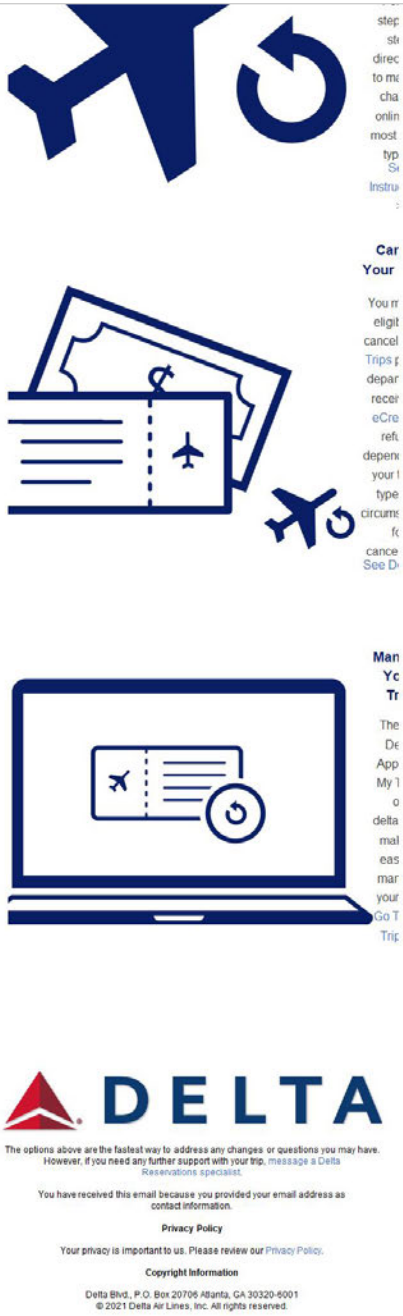
Body	

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Body	Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG) <christopher.thacker@ky.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 9:44:02 PM **To:** Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG) <christopher.thacker@ky.gov> **Cc:** Dunn, Barry (KYOAG) <Barry.Dunn@ky.gov>; Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>; Stiles, Bill <StilesB@ag.louisiana.gov>; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG) <jeremy.sylvester@ky.gov>; Iaccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG) <Carmine.Iaccarino@ky.gov> **Subject:** RE: Head Start Rule Comment Letter ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** All, Attached is an updated version of the Head Start Rule comment letter prepared by Kentucky and Louisiana. Responding to a good suggestion from Kansas, we have added a section addressing the Rule's violation of the Congressional Review Act ("CRA"). This new section is highlighted at pages 5-6 in the attached version. In addition to Kentucky and Louisiana, at this point we have received sign-ons from Kansas, Mississippi, South Dakota, Georgia, Alaska, Indiana, Oklahoma, Ohio, Alabama, and South Carolina. Unless I hear otherwise, I will assume that those that have already signed-on are fine with the new section. **If anyone else would like to sign-on, please let me know by 12:00 (noon) EST Thursday, December 30**. Thank you, **Christopher L. Thacker** | Assistant Deputy Attorney General Kentucky Office of the Attorney General 700 Capital Avenue, Suite 118 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 | (502) 696-5570 Christopher.Thacker@ky.gov **From:** Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG) <christopher.thacker@ky.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2021 11:01 AM **To:** Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG) <christopher.thacker@ky.gov> **Cc:** Dunn, Barry (KYOAG) <Barry.Dunn@ky.gov>; Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>; Stiles, Bill <StilesB@ag.louisiana.gov>; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG) <jeremy.sylvester@ky.gov> **Subject:** Head Start Rule Comment Letter ****CAUTION** PDF attachments may contain links to malicious sites. Please contact the COT Service Desk ServiceCorrespondence@ky.gov for any assistance.** All, In connection with our litigation challenging the Interim Final Rule, 86 Fed. Reg. 68,052 (November 30, 2021), entitled "Vaccine and Mask Requirements to Mitigate the Spread of COVID-19 in Head Start Programs" (the "Head Start Rule"), Kentucky and Louisiana have prepared the attached comment letter in opposition to the Head Start Rule. We would invite any other AG's who would like to join these comments to do so, whether or not you are already party to one of the lawsuits challenging the Head Start Rule. The comment letter is due Thursday, 12/30. Accordingly, if interested in joining, please let me know by noon (12:00 EST) on Thursday (12/30), and provide a copy of your AG's electronic signature for inclusion at the end of the comment letter. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information. Thank you, **Christopher L. Thacker** | Assistant Deputy Attorney General Kentucky Office of the Attorney General 700 Capital Avenue, Suite 118 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 | (502) 696-5570 Christopher.Thacker@ky.gov
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Body	Troy T. Seibel Chief Deputy Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 tseibel@nd.gov **From:** Titus, Courtney R. <ctitus@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 11:34 AM **To:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Feland's Order Here you go. **Courtney R. Titus** Assistant Attorney General 500 N. 9th Street Bismarck, ND 58501-4509 Direct: (701) 328-3644 ctitus@nd.gov **Confidentiality Notice:** This electronic mail transmission is intended for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain confidential information belonging to the sender. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution, or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify the sender immediately by e-mail and delete the original message. **From:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 11:32 AM **To:** Titus, Courtney R. <ctitus@nd.gov> **Subject:** Feland's Order Courtney, Can you email me a copy of Feland's order in the ETP open records case? Thanks. Troy T. Seibel Chief Deputy Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 tseibel@nd.gov
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Body	FYI…. Troy T. Seibel Chief Deputy Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 tseibel@nd.gov **From:** Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 9:04 AM **To:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FYI re Pembina SA Removal Troy, in response to the following message, I am sending a response to Mr. Reilly today, which is attached. Also this morning, I became aware of his letter to the editor, which I have attached too. **From:** clyde reilly <clydecarol1973@gmail.com> **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 6:11 AM **To:** Oliver, Lee A. <loliver@nd.gov> **Subject:** Flanders Hey Lee Ann Oliver, We successfully conducted a recall petition here in Pembina County this past summer. You were most helpful for us to understand the process and get the details for the petition right. I must acknowledge that our County Auditor Linda Schlintenhard was also very cooperative and helpful. The electors of Pembina County were given an opportunity to affect change and the incumbent county commissioner was soundly defeated and the candidate that we endorsed has been seated. The result of the process was a good thing but there is more to do. Loren Estad, one of us Despicable, Radical, Anarchists from Crystal emailed to the Office of Attorney General of North Dakota a petition to conduct an investigation of Pembina County States Attorney Rebecca Flanders according to NDCC 44-11. A copy of this petition was also sent by Loren Estad to the Secretary of State. Attached Lee Ann, is a copy of the response to us from the AG and a copy of that was provided to the Secretary of State. We the people of Pembina County are desperately in need of the remedy provided by law. Prior to the signature gathering that I, Clyde Reilly conducted, a query was sent to the AG asking if there was a format or instructions for the petition needed to move forward with NDCC 44-11. The response to this question from the Office of Attorney General of ND was, "No there is not.", so I proceeded to collect about 80 signatures though only 50 were needed.. Based on this response and the letter attached it would be obvious that the AG would rather not conduct the investigation of our rogue States Attorney Flanders. Note paragraph three of the letter of refusal to do their job from the AG, skip the first sentence as the petition did state the charges. In the second part of the paragraph the writer passes the buck to the Office of Secretary of State(NDCC16.1-01) and the explanation is vague. I also don't understand what is meant by the last sentence that individual pages of the petition be verified. Can you please help unravel the mystery of NDCC 44-11. I get it that the AG doesn't want to do this but it is needed desperately and the law requires it to be done. I fully expected the petition that I presented to be rejected, I gave them obvious reasons to do so, no affidavit by the collector being the main one. I am confused by the last line of paragraph three in the rejection letter where verification of each page of the petition is "apparently" required by NDCC 44-11-03. Seems a bit vague and kind of a stretch. If the petition that I presented to the AG is totally unusable then I am fully prepared to do it again but next time I would like the advice of the Office of Secretary of State now that the AG has referenced it even though there is no mention of Secretary of State in NDCC 44-11. "Apparently". Have a Happy New Year Lee Ann Oliver Clyde Reilly at Stokesville 12-31-21
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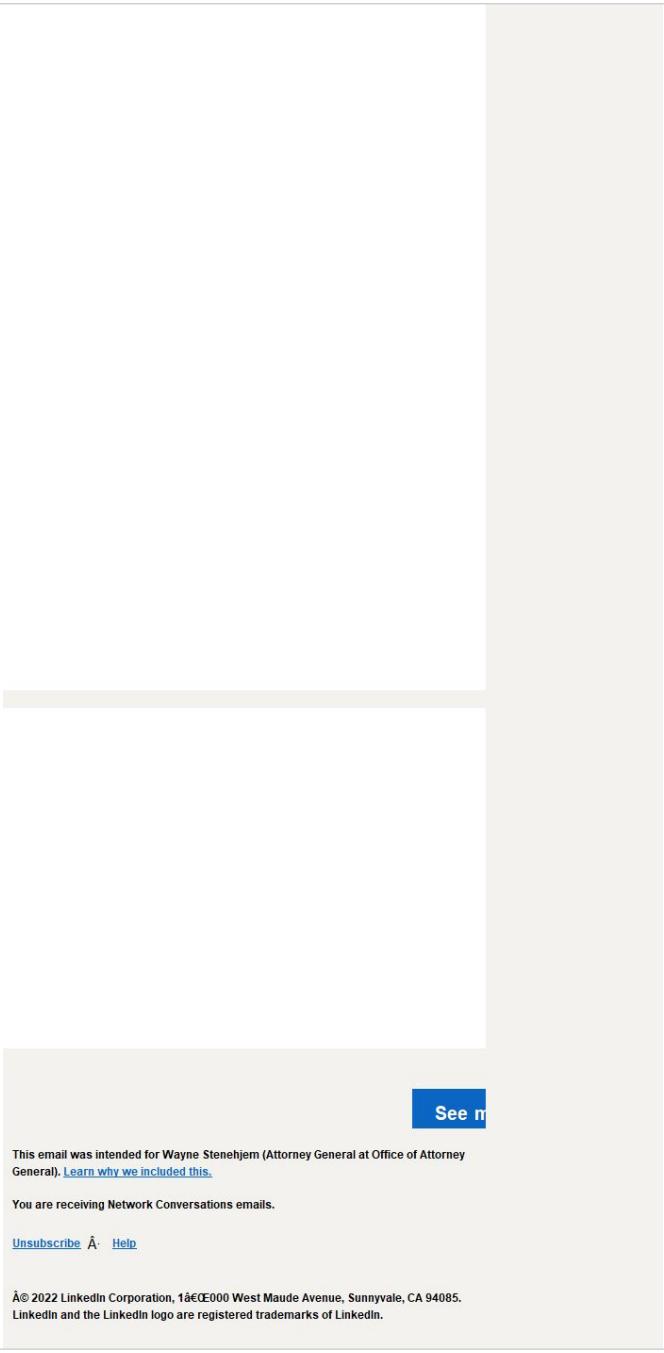
Body	

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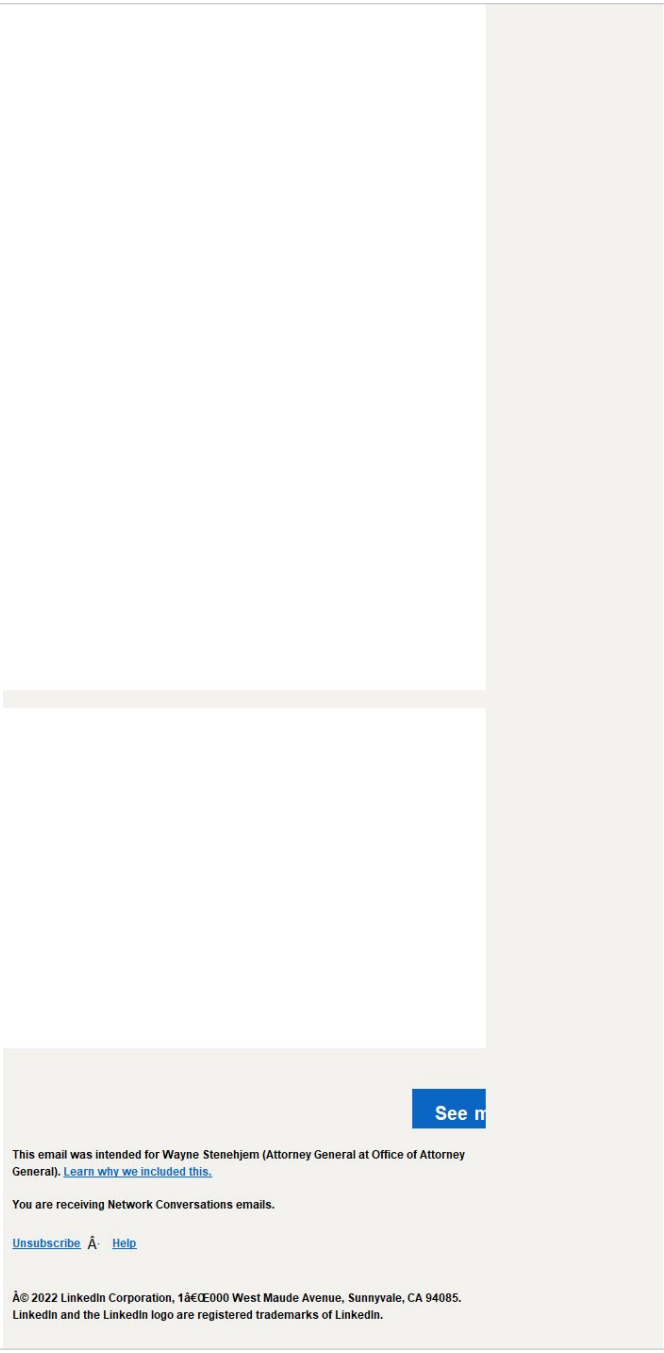
Body	

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In a conference call with reporters Wednesday night, a senior administration official said the sweeping new measure, which is scheduled to be published in Friday's Federal Register, will apply to about 84 million private sector workers.

The new rule will be enforced by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration. It requires employers with 100 or more employees to ensure each of their workers is fully vaccinated by Jan. 4, and mandates at least weekly testing for unvaccinated employees after that.

The OSHA rule will also require that these employers provide paid time off for employees to get vaccinated, and ensure all unvaccinated workers wear a face mask in the workplace.

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In addition, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services at the Department of Health and Human Services on Thursday announced details of its requirement that health care workers at facilities participating in Medicare and Medicaid are fully vaccinated.

The rule applies to more than 17 million workers at approximately 76,000 health care facilities, including hospitals and long-term care facilities, the White House said.

The administration has previously implemented policies requiring millions of federal employees and federal contractors to be fully vaccinated.

"While we are encouraged to know that vaccination requirements have already helped cut the number of unvaccinated Americans by nearly 40%, it's important to understand that there are still so many workers who are not protected and remain at risk from becoming seriously ill or dying from COVID-19," the administration official said.

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The new rule will be enforced by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration. It requires employers with 100 or more employees to ensure each of their workers is fully vaccinated by Jan. 4, and mandates at least weekly testing for unvaccinated employees after that.

The OSHA rule will also require that these employers provide paid time off for employees to get vaccinated, and ensure all unvaccinated workers wear a face mask in the workplace.

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In addition, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services at the Department of Health and Human Services on Thursday announced details of its requirement that health care workers at facilities participating in Medicare and Medicaid are fully vaccinated.

The rule applies to more than 17 million workers at approximately 76,000 health care facilities, including hospitals and long-term care facilities, the White House said.

The administration has previously implemented policies requiring millions of federal employees and federal contractors to be fully vaccinated.

"While we are encouraged to know that vaccination requirements have already helped cut the number of unvaccinated Americans by nearly 40%, it's important to understand that there are still so many workers who are not protected and remain at risk from becoming seriously ill or dying from COVID-19," the administration official said.

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For contractors, guidance on ever-evolving federal vaccine mandate makes compliance difficult

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Update: The Biden administration on Thursday extended the deadline for federal contractors to comply with the vaccine mandate, a day after this story was initially posted. Contractors now have until Jan. 4, the same deadline that private sector companies have under new requirements from the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

This story was updated on Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021 at 9:10 a.m. to reflect the new deadline.

Federal contractors now have two months to comply for their employees to comply with the presidentâ€™s recent executive order requiring COVID-19 vaccines.

So far, government vendors and other stakeholders have reacted to the federal vaccine mandate in a variety of ways.

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Some states have sued.

Republicans on the House Oversight and Reform Committee are looking for more information. They wrote to the Defense Department, General Services Administration and Office of Management and Budget on Wednesday seeking a variety of documents that explain the administrationâ€™s decision making process for the mandate.

Government contracts attorneys and professional services organizations say many of their clients are complying with the federal vaccine mandate, or at least theyâ€™re trying to.

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Entered these too, thanks!

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Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration.

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Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes

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This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline.

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All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John

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P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John

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All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John

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Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov]

Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all?

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John,

I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that?

Sam

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I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!! Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 6:47 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' < jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus < Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" PRIVILEGED â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion. By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner. Thanks a lot for your support in this project! Thanks, John Sauer **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 1:34 PM **To:** cori.mills@alaska.gov; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov; Ryan Schelhaas <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' < Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov' <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Dewhirst, David < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Subject:** ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better. Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, "**Iowa,**" could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€? Thanks a lot, John Sauer This email message, including the attachments, is from the Missouri Attorney Generalâ€™s Office. It is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information, including that covered by Â§ 32.057, RSMo. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply email and destroy all copies of the original message. Thank you.
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For contractors, guidance on ever-evolving federal vaccine mandate makes compliance difficult

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Update: The Biden administration on Thursday extended the deadline for federal contractors to comply with the vaccine mandate, a day after this story was initially posted. Contractors now have until Jan. 4, the same deadline that private sector companies have under new requirements from the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

This story was updated on Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021 at 9:10 a.m. to reflect the new deadline.

Federal contractors now have two months to comply for their employees to comply with the presidentâ€™s recent executive order requiring COVID-19 vaccines.

So far, government vendors and other stakeholders have reacted to the federal vaccine mandate in a variety of ways.

Insight by Tanium: In this exclusive executive briefing, executives will discuss their approach to building a flexible and dynamic zero trust network.

Some states have sued.

Republicans on the House Oversight and Reform Committee are looking for more information. They wrote to the Defense Department, General Services Administration and Office of Management and Budget on Wednesday seeking a variety of documents that explain the administrationâ€™s decision making process for the mandate.

Government contracts attorneys and professional services organizations say many of their clients are complying with the federal vaccine mandate, or at least theyâ€™re trying to.

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All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John

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Entered these too, thanks!

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Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration.

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Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes

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This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline.

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All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John

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P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John

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All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John

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Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov]

Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all?

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John,

I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that?

Sam

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I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!! Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 6:47 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' < jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus < Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" PRIVILEGED â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion. By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner. Thanks a lot for your support in this project! Thanks, John Sauer **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 1:34 PM **To:** cori.mills@alaska.gov; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov; Ryan Schelhaas <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' < Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov' <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Dewhirst, David < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Subject:** ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better. Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, "**Iowa,**" could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€? Thanks a lot, John Sauer This email message, including the attachments, is from the Missouri Attorney Generalâ€™s Office. It is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information, including that covered by Â§ 32.057, RSMo. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply email and destroy all copies of the original message. Thank you.
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For contractors, guidance on ever-evolving federal vaccine mandate makes compliance difficult

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Update: The Biden administration on Thursday extended the deadline for federal contractors to comply with the vaccine mandate, a day after this story was initially posted. Contractors now have until Jan. 4, the same deadline that private sector companies have under new requirements from the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

This story was updated on Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021 at 9:10 a.m. to reflect the new deadline.

Federal contractors now have two months to comply for their employees to comply with the presidentâ€™s recent executive order requiring COVID-19 vaccines.

So far, government vendors and other stakeholders have reacted to the federal vaccine mandate in a variety of ways.

Insight by Tanium: In this exclusive executive briefing, executives will discuss their approach to building a flexible and dynamic zero trust network.

Some states have sued.

Republicans on the House Oversight and Reform Committee are looking for more information. They wrote to the Defense Department, General Services Administration and Office of Management and Budget on Wednesday seeking a variety of documents that explain the administrationâ€™s decision making process for the mandate.

Government contracts attorneys and professional services organizations say many of their clients are complying with the federal vaccine mandate, or at least theyâ€™re trying to.

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All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John

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Entered these too, thanks!

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Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration.

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Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes

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This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline.

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All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John

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P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John

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All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John

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Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov]

Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all?

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John,

I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that?

Sam

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Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project! Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 6:47 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' < jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus < Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" PRIVILEGED â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion. By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner. Thanks a lot for your support in this project! Thanks, John Sauer **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 1:34 PM **To:** cori.mills@alaska.gov; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov; Ryan Schelhaas <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' < Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov' <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Dewhirst, David < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Subject:** ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better. Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, *Iowa,* could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€? Thanks a lot, John Sauer This email message, including the attachments, is from the Missouri Attorney Generalâ€™s Office. It is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information, including that covered by Â§ 32.057, RSMo. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply email and destroy all copies of the original message. Thank you.
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For contractors, guidance on ever-evolving federal vaccine mandate makes compliance difficult

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Update: The Biden administration on Thursday extended the deadline for federal contractors to comply with the vaccine mandate, a day after this story was initially posted. Contractors now have until Jan. 4, the same deadline that private sector companies have under new requirements from the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

This story was updated on Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021 at 9:10 a.m. to reflect the new deadline.

Federal contractors now have two months to comply for their employees to comply with the presidentâ€™s recent executive order requiring COVID-19 vaccines.

So far, government vendors and other stakeholders have reacted to the federal vaccine mandate in a variety of ways.

Insight by Tanium: In this exclusive executive briefing, executives will discuss their approach to building a flexible and dynamic zero trust network.

Some states have sued.

Republicans on the House Oversight and Reform Committee are looking for more information. They wrote to the Defense Department, General Services Administration and Office of Management and Budget on Wednesday seeking a variety of documents that explain the administrationâ€™s decision making process for the mandate.

Government contracts attorneys and professional services organizations say many of their clients are complying with the federal vaccine mandate, or at least theyâ€™re trying to.

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All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John

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Body	**Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Entered these too, thanks! **From:** Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:25 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration. **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:53 PM **To:** 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes **From:** Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:46 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline. **David Dewhirst** Solicitor General Office of Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen david.dewhirst@mt.gov 406.444.4145 **CONFIDENTIALâ€"PRIVILEGEDâ€"DELIBERATIVE** **Notice:** This email message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential, privileged, or deliberative and pre-decisional material, including attorney-client communications and attorney work product. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure, or distribution is prohibited. This electronic transmission does not constitute a waiver of privilege. 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Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 2:26 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>

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We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:03 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 7:54 AM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov] Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all? **From:** Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:32 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate John, I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>;

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Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project! Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021 6:47 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' < jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus < Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" PRIVILEGED â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion. By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner. Thanks a lot for your support in this project! Thanks, John Sauer **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 1:34 PM **To:** cori.mills@alaska.gov; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov; Ryan Schelhaas <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' < Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov' <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Dewhirst, David < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Subject:** ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better. Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, *Iowa,* could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€? Thanks a lot, John Sauer This email message, including the attachments, is from the Missouri Attorney Generalâ€™s Office. It is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information, including that covered by Â§ 32.057, RSMo. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply email and destroy all copies of the original message. Thank you.
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Body	Todd **From:** Parker,Adam <Adam.Parker@Sanfordhealth.org> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:06 AM **To:** Porter, Todd K. **Cc:** Price, Christopher T.E. **Subject:** Fwd: 301.12 - Health - Trauma Care - Emergency Health - General Counsel ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Rep Porter- Attached is the legislation, drafted by AAG Allyson Hicks, that we discussed. It is needed for the Department of Health to conduct FBI compliant background checks on applicants seeking initial EMS licensure. The background checks are necessary for us to remain in the EMS Compact after September of 2022, therefore waiting until next session isn't ideal. Thanks for your help with this. Let me know if you have any questions. Also, I cc'd Chris Price on this email as he should be able to answer any questions I cannot. Thanks again, R. Adam Parker 701-934-1398 **From:** Price, Christopher T.E. <cprice@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 8:31 AM **To:** Parker,Adam **Subject:** [EXTERNAL] FW: 301.12 - Health - Trauma Care - Emergency Health - General Counsel Updated numbering **From:** Hicks, Allyson M. <ahicks@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 08:23 **To:** Price, Christopher T.E. <cprice@nd.gov> **Subject:** 301.12 - Health - Trauma Care - Emergency Health - General Counsel Hi Chris- See attached update numbering. Sorry about that! Thanks, Allyson M. Hicks Assistant Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E Boulevard Ave. Bismarck, ND 58505-0040 ahicks@nd.gov (701) 328-2210 ND ID # 07293 CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE This electronic mail transmission is intended for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain confidential information belonging to the sender. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution, or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify the sender immediately by e-mail and delete the original message. --- Confidentiality Notice: This e-mail message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain privileged and confidential information. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message.
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Body	Will you check his availability for next Friday morning ? w **From:** Tryhus, Nicole K. <ntryhus@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021 12:46 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Tim Olson interview Tim Olson with the Theodore Roosevelt Foundation called back to schedule a meeting with you next week. I got the call because Liz forwarded her phone to me. Did you want me to get Liz to call him from home or did you have a day/time next week you just wanted me to call him back with? He said he's basically wide open next week so whenever you would want to do it he will be happy to do it then. Thank you and I hope you have a fantastic day! **Nikki Tryhus** Administrative Assistant I Office of Attorney General www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov (701)328-2210 ntryhus@nd.gov

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Body	Great, thanks! Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 11:01:47 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Tim Olson interview Of course. Liz **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 11:01 AM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Tim Olson interview Will you check his availability for next Friday morning ? w **From:** Tryhus, Nicole K. <ntryhus@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021 12:46 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Tim Olson interview Tim Olson with the Theodore Roosevelt Foundation called back to schedule a meeting with you next week. I got the call because Liz forwarded her phone to me. Did you want me to get Liz to call him from home or did you have a day/time next week you just wanted me to call him back with? He said he's basically wide open next week so whenever you would want to do it he will be happy to do it then. Thank you and I hope you have a fantastic day! **Nikki Tryhus** Administrative Assistant I Office of Attorney General www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov (701)328-2210 ntryhus@nd.gov

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Body	James, I believe we've already signed on to this. Parrell can correct me if I'm wrong. Wayne **From:** Wald, James J. <jawald@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 11:47 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: NAAG Letter Regarding Bankruptcy Venue Reform Attorney General, You may have already received notice of this, but below is an e-mail we received from Jim Lodoen requesting your support for pending federal bankruptcy venue reform bills H.R. 4193 and S. 2827. Jim is the Special AG who has been assisting the state with various bankruptcy cases (namely, Whiting Petroleum). If you recall from the September Special Land Board meeting, Jim pointed out the fact that certain federal bankruptcy courts have been seeing a disproportionate volume of cases due to the reputation of those courts for being debtor-friendly. Jim asked that I forward you the below e-mail and recently indicated that today may be the deadline to sign on. I have not had the opportunity to review the bills myself, but would be happy to answer any questions that I can. Thank You, James Wald **From:** Lodoen, Jim <jlodoen@spencerfane.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021 10:19 AM **To:** Wald, James J. <jawald@nd.gov> **Subject:** NAAG Letter Regarding Bankruptcy Venue Reform ***** CAUTION: This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** James, Good morning James. The below e-mail from my partner Eric in Texas is fairly self-explanatory. This all relates to venue reform at the federal level to change the bankruptcy venue laws so that large company's located in North Dakota or Minnesota for example need to file bankruptcy where they are located, instead of the larger companies filing in such locations as Delaware, NY or Texas, either because that is their state of incorporation or because they have a nominal link to those states. The possibility of venue reform has gained significant momentum in the past month, and there appears a real possibility that this legislation could now pass. Attorney General Stenehjem signed onto the AGs' letter last year, and I am sending this in order to make sure this is on his radar screen again this year. Jim James A. Lodoen Partner Spencer Fane LLP 100 South Fifth Street, Suite 2500 | Minneapolis, MN 55402 O 612.268.7039 jlodoen@spencerfane.com | spencerfane.com | Bio **From:** Van Horn, Eric <ericvanhorn@spencerfane.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021 9:55 AM **To:** Lodoen, Jim <jlodoen@spencerfane.com> **Subject:** NAAG Letter Regarding Bankruptcy Venue Reform Hi Jim, As we discussed yesterday, NAAG is seeking support from state attorneys general for the pending bankruptcy venue reform bills (H.R. 4193 and S. 2827). The bills are the same or substantially similar to the bill endorsed by NAAG in February 2020 (H.R. 4421). That 2020 letter is available here: https://www.naag.org/policy-letter/attorneys-general-support-bankruptcy-venue-reform-act-of-2019/ Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem signed the 2020 letter and my contact at the Texas Attorneys' General Office has asked for assistance with outreach to attorneys general regarding this year's letter. The October 2021 email and letter from NAAG would have been sent to whomever in the ND AG's office is designated as the liaison for NAAG. Can you please ask your ND AG contacts to check with their liaison and, if they would like, to please email my contact in Texas (Rachel.Obaldo@oag.texas.gov) and she can send them the email and letter so that they can pass it along to be sure that it is reviewed and considered by Attorney General Stenehjem? Best, Eric Eric M. Van Horn Partner Spencer Fane LLP 2200 Ross Ave. Suite 4800 West | Dallas, TX 75201 O 214-459-5895 ericvanhorn@spencerfane.com | spencerfane.com
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Record 1150

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Body	Thank you so much for your email. More than that, thank you for your service to our country. You have done more to fight for our freedoms than I ever could! Wayne **From:** Lynn M. Timm <lolitashope@aol.com> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 2:57 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Thank you ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good afternoon AG Stenehjem, Just a quick note to say thank you for adding North Dakota to the growing list of states filing the latest lawsuit against vaccine mandates. As a Desert Storm Veteran, I greatly appreciate that we have someone here in our great state who's ready and willing to fight for and defend our rights and freedoms. Sincerely, Lynn M. Timm

Record 1151

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Body	Thanks for sending this. With the special session of the legislature convening, I will have some time crunch of my own to contend with. I have a hearing on a budget request at 8:30, and hope I will be done by the 9 am convening of the meeting. I'll know more this morning. Wayne **From:** Hall, Steven D. <shall@nd.gov> **Sent:** Sunday, November 7, 2021 6:02 PM **To:** Weir, Pat <pweir@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Adams, Beverly L. <bladams@nd.gov>; Lamb, Carmelita <clamb@nd.gov>; Thompson, Jennifer L. <jlthomps@nd.gov>; Krabbenhoft, David L. <dkrabben@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Hall, Steven D. shared "November 2021 Pardon advisory Board Victim notes" with you. Pat, Thanks for letting me know. I will give you a call on Monday to come up with a plan. Steve **From:** Weir, Pat <pweir@nd.gov> **Sent:** Sunday, November 07, 2021 10:59 AM **To:** Hall, Steven D. <shall@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Adams, Beverly L. <bladams@nd.gov>; Lamb, Carmelita <clamb@nd.gov>; Thompson, Jennifer L. <jlthomps@nd.gov>; Krabbenhoft, David L. <dkrabben@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Hall, Steven D. shared "November 2021 Pardon advisory Board Victim notes" with you. Steve, the Billings County Commissioners moved their regularly scheduled meeting to a special meeting to consider some important issues concerning our residents. However, the new meeting times conflict with Pardon Board meeting. I have spoken to the Commissioners and they are willing to back-load the discussions where it is imperative I attend. I will attend Pardon Board and will interview witnesses assigned to me, but I would appreciate it if we could visit Monday about the matter. This was unanticipated but, as stated above, I can work around it I believe. Under the circumstances, it might be better for Wayne & or one of the other members act as Chairman. Pat **From:** Hall, Steven D. **Sent:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021 9:46 AM **To:** Weir, Pat <pweir@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Adams, Beverly L. <bladams@nd.gov>; Lamb, Carmelita <clamb@nd.gov>; Thompson, Jennifer L. <jlthomps@nd.gov>; Krabbenhoft, David L. <dkrabben@nd.gov> **Subject:** Hall, Steven D. shared "November 2021 Pardon advisory Board Victim notes" with you. **Hall, Steven D. shared a file with you** Link to Victim Notes for November 2021 Pardon Board. We do not have and victims wanting to provide testimony this meeting. November 2021 Pardon advisory Board Victim notes This link only works for the direct recipients of this message. Privacy Statement
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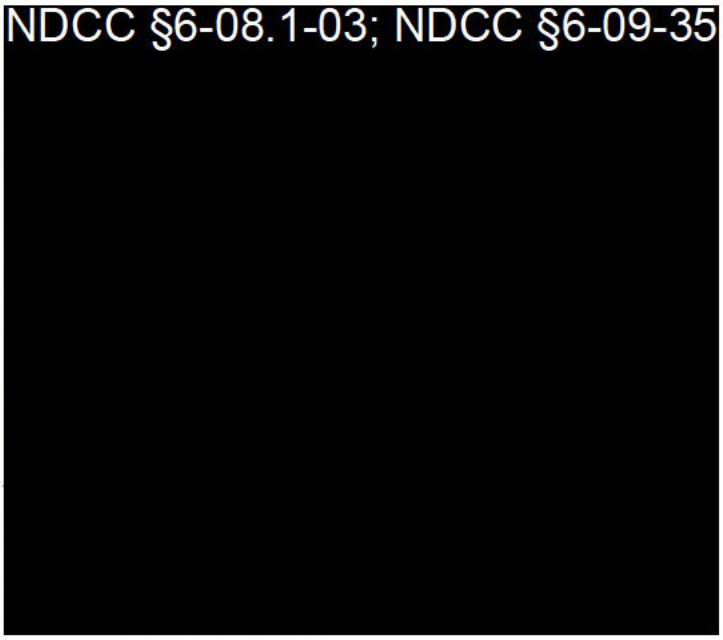

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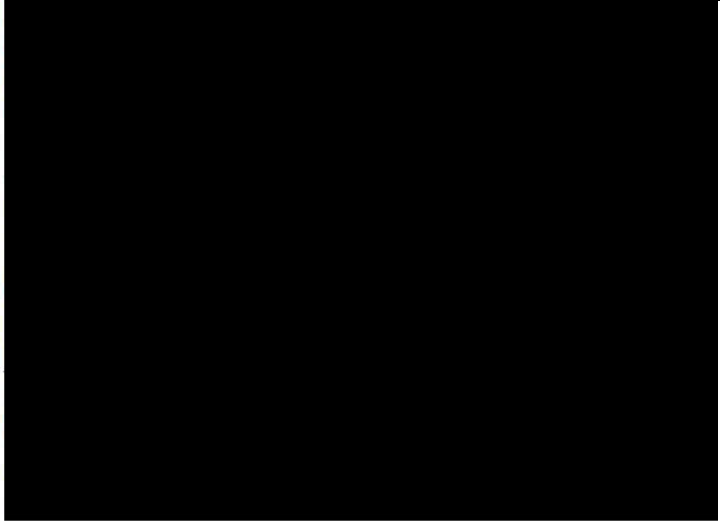

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Subject	RE: S Ct case briefing / coordination
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I can come down anytime you are available. Should I check with Liz?

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Please come down and we can confer.
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Subject	Re: The North American Coal Corp
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Subject: RE: The North American Coal Corp

I can come down anytime you are available. Should I check with Liz?

From: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Sent: Monday, November 8, 2021 6:20 PM
To: Mickelson, Lori S. <lmickelson@nd.gov>
Subject: Re: The North American Coal Corp

Please come down and we can confer.
Wayne

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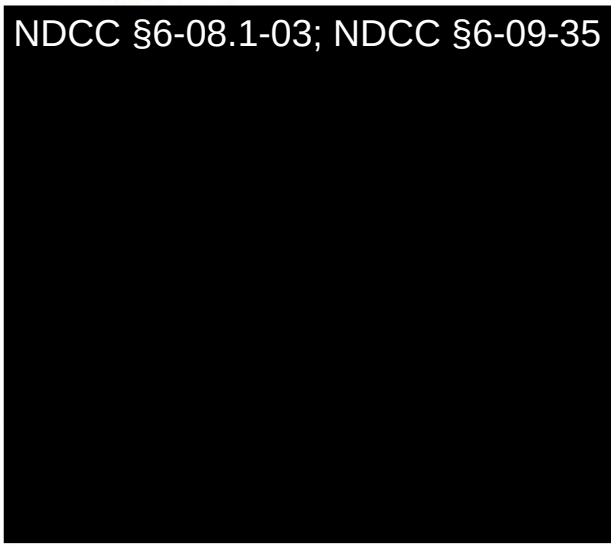

11.11.1 Governing Law.

This Agreement and the other Loan Documents and any claims, controversy, dispute or cause of action (whether in contract or tort or otherwise) based upon, arising out of or relating to this Agreement or any other Loan Document (except, as to any other Loan Document, as expressly specified therein) and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Law of the State of New York, without regard to its conflict of laws principles; provided, however, the interpretation or enforcement of any obligations or requirements imposed upon Bank of North Dakota under the North Dakota Century Code shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of the state of North Dakota.. Each standby Letter of Credit issued under this Agreement shall be subject, as applicable, to the rules of the Uniform Customs and Practice

Body	for Documentary Credits, as most recently published by the International Chamber of Commerce (the "ICC") at the time of issuance ("UCP") or the rules of the International Standby Practices (ICC Publication Number 590) ("ISP98"), as determined by the Issuing Lender, and each trade Letter of Credit shall be subject to UCP, and in each case to the extent not inconsistent therewith, the Laws of the State of New York without regard to its conflict of laws principles. 11.11.2 SUBMISSION TO JURISDICTION. THE BORROWER IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY SUBMITS, FOR ITSELF AND ITS PROPERTY, TO THE NONEXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF THE COURTS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK SITTING IN NEW YORK COUNTY AND OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, AND ANY APPELLATE COURT FROM ANY THEREOF, IN ANY ACTION OR PROCEEDING ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, OR FOR RECOGNITION OR ENFORCEMENT OF ANY JUDGMENT, AND EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY AGREES THAT ALL CLAIMS IN RESPECT OF ANY SUCH ACTION OR PROCEEDING MAY BE HEARD AND DETERMINED IN SUCH NEW YORK STATE COURT ~~OR, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN SUCH FEDERAL COURT~~. EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO AGREES THAT A FINAL JUDGMENT IN ANY SUCH ACTION OR PROCEEDING SHALL BE CONCLUSIVE AND MAY BE ENFORCED IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS BY SUIT ON THE JUDGMENT OR IN ANY OTHER MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW. NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT OR IN ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT SHALL AFFECT ANY RIGHT THAT THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, OR ANY LENDER MAY OTHERWISE HAVE TO BRING ANY ACTION OR PROCEEDING RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT AGAINST THE BORROWER OR ITS PROPERTIES IN THE COURTS OF ANY JURISDICTION. **From:** Hausauer, Kaylen R. <krhausauer@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 8, 2021 11:22 AM **To:** Mickelson, Lori S. <lmickelson@nd.gov> **Subject:** The North American Coal Corp Lori: Per your request, the following is some information regarding The North American Coal Corp (NACC) and why we are looking at being a party to a syndicated loan facility. PNC Bank has reached out to BND to gauge our interest in participating in a revolving line of credit to NACC. BND has not previously participated in this deal however due to an exit by a prior lender due to the nature of the borrower's industries (coal), BND has been approached to participate. BND has been requested to be a direct signer on the credit agreement rather than a participant in PNC's share. The proposed terms are as follows: 1. $150,000,000 revolving line of credit (RLOC) 1. 4 year term (pretty standard for this type of facility) 2. PNC will hold $55,000,000 3. KeyBank $40,000,000 4. Another lender $10,000,000 5. **BND $45,000,000 (30% of total)** The borrower is involved in coal surface mining/coal mining planning, mining of other diversified aggregates and reclamation and remediation. They are involved in the Coyote Creek, Freedom and Falkirk mine operations in ND. They have more than 100 years of mining experience. The RLOC may be used for working capital or for CapEx that may arise as they continue to diversify their operations. If you have any questions or need any additional information, please let me know! **Kaylen Hausauer** Business Banker **Bank of North Dakota** **1200 Memorial Highway | Bismarck, ND 58504** **P: 701-328-5604 | C: 701-226-6067 | F: 701-328-5731** **E: krhausauer@nd.gov | bnd.nd.gov** *Sign up to get email updates from Bank of North Dakota.* The information contained in this email message, and any attachments, may be privileged and confidential. It is intended only for the use of the individual or entity to whom it is sent. If you are not the intended recipient of this email message and have received it by mistake, please do not review, retain, disclose, or otherwise use the communication. Instead, we would appreciate it if you would notify Bank of North Dakota immediately by responding to this email. Thank you for your cooperation.

Record 1182

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Federal Vaccine Mandate for Health-Care Workers - Draft Complaint
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Body	We'll be done here shortly to confer... Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 9, 2021 2:55:21 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Federal Vaccine Mandate for Health-Care Workers - Draft Complaint I recommend we join. Troy T. Seibel Chief Deputy Attorney General Office of Attorney General 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 125 Bismarck, ND 58505 701-328-2210 tseibel@nd.gov **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 9, 2021 2:27 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Alm, Jonathan E. <jealm@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Federal Vaccine Mandate for Health-Care Workers - Draft Complaint FYI, do we want to join? **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 9, 2021 11:28 AM **To:** 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Shasserre, Joshua' <joshua.shasserre@nebraska.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Cc:** 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Green, Maddie < Maddie.Green@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Federal Vaccine Mandate for Health-Care Workers - Draft Complaint ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** All- Several of you have inquired about plans to file a lawsuit challenging the federal CMS vaccine mandate for health-care workers. Attached is a proposed draft complaint that Nebraska and Missouri have prepared, which we plan to file tomorrow morning in E.D. Mo. We hope to follow up promptly with a motion for preliminary injunction. Special thanks to Jim Campbell for a lot of incredibly fast heavy lifting on this draft over the last several days. Please let us know by tomorrow morning at 9:30 am Central if your State is interested in joining. Please copy me, Jim, and Jesus Osete of our office (cc'ed) on your responses. Thanks a lot, John Sauer This email message, including the attachments, is from the Missouri Attorney General's Office. It is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information, including that covered by § 32.057, RSMo. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply email and destroy all copies of the original message. Thank you.
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Body	§44-04-19.1 Wayne **From:** sebyp@gtlaw.com <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021 12:49 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fwd: 1:19-cv-00150-DMT-ARS - North Dakota, State of v. United States of America ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne & Matt - §44-04-19.1 Paul Begin forwarded message: **From:** Amy Strankowski <amy_strankowski@ndd.uscourts.gov> **Date:** November 8, 2021 at 8:25:17 AM MST **To:** "Seby, Paul (Shld-DEN-Env)" <sebyp@gtlaw.com>, masagsve@nd.gov, jane.bobet@usdoj.gov, victor.scarpato@usdoj.gov, logan.steiner@usdoj.gov **Subject: RE: 1:19-cv-00150-DMT-ARS - North Dakota, State of v. United States of America** *EXTERNAL TO GT* §44-04-19.1 Thank you, Amy Strankowski Law Clerk to Magistrate Judge Alice R. Senechal 655 1st Ave. N., Suite 440 Fargo, ND 58102 701-297-7072 **From:** NDD J-Senechal <NDD_J-Senechal@ndd.uscourts.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 8, 2021 7:43 AM **To:** sebyp@gtamylaw.com; masagsve@nd.gov; jane.bobet@usdoj.gov; victor.scarpato@usdoj.gov ; logan.steiner@usdoj.gov **Cc:** Amy Strankowski <amy_strankowski@ndd.uscourts.gov> **Subject:** 1:19-cv-00150-DMT-ARS - North Dakota, State of v. United States of America Good morning. §44-04-19.1 Thank you. Alice R. Senechal United States Magistrate Judge District of North Dakota 701-297-7070 If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Connors Letter - Needs to Go Out Today
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 1:00:04.000 PM
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CC	lbrocker@nd.gov

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Connors Letter - Needs to Go Out Today
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 1:00:04.000 PM
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CC	lbrocker@nd.gov

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Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	sertelt@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Solicitation Number 301-221-21.06 - COVID-19 Immunization Certificate with a Vaccine Q R Code
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 3:54:11.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 3:54:11.000 PM
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Body	Thanks, Rep. Ertelt, for copying me on this email. When you hear from the LC with their response, please feel free to share it with me if you so wish. Best, Wayne **From:** Ertelt, Sebastian <sertelt@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021 3:13 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Solicitation Number 301-221-21.06 - COVID-19 Immunization Certificate with a Vaccine QR Code Liz, I saw the Attorney General in the hall so I spoke with him briefly about Solicitation Number 301-221-21.06 - COVID-19 Immunization Certificate with a Vaccine QR Code and asked for his opinion. I will visit with LC regarding the question of authority to retain immunization data. Kind regards, Sebastian Ertelt State Representative North Dakota District 26 67th Legislative Assembly Finance & Taxation Committee Political Subdivisions Committee Judiciary Committee (Interim) Information & Technology Committee (Interim) M 701.680.7988

Record 1195

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	sertelt@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Solicitation Number 301-221-21.06 - COVID-19 Immunization Certificate with a Vaccine Q R Code
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 3:54:11.000 PM
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Record 1196

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com
Subject	Laura Dresser
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 9:02:12.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 9:02:13.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 9:02:00.000 PM
Body	
Attachments	16094.pdf

Record 1197

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com
Subject	Laura Dresser
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/10/2021 9:02:12.000 PM
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Body	
Attachments	12744.pdf

Record 1198

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	dmcdanie@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: HB 1509
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 7:09:49.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 7:09:50.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 7:09:00.000 AM
Body	Thanks. We've been following this as well. Wayne **From:** McDaniel, Deborah A. <dmcdanie@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021 7:47 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: HB 1509 HB 1509 was amended and was forwarded as a "Do Pass" unanimously in the Joint Technical Corrections Committee this evening. It should be brought to the House Floor for vote tomorrow 11/11/21. I will update tomorrow on the outcome.

Record 1199

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	dmcdanie@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: HB 1509
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 7:09:49.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 7:09:50.000 AM

Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 7:09:00.000 AM
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Media
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 11:39:25.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 11:39:25.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 11:39:00.000 AM
Body	Done **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 11, 2021 10:05 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Media Reminder – Ali at WDAY radio, vaccine mandate lawsuits, before 4pm today, 763-232-8977. Liz

Record 1201

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Media
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 4:22:02.000 PM

Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/11/2021 4:22:04.000 PM
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Record 1204

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	FW: EIS Redline
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/12/2021 12:59:22.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/12/2021 12:59:22.000 PM
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Body	**From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 11:28 AM **To:** sebyp@gtlaw.com; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Rockeman, Karl H. <krockema@nd.gov>; Schuh, John M. <jschuh@nd.gov>; Olson, Margaret I. <maiolson@nd.gov>; Helms, Lynn D. <lhelms@nd.gov>; Heiser, Gerald R. <gheiser@nd.gov> **Subject:** EIS Redline FYI, the Corps provided this redline draft of the November EIS today. Matt
Attachments	Corps.Nov.EIS.Redline[16090].pdf

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Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/12/2021 1:35:30.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/12/2021 1:35:31.000 PM
Body	Yes, I did. Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 1:23:07 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: EIS Redline Did you intend to send this back to me? Did I make some type of mistake? **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 12:59 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: EIS Redline **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 11:28 AM **To:** sebyp@gtlaw.com; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Rockeman, Karl H. <krockema@nd.gov>; Schuh, John M. <jschuh@nd.gov>; Olson, Margaret I. <maiolson@nd.gov>; Helms, Lynn D. <lhelms@nd.gov>; Heiser, Gerald R. <gheiser@nd.gov> **Subject:** EIS Redline FYI, the Corps provided this redline draft of the November EIS today. Matt

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Body	It says I can't open it Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 1:35:30 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** Re: EIS Redline Yes, I did. Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 1:23:07 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: EIS Redline Did you intend to send this back to me? Did I make some type of mistake? **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 12:59 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: EIS Redline **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 11:28 AM **To:** sebyp@gtlaw.com; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Rockeman, Karl H. <krockema@nd.gov>; Schuh, John M. <jschuh@nd.gov>; Olson, Margaret I. <maiolson@nd.gov>; Helms, Lynn D. <lhelms@nd.gov>; Heiser, Gerald R. <gheiser@nd.gov> **Subject:** EIS Redline FYI, the Corps provided this redline draft of the November EIS today. Matt

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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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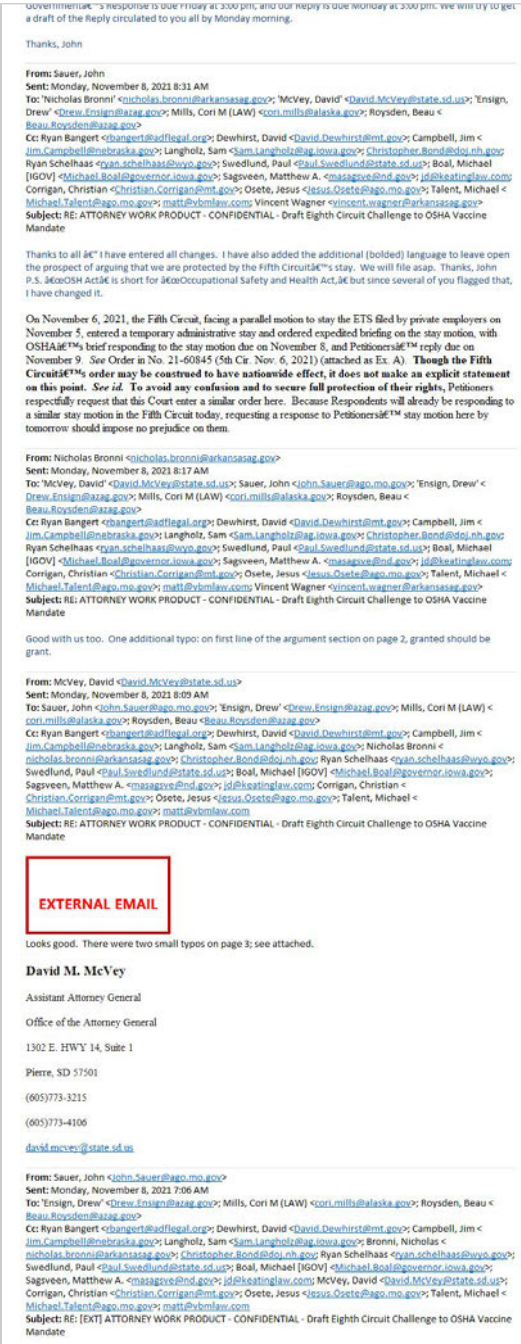

Government's response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

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Thanks to all â€" I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John
P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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Body

All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:
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> This makes a lot of sense to me.
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> **From:** Sauer, John [mailto:John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov]
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> All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 11:51 AM, Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov> wrote:
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> Ditto! Great job!
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> Cori Mills
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:
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> Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.
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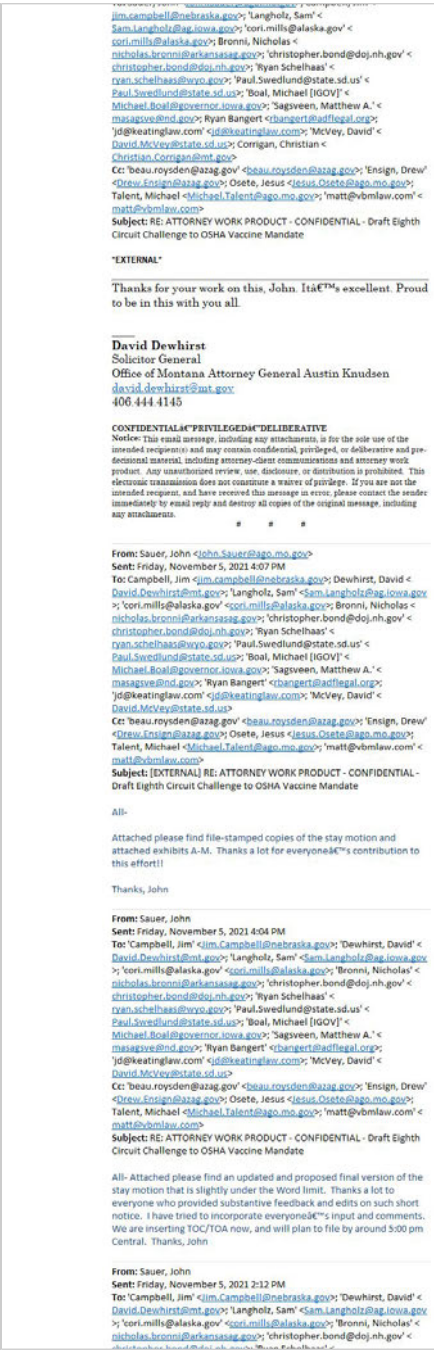
Body	

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Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHA's designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John

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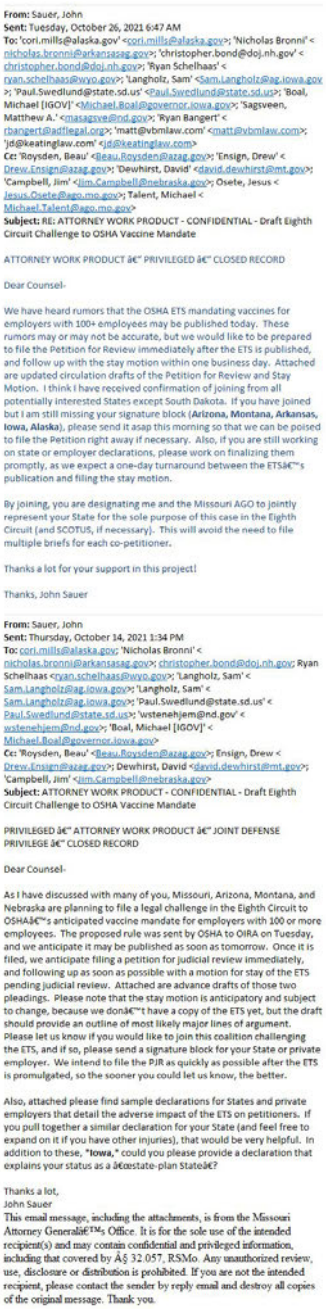
Body	intended recipient, and have received this message in error, please contact the sender immediately by email reply and destroy all copies of the original message, including any attachments. \# \# \# **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 2:00 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** [EXTERNAL] RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 2:26 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looping David McVey of SD into this email chain **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:35 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:03 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion

Body	to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 7:54 AM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov] Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€“ Does that sound like a good course of action to all? **From:** Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:32 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate John, I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!! Thanks a lot, John

Body	

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ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" PRIVILEGED â€" CLOSED RECORD

Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, **"Iowa,"** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer
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I was trying to get this from somewhere Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Sunday, November 14, 2021 1:42:35 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate FYI **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 5:36 PM **To:** 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> **Cc:** 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Christopher.Bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'Corrigan, Christian' <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'Vincent Wagner' <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday. **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 2:38 PM **To:** 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> **Cc:** 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Christopher.Bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'Corrigan, Christian' <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'Vincent Wagner' <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 12, 2021 11:54 AM **To:** 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> **Cc:** 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Christopher.Bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'Corrigan, Christian' <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'Vincent Wagner' <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021 1:57 PM **To:** 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> **Cc:** 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Christopher.Bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'Corrigan, Christian' <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'Vincent Wagner' <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. 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Governmentâ€™s response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

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Thanks to all â€“ I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John
P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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EXTERNAL EMAIL

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Body

All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

From: Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov>
Sent: Saturday, November 6, 2021 4:10:49 PM
To: Roysden, Beau
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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:
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> This makes a lot of sense to me.
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> **From:** Sauer, John [mailto:John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov]
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> All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 11:51 AM, Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov> wrote:
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> Ditto! Great job!
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> Cori Mills
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:
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> Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.
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Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud to be in this with you all.

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All-

Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to this effort!!

Thanks, John

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All- Attached please find an updated and proposed final version of the stay motion that is slightly under the Word limit. Thanks a lot to everyone who provided substantive feedback and edits on such short notice. I have tried to incorporate everyoneâ€™s input and comments. We are inserting TOC/TOA now, and will plan to file by around 5:00 pm Central. Thanks, John

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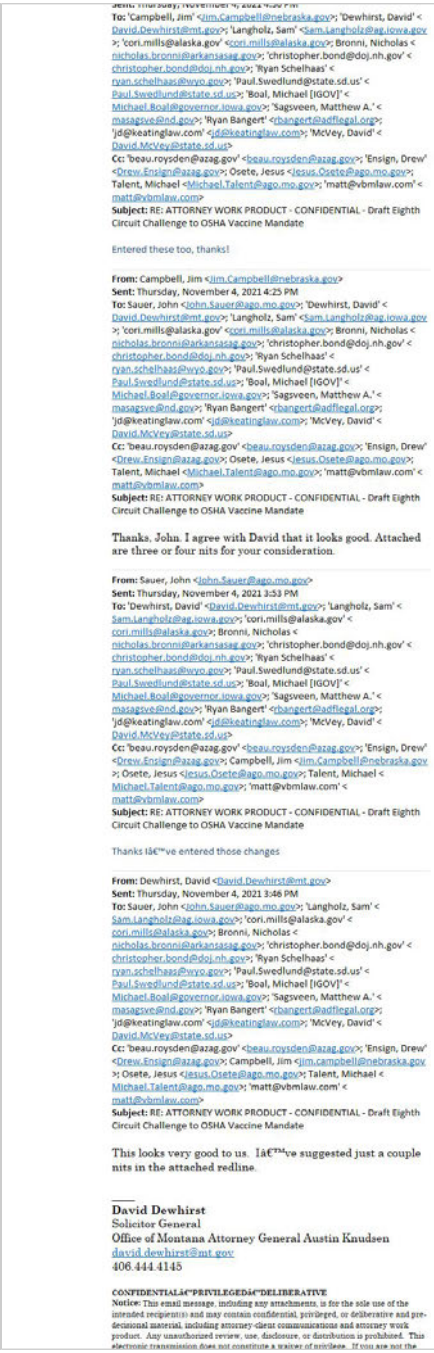
Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHA's designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John

Body	

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Entered these too, thanks!

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Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration.

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Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes

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Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. 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We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. 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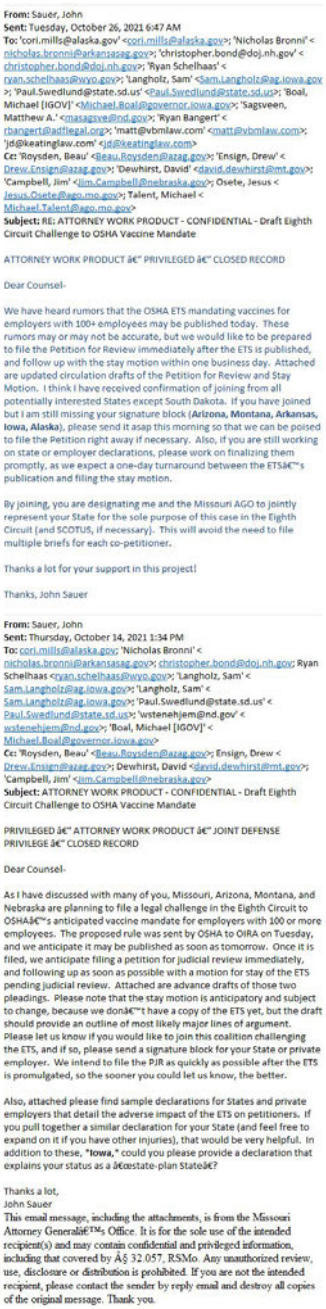
Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion

Body	to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 7:54 AM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov] Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€“ Does that sound like a good course of action to all? **From:** Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:32 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate John, I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!! Thanks a lot, John

Body	

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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, **"Iowa,"** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer
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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

Thanks, John

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Thanks to all â€“ I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:
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> This makes a lot of sense to me.
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> **From:** Sauer, John [mailto:John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov]
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> All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John
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> Ditto! Great job!
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> Cori Mills
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> Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.
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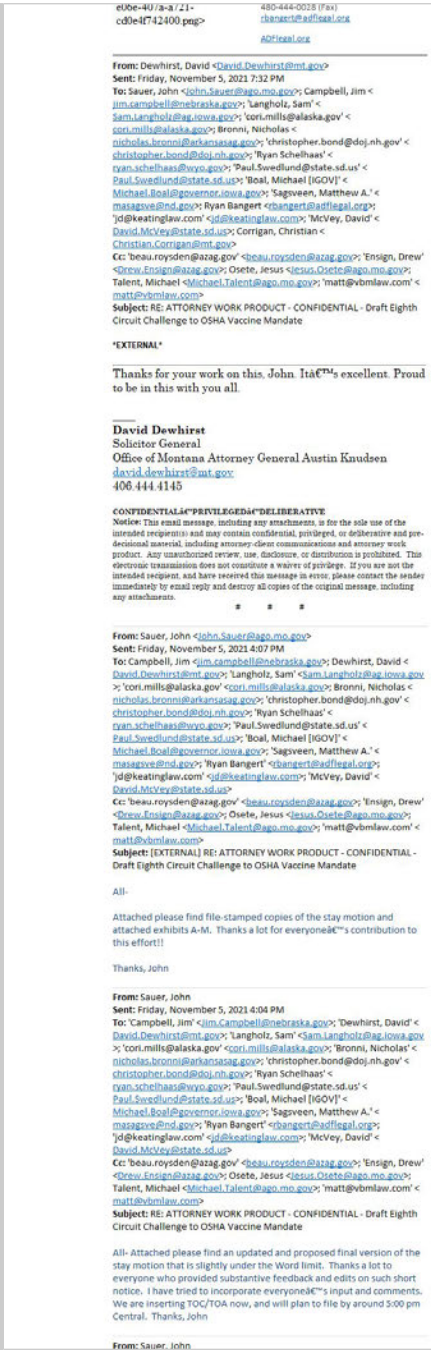

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Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud to be in this with you all.

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Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to this effort!!

Thanks, John

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All- Attached please find an updated and proposed final version of the stay motion that is slightly under the Word limit. Thanks a lot to everyone who provided substantive feedback and edits on such short notice. I have tried to incorporate everyoneâ€™s input and comments. We are inserting TOC/TOA now, and will plan to file by around 5:00 pm Central. Thanks, John

From: Sauer, John

Body	**Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 2:12 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Please find attached an updated draft of the stay motion that is close to the word limit (sans introduction and citations of declarations). We hope to finalize and file by 4:00 pm today, so please let me know asap if you have any thoughts, questions, or concerns. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHAâ€™s designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We

Body	are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:30 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Entered these too, thanks! **From:** Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:25 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration. **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:53 PM **To:** 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes **From:** Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:46 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline. **David Dewhirst** Solicitor General Office of Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen david.dewhirst@mt.gov 406.444.4145 CONFIDENTIALâ€“PRIVILEGEDâ€“DELIBERATIVE Notice: This email message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the

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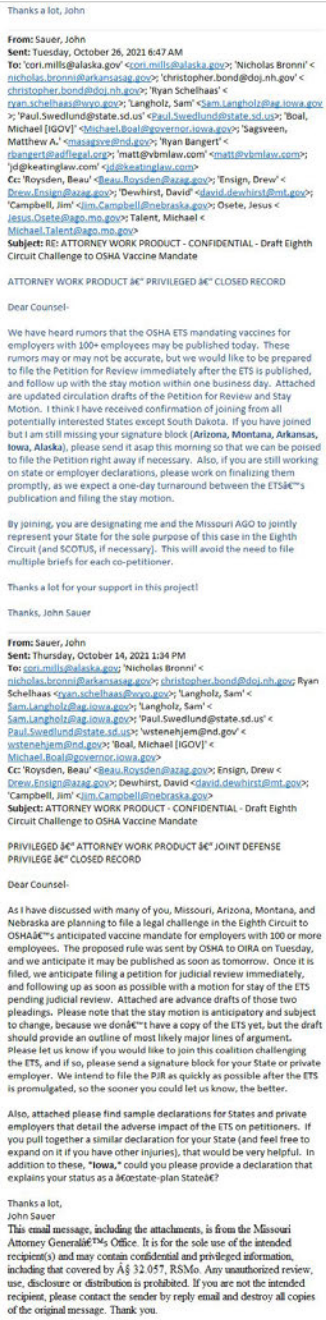
Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 2:26 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looping David McVey of SD into this email chain **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:35 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:03 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business,

Body	but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 7:54 AM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov] Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all? **From:** Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:32 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate John, I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!!

Body	

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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD

Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, **"Iowa,"** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer

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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

Thanks, John

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Thanks to all â€“ I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

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> All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John
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> Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.
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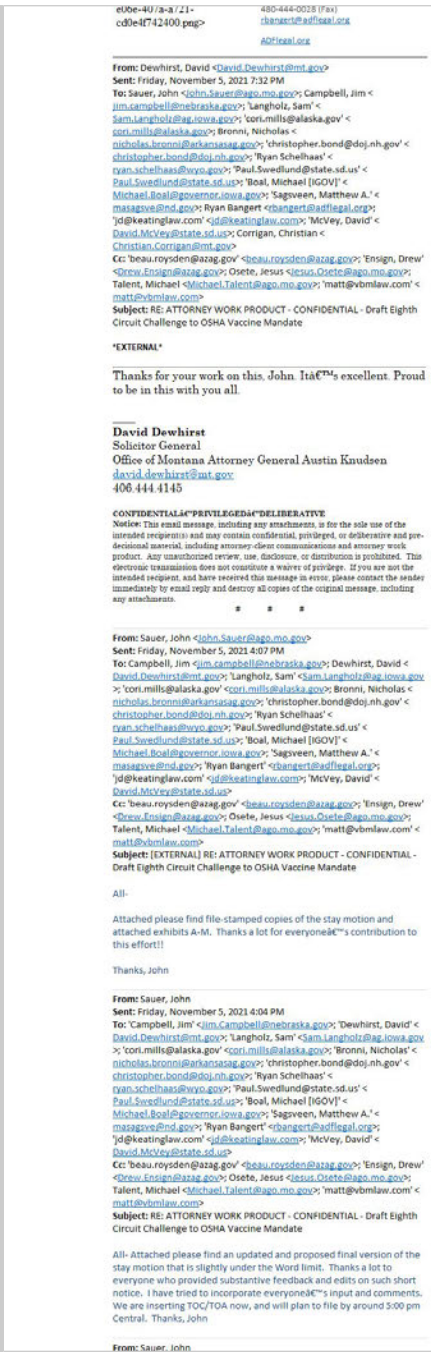

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Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud to be in this with you all.

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Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to this effort!!

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All- Attached please find an updated and proposed final version of the stay motion that is slightly under the Word limit. Thanks a lot to everyone who provided substantive feedback and edits on such short notice. I have tried to incorporate everyoneâ€™s input and comments. We are inserting TOC/TOA now, and will plan to file by around 5:00 pm Central. Thanks, John

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We hope to finalize and file by 4:00 pm today, so please let me know asap if you have any thoughts, questions, or concerns. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHAâ€™s designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We

Body	are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:30 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Entered these too, thanks! **From:** Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:25 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration. **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:53 PM **To:** 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes **From:** Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:46 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline. **David Dewhirst** Solicitor General Office of Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen david.dewhirst@mt.gov 406.444.4145 CONFIDENTIALâ€“PRIVILEGEDâ€“DELIBERATIVE Notice: This email message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the

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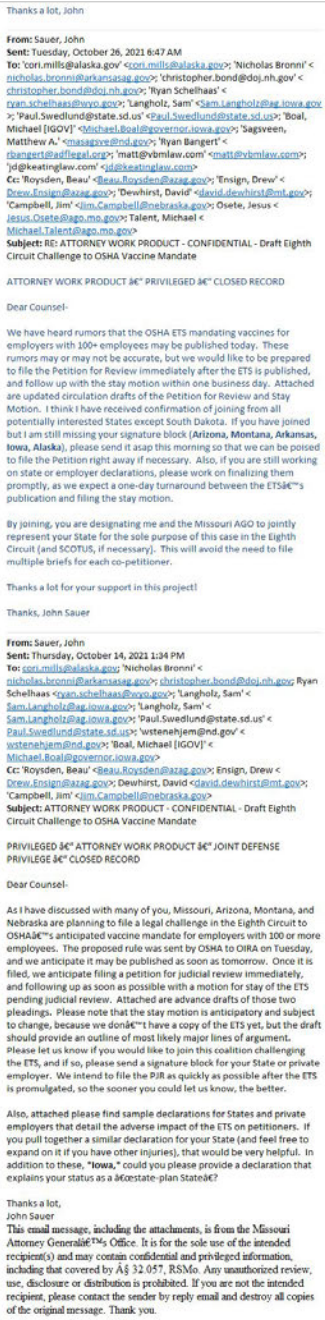
Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 2:26 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looping David McVey of SD into this email chain **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:35 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:03 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business,

Body	but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 7:54 AM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov] Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all? **From:** Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:32 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate John, I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!!

Body	

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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, **"Iowa,"** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer

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Thanks for sharing. I was trying to get this from somewhere
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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

Thanks, John

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Thanks to all â€" I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John
P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

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> All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:

Body	Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this. <logo_abdfb0ec-e06e-407a-a721-cd0e4f742400.png> Ryan Bangert Senior Counsel, VP of Legal Strategy +1 480 444 0020 (Office) 480-444-0028 (Fax) rbangert@adflegal.org ADFlegal.org **From:** Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 7:32 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; Corrigan, Christian <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate *EXTERNAL* Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud to be in this with you all. **David Dewhirst** **Solicitor General** **Office of Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen** david.dewhirst@mt.gov 406.444.4145 **CONFIDENTIALâ€"PRIVILEGEDâ€"DELIBERATIVE** **Notice:** This email message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential, privileged, or deliberative and pre-decisional material, including attorney-client communications and attorney work product. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure, or distribution is prohibited. This electronic transmission does not constitute a waiver of privilege. If you are not the intended recipient, and have received this message in error, please contact the sender immediately by email reply and destroy all copies of the original message, including any attachments. # # # **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 4:07 PM **To:** Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** [EXTERNAL] RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to this effort!! Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 4:04 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached please find an updated and proposed final version of the stay motion that is slightly under the Word limit. Thanks a lot to

Body	everyone who provided substantive feedback and edits on such short notice. I have tried to incorporate everyoneâ€™s input and comments. We are inserting TOC/TOA now, and will plan to file by around 5:00 pm Central. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 2:12 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Please find attached an updated draft of the stay motion that is close to the word limit (sans Introduction and citations of declarations). We hope to finalize and file by 4:00 pm today, so please let me know asap if you have any thoughts, questions, or concerns. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHAâ€™s designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate

Body	All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:30 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Entered these too, thanks! **From:** Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:25 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration. **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:53 PM **To:** 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes **From:** Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:46 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <jim.campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline. ____ **David Dewhirst** Solicitor General Office of Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen david.dewhirst@mt.gov

Body	406.444.4145 **CONFIDENTIALâ€"PRIVILEGEDâ€"DELIBERATIVE** **Notice:** This email message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential, privileged, or deliberative and pre-decisional material, including attorney-client communications and attorney work product. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure, or distribution is prohibited. This electronic transmission does not constitute a waiver of privilege. 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Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 2:26 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looping David McVey of SD into this email chain **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:35 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 1:03 PM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate

Body	All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). 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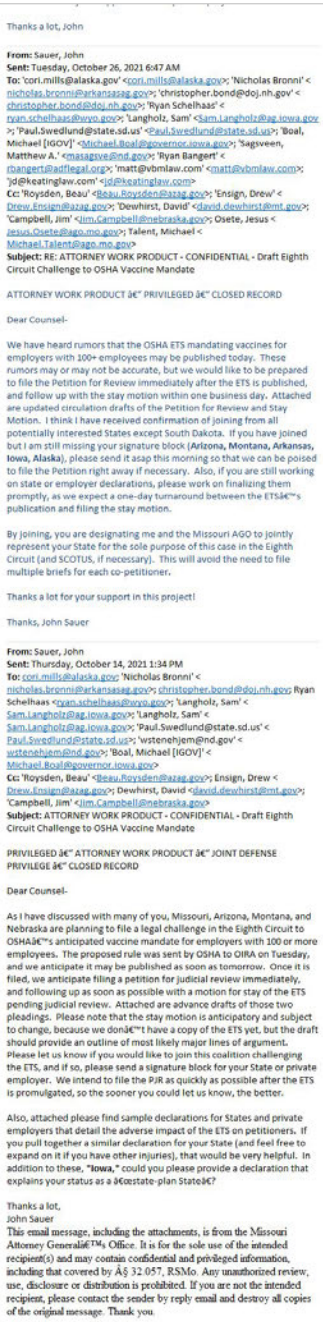
Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!!

Body	

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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, **"Iowa,"** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer

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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

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Thanks to all â€" I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John
P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Subject: RE: [EXT] ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate

All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

From: Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov>
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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:
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> This makes a lot of sense to me.
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> **From:** Sauer, John [mailto:John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov]
> **Sent:** Saturday, November 6, 2021 2:37 PM
> **To:** Mills, Cori M (LAW)
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> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate
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> All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 11:51 AM, Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov> wrote:
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> Ditto! Great job!
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> Cori Mills
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:

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Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.

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Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud to be in this with you all.

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All-

Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to this effort!!

Thanks, John

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All- Attached please find an updated and proposed final version of the stay motion that is slightly under the Word limit. Thanks a lot to

Body	everyone who provided substantive feedback and edits on such short notice. I have tried to incorporate everyoneâ€™s input and comments. We are inserting TOC/TOA now, and will plan to file by around 5:00 pm Central. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 2:12 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Please find attached an updated draft of the stay motion that is close to the word limit (sans Introduction and citations of declarations). We hope to finalize and file by 4:00 pm today, so please let me know asap if you have any thoughts, questions, or concerns. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHAâ€™s designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate

Body	All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:30 PM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Entered these too, thanks! **From:** Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:25 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration. **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:53 PM **To:** 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Thanks Iâ€™ve entered those changes **From:** Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 3:46 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; Bronni, Nicholas <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline. ____ **David Dewhirst** Solicitor General Office of Montana Attorney General Austin Knudsen david.dewhirst@mt.gov

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Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. 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We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. 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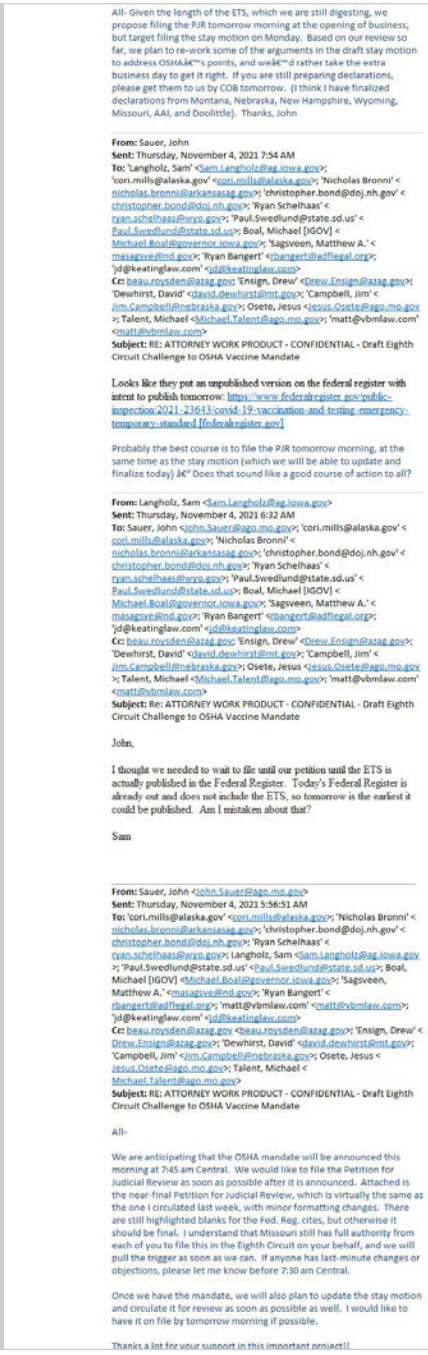
Body	

All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John

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Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov]

Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all?

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John,

I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that?

Sam

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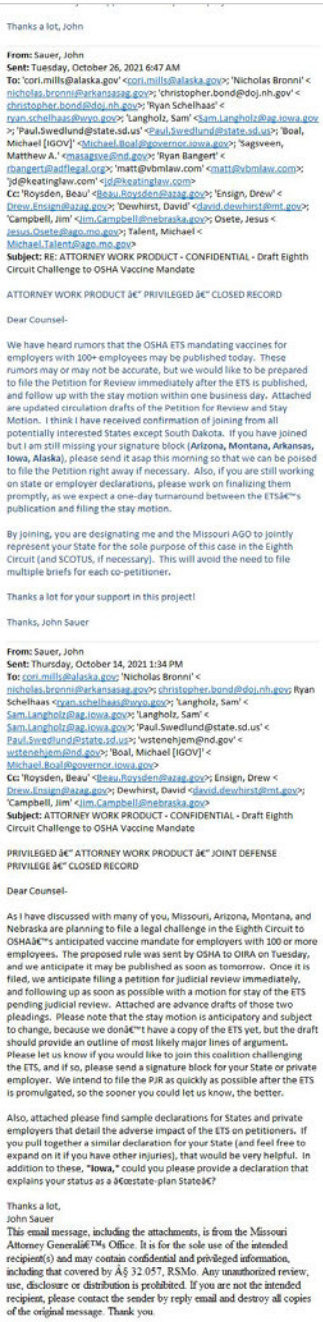
All-

We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central.

Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible.

Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!!

Body	

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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, **"Iowa,"** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer

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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

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Thanks to all â€" I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John
P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights**, Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any

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comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:

This makes a lot of sense to me.

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All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John

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On Nov 6, 2021, at 11:51 AM, Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov> wrote:

Ditto! Great job!

Cori Mills

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On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:

Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.

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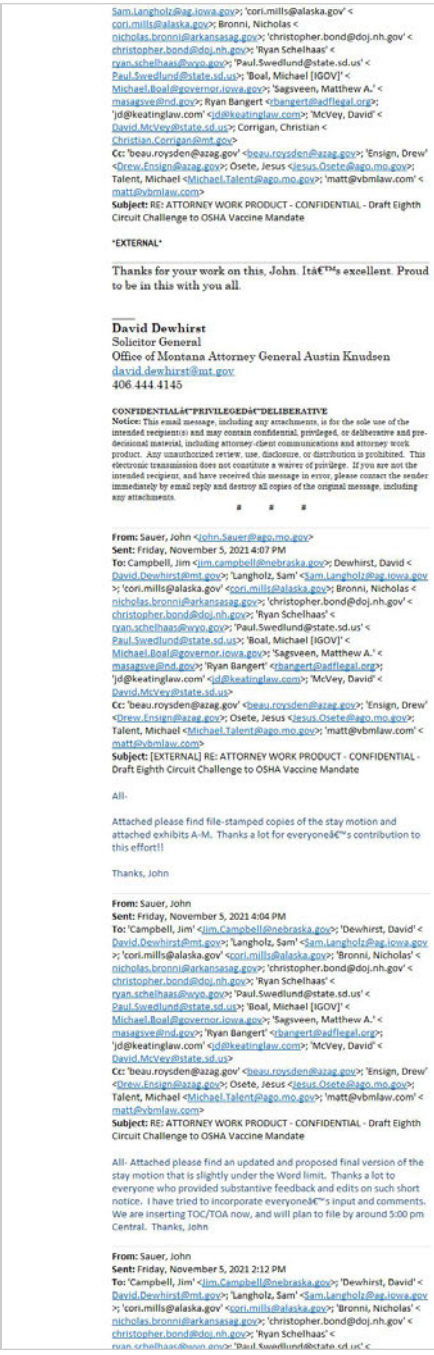
Body	

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Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud
to be in this with you all.

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All-

Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and
attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to
this effort!!

Thanks, John

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All- Attached please find an updated and proposed final version of the
stay motion that is slightly under the Word limit. Thanks a lot to
everyone who provided substantive feedback and edits on such short
notice. I have tried to incorporate everyoneâ€™s input and comments.
We are inserting TOC/TOA now, and will plan to file by around 5:00 pm
Central. Thanks, John

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All- Please find attached an updated draft of the stay motion that is close to the word limit (sans Introduction and citations of declarations). We hope to finalize and file by 4:00 pm today, so please let me know asap if you have any thoughts, questions, or concerns. Thanks a lot, John

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All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John

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By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHA's designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John

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All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John

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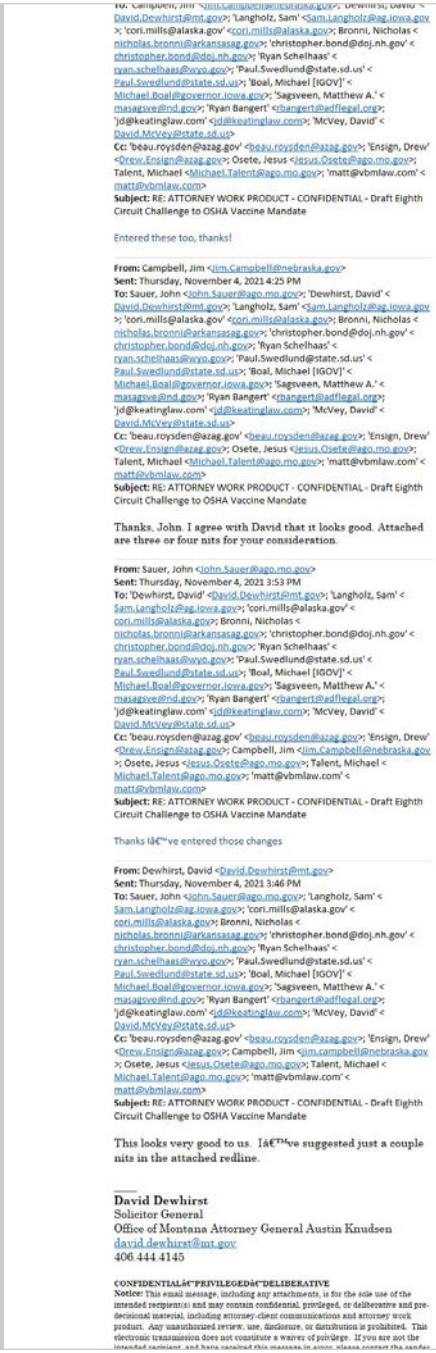
Body	

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All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John

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P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John

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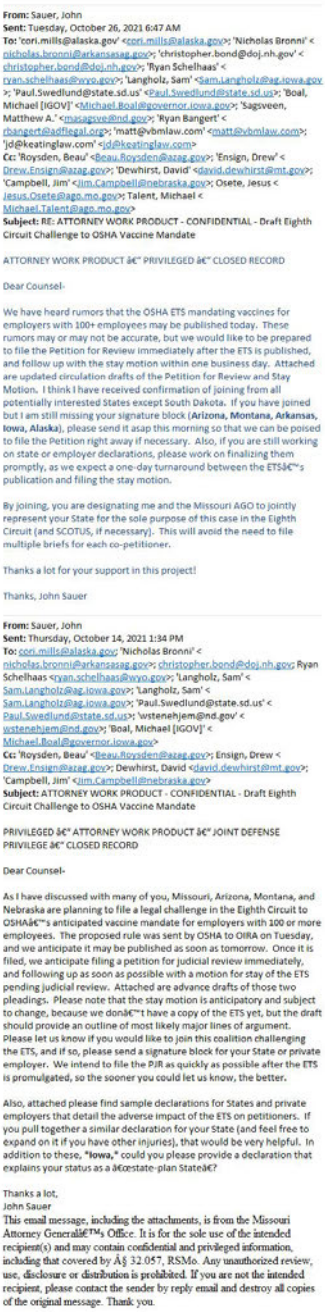
All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra

Body	business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 7:54 AM **To:** 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov] Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all? **From:** Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:32 AM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate John, I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that? Sam **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 5:56:51 AM **To:** 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com> **Cc:** beau.roysden@azag.gov <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central. Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible. Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!! Thanks a lot, John

Body	
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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, ***Iowa,*** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer
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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

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Thanks, John

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Thanks to all â€" I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights**, Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any

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comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

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On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:

This makes a lot of sense to me.

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All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundationâ€™s stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John

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On Nov 6, 2021, at 11:51 AM, Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov> wrote:

Ditto! Great job!

Cori Mills

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On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:

Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.

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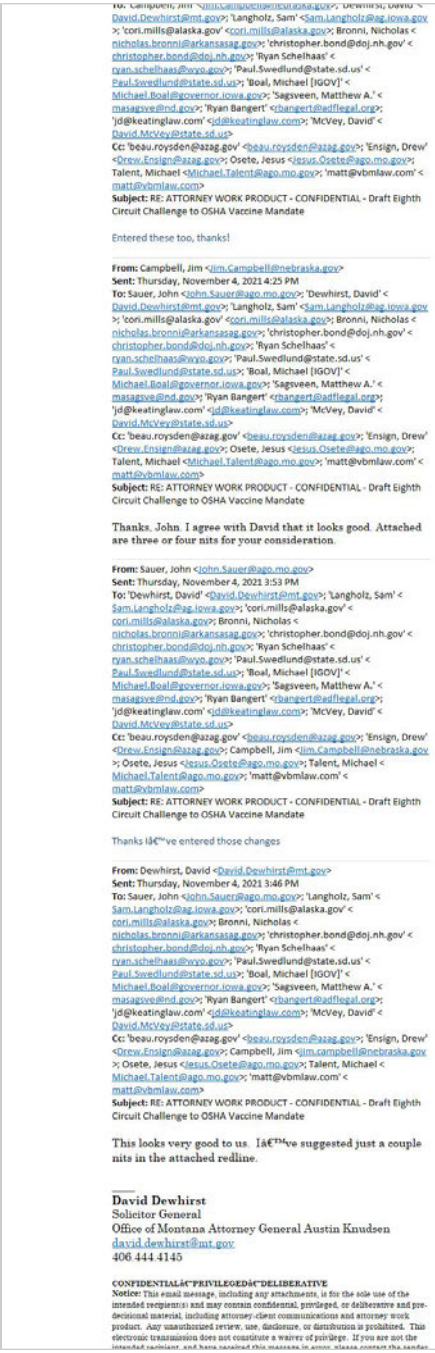
Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 10:44 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- As we are working to update and finalize the stay motion, I have collected all the final versions of declarations that I currently have to support the stay motion. These are all attached. **If we are still waiting for a declaration from you, or if you have sent it and I missed it (which is very possible), please send it to me ASAP.** We hope to file by mid- to late afternoon today. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 9:17 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate By way of update, attached is the email we sent this morning to OSHA's designated service address for challenges to this ETS. We are asking their consent to an administrative stay pending consideration of the stay motion, a stay pending judicial review, and expedited briefing on the stay motion. Notwithstanding what I said yesterday, we are going to try mightily to get the stay motion on file today, so please look for an updated draft this afternoon. Thanks, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Friday, November 5, 2021 6:36 AM **To:** 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'cori.mills@alaska.gov' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Bronni, Nicholas' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Sagsveen, Matthew A.' <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Cc:** 'beau.roysden@azag.gov' <beau.roysden@azag.gov>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com> **Subject:** RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate All- Attached are the final PDFs of the Petition for Review and Exhibit A that we filed this morning. We received electronic confirmation that the filing fee was processed, but it appears that we will not get file-stamped versions until the clerks come into the office this morning. We are working to update the motion to stay and will get you the updated draft asap. Thanks a lot, John **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:30 PM

Body	

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All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John

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P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John

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All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra

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business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John

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Looks like they put an unpublished version on the federal register with intent to publish tomorrow: https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection/2021-23643/covid-19-vaccination-and-testing-emergency-temporary-standard [federalregister.gov]

Probably the best course is to file the PJR tomorrow morning, at the same time as the stay motion (which we will be able to update and finalize today) â€" Does that sound like a good course of action to all?

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John,

I thought we needed to wait to file until our petition until the ETS is actually published in the Federal Register. Today's Federal Register is already out and does not include the ETS, so tomorrow is the earliest it could be published. Am I mistaken about that?

Sam

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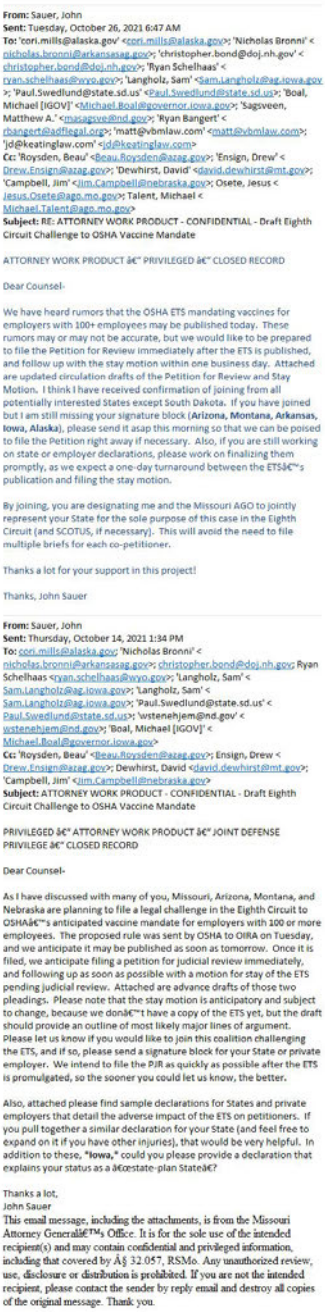
All-

We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central.

Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible.

Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!!

Thanks a lot, John

Body	
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ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" PRIVILEGED â€" CLOSED RECORD

Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner.

Thanks a lot for your support in this project!

Thanks, John Sauer

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PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD

Dear Counsel-

As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better.

Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, ***Iowa,*** could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€?

Thanks a lot,
John Sauer

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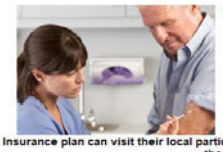
Body	We're all signed up!! **From:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 15, 2021 11:40 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** Last NDPERS flu shot clinic - November 17  **All NDPERS members enrolled in the Sanford Health Insurance plan can visit their local participating pharmacies or walk-in clinics to get access to the flu shot vaccine.** **Ask how your claim will be processed** To understand how your claim will be filed, ask the provider before you agree to any services. Sanford Health Plan regularly pays 100% of the allowable for the flu shot and its administration unless you agree to additional services with the provider. **Flu Shot Clinic in Bismarck - November 17 (4 to 6 pm)** Register to receive your flu shot on November 17 from 4 to 6 pm (CT) at the UND Center for Family Medicine located at 701 E Rosser Ave, Bismarck. This event is for employees, retirees, and their eligible family members enrolled in the NDPERS – Sanford Health Insurance plan. To reserve your spot, click on the registration link and choose your preferred time. **Click here to register** **Questions?** Call the UND Center for Family Medicine at 701.751.6802 to assist you with your online registration or any other questions you may have about the flu vaccine and special processes to follow on the day of your appointment. To cancel your appointment, you can call the number above or email bcfmappts@und.edu. **On the day of your appointment, remember:** 1. **Face masks are mandatory.** 2. Members must register online to reserve a spot to receive a flu shot. **Walk-ins will not be accommodated.** 3. Register as a family, not as individuals. **If you need assistance, call the UND Center for Family Medicine at 701.751.6802 to complete your registration.** 4. Wait outside the building until your reserved registration time if you schedule an appointment at the UND Center for Family Medicine. Please do not come to the door until it is your exact registration time. You may be asked to wait in line outside the building. The clinic will do its best to keep wait times to a minimum. 5. The entrance to the UND Center for Family Medicine is now on the south side of the clinic, off of Thayer St. The parking lot on the south side of the building can be utilized, as well as the parking on the east side of the building. This email was sent to aeisenbeis@nd.gov using GovDelivery Communications Cloud, on behalf of: North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email:** aeisenbeis@nd.gov **Phone: 701-328-1256**

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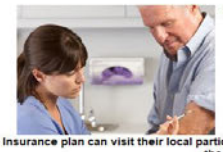
Body	We're all signed up!! **From:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 15, 2021 11:40 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** Last NDPERS flu shot clinic - November 17  **All NDPERS members enrolled in the Sanford Health Insurance plan can visit their local participating pharmacies or walk-in clinics to get access to the flu shot vaccine.** **Ask how your claim will be processed** To understand how your claim will be filed, ask the provider before you agree to any services. Sanford Health Plan regularly pays 100% of the allowable for the flu shot and its administration unless you agree to additional services with the provider. **Flu Shot Clinic in Bismarck - November 17 (4 to 6 pm)** Register to receive your flu shot on November 17 from 4 to 6 pm (CT) at the UND Center for Family Medicine located at 701 E Rosser Ave, Bismarck. This event is for employees, retirees, and their eligible family members enrolled in the NDPERS – Sanford Health Insurance plan. To reserve your spot, click on the registration link and choose your preferred time. **Click here to register** **Questions?** Call the UND Center for Family Medicine at 701.751.6802 to assist you with your online registration or any other questions you may have about the flu vaccine and special processes to follow on the day of your appointment. To cancel your appointment, you can call the number above or email bcfmappts@und.edu. **On the day of your appointment, remember:** 1. **Face masks are mandatory.** 2. Members must register online to reserve a spot to receive a flu shot. **Walk-ins will not be accommodated.** 3. Register as a family, not as individuals. **If you need assistance, call the UND Center for Family Medicine at 701.751.6802 to complete your registration.** 4. Wait outside the building until your reserved registration time if you schedule an appointment at the UND Center for Family Medicine. Please do not come to the door until it is your exact registration time. You may be asked to wait in line outside the building. The clinic will do its best to keep wait times to a minimum. 5. The entrance to the UND Center for Family Medicine is now on the south side of the clinic, off of Thayer St. The parking lot on the south side of the building can be utilized, as well as the parking on the east side of the building. This email was sent to aeisenbeis@nd.gov using GovDelivery Communications Cloud, on behalf of: North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email:** aeisenbeis@nd.gov **Phone: 701-328-1256**

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Record 1228

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	pgrossman@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Social Media Platforms investigation -- EMBARGOED and CONFIDENTIAL

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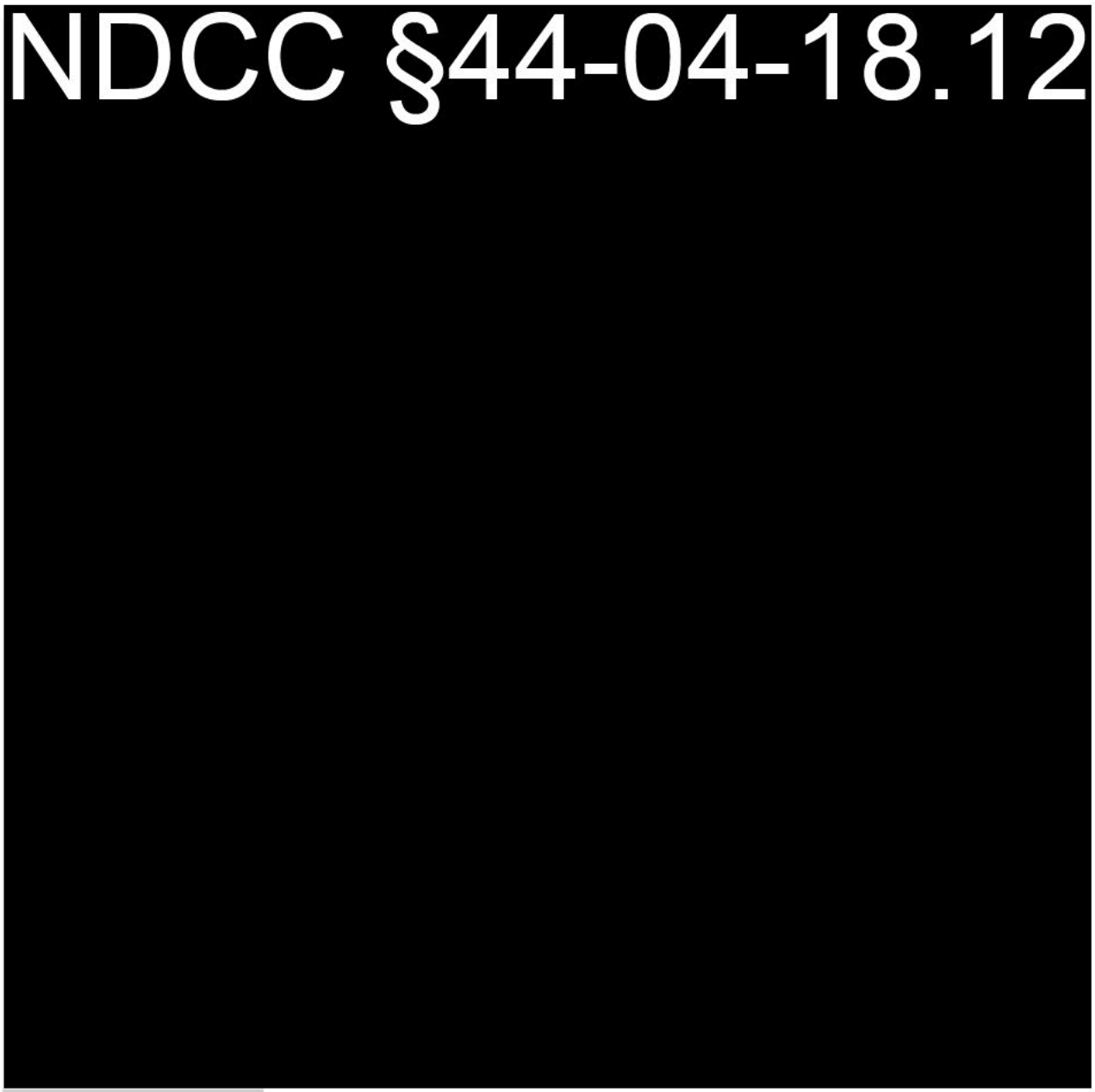
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/15/2021 8:48:04.000 PM
Body	Ok, thank you. Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 15, 2021 5:31:21 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Social Media Platforms investigation -- EMBARGOED and CONFIDENTIAL I am uncertain of the necessity of a Press Release at this juncture and I defer to you. However, if later asked about the media we would confirm our participation in the investigation. *Parrell* NDCC §44-04-18.12



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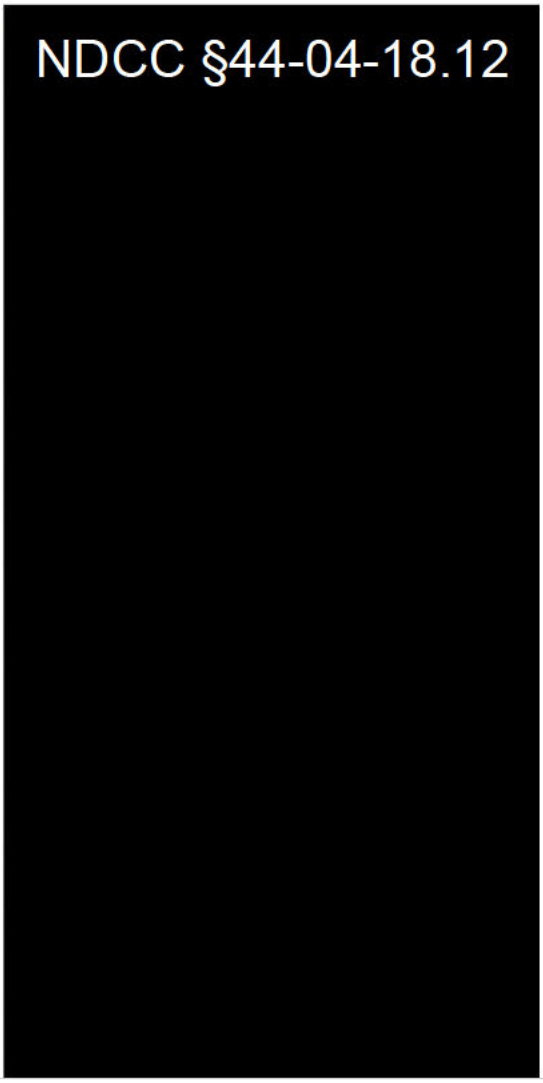
Body	Ok, thank you. Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossmar@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 15, 2021 5:31:21 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Social Media Platforms investigation -- EMBARGOED and CONFIDENTIAL I am uncertain of the necessity of a Press Release at this juncture and I defer to you. However, if later asked about the media we would confirm our participation in the investigation. *Parrell* 

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	pgrossman@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Meta
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Recipients	kschirado@nd.gov
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/16/2021 8:13:26.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/16/2021 8:13:00.000 AM
Body	I am not available Nov. 22 or 23. The 24th would work for me. Wayne **From:** Schirado, Katherine M. <kschirado@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021 8:00 AM **To:** Burgum, Doug <doug@nd.gov>; Baesler, Kirsten K. <kbaesler@nd.gov>; Beadle, Thomas R. <tbeadle@nd.gov>; Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Carmichael, Patty A. <pcarmichael@nd.gov>; Strand, Danielle N. <dnstrand@nd.gov>; Schwab, Jill L. <jilschwab@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Seay, Dawn <dseay@nd.gov>; Newell, Catelin A. <cnewell@nd.gov> **Subject:** Special November Land Board Meeting **Importance:** High Good Morning, Board Members and Staff, We are looking at dates and times for a Special November Land Board Meeting to be held via Teams. At your earliest convenience, please respond with your availability for Monday, November 22 from 10:00-11:00 AM. Thank you for your time in this matter. Kate Katherine Schirado *Administrative Assistant II* 701.328.1925 • kschirado@nd.gov • land.nd.gov
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Montana agrees with this approach. Drew, please let us know if we can assist in the drafting.

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The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing *yet*. The dispositive fact, for us, is that we're reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isn't going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside.

A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeye's petition.

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A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeye's petition.

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Body	This is not an emergency. Give me a call when you are down with the IC Wayne **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021 12:58 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Lawsuits Can Liz provide him with the complaints, petitions, or media releases? I don't have a press release for the OSHA Petition in my files. I will be getting back on the oil and gas hearing at 1. Otherwise I could try to provide something at the end of the day. **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021 11:28 AM **To:** Magrum, Jeffery <jmagrum@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Lawsuits Jeff, I will find someone here who will be able to do a thumbnail on each of these 3 lawsuits. As far as an election integrity class action lawsuit, can you be a little more specific? I'm not sure what you may be referring to. Thanks. Wayne **From:** Magrum, Jeffery <jmagrum@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021 9:49 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Lawsuits Hi Wayne , Just checking in. I understand that we are in three lawsuits about the vaccine mandates with the federal government. Can you have someone send me a little explanation of each one so I can answer my constituents? Also, are you aware of a class action lawsuit by the states against the federal government about election integrity? I am interested in finding out more information about this important topic. Thanks Wayne, I pray that your day is blessed. Sincerely, Jeff Magrum

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Cc: Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>
Subject: Social Media Platforms investigation -- EMBARGOED and CONFIDENTIAL

I am uncertain of the necessity of a Press Release at this juncture and I defer to you. However, if later asked about the media we would confirm our participation in the investigation.

Parrell

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I am uncertain of the necessity of a Press Release at this juncture and I defer to you. However, if later asked about the media we would confirm our participation in the investigation.

Parrell

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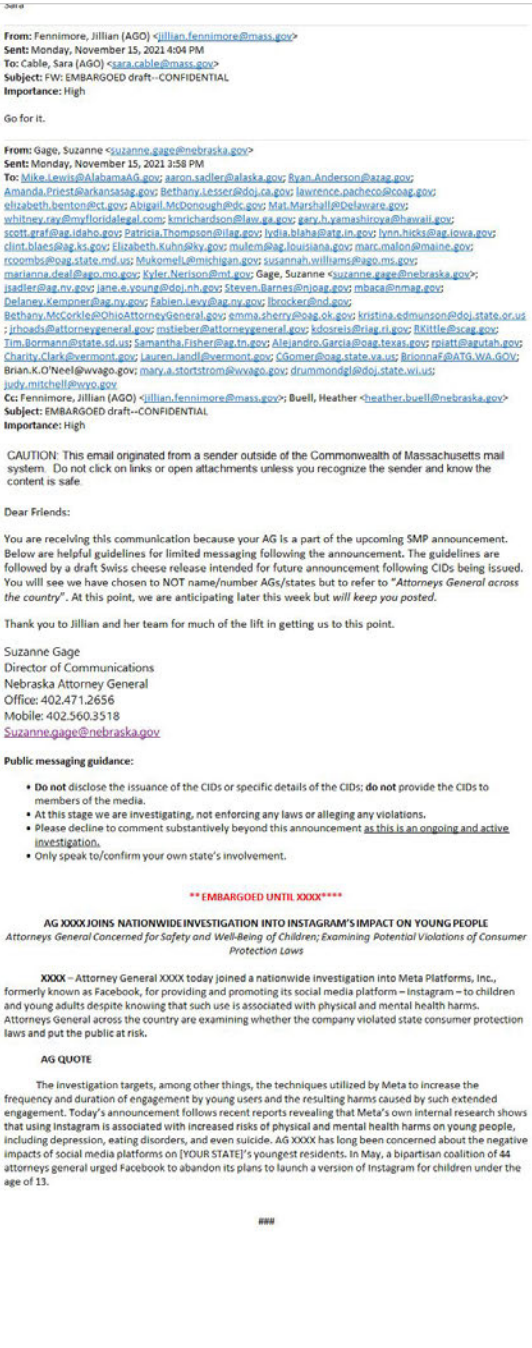
Body	
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/18/2021 4:51:00.000 PM
Body	§44-04-19.1 Wayne **From:** sebyp@gtlaw.com <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Sent:** Thursday, November 18, 2021 4:33 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Olson, Margaret I. <maiolson@nd.gov>; Verleger, Jennifer L. <jverleger@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** "EPA and Army Take Action to Provide Certainty for the Definition of WOTUS" ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne, Jen, and Maggie- §44-04-19.1 Paul Paul M. Seby Tel 303.572.6584 If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.
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Subject	RE: Glasser Order to Preserve
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All,

Two updates:

1. So far, Florida, Alabama, and South Carolina have all signed on.
2. Based on (convincing) feedback we've received, we will cut this line: "So, if hearing this case en banc is the only way to decide it correctly, then the Court has no choice but to hear it en banc."

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All,

The attached version of the petition for rehearing en banc corrects a nit and replaces an inadvertent omission. (Specifically, it now includes this sentence: "First, the Vaccine Mandate is a regulation of public health, plain and simple; its purpose and its effect is to regulate private healthcare decisions by making life harder for citizens who refuse to care for themselves in the federally approved manner.")

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We have done our best to write it in a way that will appeal to those judges we most need to convince. We plan to file Monday at noon, so please send any joinder by Monday, November 22, at 10 AM Eastern. Important: To be sure we do not miss you, please copy Josh Richardson in our office, who will keep a copy of all sign-ons. With all the emails I'm getting, I'm afraid I may miss one if you send it just to me. Josh's email address is Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov<mailto:Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov> Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938

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All, The court already ordered DOJ to respond to Buckeye's petition. The response is due on Tuesday. We now recommend seeking initial en banc review—it will function as an amicus brief supporting Buckeye's request. It would be easiest if we could simply respond to the en banc request. But I called the Sixth Circuit and I'm told it cannot do that.

Body	The Sixth Circuit plans to draft a short petition for initial en banc review. Its main function will be to signal that we aren't opposed to this plan. We will do our best to draft it today, circulate it tomorrow, and be ready to file Monday. One wrinkle: I don't think States on cases outside the Sixth Circuit can join our brief until the formal MDL docket is made. So if there's no docket on Monday, my inclination would be to say in the brief that we have secured the "support of The States of ____, all of whom are parties to other cases consolidated for decision before the panel." 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Body	The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing yet. The dispositive fact, for us, is that we're reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isn't going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside. A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeye's petition. 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Body	I like the idea, but have a couple of thoughts. First: as I understand it (and I may be wrong), CA5's stay remains in place and it's up CA6 as to whether to lift it. I'd want to see whether CA6 lifted the stay before deciding whether to go en banc. If they leave it in place, there's 1) far less of a justification for going initially en banc in terms of reliance interests, and 2) basically no need. The feds play the strategic acceleration/slowdown game all the time; I don't think we need to accommodate their desire for haste if we keep the stay. If the stay went away—I'd agree entirely that we shouldn't leave ourselves to the vicissitudes of a bad panel draw when we're assured a good en banc. But perhaps we should let this play out a bit further before going that route. _____ From: Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov<mailto:MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>> Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 7:48 AM To: Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov<mailto:Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>> Cc: Henry Whitaker <Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com>>; Bowdre, Barrett <Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov<mailto:Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov>>; cori.mills@alaska.gov<mailto:cori.mills@alaska.gov> <cori.mills@alaska.gov<mailto:cori.mills@alaska.gov>>; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov<mailto:jessie.alloway@alaska.gov> <jessie.alloway@alaska.gov<mailto:jessie.alloway@alaska.gov>>; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov<mailto:ninia.dizon@alaska.gov> <ninia.dizon@alaska.gov<mailto:ninia.dizon@alaska.gov>>; Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov<mailto:Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>>; Daniel Bell <Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com>>; James Percival <James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com>>; Jeffrey DeSousa <Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com>>; Drew Waldbeser <DWaldbeser@law.ga.gov<mailto:DWaldbeser@law.ga.gov>>; Ross Bergethon <RBergethon@law.ga.gov<mailto:RBergethon@law.ga.gov>>; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov<mailto:brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov> <brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov<mailto:brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov>>; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov<mailto:tom.fisher@atg.in.gov> <tom.fisher@atg.in.gov<mailto:tom.fisher@atg.in.gov>>; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov<mailto:kian.hudson@atg.in.gov> <kian.hudson@atg.in.gov<mailto:kian.hudson@atg.in.gov>>; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov<mailto:jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov> <jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov<mailto:jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov>>; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov<mailto:Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov> <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov<mailto:Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>>; Chad.Meredith@ky.gov<mailto:Chad.Meredith@ky.gov> <Chad.Meredith@ky.gov<mailto:Chad.Meredith@ky.gov>>; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov< mailto:Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov> <Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov<mailto:Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov>>; St. John, Joseph <StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov<mailto:StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov>>; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov> <Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov>>; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov> <Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov>>; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov> <Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov>>; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov<mailto:john.sauer@ago.mo.gov> <john.sauer@ago.mo.gov<mailto:john.sauer@ago.mo.gov>>; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov<mailto:Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov> <Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov<mailto:Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov>>; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov<mailto:David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov<mailto:David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>>; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov<mailto:Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov<mailto:Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>>; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov> <Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov>>; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov> <Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov>>; wstenehjem@nd.gov< mailto:wstenehjem@nd.gov> <wstenehjem@nd.gov<mailto:wstenehjem@nd.gov>>; masagsve@nd.gov<mailto:masagsve@nd.gov> <masagsve@nd.gov<mailto:masagsve@nd.gov>>; tseibel@nd.gov<mailto:tseibel@nd.gov> <tseibel@nd.gov<mailto:tseibel@nd.gov>>; Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> <Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov>>; May.Davis@ohioago.gov<mailto:May.Davis@ohioago.gov> <May.Davis@ohioago.gov<mailto:May.Davis@ohioago.gov>>; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov> <mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov>>; zach.west@oag.ok.gov<mailto:zach.west@oag.ok.gov> <zach.west@oag.ok.gov<mailto:zach.west@oag.ok.gov>>; Emory Smith <ESmith@scag.gov<mailto:ESmith@scag.gov>>; HKirkland@scag.gov<mailto:HKirkland@scag.gov> <HKirkland@scag.gov<mailto:HKirkland@scag.gov>>; BCook@scag.gov<mailto:BCook@scag.gov> <BCook@scag.gov<mailto:BCook@scag.gov>>; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov<mailto:ThomasHydrick@scag.gov> <ThomasHydrick@scag.gov<mailto:ThomasHydrick@scag.gov>>; steven.blair@state.sd.us<mailto:steven.blair@state.sd.us> <steven.blair@state.sd.us<mailto:steven.blair@state.sd.us>>; Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us<mailto:Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us> <Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us<mailto:Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us>>; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us<mailto:Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us> <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us<mailto:Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>>; Sarah K. 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Louisiana is in - we had private parties in our 5th Cir coalition. they can just submit a "we join them" filing?

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All,

Two updates:

1. So far, Florida, Alabama, and South Carolina have all signed on.
2. Based on (convincing) feedback we've received, we will cut this line: "So, if hearing this case en banc is the only way to decide it correctly, then the Court has no choice but to hear it en banc."

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Subject: RE: OSHA - Petn for Initial En Banc Review

All,

The attached version of the petition for rehearing en banc corrects a nit and replaces an inadvertent omission. (Specifically, it now includes this sentence: "First, the Vaccine Mandate is a regulation of public health, plain and simple; its purpose and its effect is to regulate private healthcare decisions by making life harder for citizens who refuse to care for themselves in the federally approved manner.")

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All,

The court already ordered DOJ to respond to Buckeye's petition. The response is due on Tuesday.

We now recommend seeking initial en banc review—it will function as an amicus brief supporting Buckeye's request. It would be easiest if we could simply respond to the en banc request. But I called the Sixth Circuit and I'm told it cannot do that.

Body	The Sixth Circuit plans to draft a short petition for initial en banc review. Its main function will be to signal that we aren't opposed to this plan. We will do our best to draft it today, circulate it tomorrow, and be ready to file Monday. One wrinkle: I don't think States on cases outside the Sixth Circuit can join our brief until the formal MDL docket is made. So if there's no docket on Monday, my inclination would be to say in the brief that we have secured the "support of The States of ____, all of whom are parties to other cases consolidated for decision before the panel." 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Body	The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing yet. The dispositive fact, for us, is that we're reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isn't going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside. A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeye's petition. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify me immediately by telephone. 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Body	I like the idea, but have a couple of thoughts. First: as I understand it (and I may be wrong), CA5's stay remains in place and it's up CA6 as to whether to lift it. I'd want to see whether CA6 lifted the stay before deciding whether to go en banc. If they leave it in place, there's 1) far less of a justification for going initially en banc in terms of reliance interests, and 2) basically no need. The feds play the strategic acceleration/slowdown game all the time; I don't think we need to accommodate their desire for haste if we keep the stay. If the stay went away—I'd agree entirely that we shouldn't leave ourselves to the vicissitudes of a bad panel draw when we're assured a good en banc. But perhaps we should let this play out a bit further before going that route. _____ From: Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov<mailto:MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>> Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 7:48 AM To: Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov<mailto:Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>> Cc: Henry Whitaker <Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com>>; Bowdre, Barrett <Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov<mailto:Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov>>; cori.mills@alaska.gov<mailto:cori.mills@alaska.gov> <cori.mills@alaska.gov<mailto:cori.mills@alaska.gov>>; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov<mailto:jessie.alloway@alaska.gov> <jessie.alloway@alaska.gov<mailto:jessie.alloway@alaska.gov>>; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov<mailto:ninia.dizon@alaska.gov> <ninia.dizon@alaska.gov<mailto:ninia.dizon@alaska.gov>>; Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov<mailto:Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>>; Daniel Bell <Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com>>; James Percival <James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com>>; Jeffrey DeSousa <Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com<mailto:Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com>>; Drew Waldbeser <DWaldbeser@law.ga.gov<mailto:DWaldbeser@law.ga.gov>>; Ross Bergethon <RBergethon@law.ga.gov<mailto:RBergethon@law.ga.gov>>; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov<mailto:brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov> <brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov<mailto:brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov>>; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov<mailto:tom.fisher@atg.in.gov> <tom.fisher@atg.in.gov<mailto:tom.fisher@atg.in.gov>>; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov<mailto:kian.hudson@atg.in.gov> <kian.hudson@atg.in.gov<mailto:kian.hudson@atg.in.gov>>; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov<mailto:jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov> <jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov<mailto:jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov>>; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov<mailto:Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov> <Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov<mailto:Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>>; Chad.Meredith@ky.gov<mailto:Chad.Meredith@ky.gov> <Chad.Meredith@ky.gov<mailto:Chad.Meredith@ky.gov>>; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov< mailto:Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov> <Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov<mailto:Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov>>; St. John, Joseph <StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov<mailto:StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov>>; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov> <Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov>>; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov> <Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov>>; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov> <Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov>>; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov<mailto:john.sauer@ago.mo.gov> <john.sauer@ago.mo.gov<mailto:john.sauer@ago.mo.gov>>; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov<mailto:Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov> <Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov<mailto:Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov>>; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov<mailto:David.Dewhirst@mt.gov> <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov<mailto:David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>>; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov<mailto:Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov<mailto:Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>>; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov> <Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov>>; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov> <Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov>>; wstenehjem@nd.gov< mailto:wstenehjem@nd.gov> <wstenehjem@nd.gov<mailto:wstenehjem@nd.gov>>; masagsve@nd.gov<mailto:masagsve@nd.gov> <masagsve@nd.gov<mailto:masagsve@nd.gov>>; tseibel@nd.gov<mailto:tseibel@nd.gov> <tseibel@nd.gov<mailto:tseibel@nd.gov>>; Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> <Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov>>; May.Davis@ohioago.gov<mailto:May.Davis@ohioago.gov> <May.Davis@ohioago.gov<mailto:May.Davis@ohioago.gov>>; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov> <mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov>>; zach.west@oag.ok.gov<mailto:zach.west@oag.ok.gov> <zach.west@oag.ok.gov<mailto:zach.west@oag.ok.gov>>; Emory Smith <ESmith@scag.gov<mailto:ESmith@scag.gov>>; HKirkland@scag.gov<mailto:HKirkland@scag.gov> <HKirkland@scag.gov<mailto:HKirkland@scag.gov>>; BCook@scag.gov<mailto:BCook@scag.gov> <BCook@scag.gov<mailto:BCook@scag.gov>>; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov<mailto:ThomasHydrick@scag.gov> <ThomasHydrick@scag.gov<mailto:ThomasHydrick@scag.gov>>; steven.blair@state.sd.us<mailto:steven.blair@state.sd.us> <steven.blair@state.sd.us<mailto:steven.blair@state.sd.us>>; Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us<mailto:Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us> <Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us<mailto:Sherri.Wald@state.sd.us>>; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us<mailto:Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us> <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us<mailto:Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>>; Sarah K. 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Subject: OSHA - One More Update

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One more update. According to the attached scheduling order, all petitions for initial en banc review are due Wednesday. (No problem there, as we'll file tomorrow.) It also tells us to make all filings in the filer's case plus in the consolidated case. I don't take that to bar us from filing a consolidated petition—we'll just file in the Sixth Circuit case plus in the consolidated lead case, listing all other cases at the top. And the Sixth Circuit is usually pretty reasonable about these things. To the extent there is an issue, I would think we could resolve it by having each coalition filing a me-too letter.

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Subject: Re: OSHA - Petn for Initial En Banc Review

Louisiana is in - we had private parties in our 5th Cir coalition. they can just submit a "we join them" filing?

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On Nov 19, 2021, at 9:52 AM, Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@ohioago.gov> wrote:

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All,

Two updates:

1. So far, Florida, Alabama, and South Carolina have all signed on.
2. Based on (convincing) feedback we've received, we will cut this line: "So, if hearing this case en banc is the only way to decide it correctly, then the Court has no choice but to hear it en banc."

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All,

The attached version of the petition for rehearing en banc corrects a nit and replaces an inadvertent omission. (Specifically, it now includes this sentence: "First, the Vaccine Mandate is a regulation of public health, plain and simple; its purpose and its effect is to regulate private healthcare decisions by making life harder for citizens who refuse to care for themselves in the federally approved manner.")

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We have done our best to write it in a way that will appeal to those judges we most need to convince. We plan to file Monday at noon, so please send any joinder by Monday, November 22, at 10 AM Eastern. Important: To be sure we do not miss you, please copy Josh Richardson in our office, who will keep a copy of all sign-ons. With all the emails I'm getting, I'm afraid I may miss one if you send it just to me.

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All, The court already ordered DOJ to respond to Buckeye's petition. The response is due on Tuesday.

Body	We now recommend seeking initial en banc review—it will function as an amicus brief supporting Buckeye's request. It would be easiest if we could simply respond to the en banc request. But I called the Sixth Circuit and I'm told it cannot do that. The Sixth Circuit plans to draft a short petition for initial en banc review. Its main function will be to signal that we aren't opposed to this plan. We will do our best to draft it today, circulate it tomorrow, and be ready to file Monday. One wrinkle: I don't think States on cases outside the Sixth Circuit can join our brief until the formal MDL docket is made. So if there's no docket on Monday, my inclination would be to say in the brief that we have secured the "support of The States of ____, all of whom are parties to other cases consolidated for decision before the panel." 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All,

The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing yet. The dispositive fact, for us, is that we're reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isn't going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside.

A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeye's petition.

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We think that approach will both improve the chances of initial en banc hearing being granted, and avoid annoying the court with multiple separate filings. We are certainly not Sixth Circuit experts, so please take suggestion with that grain of salt. Happy to discuss this either by email exchange or on the call Thursday. We are definitely not wedded to the concept, but thought it at least merited some discussion within our group. As they say on Twitter, Happy Lottery Day! (I suspect we may have had a happier one than some others though.) Sincerely, Drew The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. 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Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** One more update. According to the attached scheduling order, all petitions for initial en banc review are due Wednesday. (No problem there, as we'll file tomorrow.) It also tells us to make all filings in the filer's case plus in the consolidated case. I don't take that to bar us from filing a consolidated petition—we'll just file in the Sixth Circuit case plus in the consolidated lead case, listing all other cases at the top. And the Sixth Circuit is usually pretty reasonable about these things. To the extent there is an issue, I would think we could resolve it by having each coalition filing a me-too letter. 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(Specifically, it now includes this sentence: "First, the Vaccine Mandate is a regulation of public health, plain and simple; its purpose and its effect is to regulate private healthcare decisions by making life harder for citizens who refuse to care for themselves in the federally approved manner.") Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov>

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Subject: OSHA - Petn for Initial En Banc Review

All,

Here is a proposed petition for initial en banc review. We have done our best to write it in a way that will appeal to those judges we most need to convince. We plan to file Monday at noon, so please send any joinder by Monday, November 22, at 10 AM Eastern.

Important: To be sure we do not miss you, please copy Josh Richardson in our office, who will keep a copy of all sign-ons. With all the emails I'm getting, I'm afraid I may miss one if you send it just to me.

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Subject: RE: OSHA Challenges - CA6 Request for Initial Hearing En Banc?

All,

The court already ordered DOJ to respond to Buckeye's petition. The response is due on Tuesday.

Body	We now recommend seeking initial en banc review—it will function as an amicus brief supporting Buckeye's request. It would be easiest if we could simply respond to the en banc request. But I called the Sixth Circuit and I'm told it cannot do that. The Sixth Circuit plans to draft a short petition for initial en banc review. Its main function will be to signal that we aren't opposed to this plan. We will do our best to draft it today, circulate it tomorrow, and be ready to file Monday. One wrinkle: I don't think States on cases outside the Sixth Circuit can join our brief until the formal MDL docket is made. So if there's no docket on Monday, my inclination would be to say in the brief that we have secured the "support of The States of ____, all of whom are parties to other cases consolidated for decision before the panel." 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The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing yet. The dispositive fact, for us, is that we're reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isn't going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside.

A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeye's petition.

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We think that approach will both improve the chances of initial en banc hearing being granted, and avoid annoying the court with multiple separate filings. We are certainly not Sixth Circuit experts, so please take suggestion with that grain of salt. Happy to discuss this either by email exchange or on the call Thursday. We are definitely not wedded to the concept, but thought it at least merited some discussion within our group. As they say on Twitter, Happy Lottery Day! (I suspect we may have had a happier one than some others though.) Sincerely, Drew The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. 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One more update. According to the attached scheduling order, all petitions for initial en banc review are due Wednesday. (No problem there, as we'll file tomorrow.) It also tells us to make all filings in the filer's case plus in the consolidated case. I don't take that to bar us from filing a consolidated petitionâ€"we'll just file in the Sixth Circuit case plus in the consolidated lead case, listing all other cases at the top. And the Sixth Circuit is usually pretty reasonable about these things. To the extent there is an issue, I would think we could resolve it by having each coalition filing a me-too letter.

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All,

Here is a proposed petition for initial en banc review. We have done our best to write it in a way that will appeal to those judges we most need to convince. We plan to file Monday at noon, so please send any joinder by Monday, November 22, at 10 AM Eastern.

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All, The court already ordered DOJ to respond to Buckeyeâ€™s petition. The response is due on Tuesday. We now recommend seeking initial en banc reviewâ€”it will function as an amicus brief supporting Buckeyeâ€™s request. It would be easiest if we could simply respond to the en banc request. But I called the Sixth Circuit and Iâ€™m told it cannot do that. The Sixth Circuit plans to draft a short petition for initial en banc review. Its main function will be to signal that we arenâ€™t opposed to this plan. We will do our best to draft it today, circulate it tomorrow, and be ready to file Monday. One wrinkle: I donâ€™t think States on cases outside the Sixth Circuit can join our brief until the formal MDL docket is made. So if thereâ€™s no docket on Monday, my inclination would be to say in the brief that we have secured the â€œsupport of The States of ____, all of whom are parties to other cases consolidated for decision before the panel.â€ Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. 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All, The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing yet. The dispositive fact, for us, is that weâ€™re reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isnâ€™t going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside. A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeyeâ€™s petition. 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I like the idea, but have a couple of thoughts.

First: as I understand it (and I may be wrong), CAS's stay remains in place and it's up CA6 as to whether to lift it. I'd want to see whether CA6 lifted the stay before deciding whether to go en banc. If they leave it in place, there's 1) far less of a justification for going initially en banc in terms of reliance interests, and 2) basically no need. The feds play the strategic acceleration/slowdown game all the time; I don't think we need to accommodate their desire for haste if we keep the stay.

If the stay went away—I'd agree entirely that we shouldn't leave ourselves to the vicissitudes of a bad panel draw when we're assured a good en banc. But perhaps we should let this play out a bit further before going that route.

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We think that approach will both improve the chances of initial en banc hearing being granted, and avoid annoying the court with multiple separate filings. We are certainly not Sixth Circuit experts, so please take suggestion with that grain of salt. Happy to discuss this either by email exchange or on the call Thursday. We are definitely not wedded to the concept, but thought it at least merited some discussion within our group. As they say on Twitter, Happy Lottery Day! (I suspect we may have had a happier one than some others though.) Sincerely, Drew The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. 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One more update. According to the attached scheduling order, all petitions for initial en banc review are due Wednesday. (No problem there, as we'll file tomorrow.) It also tells us to make all filings in the filer's case plus in the consolidated case. I don't take that to bar us from filing a consolidated petitionâ€"we'll just file in the Sixth Circuit case plus in the consolidated lead case, listing all other cases at the top. And the Sixth Circuit is usually pretty reasonable about these things. To the extent there is an issue, I would think we could resolve it by having each coalition filing a me-too letter.

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All,

Here is a proposed petition for initial en banc review. We have done our best to write it in a way that will appeal to those judges we most need to convince. We plan to file Monday at noon, so please send any joinder by Monday, November 22, at 10 AM Eastern.

Important: To be sure we do not miss you, please copy Josh Richardson in our office, who will keep a copy of all sign-ons. With all the emails Iâ€™m getting, Iâ€™m afraid I may miss one if you send it just to me. Joshâ€™s email address is Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov<mailto:Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov>

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All, The court already ordered DOJ to respond to Buckeyeâ€™s petition. The response is due on Tuesday. We now recommend seeking initial en banc reviewâ€”it will function as an amicus brief supporting Buckeyeâ€™s request. It would be easiest if we could simply respond to the en banc request. But I called the Sixth Circuit and Iâ€™m told it cannot do that. The Sixth Circuit plans to draft a short petition for initial en banc review. Its main function will be to signal that we arenâ€™t opposed to this plan. We will do our best to draft it today, circulate it tomorrow, and be ready to file Monday. One wrinkle: I donâ€™t think States on cases outside the Sixth Circuit can join our brief until the formal MDL docket is made. So if thereâ€™s no docket on Monday, my inclination would be to say in the brief that we have secured the â€œsupport of The States of ____, all of whom are parties to other cases consolidated for decision before the panel.â€ Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. 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All, The Sixth Circuit coalition met, and we recommend not filing yet. The dispositive fact, for us, is that weâ€™re reliability informed the Buckeye Institute will be seeking initial en banc review today. Our filing a similar request isnâ€™t going to move the ball, though it may irritate some members of the Court. Allowing Buckeye to do the work allows us to have the upside of a motion without any of the downside. A note about next steps. If the Court asks for a response, that would be a good sign that someone inclined to rule for us thinks we have an unfavorable panel but a favorable en banc court. For that reason, would recommend agreeing with the motion for initial en banc review in any response we file to Buckeyeâ€™s petition. 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I like the idea, but have a couple of thoughts.

First: as I understand it (and I may be wrong), CASâ€™s stay remains in place and itâ€™s up CA6 as to whether to lift it. Iâ€™d want to see whether CA6 lifted the stay before deciding whether to go en banc. If they leave it in place, thereâ€™s 1) far less of a justification for going initially en banc in terms of reliance interests, and 2) basically no need. The feds play the strategic acceleration/slowdown game all the time; I donâ€™t think we need to accommodate their desire for haste if we keep the stay.

If the stay went awayâ€”Iâ€™d agree entirely that we shouldnâ€™t leave ourselves to the vicissitudes of a bad panel draw when weâ€™re assured a good en banc. But perhaps we should let this play out a bit further before going that route.

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(The only changes from last version are non-substantive.) Our plan is to file tomorrow (Monday) at about noon, so please let us know by **10 AM Eastern** if you would like to join or if you have any concerns. Two important nots: 1. I tried to use the signature blocks that you all included on your petitions initiating challenges in the other States. Let me know if you have any concerns or are for some reason not listed. 2. Some news from the Sixth Circuit. On Friday evening, the Court told us not to file a reply in support of our stay motion. Here is the docket text: > This is to advise that in light of the stay issued by the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals relevant to this case, the reply to the response as ordered by letter of this Court dated November 7, 2021, need not be filed. I take this to mean that, as far as the CA6 is concerned, the CA5's stay isn't going away unless the federal government asks. And it hasn't yet, to my knowledge. 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Family 1

247BBB	Mom 35	shirt	**Medium**	Black thickheeled ab
		pant	**8**	King size bedding Gre
		shoe		
248BBB	Girl 9	shirt		White boots with hee
		pant		rings/necklaces, Ka
		shoe	**2**	
249BBB	Girl 7	shirt	**8**	Black knee high girl
		pant	**8**	
		shoe	**3**	

The family also has a service dog and here are some items for the dog: Dog Bed firm, 1" lead leash, Large sweater or shirt for Large Dog

Family 2

250CCC	Mom 25	shirt	**Small**	Medium winter coat,
		pant	**jeans 28**	Gif
		shoe		
251CCC	Boy 6	shirt	8	Jeans, spiderman ve
		pant	8	
		shoe		
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		pant	7	
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Thank You,

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
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Subject	Re: ND v. US Dept. of Interior - 1:21-cv-148
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/22/2021 11:58:28.000 AM
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Body	Either would work for me Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** sebyp@gtlaw.com <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Sent:** Monday, November 22, 2021 11:26:52 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fwd: ND v. US Dept. of Interior - 1:21-cv-148 ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** We just received the email below from the Court suggesting either the afternoon of January 12 or anytime January 13 for a hearing on ND's mandamus motion in the DOI O&G leasing case. I can do either; do you have a preference? Though we might not get it, I think we should propose to the Court that 2 hours be set aside for the hearing (1 hour for each side) Begin forwarded message: **From:** NDD J-Traynor <ndd_J-Traynor@ndd.uscourts.gov> **Date:** November 22, 2021 at 9:07:03 AM MST **To:** "Seby, Paul (Shld-DEN-Env)" <sebyp@gtlaw.com>, masagsve@nd.gov, michael.sawyer@doj.gov, tisdel@westernlaw.org, hornbein@westernlaw.org, mfreeman@earthjustice.org, tdelehanty@earthjustice.org **Subject: ND v. US Dept. of Interior - 1:21-cv-148** ***EXTERNAL TO GT*** Good morning everyone, Judge Traynor would like to hold a hearing on the pending motion for writ of mandamus. We currently have the afternoon of January 12 or any time on January 13 available for the hearing. Unfortunately, our calendar doesn't really have much open besides those two days. Please let me know as soon as possible (1) if January 12 or 13 work for you and (2) how much time you believe will be necessary for the hearing. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you, **Conor Kennelly** Law Clerk Judge Daniel M. Traynor United States District Court District of North Dakota 701-530-2363 If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.

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Recipients	amjohnson@nd.gov
Subject	Re: November 29 IC meeting
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov, bekeller@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: Letter to State Agency Representatives Regarding the December 8, 2021, Legislative Audit and Fiscal Review Committee Meeting – CJK 112221
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/22/2021 1:43:14.000 PM

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Body	Ready? Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** -Adm-Legislative Council <lcouncil@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 22, 2021 10:32:24 AM **To:** Dohrmann, Alan S. <alan.s.dohrmann.mil@mail.mil>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Gallion, Joshua C. <jcgallion@nd.gov>; Steinwand, Todd J. <tsteinwand@nd.gov>; Korslien, Renae <renae@ndstatefair.com>; Solberg, Col. Brandon J. <bjsolberg@nd.gov>; Flohr, David A. <dflohr@nd.gov>; Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov>; Taylor, Vance <vtaylor@ndmill.com>; Ament, DeAnn M. <dament@nd.gov>; Fedorchak, Julie L. <jfedorchak@nd.gov>; Smith, Jodi <jodi.smith@nd.gov>; Migler, Jerome <jerome.migler@dakotacollege.edu>; president@minotstateu.edu <president@minotstateu.edu>; Armacost, Andrew <andrew.armacost@und.edu>; Hagerott, Mark <mark.hagerott@ndus.edu>; Klipfel, Bryan R. <bklipfel@nd.gov>; Meyer, Terry J. <terry.meyer@ndus.edu> **Cc:** Kadrmas, Chris J. <cjkadrmas@nd.gov>; Knudson, Allen H. <aknudson@nd.gov> **Subject:** Letter to State Agency Representatives Regarding the December 8, 2021, Legislative Audit and Fiscal Review Committee Meeting – CJK 112221 Please see the attached letter. The agenda mentioned in the letter can be found in the link below. https://www.legis.nd.gov/events/2021/12/08/legislative-audit-and-fiscal-review-committee Thank you.
Attachments	16066.pdf

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Recipients	amjohnson@nd.gov
Subject	Re: November 29 IC meeting
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Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Re: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate

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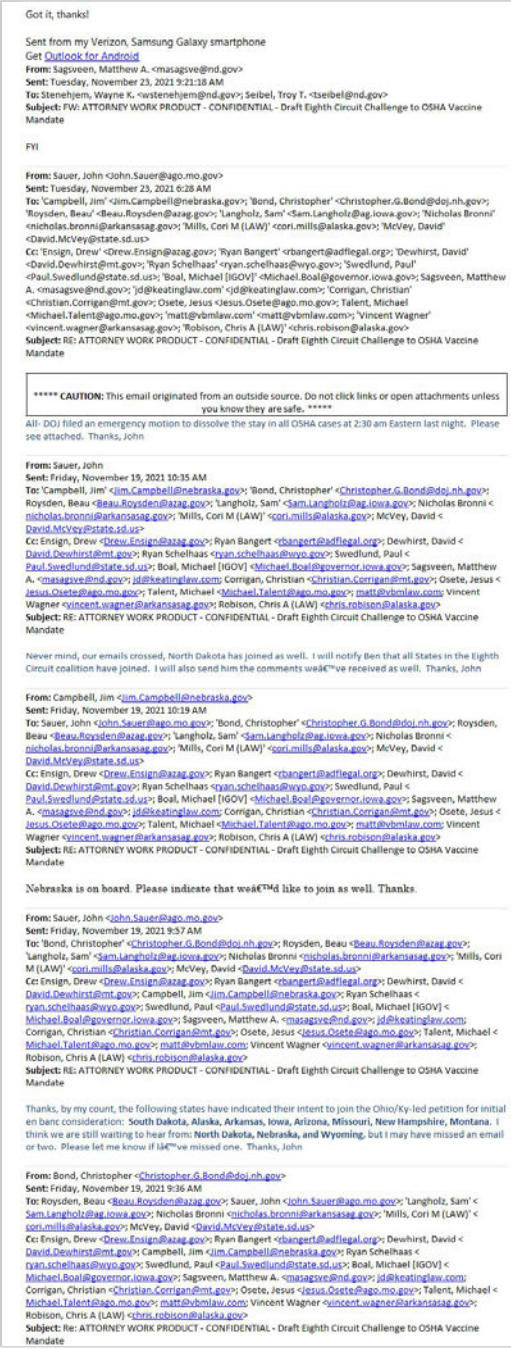
Body	

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FYI

From: Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2021 6:28 AM
To: 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Bond, Christopher' <Christopher.G.Bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>
Cc: 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Ryan Bangert' <rbangert@adflegal.org>; 'Dewhirst, David' <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Swedlund, Paul' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'jd@keatinglaw.com' <jd@keatinglaw.com>; 'Corrigan, Christian' <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; 'matt@vbmlaw.com' <matt@vbmlaw.com>; 'Vincent Wagner' <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov>; 'Robison, Chris A (LAW)' <chris.robison@alaska.gov>
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All- DOJ filed an emergency motion to dissolve the stay in all OSHA cases at 2:30 am Eastern last night. Please see attached. Thanks, John

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Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021 10:35 AM
To: 'Campbell, Jim' <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; 'Bond, Christopher' <Christopher.G.Bond@doj.nh.gov>; Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; Nicholas Bronni <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us>
Cc: Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org>; Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Ryan Schelhaas <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Swedlund, Paul <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; jd@keatinglaw.com; Corrigan, Christian <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; matt@vbmlaw.com; Vincent Wagner <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov>; Robison, Chris A (LAW) <chris.robison@alaska.gov>
Subject: RE: ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate

Never mind, our emails crossed, North Dakota has joined as well. I will notify Ben that all States in the Eighth Circuit coalition have joined. I will also send him the comments weâ€™ve received as well. Thanks, John

From: Campbell, Jim <Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>
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To: Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Bond, Christopher' <Christopher.G.Bond@doj.nh.gov>; Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; Nicholas Bronni <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us>
Cc: Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org>; Dewhirst, David <David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Ryan Schelhaas <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Swedlund, Paul <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; Boal, Michael [IGOV] <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; jd@keatinglaw.com; Corrigan, Christian <Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov>; Osete, Jesus <Jesus.Osete@ago.mo.gov>; Talent, Michael <Michael.Talent@ago.mo.gov>; matt@vbmlaw.com; Vincent Wagner <vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov>; Robison, Chris A (LAW) <chris.robison@alaska.gov>
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Nebraska is on board. Please indicate that weâ€™d like to join as well. Thanks.

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Thanks, by my count, the following states have indicated their intent to join the Ohio/Ky-led petition for initial en banc consideration: **South Dakota, Alaska, Arkansas, Iowa, Arizona, Missouri, New Hampshire, Montana.** I think we are still waiting to hear from: **North Dakota, Nebraska, and Wyoming**, but I may have missed an email or two. Please let me know if Iâ€™ve missed one. Thanks, John

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To: Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; Nicholas Bronni <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us>
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NH joins, and endorses the plan of Missouri notifying as well.

Best,

Chris Bond

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Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021 10:11 AM
To: 'Sauer, John'; 'Langholz, Sam'; Nicholas Bronni; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)'; McVey, David
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Arizona will join too, and I like the plan of Missouri notifying.

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Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021 8:10 AM
To: 'Langholz, Sam'; Nicholas Bronni; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)'; McVey, David
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Missouri will join too, and I am happy to notify the Sixth Circuit coalition that we all join together if that is the consensus. I think weâ€™ve heard from most but not all states. Thanks, John

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Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021 9:00 AM
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Iowa will also join. Please do confirm if the plan is as a group or whether we need to separately confirm with Ohio.

Sam

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Sent: Friday, November 19, 2021, 8:57 AM
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Arkansas is also happy to join.

From: Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov>
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To: McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us>
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Alaska will join and we already sent our comments to John, Jesus and Jim (the awesome J trifecta!). I agree that collecting and sending them as a coalition is a good idea.

Thanks!

Cori Mills

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 19, 2021, at 3:47 AM, McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us> wrote:
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> South Dakota will join, I do agree with NH that it makes the most sense to collect comments and send them as a group.
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> David M. McVey
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> Assistant Attorney General
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> **From:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>
> **Sent:** Thursday, November 18, 2021 11:30 AM
> **To:** 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>
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> All â€"
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> In case you have not received it, here is Ohioâ€™s petition for en banc consideration in the OSHA case. I think they are offering States only (not private petitioners) the chance to join or express support for this, by Monday.
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> Also, the Eighth Circuit entered its transfer order in our case a short time ago. Our panel was Judges Gruender, Kelly, and Kobes. Hopefully this means we will be docketed soon in the Sixth Circuit.

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Thanks, John

From: Sauer, John
Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 2:30 PM
To: 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'McVey, David' <David.McVey@state.sd.us>; 'Ensign, Drew' <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>
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All- FYI, MO AZ MT and NB just discussed, and we are all inclined to join/express support for Ohioâ€™s plan of seeking initial en banc consideration of both stay motion and merits in the Sixth Circuit (see Ben Flowersâ€™ recent email). Please let us know if anyone has concerns. Thanks, John

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All- The MDL has consolidated the 34 OSHA cases in the Sixth Circuit. See notification email, attached. We will keep you apprised on next steps. Thanks, John

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All- Here is the final, as-filed version of our Reply Brief. Thanks a lot to everyone who gave feedback on such short notice. I will let you know as soon as the Court takes any action. Thanks, John

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All- Here is a pared-down version of the Reply that is just barely over the 2600 word limit. I am still receiving comments from you and will plan to incorporate those as well. I hope to file before noon Central. Thanks, John

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All-

Attached please find a working draft of the Reply brief in support of our stay motion, which is due today at 3:00 pm Central. Because the Circuit lottery may be as soon as tomorrow, I would like to file this earlier than 3:00 pm if possible, to give the Eighth Circuit maximum opportunity to consider our arguments if it plans to issue a decision in the next 24 hours. So please provide any thoughts or comments as promptly as possible. (I am sorry for the quick turnaround.) Also, the current draft is at about 3060 words, without introduction. The word limit is 2600 and DOJ has consented in advance to 3500. I would like to get this as close as possible to the actual word limit, because the Court does not like word-limit extensions, so if you think there are good areas to cut, please let us know.

Thanks a lot, John

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The Fifth Circuit has extended its stay of the OSHA mandate in a 22-page opinion, see attached. This should give a lot of support for our reply brief due Monday.

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Body

The Government has just filed its opposition to our motion to stay the OSHA mandate (along with motion for leave to file). See attached. We will start reviewing and drafting immediately, and attempt to get a mature draft reply circulated by Monday morning. Thanks, John

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All-

As you have probably seen, DOJ is asking for our consent to file an overlength â€œcombinedâ€ response of about 7000 words to our motion to stay and the motion to stay in the consolidated private-party challenge (brought by Boyden Gray on behalf of Job Creators Network et al.). See attached email chain. I am not happy about this request because I think it is an obvious gambit to evade the 5200 word limitation for motion replies in FRAP 27. That said, I think it will be granted given the expedited briefing schedule, and the extra words will probably not make a big difference. I am considering telling DOJ that we will consent to this request if they will consent to a proportionate increase of words for our reply brief due Monday (i.e. from 2600 to 3500 words). Please let me know if anyone has thoughts.

Thanks, John

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All- The Eighth Circuit has just granted the motion for expedited consideration of the stay motion. The Governmentâ€™s Response is due Friday at 3:00 pm, and our Reply is due Monday at 3:00 pm. We will try to get a draft of the Reply circulated to you all by Monday morning.

Thanks, John

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Body

Thanks to all â€" I have entered all changes. I have also added the additional (bolded) language to leave open the prospect of arguing that we are protected by the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. We will file asap. Thanks, John

P.S. â€œOSH Actâ€ is short for â€œOccupational Safety and Health Act,â€ but since several of you flagged that, I have changed it.

On November 6, 2021, the Fifth Circuit, facing a parallel motion to stay the ETS filed by private employers on November 5, entered a temporary administrative stay and ordered expedited briefing on the stay motion, with OSHAâ€™s brief responding to the stay motion due on November 8, and Petitionersâ€™ reply due on November 9. *See* Order in No. 21-60845 (5th Cir. Nov. 6, 2021) (attached as Ex. A). **Though the Fifth Circuitâ€™s order may be construed to have nationwide effect, it does not make an explicit statement on this point. *See id.* To avoid any confusion and to secure full protection of their rights,** Petitioners respectfully request that this Court enter a similar order here. Because Respondents will already be responding to a similar stay motion in the Fifth Circuit today, requesting a response to Petitionersâ€™ stay motion here by tomorrow should impose no prejudice on them.

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Good with us too. One additional typo: on first line of the argument section on page 2, granted should be grant.

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Looks good. There were two small typos on page 3; see attached.

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All- Attached is a mature draft of a motion for expedited consideration that I propose filing in the Eighth Circuit at the opening of business today, i.e., around 8:30 am Central. Please let me know if anyone has any comments, and sorry for the short notice. Thanks, John

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That makes sense to me as well. If DOJ has to respond in the Fifth Circuit by 5pm CST tomorrow, there is no reason why they could not file a response to our motion raising similar arguments by midnight Monday, or at least 5pm Tuesday.

They have had far longer to prepare for this than us (and access to the ETS rule itself), so I don't think they have much of a leg to stand on (particularly with the 15-day state plan deadline).

Drew

From: Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov>
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Agree. It makes sense.

Cori

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 6, 2021, at 2:43 PM, Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov> wrote:

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This makes a lot of sense to me.

From: Sauer, John [mailto:John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov]
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All- As you may have seen, the Fifth Circuit granted a temporary stay and ordered expedited briefing on the Texas Policy Foundation's stay motion this afternoon. In light of that, I plan to prepare a motion for similarly expedited consideration of our stay motion, requesting a ruling in a week. I will cite the concerns of the state plan states that must now act within 15 days, among others. Please let me know if anyone has concerns about that approach. Thanks, John

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 6, 2021, at 11:51 AM, Mills, Cori M (LAW) <cori.mills@alaska.gov> wrote:

> Ditto! Great job!
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> Cori Mills
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> Sent from my iPhone
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> On Nov 6, 2021, at 7:52 AM, Ryan Bangert <rbangert@adflegal.org> wrote:
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> > Amen. Thank you, John, for leading on this.
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Thanks for your work on this, John. Itâ€™s excellent. Proud to be in this with you all.

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Attached please find file-stamped copies of the stay motion and attached exhibits A-M. Thanks a lot for everyoneâ€™s contribution to this effort!!

Thanks, John

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Entered these too, thanks!

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Thanks, John. I agree with David that it looks good. Attached are three or four nits for your consideration.

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This looks very good to us. Iâ€™ve suggested just a couple nits in the attached redline.

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All- Attached is an updated draft of the OSHA Petition for Review that includes a summary of reasons why the ETS should be vacated (at a high level of generality). Please let me know if anyone has concerns about this summary. Thanks, John

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P.S. We will also plan to update the PJR to include a brief statement forecasting our arguments on the merits, to make our initial filing tomorrow morning more substantive. I will circulate the updated version by this afternoon. Thanks a lot, John

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All- Given the length of the ETS, which we are still digesting, we propose filing the PJR tomorrow morning at the opening of business, but target filing the stay motion on Monday. Based on our review so far, we plan to re-work some of the arguments in the draft stay motion to address OSHAâ€™s points, and weâ€™d rather take the extra business day to get it right. If you are still preparing declarations, please get them to us by COB tomorrow. (I think I have finalized declarations from Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Wyoming, Missouri, AAI, and Doolittle). Thanks, John

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All-

We are anticipating that the OSHA mandate will be announced this morning at 7:45 am Central. We would like to file the Petition for Judicial Review as soon as possible after it is announced. Attached is the near-final Petition for Judicial Review, which is virtually the same as the one I circulated last week, with minor formatting changes. There are still highlighted blanks for the Fed. Reg. cites, but otherwise it should be final. I understand that Missouri still has full authority from each of you to file this in the Eighth Circuit on your behalf, and we will pull the trigger as soon as we can. If anyone has last-minute changes or objections, please let me know before 7:30 am Central.

Once we have the mandate, we will also plan to update the stay motion and circulate it for review as soon as possible as well. I would like to have it on file by tomorrow morning if possible.

Thanks a lot for your support in this important project!!

Thanks a lot, John

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Dear Counsel-

We have heard rumors that the OSHA ETS mandating vaccines for employers with 100+ employees may be published today. These rumors may or may not be accurate, but we would like to be prepared to file the Petition for Review immediately after the ETS is published, and follow up with the stay motion within one business day. Attached are updated circulation drafts of the Petition for Review and Stay Motion. I think I have received confirmation of joining from all potentially interested States except South Dakota. If you have joined but I am still missing your signature block (**Arizona, Montana, Arkansas, Iowa, Alaska**), please send it asap this morning so that we can be poised to file the Petition right away if necessary. Also, if you are still working on state or employer declarations, please work on finalizing them promptly, as we expect a one-day turnaround between the ETSâ€™s publication and filing the stay motion.

By joining, you are designating me and the Missouri AGO to jointly represent your State for the sole purpose of this

Body	case in the Eighth Circuit (and SCOTUS, if necessary). This will avoid the need to file multiple briefs for each co-petitioner. Thanks a lot for your support in this project! Thanks, John Sauer **From:** Sauer, John **Sent:** Thursday, October 14, 2021 1:34 PM **To:** cori.mills@alaska.gov; 'Nicholas Bronni' < nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov; Ryan Schelhaas < ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' < Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' < Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us' <Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us>; 'wstenehjem@nd.gov' < wstenehjem@nd.gov>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' < Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov> **Cc:** 'Roysden, Beau' <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Dewhirst, David < david.dewhirst@mt.gov>; 'Campbell, Jim' < Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov> **Subject:** ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT - CONFIDENTIAL - Draft Eighth Circuit Challenge to OSHA Vaccine Mandate PRIVILEGED â€" ATTORNEY WORK PRODUCT â€" JOINT DEFENSE PRIVILEGE â€" CLOSED RECORD Dear Counsel- As I have discussed with many of you, Missouri, Arizona, Montana, and Nebraska are planning to file a legal challenge in the Eighth Circuit to OSHAâ€™s anticipated vaccine mandate for employers with 100 or more employees. The proposed rule was sent by OSHA to OIRA on Tuesday, and we anticipate it may be published as soon as tomorrow. Once it is filed, we anticipate filing a petition for judicial review immediately, and following up as soon as possible with a motion for stay of the ETS pending judicial review. Attached are advance drafts of those two pleadings. Please note that the stay motion is anticipatory and subject to change, because we donâ€™t have a copy of the ETS yet, but the draft should provide an outline of most likely major lines of argument. Please let us know if you would like to join this coalition challenging the ETS, and if so, please send a signature block for your State or private employer. We intend to file the PJR as quickly as possible after the ETS is promulgated, so the sooner you could let us know, the better. Also, attached please find sample declarations for States and private employers that detail the adverse impact of the ETS on petitioners. If you pull together a similar declaration for your State (and feel free to expand on it if you have other injuries), that would be very helpful. In addition to these, "Iowa," could you please provide a declaration that explains your status as a â€œstate-plan Stateâ€? Thanks a lot, John Sauer This email message, including the attachments, is from the Missouri Attorney Generalâ€™s Office. It is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information, including that covered by Â§ 32.057, RSMo. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply email and destroy all copies of the original message. Thank you.

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Good morning, all,

For those needing to get someone admitted to the Sixth Circuit for the OSHA challenge, here are some instructions. I'm happy to help coordinate this process and help answer questions as best I can. The general instructions are here.

1. First, Complete this form and oath. It requires someone already admitted to sign.
2. If you need someone admitted in the 6th to sign your form, fill out the rest of the form and email it to me. I will print, sign, and email it back to you.
3. Obtain a method of payment for the $238 fee (paid electronically or via check)
4. The best way to submit both the form and the fee is electronically via the CM/ECF system – which will allow you to simply attach the admission form as a pdf.
5. However, you must register for a Sixth Circuit CM/ECF account to pay fees and submit the form. (let me know if you're unsure how to do this)
6. The bar admission link is found under the "Utilities" tab within the Sixth Circuit's CM/ECF.
7. Alternatively, you can mail in your form and payment via snail mail.

Please let me know if you have questions.
Best,
Brandon

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(The only changes from last version are non-substantive.) Our plan is to file tomorrow (Monday) at about noon, so please let us know by **10 AM Eastern** if you would like to join or if you have any concerns. Two important nots: 1. I tried to use the signature blocks that you all included on your petitions initiating challenges in the other States. Let me know if you have any concerns or are for some reason not listed. 2. Some news from the Sixth Circuit. On Friday evening, the Court told us not to file a reply in support of our stay motion. Here is the docket text: > This is to advise that in light of the stay issued by the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals relevant to this case, the reply to the response as ordered by letter of this Court dated November 7, 2021, need not be filed. I take this to mean that, as far as the CA6 is concerned, the CA5's stay isn't going away unless the federal government asks. And it hasn't yet, to my knowledge. 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(The only changes from last version are non-substantive.) Our plan is to file tomorrow (Monday) at about noon, so please let us know by **10 AM Eastern** if you would like to join or if you have any concerns. Two important nots: 1. I tried to use the signature blocks that you all included on your petitions initiating challenges in the other States. Let me know if you have any concerns or are for some reason not listed. 2. Some news from the Sixth Circuit. On Friday evening, the Court told us not to file a reply in support of our stay motion. Here is the docket text: > This is to advise that in light of the stay issued by the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals relevant to this case, the reply to the response as ordered by letter of this Court dated November 7, 2021, need not be filed. I take this to mean that, as far as the CA6 is concerned, the CA5's stay isn't going away unless the federal government asks. And it hasn't yet, to my knowledge. 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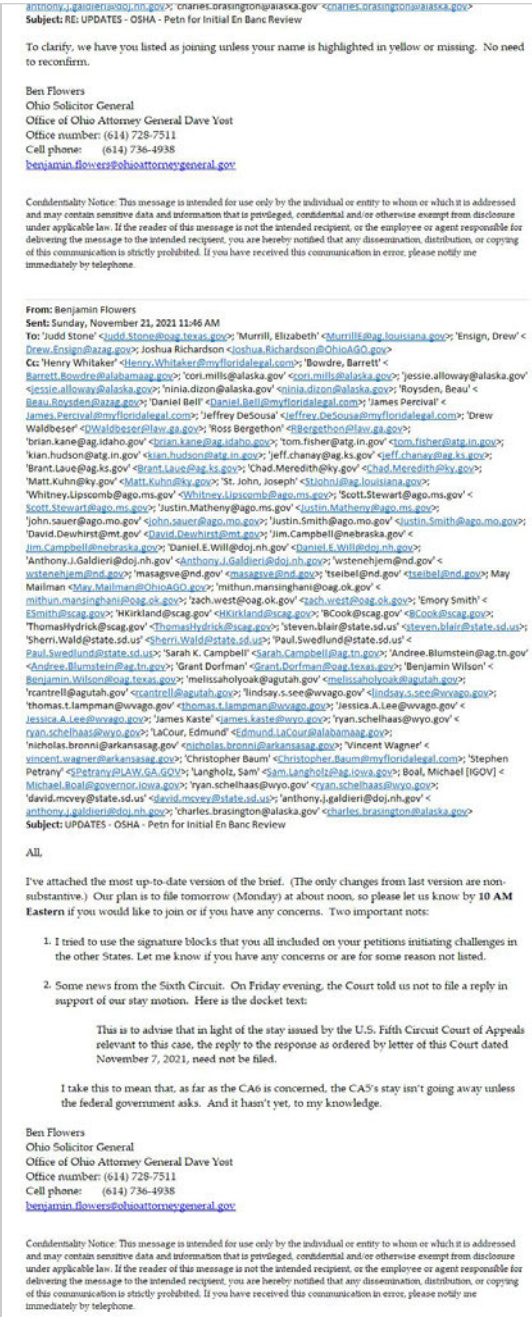
Body	

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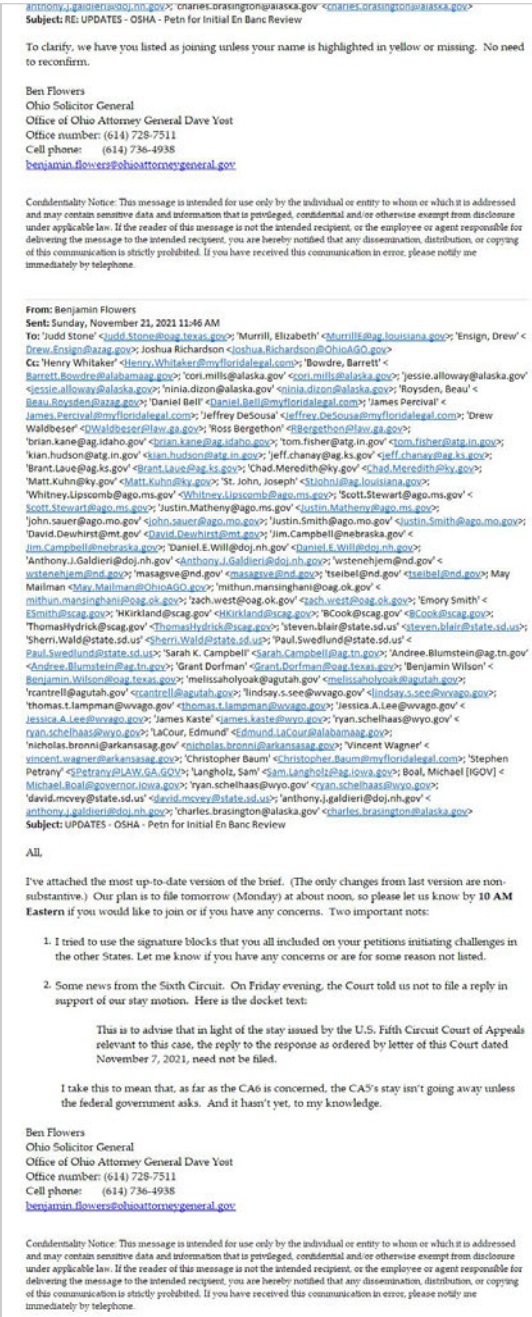
Body	

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Body	Yes. 30 minutes is just fine. Wayne **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 24, 2021 8:47 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** 10 a.m. appointment **Importance:** High Wayne – How much time do we have at 10:00 a.m.? I have some general legal questions for you regarding the recent actions by the Legislature in regards to the IC but wonder if we have time for Justin to give you a short briefing on the new program we are proposing? Mary Kae will also need some of our time for discussing the Legacy bond opinion we are asking you to sign. I think we can get through everything in 30 minutes? Is that okay? Karlene

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Body	It's a delight to work with you, Doug. Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family! Wayne **From:** Nelson, Douglas D. <ddnelson@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 24, 2021 11:12 AM **To:** Nelson, Douglas D. <ddnelson@nd.gov>; Pierre, Douglas C. <dpierre@nd.gov>; Sinerius, Jessica <jsinerius@nd.gov>; Lucas, Kaylyn <klucas@nd.gov>; Ersland, Kim L. <kersland@nd.gov>; Ost, Marcy L. <malost@nd.gov>; Roline, Levi <lroline@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Happy Thanksgiving! All, I don't have any inspirational quote or really thoughtful saying to go with this, but I did want to take the time to thank everyone. I am thankful for a team that is respectful, helpful, hard-working, quality, enjoyable, humble and honest. It is a blessing to be able to enjoy coming into work everyday! Thanks for all that you do, commit to, and sacrifice for the betterment of the State Fire Marshal's Office. I hope you all have a safe and Happy Thanksgiving. Doug Nelson P.S. Special thanks to Kaylyn and Kim for being on-call this Thanksgiving. Let us know if anything comes up or if you need any help!

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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 12:14:08.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 12:14:08.000 PM
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Body	Nancy, I got such a glowing and lengthy letter of praise for you that I had to let you know how pleased I am with all you are doing, and that I am so glad you came on board with us! Have a nice Thanksgiving, and congratulations on this wonderful assessment of your work! Wayne
BCC	mkelsch@nd.gov

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Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	ndyon@nd.gov
Subject	Happy Thanksgiving!
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Record 1392

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	mspahr@nd.gov

Subject	RE: holiday
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 1:25:50.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 1:25:50.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 1:25:00.000 PM
Body	Happy Thanksgiving to you as well, Marina! Wayne **From:** Spahr, Marina <mspahr@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 24, 2021 12:33 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** holiday Wayne and Troy: A very happy Thanksgiving to you and your families. Marina **Marina Spahr, Director MFCU** **Assistant Attorney General** **ND Office of the Attorney General** **701-328-5532** STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY: The contents of this email and its attachments are intended solely for the addressee(s) hereof. In addition, this email may be confidential. If you are not the named addressee or if this message has been addressed to you in error, you are hereby notified that you are strictly prohibited from and directed not to read, disclose, reproduce, distribute, disseminate or otherwise use this transmission. Delivery of this message to any person other than the intended recipient(s) is not intended in any way to waive privilege or confidentiality. If you have received this transmission in error, please alert the sender by reply email; we also request that you immediately delete this message and its attachments, if any.

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Recipients	mspahr@nd.gov
Subject	RE: holiday
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 1:25:50.000 PM
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	amjohnson@nd.gov, mkelsch@nd.gov, hsmith@nd.gov, shlocken@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Ivermectin Article

Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 4:01:51.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 4:01:52.000 PM
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Recipients	btveit@nd.gov
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Recipients	hsmith@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Ivermectin Article
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 4:36:42.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/24/2021 4:36:00.000 PM
Body	Yes. I got the email as I sent it. I wrote back to Rep. Tveidt to ask him where the article came from. Don't worry about finding anything out. I'll just wait to hear back from him. Have a nice Thanksgiving! Wayne **From:** Smith, Heidi J. <hsmith@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 24, 2021 4:33 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Johnson, Alice M. <amjohnson@nd.gov>; Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov>; Locken, Sheree L. <shlocken@nd.gov> **Cc:** Miller, Laura J. <ljmiller@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Ivermectin Article Hi Wayne, I am not able to open it either. I had Laura Miller look at it as well, with no luck. There is something it that is not compatible with Adobe. Was this the format it was sent to you? Thank you, Heidi **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 24, 2021 4:02 PM **To:** Johnson, Alice M. <amjohnson@nd.gov>; Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov>; Smith, Heidi J. <hsmith@nd.gov>; Locken, Sheree L. <shlocken@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Ivermectin Article Can anyone open this attachment? I'd like it printed, [or copied and pasted] but I don't seem to have the right app to do so Wayne **From:** Tveit, Bill <btveit@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, November 24, 2021 2:37 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Ivermectin Article Honorable Mr. Stenehjem, NDAG please read the attached article, paying closer attention to the final paragraph. It is my understanding that even though we passed HB 1514 during the special session, a physician in Jamestown, ND was dismissed. Carved out of 1514, much to my dismay, was the requirement for hospitals to administer Off-label FDA approved drugs to treat COVID when a patient or family member requested the right-to-try. I would appreciate any help you can lend to this dire situation. Representative Bill Tveit, District 33

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Record 1400

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	shlocken@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Ivermectin Article
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Record 1401

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Recipients	shlocken@nd.gov
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Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	dpgarner@nd.gov
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 8:44:02.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 8:44:03.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 8:44:00.000 AM
Body	Dave, Are you going to be in today? Wayne

Record 1403

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	dpgarner@nd.gov
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 8:44:03.000 AM
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Record 1404

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	drphillips@nd.gov
Subject	FW: IC meeting
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 8:53:00.000 AM
Body	Dave, Are you going to be in today? Wayne **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 26, 2021 8:13 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** IC meeting Wayne – You have the books for the meeting and I will be dropping off a couple more items later today. However, I did want to alert you that I do not have the final amendments that the Oil and Gas Division will be presenting on Monday in the book. I have not received them from Bruce. You may want to visit with Dave Phillips to find out what DMR is planning to present. Karlene

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Record 1406

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com
Subject	FW: Hope For the Holidays Event
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 10:03:17.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/26/2021 10:03:17.000 AM
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Body

From: Tryhus, Nicole K. <ntryhus@nd.gov>
Sent: Friday, November 26, 2021 9:58 AM
To: -Grp-AG Capitol 1st Floor <agcap1@nd.gov>; -Grp-AG Capitol Ground Floor <agcapgrd@nd.gov>
Subject: FW: Hope For the Holidays Event

Hello everyone,

I am excited to announce that we will once again be participating in the Hope For the Holidays event this year for the Abused Adult Resource Center. We adopted 2 small families and the individuals within the family are located below. These lists are to give ideas of what you may purchase for them, if you wish, and you may purchase whatever you would like for them as well.

PLEASE NOTE: **When purchasing toys for children please be aware that due to the fact that a weapon may have been used during a violent incident, we request that no toy guns or weapons be purchased.**

Please make sure the items are new and are wrapped or in gift bags and PLEASE make sure the client ID number is clearly marked on each package. Each individual has a number and letter(s) to identify them.

We plan on dropping off the gifts around the 7th of December, so please make your purchases accordingly. You can bring the gifts and place them under the reception area Christmas tree or you can keep them with you until we get closer to the drop off time. There is an envelope on the tree to place gift cards in should you choose to purchase those for any of the family members. This list will be printed out and in the 1st floor copy room so please remember to cross off anything you will be purchasing or have purchased off the list so we do not double up on presents.

Family 1

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		pant	**8**	King size bedding Gre
		shoe		
248BBB	Girl 9	shirt		White boots with hee
		pant		rings/necklaces, Ka
		shoe	**2**	
249BBB	Girl 7	shirt	**8**	Black knee high girl
		pant	**8**	
		shoe	**3**	

Dog Bed firm, 1" lead leash, Large sweater or shirt for Large Dog

Family 2

250CCC	Mom 25	shirt	**Small**	Medium winter coat,
		pant	**jeans 28**	Gif
		shoe		
251CCC	Boy 6	shirt	**8**	Jeans, spiderman ve
		pant	**8**	
		shoe		
252CCC	Boy 4	shirt	**7**	Jeans, winterboots, di
		pant	**7**	
		shoe	**13**	

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All,

Here is a revised version, which incorporates some changes from other States. Thanks to Georgia, South Carolina, and Texas for joining already.

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The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons.

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Second , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.

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Sincerely,

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All,

Happy Thanksgiving. (And go Bucks!)

After sleeping on it, I think it would be appropriate to file a very short opposition to the absurd briefing schedule the DOJ proposed. In that response, we can say that we plan to pursue discovery and the proposed schedule doesnâ€™t allow for that.

I will draft something Friday and send it around. It would be best to file Monday morning, I think. Let me know if you have any concerns.

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COMMON INTEREST PRIVILEGE

Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

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1. ***Enforcement of the Stay.*** Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. ***Administrative Record.*** It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. ***Potential Discovery.*** It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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The rule has little to no analysis on the testing requirement because I think it was largely an afterthought. Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement *in theory*, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. 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I would add that the citation to 29 usc 669(a)(5) borders on sanctionable. Go take a look at the way they quote it on page 16 and then look at what the statute actually says.

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On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46.

It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can

Body	operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. Drew --- **From:** Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021 6:24:57 AM **To:** Judd Stone; Murrill, Elizabeth; Ensign, Drew; Joshua Richardson **Cc:** Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; cori.mills@alaska.gov; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; Chad.Meredith@ky.gov; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov; St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; tseibel@nd.gov; May Mailman; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Emory Smith; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. Campbell; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Grant Dorfman; Benjamin Wilson; melissaholyoak@agutah.gov; rcantrell@agutah.gov; lindsay.s.see@wyago.gov; thomas.t.lampman@wyago.gov; James Kaste; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; LaCour, Edmund; nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov; Vincent Wagner; Christopher Baum; Stephen Petrany; Langholz, Sam; Boal, Michael [IGOV]; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; david.mcvey@state.sd.us; anthony.j.galdieri@doj.nh.gov; charles.brasington@alaska.gov; Brandon J. Smith; Clark Hildabrand; Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); Chanay, Jeff; Dunn, Barry (KYOAG); May Mailman; Laue, Brant; Kane, Brian; Jonathan Blanton; Lindsay S. See; Iaccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG); White, Kimi; Travis J. Royer; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG); Magera, Alexander Y (KYOAG); Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Keiser, Lindsey R (KYOAG); Nolan, Brett R (KYOAG); Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG); Michael R. Williams; Mithun Mansinghani **Subject:** OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing All, As you may have seen, OSHA finally got around to moving to dissolve the stay. The Sixth Circuit will presumably issue a briefing schedule. Provided the States would like to stick together, the Sixth Circuit coalition is happy to lead the charge. Indeed, the *en banc* brief can be pretty quickly repurposed into an opposition to this stay request. One important point: the Sixth Circuit told us that, going forward, it will need signatures from each States *or* the filing State to say that it has permission to file for everyone. If you have someone admitted here, we can add the signature. If not, weâ€™re happy to sign the admission form for whomever would like to move. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify me immediately by telephone. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message. To reply to our e-mail administrator directly, please send an e-mail to postmaster@ag.state.la.us.
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All,

Here is a revised version, which incorporates some changes from other States. Thanks to Georgia, South Carolina, and Texas for joining already.

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Second , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.

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OSHAâ€™s delay shows that the agency does not really think expediency is needed to protect employeesâ€™ lives; if it really believed that, it would have issued the Vaccine Mandate months ago, and filed for relief in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. If time is now short before the arbitrary deadline of January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame.

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Sincerely,

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OSHAâ€™s delay shows that the agency does not really think the Vaccine Mandate is needed to save lives; if it really believed that, it would have file in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. But put that aside. If there is an urgent need to ensure the Vaccine Mandate is in force by January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame.

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All,

Happy Thanksgiving. (And go Bucks!)

After sleeping on it, I think it would be appropriate to file a very short opposition to the absurd briefing schedule the DOJ proposed. In that response, we can say that we plan to pursue discovery and the proposed schedule doesnâ€™t allow for that.

I will draft something Friday and send it around. It would be best to file Monday morning, I think. Let me know if you have any concerns.

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COMMON INTEREST PRIVILEGE

Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

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1. ***Enforcement of the Stay.*** Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. ***Administrative Record.*** It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. ***Potential Discovery.*** It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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The rule has little to no analysis on the testing requirement because I think it was largely an afterthought. Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement *in theory*, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. --- **From:** Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021 10:17 AM **To:** Ensign, Drew <Drew.Ensign@azag.gov>; Judd Stone <Judd.Stone@oag.texas.gov>; Murrill, Elizabeth <MurrillE@ag.louisiana.gov>; Joshua Richardson <Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov> **Cc:** Henry Whitaker <Henry.Whitaker@myfloridalegal.com>; Bowdre, Barrett < Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov>; cori.mills@alaska.gov; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; Roysden, Beau <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; Daniel Bell < Daniel.Bell@myfloridalegal.com>; James Percival <James.Percival@myfloridalegal.com>; Jeffrey DeSousa <Jeffrey.DeSousa@myfloridalegal.com>; Drew Waldbeser <DWaldbeser@law.ga.gov>; Ross Bergethon <RBergethon@law.ga.gov>; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; Chad.Meredith@ky.gov; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov; St. John, Joseph <StJohnJ@ag.louisiana.gov>; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; tseibel@nd.gov; May Mailman <May.Mailman@OhioAGO.gov>; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Emory Smith <ESmith@scag.gov>; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. 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I would add that the citation to 29 usc 669(a)(5) borders on sanctionable. Go take a look at the way they quote it on page 16 and then look at what the statute actually says.

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That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.)

On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46.

It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can

Body	operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. Drew --- **From:** Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021 6:24:57 AM **To:** Judd Stone; Murrill, Elizabeth; Ensign, Drew; Joshua Richardson **Cc:** Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; cori.mills@alaska.gov; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; Chad.Meredith@ky.gov; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov; St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; tseibel@nd.gov; May Mailman; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Emory Smith; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. Campbell; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Grant Dorfman; Benjamin Wilson; melissaholyoak@agutah.gov; rcantrell@agutah.gov; lindsay.s.see@wyago.gov; thomas.t.lampman@wyago.gov; James Kaste; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; LaCour, Edmund; nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov; Vincent Wagner; Christopher Baum; Stephen Petrany; Langholz, Sam; Boal, Michael [IGOV]; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; david.mcvey@state.sd.us; anthony.j.galdieri@doj.nh.gov; charles.brasington@alaska.gov; Brandon J. Smith; Clark Hildabrand; Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); Chanay, Jeff; Dunn, Barry (KYOAG); May Mailman; Laue, Brant; Kane, Brian; Jonathan Blanton; Lindsay S. See; Iaccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG); White, Kimi; Travis J. Royer; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG); Magera, Alexander Y (KYOAG); Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Keiser, Lindsey R (KYOAG); Nolan, Brett R (KYOAG); Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG); Michael R. Williams; Mithun Mansinghani **Subject:** OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing All, As you may have seen, OSHA finally got around to moving to dissolve the stay. The Sixth Circuit will presumably issue a briefing schedule. Provided the States would like to stick together, the Sixth Circuit coalition is happy to lead the charge. Indeed, the *en banc* brief can be pretty quickly repurposed into an opposition to this stay request. One important point: the Sixth Circuit told us that, going forward, it will need signatures from each States *or* the filing State to say that it has permission to file for everyone. If you have someone admitted here, we can add the signature. If not, weâ€™re happy to sign the admission form for whomever would like to move. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify me immediately by telephone. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message. To reply to our e-mail administrator directly, please send an e-mail to postmaster@ag.state.la.us.
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Just FYI, I am on all of the email lists for the vaccine cases. I have not responded to Mr. Flowersâ€™ email yet because I was waiting to see whether our 8th Circuit coalition was going to respond as a group, and because we have until Monday to respond. I had intended to let him know that I/we agreed with his approach.

Please let me know whether there is a problem with my responsiveness on these vaccine cases, and or whether you would like us to manage them differently.

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Iâ€™m not sure if you need further authorization on this, but North Dakota joins as well.
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All,

Here is a revised version, which incorporates some changes from other States. Thanks to Georgia, South Carolina, and Texas for joining already.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case *on the merits* by December 29.

The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons.

First , this lightning- speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which the Vaccine Mandate will go into full effect. *COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now.

Second , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.

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Here is an attached response. Itâ€™s very short, because there is not much to say. The sooner we can file the better. So please let me know if youâ€™d like to sign by **Monday, November 29, at Noon Eastern.** If I hear from everyone today, I can file today. For the convenience of those who are traveling, Iâ€™ve copied the fully text of the response into this email below.

Sincerely,

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Ben Flowers

P.S.: I reached out to counsel for the DOJ about the administrative record. I havenâ€™t heard back yet, hence the highlighting.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case *on the merits* by December 29.

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All,

Happy Thanksgiving. (And go Bucks!)

After sleeping on it, I think it would be appropriate to file a very short opposition to the absurd briefing schedule the DOJ proposed. In that response, we can say that we plan to pursue discovery and the proposed schedule doesnâ€™t allow for that.

I will draft something Friday and send it around. It would be best to file Monday morning, I think. Let me know if you have any concerns.

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Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

1. ***Enforcement of the Stay.*** Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. ***Administrative Record.*** It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
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Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

âCœAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

âCœIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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I am also admitted in the 6th.

The rule has little to no analysis on the testing requirement because I think it was largely an afterthought.

Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement *in theory*, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently).

It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule.

I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it.

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I would add that the citation to 29 usc 669(a)(5) borders on sanctionable. Go take a look at the way they quote it on page 16 and then look at what the statute actually says.

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That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.)

On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46.

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You are on the right track: I just didnâ€™t want to have this elapse while so many are out of the office.
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Just FYI, I am on all of the email lists for the vaccine cases. I have not responded to Mr. Flowersâ€™ email yet because I was waiting to see whether our 8th Circuit coalition was going to respond as a group, and because we have until Monday to respond. I had intended to let him know that I/we agreed with his approach.

Please let me know whether there is a problem with my responsiveness on these vaccine cases, and or whether you would like us to manage them differently.

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Iâ€™m not sure if you need further authorization on this, but North Dakota joins as well.
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All,

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Sincerely,

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All,

Happy Thanksgiving. (And go Bucks!)

After sleeping on it, I think it would be appropriate to file a very short opposition to the absurd briefing schedule the DOJ proposed. In that response, we can say that we plan to pursue discovery and the proposed schedule doesnâ€™t allow for that.

I will draft something Friday and send it around. It would be best to file Monday morning, I think. Let me know if you have any concerns.

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Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

1. ***Enforcement of the Stay.*** Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. ***Administrative Record.*** It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. ***Potential Discovery.*** It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

âCœAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

âCœIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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I am also admitted in the 6th.

The rule has little to no analysis on the testing requirement because I think it was largely an afterthought.

Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement *in theory*, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently).

It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule.

I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it.

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I would add that the citation to 29 usc 669(a)(5) borders on sanctionable. Go take a look at the way they quote it on page 16 and then look at what the statute actually says.

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That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.)

On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46.

Body	It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. Drew --- **From:** Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021 6:24:57 AM **To:** Judd Stone; Murrill, Elizabeth; Ensign, Drew; Joshua Richardson **Cc:** Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; cori.mills@alaska.gov; jessie.alloway@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov; jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; Chad.Meredith@ky.gov; Matt.Kuhn@ky.gov; St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; wstenehjem@nd.gov; masagsve@nd.gov; tseibel@nd.gov; May Mailman; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; zach.west@oag.ok.gov; Emory Smith; HKirkland@scag.gov; BCook@scag.gov; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov; steven.blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah K. Campbell; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Grant Dorfman; Benjamin Wilson; melissaholyoak@agutah.gov; rcantrell@agutah.gov; lindsay.s.see@wvago.gov; thomas.t.lampman@wvago.gov; James Kaste; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; LaCour, Edmund; nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov; Vincent Wagner; Christopher Baum; Stephen Petrany; Langholz, Sam; Boal, Michael [IGOV]; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; david.mcvey@state.sd.us; anthony.j.galdieri@doj.nh.gov; charles.brasington@alaska.gov; Brandon J. Smith; Clark Hildabrand; Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); Chanay, Jeff; Dunn, Barry (KYOAG); May Mailman; Laue, Brant; Kane, Brian; Jonathan Blanton; Lindsay S. See; Iaccarino, Carmine G (KYOAG); White, Kimi; Travis J. Royer; Sylvester, Jeremy J (KYOAG); Magera, Alexander Y (KYOAG); Maddox, Victor (KYOAG); Keiser, Lindsey R (KYOAG); Nolan, Brett R (KYOAG); Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG); Michael R. Williams; Mithun Mansinghani **Subject:** OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing All, As you may have seen, OSHA finally got around to moving to dissolve the stay. The Sixth Circuit will presumably issue a briefing schedule. Provided the States would like to stick together, the Sixth Circuit coalition is happy to lead the charge. Indeed, the *en banc* brief can be pretty quickly repurposed into an opposition to this stay request. One important point: the Sixth Circuit told us that, going forward, it will need signatures from each States *or* the filing State to say that it has permission to file for everyone. If you have someone admitted here, we can add the signature. If not, weâ€™re happy to sign the admission form for whomever would like to move. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify me immediately by telephone. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message. The information contained in this transmission may contain privileged and confidential information. It is intended only for the use of the person(s) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any review, dissemination, distribution or duplication of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message. To reply to our e-mail administrator directly, please send an e-mail to postmaster@ag.state.la.us.

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Body	No worries. Have a nice weekend! Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, November 26, 2021 11:17:54 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** I tried calling you back, but my call doesn't go through for whatever reason...

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Body	Are we going to be interested in this? Wayne **From:** Dalzell, Emily D. <edalzell@nd.gov> **On Behalf Of** Gallion, Joshua C. **Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021 2:20 PM **To:** Burgum, Doug <doug@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Goehring, Doug C. <goehring@nd.gov>; Godfread, Jon <jongodfread@nd.gov>; Christmann, Randel D. <rchristmann@nd.gov>; Fedorchak, Julie L. <jfedorchak@nd.gov>; Kroshus, Brian <bkroshus@nd.gov>; Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov>; Baesler, Kirsten K. <kbaesler@nd.gov>; McMerty, Sandra L. <samcmerty@nd.gov>; Beadle, Thomas R. <tbeadle@nd.gov> **Subject:** Food Collection Challenge Good afternoon, Our office would like to formally challenge your office in a **collection of food** for people in need. Can you help? Here's how it works: 1. Someone from your office would need to get an empty box and **print the attached sign** and place on the box. 2. **Collect as much non-perishable food** as you can and let us know the total count, and number of people at your agency. We'll divide the number of food you collect by the number of people in your agency and average for your total. (This makes it fair for smaller agencies to compete against larger agencies) 3. Food collection would run from **Tuesday the 30th of November, until Tuesday the 14th of December.** On Thursday the 16th, someone from your agency would need to **drop off the food donations to the Bismarck Emergency Food Pantry** (1012 S 12th St, Bismarck, ND 58504) between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. We will also be taking a **photo of all participating agencies** and sharing it on our social media on **Tuesday, November 30th at 9:30 a.m. in the Great Hall.** If you'd like to be in the photo, please come by the Great Hall at this time. We'd love to see you there! Does this seem like a lot? We promise it's not. Please let us know if you're participating, and we look forward to competing against you! **Joshua C. Gallion** State Auditor 600 E. Boulevard Ave Dept 117, Bismarck, ND 58505 **Phone:** 701.328.4780 **Website:** nd.gov/auditor
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Body	Thanks, Casey. I hope they will respond soon. Wayne **From:** Miller, Casey J. <cajmiller@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, November 29, 2021 9:14 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Cc:** Knudson, Sarah <slknudson@nd.gov> **Subject:** Concealed Weapons License Reciprocity with Minnesota Good Morning, I just wanted to give everyone a quick update on the ND law change from House Bill 1450, which amends §62.1-04-03 -1 (c)(3) to reduce to 3 years the time period for which an alcohol offense conviction is disqualifier for Class 1 CWL; effective until the North Dakota Attorney General certifies to Legislative Council that the change affects reciprocity with Minnesota. On November 24th, Minnesota contacted me for changes to the North Dakota concealed weapons laws from the 2021 legislative session. I responded with all of the guns law changes and will hopefully hear back in December when Minnesota conducts their required review of law changes from other states. As soon as I hear back I will let everyone know about their response. Thanks, Chief Agent Casey Miller Bureau of Criminal Investigation (701) 328-9827 Office §44-04-18.3 Cell cajmiller@nd.gov
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Since I know many of you are also litigating the CMS vaccine mandate, I wanted to pass along the preliminary injunction order we just got from the Eastern District of Missouri. Weâ€™re still digesting this, but it appears that the judge limited the injunctionâ€™s scope to all Medicare and Medicaid providers in the 10 plaintiff states. Even so, the decision is solid, so hopefully, you all can use it in your respective cases.

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Thanks, everyone. We now have heard back from: Alabama, Arizona, Georgia, Florida, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana North Dakota, South Carolina, Texas Utah, and West Virginia. Here is the current draft, which contains some small changes suggested by the various States.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case *on the merits* by December 29.

The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons.

First , this lightning- speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which

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the Vaccine Mandate would go into full effect. *COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 8 6 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now.

Second , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.

Third , the merits- briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States , would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners may need to pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. *See BST Holdings* , 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. *See, e.g.* , *Depâ€™t of Com. v. New York* , 139 S. Ct. 2551, 2574 (2019).

Fourth , the proposed schedule is impractical for another reason: it gives the petitioners almost no time to coordinate their filings with this Court. OSHA asks this Court â€œto direct the petitioners to organize themselves into groupsâ€ and to require each group â€œto file a single brief.â€ *See* Motion to Amend Schedule at 3. Alternatively, it says, the Court could â€œset a total word limit and allow petitioners to divide that total briefing among themselves.â€ *Id* . The petitioners have no objection to this method of proceeding. But it is not feasible for the many petitioners in this case to confer and come to an agreement in time to file opening merits briefs by the December 8 due date that OSHA has proposed.

Fifth , and perhaps most importantly, OSHA should not be able to demand expedition in order to resolve an emergency of its own making. OSHA waited almost a year after vaccines became available to the public before issuing an â€œemergencyâ€ standardâ€”the â€œVaccine Mandateâ€â€”requiring American workers to either vaccinate themselves or pay for expensive, weekly testing. *See COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61554 (Nov. 5, 2021). After the Fifth Circuit stayed enforcement of the Vaccine Mandate, *BST Holdings, L.L.C. v. OSHA* , â€˜F.4thâ€™, 2021 WL 5279381, at *1 (5th Cir. Nov. 12, 2021), OSHA waited a full eleven days before seeking relief from that stayâ€”though it could have asked this Court to vacate the stay earlier, could have sought an expedited schedule before this Court at the same time, or could have gone to the Supreme Court immediately. Yet OSHAâ€™s eventual motion to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay did not even suggest any briefing schedule. Then, after moving to dissolve the stay, OSHA waited until 4:00 PM on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving to move to expedite the resolution of its motion to vacate and to propose a schedule under which merits briefing must be completed in a matter of weeks.

OSHAâ€™s delay suggests that the agency does not really think expediency is needed to protect employeesâ€™ lives; if it really believed that, it would have issued the Vaccine Mandate months ago, and filed for relief in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. If time is now short before the arbitrary deadline of January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. No one stopped the agency from filing an earlier motion to vacate, either. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame.

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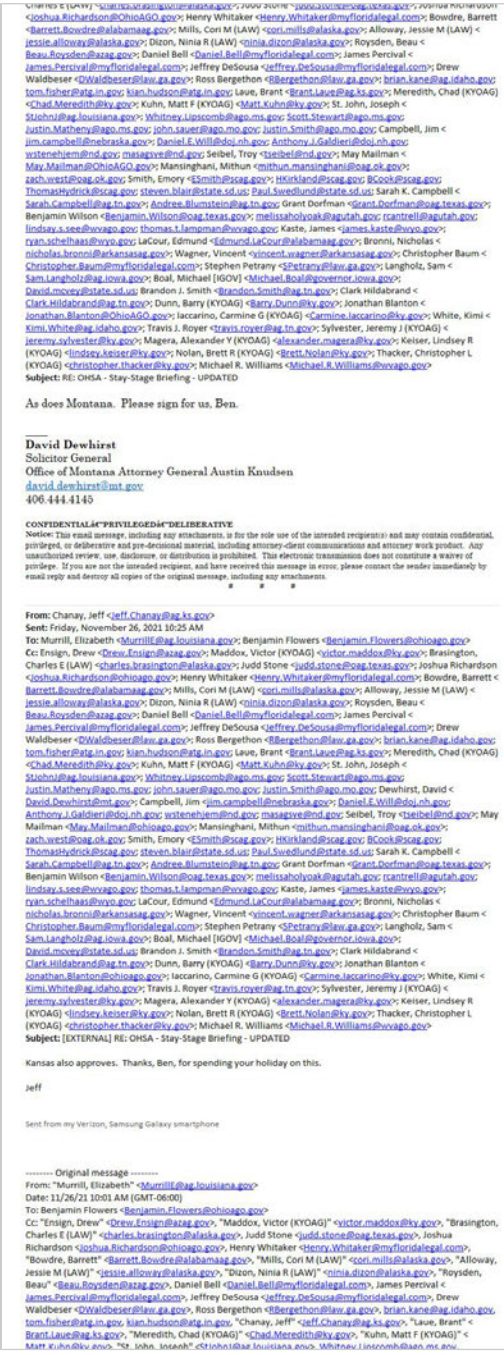

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Kansas also approves. Thanks, Ben, for spending your holiday on this.

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Louisiana joins too. Thanks for your work on this. Liz

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On Nov 26, 2021, at 9:31 AM, Benjamin Flowers <Benjamin.Flowers@ohioago.gov> wrote:

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All,

Here is a revised version, which incorporates some changes from other States. Thanks to Georgia, South Carolina, and Texas for joining already.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its "Motion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing." That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHA's request to dissolve the Fifth Circuit's stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case on the merits by December 29.
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Second, the proposed stay-schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHA's suggested stay-stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitioners' response period by five days, while expanding OSHA's reply period from three days to four. Compare Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.
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Fourth, and perhaps most importantly, OSHA should not be able to demand expedition in order to resolve an emergency of its own making. OSHA waited almost a year after vaccines became available to the public before issuing an â€œemergencyâ€ standardâ€”the â€œVaccine Mandateâ€â€”requiring American workers to either vaccinate themselves or pay for expensive, weekly testing. See COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard, 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61554 (Nov. 5, 2021). After the Fifth Circuit stayed enforcement of the Vaccine Mandate, BST Holdings, L.L.C. v. OSHA, â€“F.4th–â€“, 2021 WL 5279381, at *1 (5th Cir. Nov. 12, 2021), OSHA waited a full eleven days before seeking relief from that stayâ€”though it could have gone to the Supreme Court immediately. Its motion to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay did not suggest any briefing schedule. Then, after moving to dissolve the stay, OSHA waited until 4:00 PM on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving to move to expedite the resolution of its motion to vacate and to propose a schedule under which merits briefing must be completed in a matter of weeks. OSHAâ€™s delay shows that the agency does not really think the Vaccine Mandate is needed to save lives; if it really believed that, it would have file in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. But put that aside. If there is an urgent need to ensure the Vaccine Mandate is in force by January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame. 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Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

1. Enforcement of the Stay. Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. Administrative Record. It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. Potential Discovery. It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement in theory, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. 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Body	That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.) On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46. It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. 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Since I know many of you are also litigating the CMS vaccine mandate. I wanted to pass along the preliminary injunction order we just got from the Eastern District of Missouri. Weâ€™re still digesting this, but it appears that the judge limited the injunctionâ€™s scope to all Medicare and Medicaid providers in the 10 plaintiff states. Even so, the decision is solid, so hopefully, you all can use it in your respective cases.

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Thanks, everyone. We now have heard back from: Alabama, Arizona, Georgia, Florida, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana North Dakota, South Carolina, Texas Utah, and West Virginia. Here is the current draft, which contains some small changes suggested by the various States.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case *on the merits* by December 29.

The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons.

First , this lightning- speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which

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the Vaccine Mandate would go into full effect. *COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 8 6 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now.

Second , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.

Third , the merits- briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States , would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners may need to pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. *See BST Holdings* , 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. *See, e.g.* , *Depâ€™t of Com. v. New York* , 139 S. Ct. 2551, 2574 (2019).

Fourth , the proposed schedule is impractical for another reason: it gives the petitioners almost no time to coordinate their filings with this Court. OSHA asks this Court â€œto direct the petitioners to organize themselves into groupsâ€ and to require each group â€œto file a single brief.â€ *See* Motion to Amend Schedule at 3. Alternatively, it says, the Court could â€œset a total word limit and allow petitioners to divide that total briefing among themselves.â€ *Id* . The petitioners have no objection to this method of proceeding. But it is not feasible for the many petitioners in this case to confer and come to an agreement in time to file opening merits briefs by the December 8 due date that OSHA has proposed.

Fifth , and perhaps most importantly, OSHA should not be able to demand expedition in order to resolve an emergency of its own making. OSHA waited almost a year after vaccines became available to the public before issuing an â€œemergencyâ€ standardâ€”the â€œVaccine Mandateâ€â€”requiring American workers to either vaccinate themselves or pay for expensive, weekly testing. *See COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61554 (Nov. 5, 2021). After the Fifth Circuit stayed enforcement of the Vaccine Mandate, *BST Holdings, L.L.C. v. OSHA* , â€˜F.4thâ€™, 2021 WL 5279381, at *1 (5th Cir. Nov. 12, 2021), OSHA waited a full eleven days before seeking relief from that stayâ€”though it could have asked this Court to vacate the stay earlier, could have sought an expedited schedule before this Court at the same time, or could have gone to the Supreme Court immediately. Yet OSHAâ€™s eventual motion to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay did not even suggest any briefing schedule. Then, after moving to dissolve the stay, OSHA waited until 4:00 PM on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving to move to expedite the resolution of its motion to vacate and to propose a schedule under which merits briefing must be completed in a matter of weeks.

OSHAâ€™s delay suggests that the agency does not really think expediency is needed to protect employeesâ€™ lives; if it really believed that, it would have issued the Vaccine Mandate months ago, and filed for relief in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. If time is now short before the arbitrary deadline of January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. No one stopped the agency from filing an earlier motion to vacate, either. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame.

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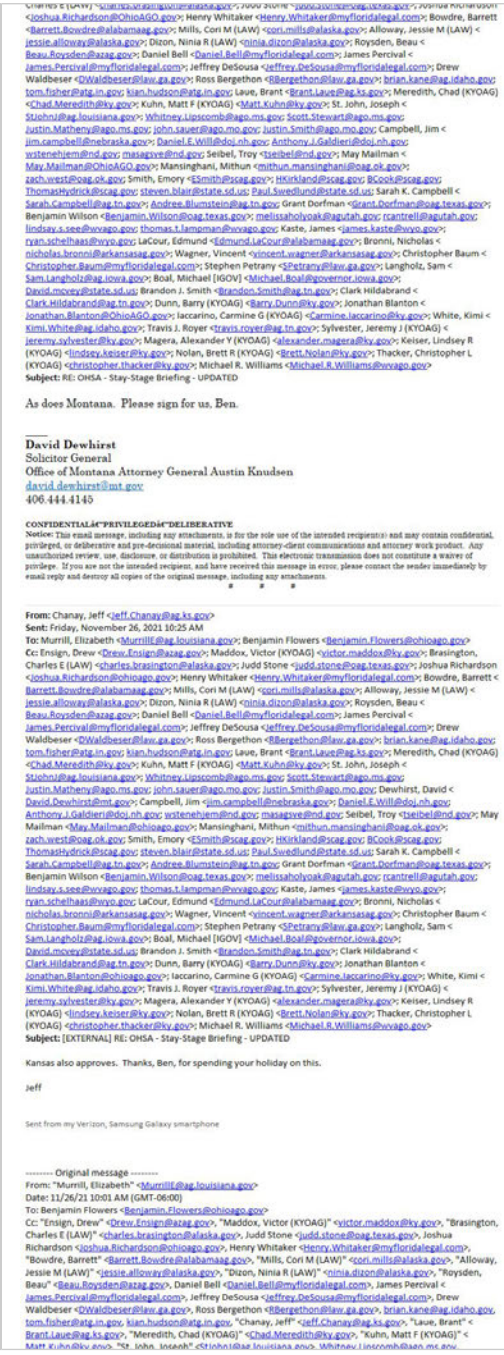

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All, Here is a revised version, which incorporates some changes from other States. Thanks to Georgia, South Carolina, and Texas for joining already. At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case on the merits by December 29. The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons. First, this lightning-speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. 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OSHAâ€™s delay shows that the agency does not really think expediency is needed to protect employeesâ€™ lives; if it really believed that, it would have issued the Vaccine Mandate months ago, and filed for relief in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. If time is now short before the arbitrary deadline of January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify me immediately by telephone. 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Then, after moving to dissolve the stay, OSHA waited until 4:00 PM on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving to move to expedite the resolution of its motion to vacate and to propose a schedule under which merits briefing must be completed in a matter of weeks. OSHAâ€™s delay shows that the agency does not really think the Vaccine Mandate is needed to save lives; if it really believed that, it would have file in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. But put that aside. If there is an urgent need to ensure the Vaccine Mandate is in force by January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame. 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Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

1. Enforcement of the Stay. Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. Administrative Record. It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. Potential Discovery. It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision. OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households. The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career. Charles E. 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Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement in theory, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. 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Body	That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.) On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46. It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. 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Since I know many of you are also litigating the CMS vaccine mandate, I wanted to pass along the preliminary injunction order we just got from the Eastern District of Missouri. Weâ€™re still digesting this, but it appears that the judge limited the injunctionâ€™s scope to all Medicare and Medicaid providers in the 10 plaintiff states. Even so, the decision is solid, so hopefully, you all can use it in your respective cases.

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Thanks, everyone. We now have heard back from: Alabama, Arizona, Georgia, Florida, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana North Dakota, South Carolina, Texas Utah, and West Virginia. Here is the current draft, which contains some small changes suggested by the various States.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to

Body	dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case *on the merits* by December 29. The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons. *First* , this lightning- speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which the Vaccine Mandate would go into full effect. *COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 8 6 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now. *Second* , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same. *Third* , the merits- briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States , would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners may need to pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. *See BST Holdings* , 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. *See, e.g.* , *Depâ€™t of Com. v. New York* , 139 S. Ct. 2551, 2574 (2019). *Fourth* , the proposed schedule is impractical for another reason: it gives the petitioners almost no time to coordinate their filings with this Court. OSHA asks this Court â€œto direct the petitioners to organize themselves into groupsâ€ and to require each group â€œto file a single brief.â€ *See* Motion to Amend Schedule at 3. Alternatively, it says, the Court could â€œset a total word limit and allow petitioners to divide that total briefing among themselves.â€ *Id* . The petitioners have no objection to this method of proceeding. But it is not feasible for the many petitioners in this case to confer and come to an agreement in time to file opening merits briefs by the December 8 due date that OSHA has proposed. *Fifth* , and perhaps most importantly, OSHA should not be able to demand expedition in order to resolve an emergency of its own making. OSHA waited almost a year after vaccines became available to the public before issuing an â€œemergencyâ€ standardâ€”the â€œVaccine Mandateâ€â€”requiring American workers to either vaccinate themselves or pay for expensive, weekly testing. *See COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61554 (Nov. 5, 2021). After the Fifth Circuit stayed enforcement of the Vaccine Mandate, *BST Holdings, L.L.C. v. OSHA* , â€“F.4thâ€“, 2021 WL 5279381, at *1 (5th Cir. Nov. 12, 2021), OSHA waited a full eleven days before seeking relief from that stayâ€“though it could have asked this Court to vacate the stay earlier, could have sought an expedited schedule before this Court at the same time, or could have gone to the Supreme Court immediately. Yet OSHAâ€™s eventual motion to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay did not even suggest any briefing schedule. Then, after moving to dissolve the stay, OSHA waited until 4:00 PM on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving to move to expedite the resolution of its motion to vacate and to propose a schedule under which merits briefing must be completed in a matter of weeks. OSHAâ€™s delay suggests that the agency does not really think expediency is needed to protect employeesâ€™ lives; if it really believed that, it would have issued the Vaccine Mandate months ago, and filed for relief in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. If time is now short before the arbitrary deadline of January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. No one stopped the agency from filing an earlier motion to vacate, either. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. 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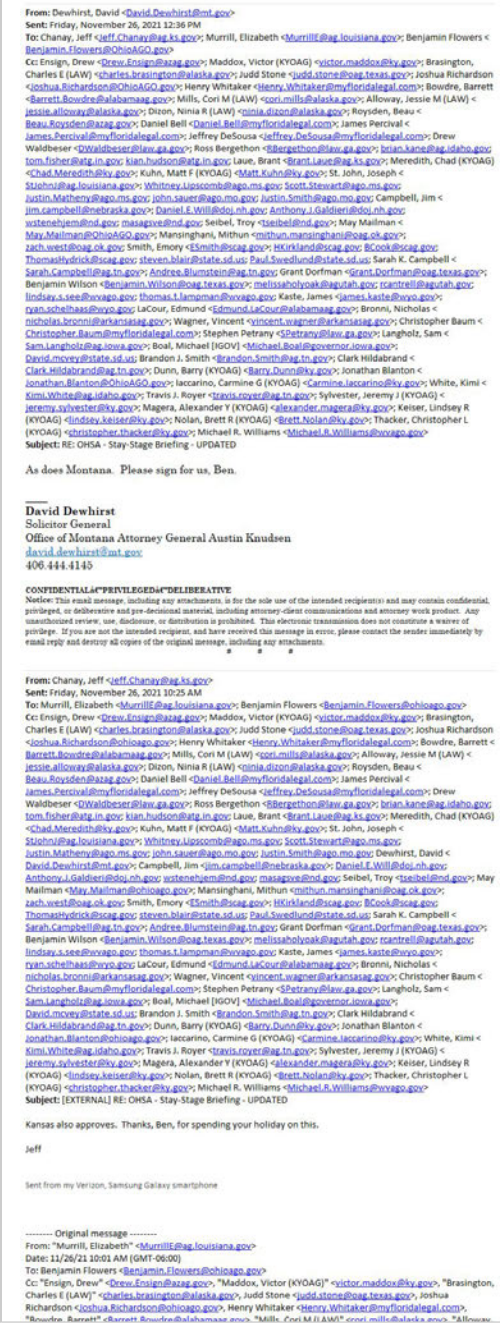

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Here is a revised version, which incorporates some changes from other States. Thanks to Georgia, South Carolina, and Texas for joining already.

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Second, the proposed stay-schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay-stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. Compare Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same.
Third, the merits-briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States, would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners will pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. See BST Holdings, 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. See, e.g., Depâ€™t of Com. v. New York, 139 S. Ct. 2551, 2574 (2019).
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Williams < Michael.R.Williams@uwyago.gov<mailto:Michael.R.Williams@uwyago.gov>> Subject: RE: OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing All, Happy Thanksgiving. (And go Bucks!) After sleeping on it, I think it would be appropriate to file a very short opposition to the absurd briefing schedule the DOJ proposed. In that response, we can say that we plan to pursue discovery and the proposed schedule doesnâ€™t allow for that. I will draft something Friday and send it around. It would be best to file Monday morning, I think. Let me know if you have any concerns. 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That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary. 2. Administrative Record. It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications. 3. Potential Discovery. It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful. Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further. Have a great Thanksgiving. 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And OSHA makes this explicit: â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532. Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing. â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529. Victor B. 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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement in theory, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isnâ€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. 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Body	Subject: Re: OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.) On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46. It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. 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Williams; Mithun Mansinghani Subject: OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing All, As you may have seen, OSHA finally got around to moving to dissolve the stay. The Sixth Circuit will presumably issue a briefing schedule. Provided the States would like to stick together, the Sixth Circuit coalition is happy to lead the charge. Indeed, the en banc brief can be pretty quickly repurposed into an opposition to this stay request. One important point: the Sixth Circuit told us that, going forward, it will need signatures from each States or the filing State to say that it has permission to file for everyone. If you have someone admitted here, we can add the signature. If not, weâ€™re happy to sign the admission form for whomever would like to move. 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Since I know many of you are also litigating the CMS vaccine mandate, I wanted to pass along the preliminary injunction order we just got from the Eastern District of Missouri. Weâ€™re still digesting this, but it appears that the judge limited the injunctionâ€™s scope to all Medicare and Medicaid providers in the 10 plaintiff states. Even so, the decision is solid, so hopefully, you all can use it in your respective cases.

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Thanks, everyone. We now have heard back from: Alabama, Arizona, Georgia, Florida, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana North Dakota, South Carolina, Texas Utah, and West Virginia. Here is the current draft, which contains some small changes suggested by the various States.

At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, and without any consultation with Petitioners, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to

Body	dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case *on the merits* by December 29. The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least five reasons. *First* , this lightning- speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which the Vaccine Mandate would go into full effect. *COVID- 19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard* , 8 6 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now. *Second* , the proposed stay- schedule is inequitable. The burdens of OSHAâ€™s suggested stay- stage briefing schedule would fall exclusively on the petitioners: the proposed schedule shortens the petitionersâ€™ response period by five days, while expanding OSHAâ€™s reply period from three days to four. *Compare* Mt. to Amend Briefing Schedule, Doc. 131 at 2â€“3 with Scheduling Order, Doc. 141. If OSHA is going to demand that everyone else move faster, it should at least be willing to do the same. *Third* , the merits- briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States , would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners may need to pursue discovery. 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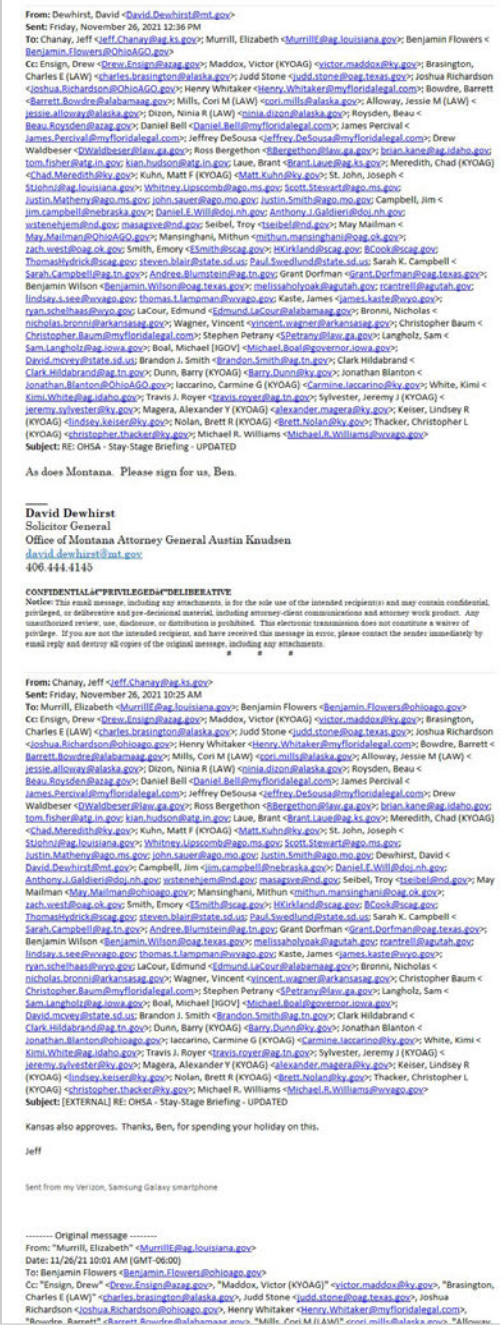

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For the convenience of those who are traveling, Iâ€™ve copied the fully text of the response into this email below. Sincerely, Ben Flowers P.S.: I reached out to counsel for the DOI about the administrative record. I havenâ€™t heard back yet, hence the highlighting. At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing.â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case on the merits by December 29. The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least four reasons. First, this lightning-speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which the Vaccine Mandate will go into full effect. COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard, 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now. Second, the merits-briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States, would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners will pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. See BST Holdings, 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. See, e.g., Dep't of Com. v. New York, 139 S. Ct. 2551, 2574 (2019). Third, the proposed schedule is impractical for another reason: it gives the petitioners almost no time to coordinate their filings with this Court. OSHA asks this Court â€œto direct the petitioners to organize themselves into groupsâ€ and to require each group â€œto file a single brief.â€ See Motion to Amend Schedule at 3. Alternatively, it says, the Court could â€œset a total word limit and allow petitioners to divide that total briefing among themselves.â€ Id. The petitioners have no objection to this method of proceeding. But it is not feasible for the many petitioners in this case to confer and come to an agreement in time to file opening merits briefs by the December 8 due date that OSHA has proposed. Fourth, and perhaps most importantly, OSHA should not be able to demand expedition in order to resolve an emergency of its own making. OSHA waited almost a year after vaccines became available to the public before issuing an â€œemergencyâ€ standardâ€”the â€œVaccine Mandateâ€â€”requiring American workers to either vaccinate themselves or pay for expensive, weekly testing. See COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard, 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61554 (Nov. 5, 2021). After the Fifth Circuit stayed enforcement of the Vaccine Mandate, BST Holdings, L.L.C. v. OSHA, â€“F.4th â€“, 2021 WL 5279381, at *1 (5th Cir. Nov. 12, 2021), OSHA waited a full eleven days before seeking relief from that stayâ€”though it could have gone to the Supreme Court immediately. Its motion to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay did not suggest any briefing schedule. Then, after moving to dissolve the stay, OSHA waited until 4:00 PM on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving to move to expedite the resolution of its motion to vacate and to propose a schedule under which merits briefing must be completed in a matter of weeks. OSHAâ€™s delay shows that the agency does not really think the Vaccine Mandate is needed to save lives; if it really believed that, it would have file in the Supreme Court within hours of the Fifth Circuitâ€™s decision. But put that aside. If there is an urgent need to ensure the Vaccine Mandate is in force by January 4, it is only because of OSHAâ€™s sloth. No one stopped OSHA from issuing the Vaccine Mandate sooner, allowing more time for judicial review. And no one stopped the Solicitor General from seeking immediate relief at the Supreme Court on OSHAâ€™s behalf. If matters are now progressing more slowly than OSHA would like, it has only itself to blame. Ben Flowers Ohio Solicitor General Office of Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost Office number: (614) 728-7511 Cell phone: (614) 736-4938 benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov<mailto:benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov> Confidentiality Notice: This message is intended for use only by the individual or entity to whom or which it is addressed and may contain sensitive data and information that is privileged, confidential and/or otherwise exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify me immediately by telephone. 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That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary. 2. Administrative Record. It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications. 3. Potential Discovery. It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful. Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further. Have a great Thanksgiving, Drew _____ From: Maddox, Victor (KYOAG) <victor.maddox@ky.gov<mailto:victor.maddox@ky.gov>> Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2021 11:36 AM To: Brasington, Charles E (LAW); Murrill, Elizabeth; Benjamin Flowers; Ensign, Drew; Judd Stone; Joshua Richardson Cc: Henry Whitaker; Bowdre, Barrett; Mills, Cori M (LAW); Alloway, Jessie M (LAW); Dizon, Ninia R (LAW); Roysden, Beau; Daniel Bell; James Percival; Jeffrey DeSousa; Drew Waldbeser; Ross Bergethon; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov<mailto:brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov>; tom.fisher@atg.in.gov<mailto:tom.fisher@atg.in.gov>; kian.hudson@atg.in.gov<mailto:kian.hudson@atg.in.gov>; Jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov<mailto:Jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov>; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov<mailto:Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov>; Meredith, Chad (KYOAG); Kuhn, Matt F (KYOAG); St. John, Joseph; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov>; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov>; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov<mailto:Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov>; john.sauer@ago.mo.gov<mailto:john.sauer@ago.mo.gov >; Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov<mailto:Justin.Smith@ago.mo.gov>; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov<mailto:David.Dewhirst@mt.gov>; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov<mailto:Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov>; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov>; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov<mailto:Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov>; wstenehjem@nd.gov<mailto:wstenehjem@nd.gov>; masagsve@nd.gov<mailto:masagsve@nd.gov>; tseibel@nd.gov<mailto:tseibel@nd.gov>; May Mailman; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov>; zach.west@oag.ok.gov<mailto:zach.west@oag.ok.gov>; Emory Smith; HKirkland@scag.gov<mailto:HKirkland@scag.gov>; BCook@scag.gov<mailto:BCook@scag.gov>; ThomasHydrick@scag.gov<mailto:ThomasHydrick@scag.gov>; steven.blair@state.sd.us<mailto:steven.blair@state.sd.us>; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us<mailto:Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us >; Sarah K. 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And OSHA makes this explicit: â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532. Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing. â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529. Victor B. 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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement in theory, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isn't requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. 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Body	Subject: Re: OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.) On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46. It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. 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Since I know many of you are also litigating the CMS vaccine mandate, I wanted to pass along the preliminary injunction order we just got from the Eastern District of Missouri. Weâ€™re still digesting this, but it appears that the judge limited the injunctionâ€™s scope to all Medicare and Medicaid providers in the 10 plaintiff states. Even so, the decision is solid, so hopefully, you all can use it in your respective cases.

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At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case on the merits by December 29. The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least four reasons. First, this lightning-speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which the Vaccine Mandate will go into full effect. COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard, 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now. Second, the merits-briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States, would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners will pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. See BST Holdings, 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. See, e.g., Dep't of Com. v. New York, 139 S. 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COMMON INTEREST PRIVILEGE

Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

1. Enforcement of the Stay. Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at S1) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. Administrative Record. It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. Potential Discovery. It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement in theory, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isn&â€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. 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Body	mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov> Subject: Re: OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.) On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46. It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. 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At 4:05 PM on the day before Thanksgiving, OSHA filed its â€œMotion to Amend Schedule for Stay Briefing and to Set Schedule for Merits Briefing â€ That motion proposes a schedule that would require the parties to fully brief, by December 6, OSHAâ€™s request to dissolve the Fifth Circuitâ€™s stay. Further, the schedule would require the parties to fully brief the case on the merits by December 29. The Court should reject OSHAâ€™s motion in full, for at least four reasons. First, this lightning-speed approach to these issues is unnecessary. The current schedule allows this Court to either vacate the stay, or not, by mid-December. That will leave the parties with ample time to ask the Supreme Court to either reinstate or vacate the stay before January 4, which is the date on which the Vaccine Mandate will go into full effect. COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing; Emergency Temporary Standard, 86 Fed. Reg. 61402, 61551 (Nov. 5, 2021). If OSHA is not content to wait a few weeks for a ruling on its motion to dissolve the stay, it can go to the Supreme Court now. Second, the merits-briefing schedule that OSHA proposes will not allow for full development of the issues before this Court. In this challenge to OSHAâ€™s administrative action, the petitioners are entitled to a complete administrative record. OSHA has yet to provide that record and, in conversations with counsel for the States, would not commit to providing it by any date. Depending on what the administrative record says, the petitioners will pursue discovery. Here, public statements from federal officials suggest that OSHAâ€™s stated reasons for promulgating the Vaccine Mandate are pretextual. See BST Holdings, 2021 WL 5279381 at *5. If the administrative record does not adequately account for the petitionersâ€™ concerns regarding pretext, the petitioners will pursue, and will likely be entitled to, discovery. See, e.g., Dep't of Com. v. New York, 139 S. 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COMMON INTEREST PRIVILEGE

Hi all,

Now that we have a briefing schedule for the stay motions, I wanted to flag a few issues for potential discussion/action among our multi-state group.

1. Enforcement of the Stay. Given the briefing schedule, it is likely a safe assumption that the Fifth Circuit's stay will remain in force through at least December 10 when briefing wraps up. That period now includes the initial compliance date for businesses. The Fifth Circuit also ordered that OSHA "take no steps to implement or enforce the Mandate," and the Administration is unlikely to obtain the clarification they seek (at 51) of that before December 10. Given all of this, there is probably going to be a strong temptation for the Administration to stick a few toes over the line (or even entire limbs). It probably makes sense for us to be vigilant about what OSHA and the White House are doing, with an eye towards seeking enforcement of the stay if necessary.
2. Administrative Record. It may be useful to seek production of the administrative record on a highly expedited basis, so that we could cite to it in our December 7 opposition briefs (or in supplemental briefing by December 10). DOJ will likely howl, but I suspect there may be a lot of good material in there for showing arbitrary and capricious decision-making, and they are the ones crying "emergency." The timetable here virtually ensures sloppiness in the administrative record, particularly as OSHA would have been focused on scrubbing the formal rule. Even if we don't get the record in time for the stay briefing in the Sixth Circuit, it may be very useful for subsequent merits briefing and/or Supreme Court applications.
3. Potential Discovery. It may also make sense to seek discovery here, principally depositions. Discovery of course used to be disfavored in APA cases, pre-Census case, and putatively still is somewhat disfavored. It may also be harder to get such discovery from a circuit court. But this case does have some uniquely strong evidence of pretext and naked political calculations that bely the official reasoning, and the deponents could easily crumble in a manner that would be very helpful.

Food for thought. Please let us know if it would be helpful to discuss by phone or email further.

Have a great Thanksgiving,
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Charles, you are right about OSHAâ€™s intent to coerce people into taking the vaccine rather than submit to testing. And OSHA makes this explicit:

â€œAs mentioned above, requiring employers to pay for workplace protections makes it more likely that employees will take advantage of that protection, and in this ETS, OSHA intends to strongly encourage employees to choose vaccination, not regular COVID-19 testing. Because employees who choose to remain unvaccinated will generally be required to pay for their own COVID-19 testing, this standard creates a financial incentive for those employees to become fully vaccinated and avoid that cost.â€ See ETS at 61532.

Incidentally, OSHA also notes grudgingly that even the CDC recommends that asymptomatic people should be exempt from testing.

â€œIn contrast, the CDC recommends that fully vaccinated employees with no symptoms and no known exposure should be exempt from routine testing programs (CDC, May 4, 2021).â€ See ETS at 61529.

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To my mind, the cost of testing is one of the most insidious aspects of the ETS. Unlike every similar standard I can think of, the ETS allows employers to put the cost of testing on employees. I do not think this was an afterthought or an oversight. If it was an afterthought or oversight, then OSHA would most likely default to the standard provision placing cost on the employer. The testing alternative appears at first blush to be an escape valve, and I think OSHA does not want to disturb that first impression by drawing attention to the testing provision.

OSHA has good reason for wanting to avoid highlighting the testing alternative. Instead of an escape valve that offers a less restrictive alternative, the testing provision seems intentionally onerous and designed to coerce workers into â€œvoluntarilyâ€ vaccinating. While some states, like Louisiana, have statutes that prohibit employers from putting the cost of compliance on employees, this is not the case across the board. While the potential cost burden on employers would be substantial, most employees will simply not be able to afford the cost of testing over an extended period. Employees will cave and vaccinate rather than assume the cost of testing right before the Holidays, where money is already extremely tight for most households.

The testing â€œalternativeâ€ is the best example of a wolf in sheepâ€™s clothing that I have encountered in my career.

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Assuming for the sake of argument that testing is a reasonable requirement in theory, in practice the volume of tests would be virtually impossible to conduct even if you could find the tests (which is impossible presently). It also would be very costly. Louisiana has a labor law that prohibits employers from imposing the costs of medical testing on an employee. (This does not directly conflict with the rule, as the rule only says OSHA isn&â€™t requiring that employers bear the cost.) Not sure other states have this rule. I have a memo on the 4th amendment implications of testing if you want it. 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Body	mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov<mailto:mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov> Subject: Re: OHSA - Stay-Stage Briefing That approach works for Arizona. Multiple state briefs will probably annoy the court and diminish the impact of the individual ones. (I am admitted in the Sixth, and can sign for Arizona.) On the merits, I am surprised that OSHA made the argument (at 46-48) for narrowing the stay if it is not vacated by leaving the mask-and-test requirement in place while staying the vaccination part. OSHA expressly calls that a "reasonably effective alternative." Mot.46. It is difficult to understand how that is not a concession that the mask-and-test requirement can operate sufficiently without the vaccination component, and thus the latter is not actually "necessary" to prevent a "grave danger." OSHA's backup request essentially concedes the lack of necessity. Put simply, if an aspect of the rule is severable and the remainder still suffices (in DOJ's view) under the ETS standard, that aspect was never actually "necessary" to begin with. 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Record 1451

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
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Record 1452

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Recipients	ddnelson@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Article on importance of standards/codes
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Body	Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Morrissette, Joe <jmorrissette@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021 11:26:11 AM **To:** McMerty, Sandra L. <samcmerty@nd.gov>; Tolliver, Denver <denver.tolliver@ndsu.edu>; Lardy, Greg <gregory.lardy@ndsu.edu>; Jirik, Mark <mark.jirik@ndsu.edu>; Otteson, Brian <brian.otteson@ndsu.edu>; Baesler, Kirsten K. <kbaesler@nd.gov>; Beadle, Thomas R. <tbeadle@nd.gov>; Bjornson, John D. <jbjornson@nd.gov>; Brostrom, Darren W. <dbrostro@nd.gov>; Burgum, Doug <doug@nd.gov>; Christmann, Randel D. <rchristmann@nd.gov>; Davis, Nathan <nathan.davis@nd.gov>; Dawson, Timothy J. <tjdawson@nd.gov>; Dohrmann, Alan S. <adohrmann@nd.gov>; Fedorchak, Julie L. <jfedorchak@nd.gov>; Finck, Travis <tfinck@nd.gov>; Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov>; Flohr, David A. <dflohr@nd.gov>; Gallion, Joshua C. <jcgallion@nd.gov>; Gardner, Ryan J. <rjgardner@nd.gov>; Glatt, Dave D. <dglatt@nd.gov>; Godfread, Jon <jongodfread@nd.gov>; Goehring, Doug C. <goehring@nd.gov>; Hagerott, Mark <mark.hagerott@ndus.edu>; Halvorson, John L. <jhalvorson@nd.gov>; Helms, Lynn D. <lhelms@nd.gov>; Henke, Ron J. <rhenke@nd.gov>; Hoffman, Greg A. <gahoffman@nd.gov>; Holewa, Sally <sholewa@ndcourts.gov>; Hovendick, Connie L. <connie.hovendick@k12.nd.us>; Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov>; Johnson, Mark B. <mjohn@nd.gov>; Jones, Chris D. <cdjones@nd.gov>; Kahl, Steven M. <smkahl@nd.gov>; Klipfel, Bryan R. <bklipfel@nd.gov>; Konikow, Kim <kkonikow@nd.gov>; Korslien, Renae <renae@ndstatefair.com>; Krabbenhoft, David L. <dkrabben@nd.gov>; Kroshus, Brian <bkroshus@nd.gov>; Kruse, I. 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Record 1458

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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	11/30/2021 11:44:15.000 AM
Body	Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Helm, Kerrie L. <khelm@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021 11:06:26 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Bedding Fair IS Going On Right Now through Tomorrow *Kerrie* **From:** -Info-Management & Budget <omb@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021 11:05 AM **To:** -Info-All Agencies <info@nd.gov> **Cc:** Kjos, Sara J. <skjos@nd.gov>; Dillman, Mary J. <mjdillman@nd.gov>; caitlin.magilke <caitlin.magilke@bismarckstate.edu>; Harrison, Larissa D. <lharrison@nd.gov>; Helm, Kerrie L. <khelm@nd.gov>; Huber, Lynne M. <lhuber@nd.gov>; Kriege, Rachel F. <rkriege@nd.gov>; Eisenbeis, LaDawn R. <lreisenbeis@nd.gov>; Kopp, Missy <mikopp@nd.gov>; Miller, Miranda D. <midmiller@nd.gov>; Rosenkranz, Rebecca J. <rrosenkr@nd.gov>; Bosch, Robin L. <robosch@nd.gov>; Schneider, Betty L. <schneider@nd.gov>; Glasser, Laura E. <leglasser@nd.gov>; Schwab, Jill L. <jilschwab@nd.gov>; Senger, Denise M. <dsenger@nd.gov>; Fetterman, Kelsey M. <kfetterman@nd.gov>; Hopkins, Danelle <dhopkins@nd.gov>; Pringle, Erin <epringle@nd.gov>; Duchscherer, Alice <aduchscherer@nd.gov>; Gisinger, Jennifer A. <jagisinger@nd.gov>; Scherr, Tanya L. <tanyalscherr@nd.gov>; Schauer, Desray <dlschauer@nd.gov>; LaBree, Heidi M. <hmlabree@nd.gov>; Hogue, Trudi L. <tlhogue@nd.gov> **Subject:** Bedding Fair IS Going On Right Now through Tomorrow Please share with all your employees Renee Nelson Bismarck – Mandan Council of State Employees
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Body	Thanks, Karen. Please greet Clara Sue, also. Best Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Krebsbach, Karen K. <kkrebsbach@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021 2:10:07 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fwd: Reply Now..... Clara Sue requested forwarding to your office. Karen **From:** cprice@srt.com <cprice@srt.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021 1:33 PM **To:** Krebsbach, Karen K. **Subject:** Fw: RE: Reply Now..... ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Karen, Maybe you should forward this to Wayne. Latest scam Clara Sue On Sat, 27 Nov, 2021 at 8:22 PM, Jerome H. Powell <kokolettricia@gmail.com> wrote: To: Attention Your Palliative Payment, The Federal Reserve Bank write to notify you that after series of meetings with the United Nations and World-Bank including the World Health Organization we the Federal Reserve Bank have been appointed to pay you and your family Covid-19 Palliative Funds of $550,000 which we will open an account on your name with our Bank to allow you access your Funds worth $550,000 Thousand United State Dollars and to enable you transfer to any account of your choice or any Bank. Before we will proceed with this payment kindly forward your full details as below. Full Name: House Address: Zip Code: Your Direct Phone Number: Your Occupation: Date Of Birth: Any kind of ID: International Passport Or ID Card: Jerome H. Powell Remittance Department .

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Recipients	jmacpherson@ap.org
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Wayne

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Sent: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 11:13:15 AM
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Subject: FW: Case 1:19-cv-00150-North Dakota, State of v. United States of America Motion for Leave to File

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Paul M. Seby
Tel 303.572.6584

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Sent: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 10:08 AM
To: Bobet, Jane (USACO) <Jane.Bobet@usdoj.gov>; Kellogg, Ian (USACO) <Ian.Kellogg@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Case 1:19-cv-00150-North Dakota, State of v. United States of America Motion for Leave to File

Jane and Ian -

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Thank you

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From: ndd_nef@ndd.uscourts.gov <ndd_nef@ndd.uscourts.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2021 1:51 PM
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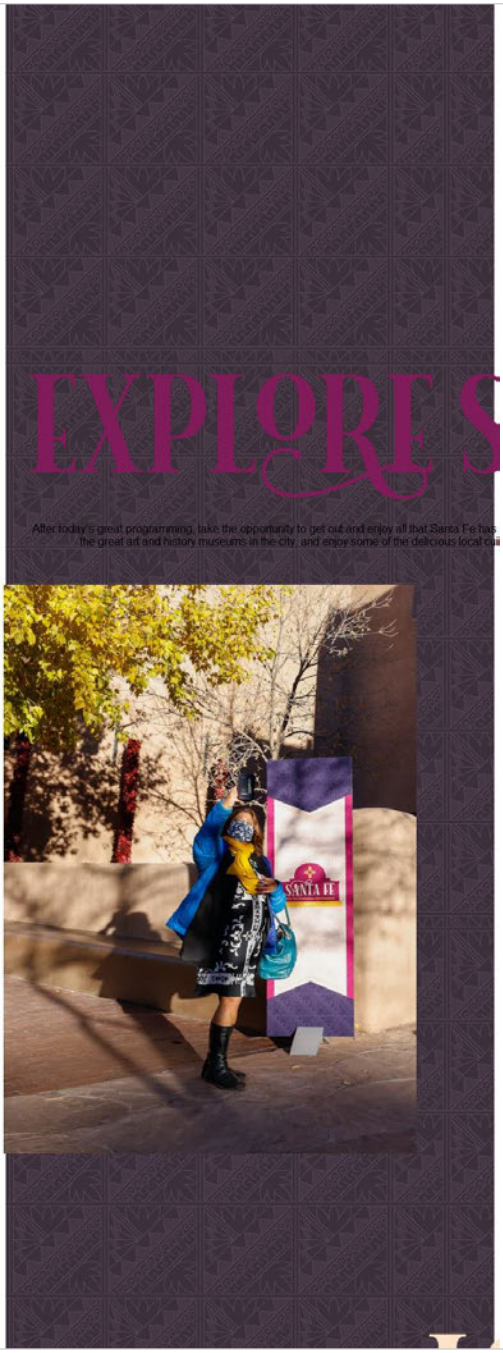
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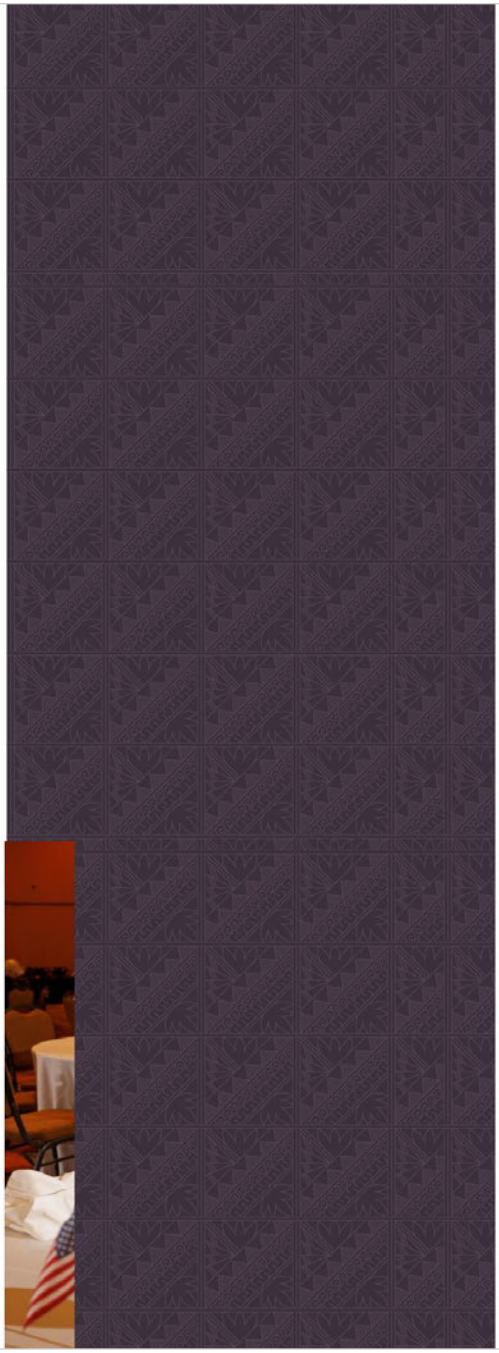
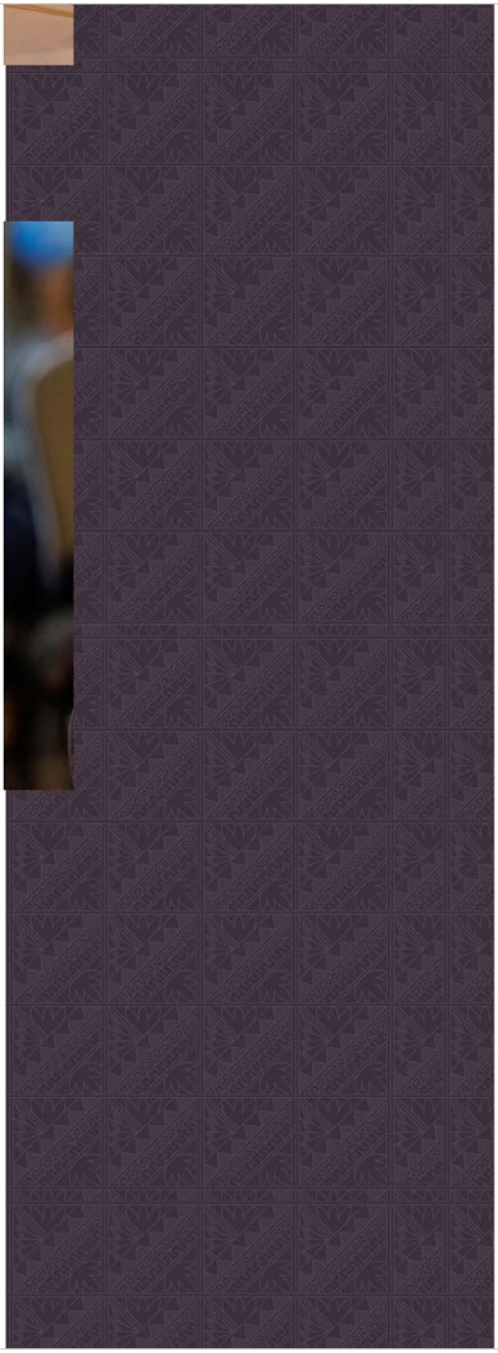
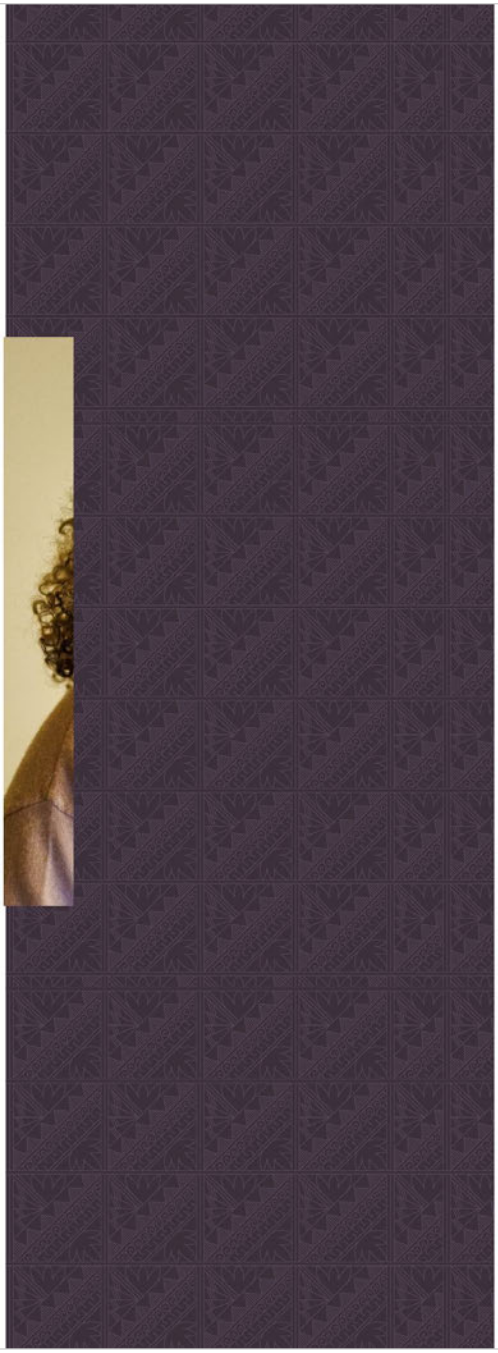
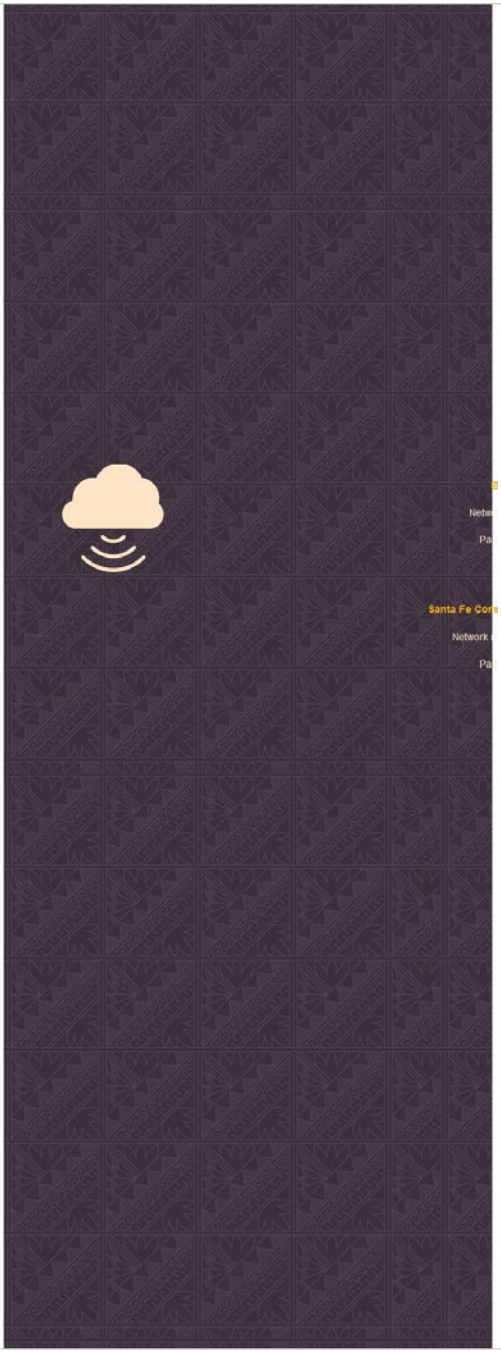
Body	

Body	

Body	

Body	

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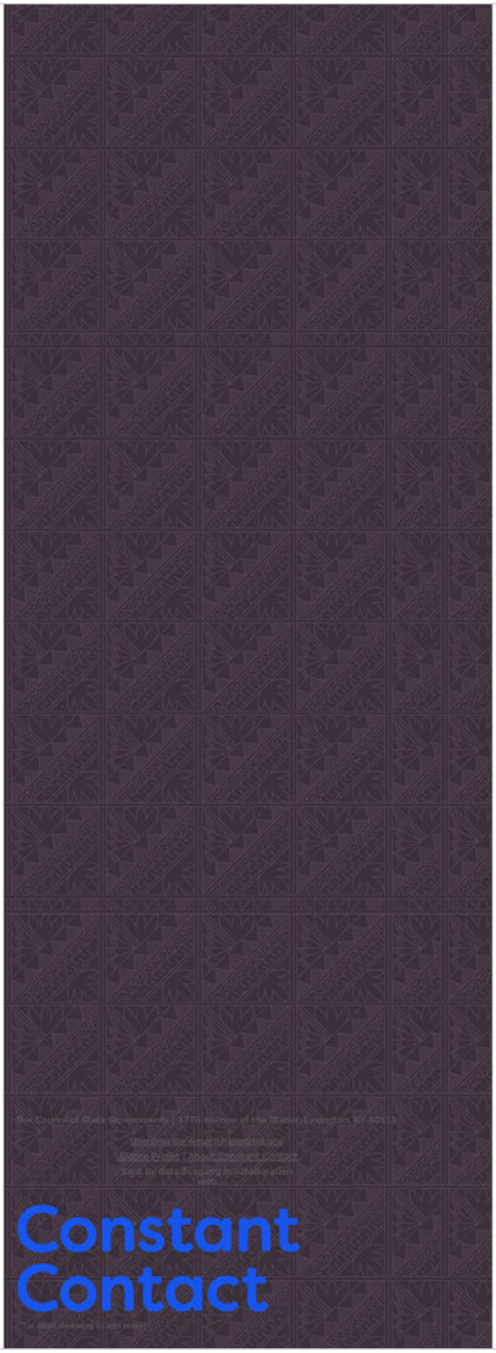
Body	

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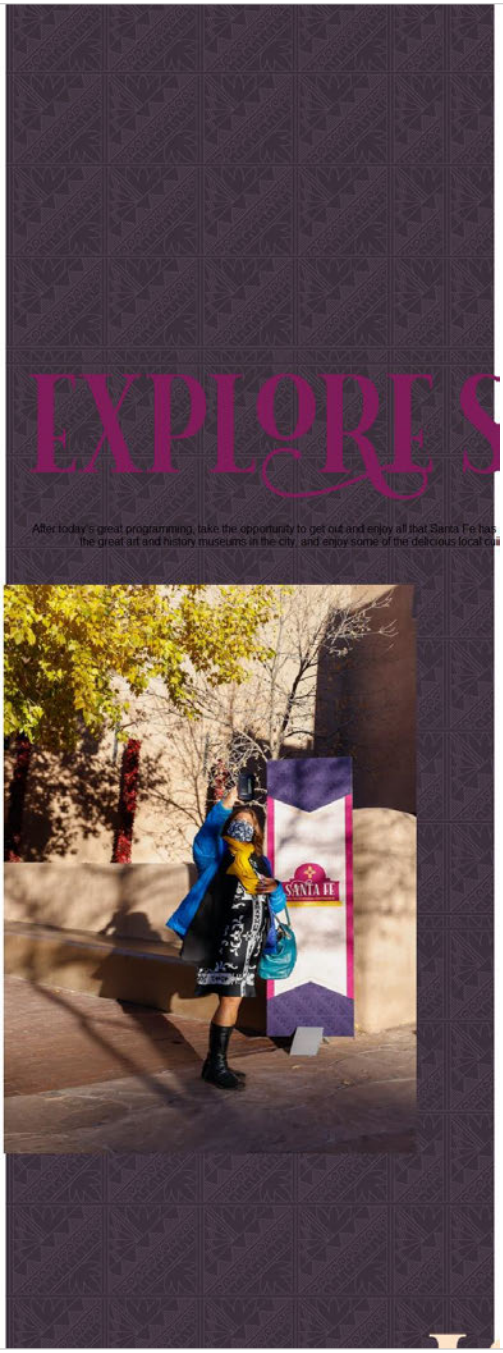
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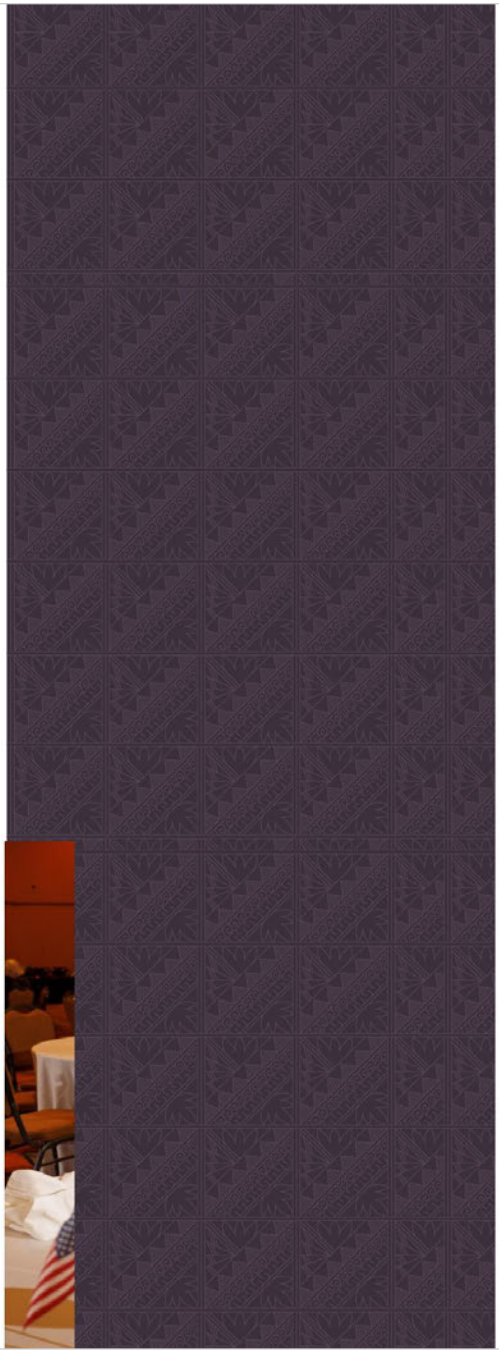
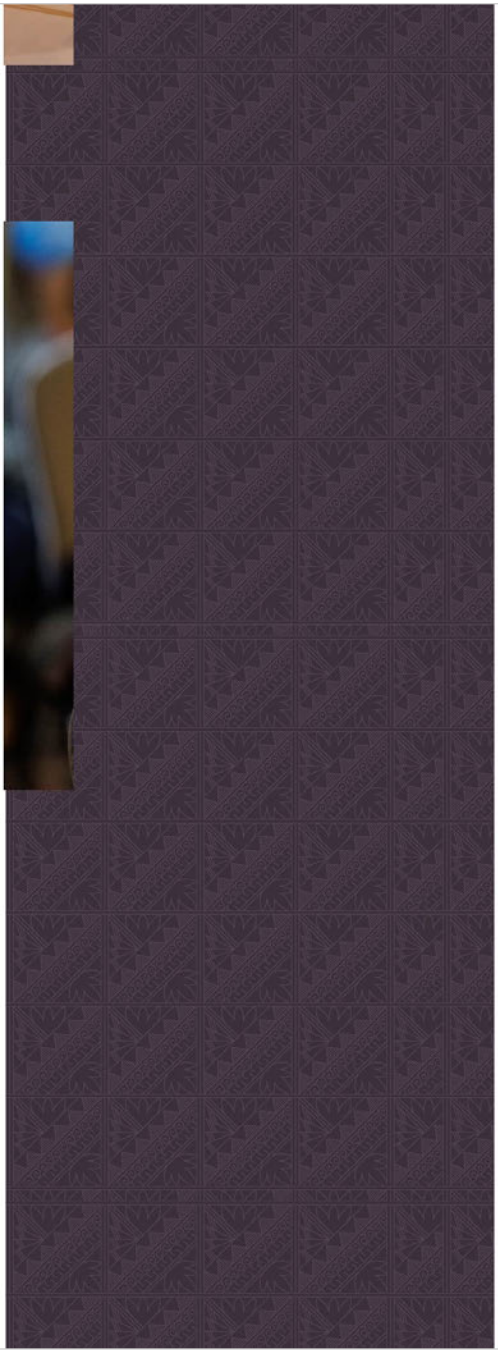
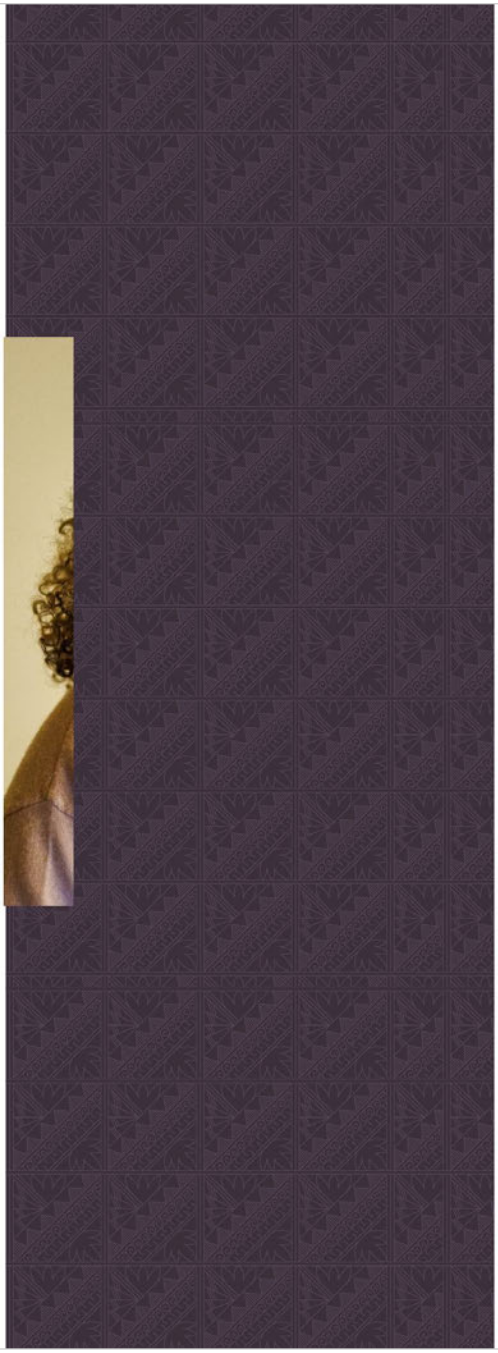
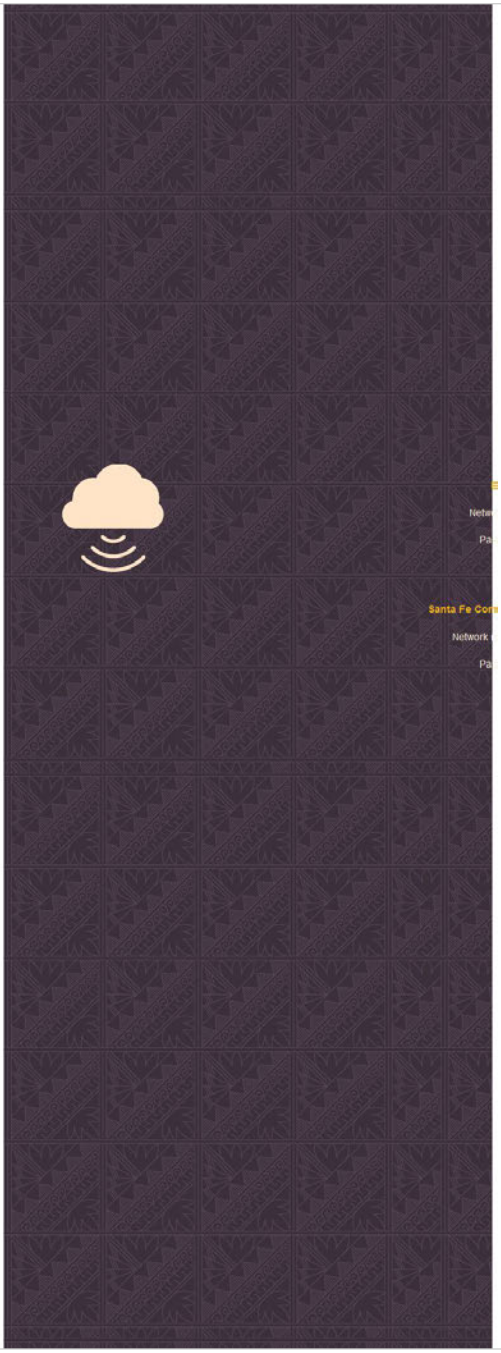
Body	

Body	

Body	

Body	

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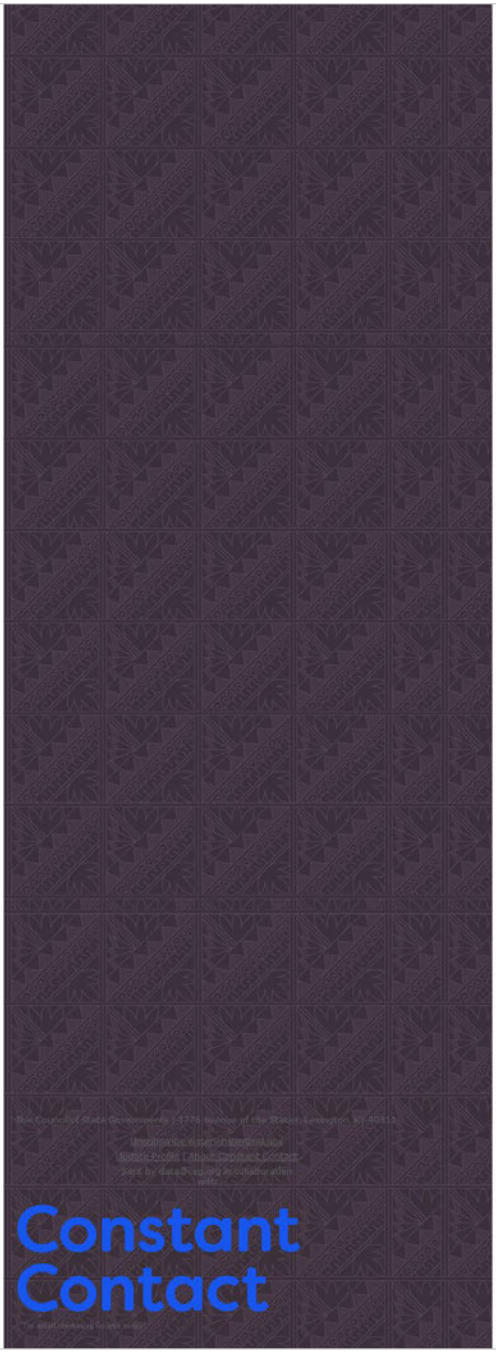
Body	

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Cc: 'Matthew McCarley' <mccarley@fnlawfirm.com>; mdaniel@lawyerworks.com <mdaniel@lawyerworks.com>; 'Matthew Vinson' <MVinson@lawyerworks.com>
Subject: RE: UND School of Medicine and Health Sciences proposal

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Good morning Jon et al,

To clarify our request, our group would like to be put on the agenda for one of our attorneys to do a presentation at the next meeting of the Advisory Council. We are hoping that will be relatively soon as there are deadlines looming for decisions relating to the opioid settlement policies.

The purpose of the presentation would be to provide the most current information on the litigation settlements and to present for discussion and consideration the possibility of UND SMHS taking on a role similar to what has been adopted in Mississippi, wherein the University of Mississippi Medical Center will receive settlement funds and implement opioid abatement and treatment programs throughout the state.

Also, to further clarify, if the UND SMHS would be agreeable to a similar role as has been adopted in Mississippi, the SMHS would not be "taking a position" or be a "part of any litigation."

The attached MOU edited and tailored for North Dakota details in Section B, subsection 1(c) the funds that would be allocated to the SMHS and the role that it would play in the abatement and treatment efforts. This plan would be aimed at helping cities and counties in North Dakota establish an effort to help them deal with ongoing opioid abuse and addiction.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me if you have any additional questions or would like further clarification.

Regards,

Curtis Olafson
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Subject: Re: UND School of Medicine and Health Sciences proposal

Curt: thank you for reaching out to the NDSMHS Advisory Committee with your request to be added to the agenda of a subsequent Advisory Committee meeting. Although it would be interesting to hear the reasoning and progress your group has experienced, I am a little confused as to our role in taking a position or being part of any litigation in this regard.
Is this strictly informational or do you have other expectations of the Advisory Committee? I believe that question needs to be clarified prior to any further conversation.
Thanks Curt and I hope to hear back from you soon.

Jon

From: Curtis Olafson <colafson@polarcomm.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 30, 2021 3:02:28 PM
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Senator Mathern,

Thank you for your response and for your outreach to Dean Wynne. I look forward to further discussions with you and your colleagues.

After having had the privilege of serving with you in the Senate for 6 years, it comes as no surprise to me that you are interested in this proposal. You always have the best interests of the people in your heart, especially people who need help.

Curtis Olafson

From: Mathern, Tim <tmathern@nd.gov>
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Thank you for the note. Yes the opioid crisis has been in North Dakota too!

I am bringing this to the attention of Dean Wynne by way of this response.

Senator Tim Mathern

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Dear friends,

I am writing today regarding your position of service on the University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences Advisory Council.

You may be aware that I spent the better part of two years working with a consortium of three large national law firms assisting them with opioid litigation outreach here in North Dakota. My role in the process was to arrange

Body	presentations before county commissions, city commissions and councils, the North Dakota Association of Counties, the North Dakota League of Cities and Attorney General Wayne Stenejhem. We were very successful in our effort to demonstrate to North Dakota counties and cities the wisdom in pursuing their own cases. The law firms represent North Dakota clients on a contingency basis at a recovery percentage that is quite modest. Twenty-six North Dakota counties and three cities signed on as litigants with our group. The consortium I represented included the following firms: Fears Nachawati, Ferrer Poirot Wansbrough, and Motley Rice. These are all large, nationally recognized and highly-respected law firms. When considering whether I should help this group in North Dakota, I was agreeable to do so after being given strict assurances that the litigation they would be pursuing would not target medical providers or hospitals and would instead be focused on opioid manufacturers, distributors, and large national chain pharmacies. They have stayed true to their word with me. They also assured me that they would be focusing on recovering financial damages that had been incurred by their clients as a direct result of the opioid crisis. Further, they have been unwavering in their focus on recovering resources to provide abatement of the problem and ongoing treatment for our citizens suffering from opioid addiction and abuse. Given your position on the Advisory Council and your work in the Legislature, you certainly know that North Dakota was not immune to losing many lives-and great suffering for others-from opioid abuse. In one small low population North Dakota county where I testified before the county commission, the sheriff also testified and said the county had four relatively recent overdose deaths. Throughout the entire process, Attorney General Stenehjem has advised North Dakota political subdivisions that they should not file their own cases and should leave the litigation entirely in the hands of the State. That advice from the AG's office is continuing to this day with outreach communications coming from his office, asking current litigants to opt into the settlements and allow the State to control the proceeds. Our attorneys are advising against that action at this time. There has already been an idea adopted in the State of Mississippi that deserves study and consideration here in North Dakota as a sensible compromise for the disbursement of funds that will result from the settlements. In that Mississippi model, the University of Mississippi Medical Center's Center for Addiction Medicine will receive an allocation of 70% of the settlement funds and dedicate that funding to providing opioid addiction abatement and treatment programs. Whether it is here in North Dakota or in Mississippi, smaller rural counties typically do not have the resources on their own to launch such efforts. The UND SMHS appears to already have in place an extensive outreach program throughout the state as detailed here: https://med.und.edu/service/index.html With the considerable resources that would become available under such an agreement, those entities might be the ideal avenue to help North Dakota citizens in need. I have attached the Mississippi agreement and a draft of a modified agreement tailored for North Dakota for consideration by North Dakota officials, including yourselves. I would respectfully request that a presentation by our attorneys be scheduled at the next meeting of your Advisory Council to provide information on this proposal and to answer questions that you may have. I look forward to your reply. Curtis Olafson Olafson Consulting LLC Public Policy and Political Consulting North Dakota State Senate (2006-2012) Olafson Farm and Ranch, (Est. 1883) 13041 84th St NE Edinburg, ND 58227 701-265-2356 Cell https://www.olafsonconsulting.com/ colafson@polarcomm.com The information contained in this message is confidential, protected from disclosure and may be legally privileged. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient or an employee or agent responsible for delivering this message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, distribution, copying, or any action taken or action omitted in reliance on it, is strictly prohibited and may be unlawful. Forwarding this message to other recipients is permitted only if approved by the original author. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by replying to this message and destroy the material in its entirety, whether in electronic or hard copy format.
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Cc: 'Matthew McCarley' <mccarley@fnlawfirm.com>; mdaniel@lawyerworks.com <mdaniel@lawyerworks.com>; 'Matthew Vinson' <MVinson@lawyerworks.com>
Subject: RE: UND School of Medicine and Health Sciences proposal

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Good morning Jon et al,

To clarify our request, our group would like to be put on the agenda for one of our attorneys to do a presentation at the next meeting of the Advisory Council. We are hoping that will be relatively soon as there are deadlines looming for decisions relating to the opioid settlement policies.

The purpose of the presentation would be to provide the most current information on the litigation settlements and to present for discussion and consideration the possibility of UND SMHS taking on a role similar to what has been adopted in Mississippi, wherein the University of Mississippi Medical Center will receive settlement funds and implement opioid abatement and treatment programs throughout the state.

Also, to further clarify, if the UND SMHS would be agreeable to a similar role as has been adopted in Mississippi, the SMHS would not be "taking a position" or be a "part of any litigation."

The attached MOU edited and tailored for North Dakota details in Section B, subsection 1(c) the funds that would be allocated to the SMHS and the role that it would play in the abatement and treatment efforts. This plan would be aimed at helping cities and counties in North Dakota establish an effort to help them deal with ongoing opioid abuse and addiction.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me if you have any additional questions or would like further clarification.

Regards,

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Curt: thank you for reaching out to the NDSMHS Advisory Committee with your request to be added to the agenda of a subsequent Advisory Committee meeting. Although it would be interesting to hear the reasoning and progress your group has experienced, I am a little confused as to our role in taking a position or being part of any litigation in this regard.
Is this strictly informational or do you have other expectations of the Advisory Committee? I believe that question needs to be clarified prior to any further conversation.
Thanks Curt and I hope to hear back from you soon.

Jon

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Senator Mathern,

Thank you for your response and for your outreach to Dean Wynne. I look forward to further discussions with you and your colleagues.

After having had the privilege of serving with you in the Senate for 6 years, it comes as no surprise to me that you are interested in this proposal. You always have the best interests of the people in your heart, especially people who need help.

Curtis Olafson

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Thank you for the note. Yes the opioid crisis has been in North Dakota too!

I am bringing this to the attention of Dean Wynne by way of this response.

Senator Tim Mathern

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Dear friends,

I am writing today regarding your position of service on the University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences Advisory Council.

You may be aware that I spent the better part of two years working with a consortium of three large national law firms assisting them with opioid litigation outreach here in North Dakota. My role in the process was to arrange

Body	presentations before county commissions, city commissions and councils, the North Dakota Association of Counties, the North Dakota League of Cities and Attorney General Wayne Stenejhem. We were very successful in our effort to demonstrate to North Dakota counties and cities the wisdom in pursuing their own cases. The law firms represent North Dakota clients on a contingency basis at a recovery percentage that is quite modest. Twenty-six North Dakota counties and three cities signed on as litigants with our group. The consortium I represented included the following firms: Fears Nachawati, Ferrer Poirot Wansbrough, and Motley Rice. These are all large, nationally recognized and highly-respected law firms. When considering whether I should help this group in North Dakota, I was agreeable to do so after being given strict assurances that the litigation they would be pursuing would not target medical providers or hospitals and would instead be focused on opioid manufacturers, distributors, and large national chain pharmacies. They have stayed true to their word with me. They also assured me that they would be focusing on recovering financial damages that had been incurred by their clients as a direct result of the opioid crisis. Further, they have been unwavering in their focus on recovering resources to provide abatement of the problem and ongoing treatment for our citizens suffering from opioid addiction and abuse. Given your position on the Advisory Council and your work in the Legislature, you certainly know that North Dakota was not immune to losing many lives-and great suffering for others-from opioid abuse. In one small low population North Dakota county where I testified before the county commission, the sheriff also testified and said the county had four relatively recent overdose deaths. Throughout the entire process, Attorney General Stenehjem has advised North Dakota political subdivisions that they should not file their own cases and should leave the litigation entirely in the hands of the State. That advice from the AG's office is continuing to this day with outreach communications coming from his office, asking current litigants to opt into the settlements and allow the State to control the proceeds. Our attorneys are advising against that action at this time. There has already been an idea adopted in the State of Mississippi that deserves study and consideration here in North Dakota as a sensible compromise for the disbursement of funds that will result from the settlements. In that Mississippi model, the University of Mississippi Medical Center's Center for Addiction Medicine will receive an allocation of 70% of the settlement funds and dedicate that funding to providing opioid addiction abatement and treatment programs. Whether it is here in North Dakota or in Mississippi, smaller rural counties typically do not have the resources on their own to launch such efforts. The UND SMHS appears to already have in place an extensive outreach program throughout the state as detailed here: https://med.und.edu/service/index.html With the considerable resources that would become available under such an agreement, those entities might be the ideal avenue to help North Dakota citizens in need. I have attached the Mississippi agreement and a draft of a modified agreement tailored for North Dakota for consideration by North Dakota officials, including yourselves. I would respectfully request that a presentation by our attorneys be scheduled at the next meeting of your Advisory Council to provide information on this proposal and to answer questions that you may have. I look forward to your reply. Curtis Olafson Olafson Consulting LLC Public Policy and Political Consulting North Dakota State Senate (2006-2012) Olafson Farm and Ranch, (Est. 1883) 13041 84th St NE Edinburg, ND 58227 701-265-2356 Cell https://www.olafsonconsulting.com/ colafson@polarcomm.com The information contained in this message is confidential, protected from disclosure and may be legally privileged. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient or an employee or agent responsible for delivering this message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, distribution, copying, or any action taken or action omitted in reliance on it, is strictly prohibited and may be unlawful. Forwarding this message to other recipients is permitted only if approved by the original author. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by replying to this message and destroy the material in its entirety, whether in electronic or hard copy format.
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Body	Or he can run for this office himself Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 2, 2021 4:44:05 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: IMPORTANT QUESTIONS---FROM REP. JIM KASPER--THURSDAY DECEMBER 2, 2021 Please see my previous e-mail. As to item 2 he asked me to remind you he still wants to visit with you about the second item and doing a Press Release. I indicated I would pass this request along. *Parrell* Parrell D. Grossman Assistant Attorney General Director Consumer Protection & Antitrust Division Office of Attorney General 1720 Burlington Drive, Suite C Bismarck, ND 58504-7736* (701)328-5570 (701)328-5568 (Fax) pgrossman@nd.gov www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov *Please note that our mailing address changed as of August 25, 2021. **Confidentiality Notice:** This electronic mail transmission is intended for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain confidential information belonging to the sender. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution, or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify the sender immediately by e-mail and delete the original message. **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 2, 2021 4:42 PM **To:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fwd: IMPORTANT QUESTIONS---FROM REP. JIM KASPER--THURSDAY DECEMBER 2, 2021 Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** jmkasper@amg-nd.com <jmkasper@amg-nd.com> **Sent:** Thursday, December 2, 2021 4:16:09 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Jim Kasper <jmkasper@amg-nd.com> **Subject:** IMPORTANT QUESTIONS---FROM REP. JIM KASPER--THURSDAY DECEMBER 2, 2021 ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hi Wayne: I have two important issues to visit with you about: 1. The Consumer Fraud situation with my brother-in-law, Leonard Mosbrucker, that I called you about last week. 2. Considering a Press Release from your office regarding where we are at in ND with respect to all of the recent Court Rulings on the Vaccine mandates. Most of ND citizens I think would be grateful to your office---you---if you issued a "white paper" or press release clarifying everything. I am available by cell phone all the time: 701-799-9000 Thanks, Wayne. Jim James M. Kasper President Asset Management Group, Inc. 1128 Westrac Drive Fargo, ND 58103 Office Phone: 701-232-6250 Cell Phone: 701-799-9000 Office Email: jmkasper@amg-nd.com Representative Jim Kasper North Dakota House of Representatives District 46, Fargo Chairman Government & Veterans Affairs Committee Chairman Special House Committee on Ethics Member Industry, Business & Labor Committee Business Phone: 701-232-6250 Cell Phone: 701-799-9000 Email: jkasper@nd.gov

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Record 1522

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Head Start Vaccine Mandate
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/2/2021 7:42:13.000 PM
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Body	I had not heard of this one Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 2, 2021 4:03:46 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Head Start Vaccine Mandate FYI... **From:** McVey, David <David.McVey@state.sd.us> **Sent:** Thursday, December 2, 2021 4:49 PM **To:** Sauer, John <John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov>; 'Langholz, Sam' <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>; 'Shasserre, Joshua' <joshua.shasserre@nebraska.gov>; 'Mills, Cori M (LAW)' <cori.mills@alaska.gov>; 'Nicholas Bronni' <nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov>; 'christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov' <christopher.bond@doj.nh.gov>; 'Ryan Schelhaas' <ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; brant.laue@ag.ks.gov; chris.robison@alaska.gov; Kurtis.Wiard@ag.ks.gov; leah.farzin@alaska.gov; maddie.green@ago.mo.gov **Subject:** Head Start Vaccine Mandate ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hi all, Louisiana had circulated an email discussing the Head Start vaccine mandate and had asserted that they would be filing opposition. I am wondering if anyone in the 8th Circuit was working on putting together a case on the Head Start matter or whether states were considering joining Louisiana's lawsuit. Thanks. **David M. McVey** Assistant Attorney General Office of the Attorney General 1302 E. HWY 14, Suite 1 Pierre, SD 57501 (605)773-3215 (605)773-4106 david.mcvey@state.sd.us

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Record 1524

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	shammond@naag.org
Subject	Re: NAAG Finance Committee Briefing (Part 3)
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/3/2021 11:10:23.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/3/2021 11:11:02.000 AM
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Body	I regret that I'll be unable to attend this meeting g. My apologies. Wayne Stenehjem Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Samantha Hammond <shammond@naag.org> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 9:50:57 AM **To:** Chris Toth <ctoth@naag.org>; Theresia Heller <theller@naag.org>; Erin Schechter <eschechter@naag.org>; agtommiller@ag.iowa.gov <agtommiller@ag.iowa.gov>; Herbert H. Slatery <Herbert.Slatery@ag.tn.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Tong, William <AG.Tong@ct.gov>; lawrence.wasden@ag.idaho.gov <lawrence.wasden@ag.idaho.gov>; Aaron D. Ford <ADFord@ag.nv.gov>; Albert Lama <alama@naag.org> **Cc:** Sheila Sage <Sheila.Sage@ag.tn.gov>; Fernand, Lori <Lori.Fernand@ct.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; janet.carter <janet.carter@ag.idaho.gov>; Vicki J. Beavers <VBeavers@ag.nv.gov>; Lisa.Wittmus@ag.iowa.gov <Lisa.Wittmus@ag.iowa.gov>; Ryan Greenstein <rgreenstein@naag.org>; Allison Gilmore <agilmore@naag.org>; Jeanette Manning <jmanning@naag.org>; Gloria Post <gpost@naag.org>; Annette Manning <amanning@naag.org>; Kane, Rowan <Rowan.Kane@ct.gov> **Subject:** NAAG Finance Committee Briefing (Part 3) ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good morning, I wanted to send a reminder to you all. The NAAG Finance Committee Briefing (Part 3) is this afternoon (12/03/21). The teams meeting will be from 2:30-3:30pm ET. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out. Thank you, Samantha Hammond Samantha Hammond Administrative Assistant National Association of Attorneys General 1850 M Street NW, 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036 shammond@naag.org www.naag.org
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Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
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Record 1528

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lk426@nd.gov
Subject	FW: S/A Luke Kapella and S/A General Lee
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Body	Congratulations, Luke! Well done. I am looking forward to meeting our new canine agent! Wayne **From:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 11:20 AM **To:** -Grp-AG BCI All Staff <agbciall@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov>; Nelson, Douglas D. <ddnelson@nd.gov>; Ersland, Kim L. <kersland@nd.gov>; Hill, Derek J. <Derek.J.Hill@usdoj.gov> **Subject:** S/A Luke Kapella and S/A General Lee Good morning, I wanted to share an update that S/A Luke Kapella (426) and S/A General Lee (493) officially graduated from the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco Firearms and Explosives (BATFE) Accelerant Detection Canine School today! Luke and Lee are the first from ND to attend and complete this prestigious course and will be returning home this weekend. We have attached a photo of the graduates. Please reach out to Luke and congratulate the team on their success! Thank you, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5530 - office §44-04-18.3 cell lgrabowska@nd.gov
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Record 1530

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Recipients	rholmberg@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Cemetery bill passes
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Body	The law seems to have stood the test of time Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Holmberg, Ray E. <rholmberg@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 2:57:46 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Cemetery bill passes Wayne, You are mentioned. **From:** Holmberg, Ray E. <rholmberg@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, April 8, 2009 5:42 AM **Subject:** Cemetery bill passes Published April 07 2009 **N.D. Senate: No specials for nonprofit cemeteries** A bill banning special assessments against nonprofit cemeteries was unanimously passed by the state Senate on Tuesday, and now the bill will head to the House of Representatives for a final vote. By: **Ryan Johnson**, Grand Forks Herald A bill banning special assessments against nonprofit cemeteries was unanimously passed by the state Senate on Tuesday, and now the bill will head to the House of Representatives for a final vote. Sen. Ray Holmberg, R-Grand Forks, said Senate Bill 2241 will need a hearing in the House before coming up for a final vote, but he didn't know when that will happen. He wouldn't comment on the chances of the bill passing the House, but said Tuesday's unanimous vote "is a good omen." There was no debate in the Senate either, which Holmberg said he expected because senators had many discussions before the vote. "The bottom line was we said it's just wrong to assess dead people for benefit," he said. "Frankly, (dead people) don't care. I think the Legislature surely does because there was no discussion on the other side." Special assessments are a kind of property tax used to pay for infrastructure such as streets and dikes. They are levied on benefiting properties, which usually means a section of the city. Holmberg introduced the bill two weeks ago as a reaction to a dispute between the Grand Forks City Council and the Grand Forks Cemetery Association. Association President Gordon Iseminger argued the assessments were already banned by a 1970 state Supreme Court decision, but some City Council members said the fees that pay for Grand Forks' flood protection system should be charged to everyone as a matter of fairness. Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem said in a March 18 opinion that the law was unsettled in this area. **Solving old problem** The bill was amended in the Senate Finance and Taxation Committee before being approved by the Senate Tuesday. Sen. Connie Triplett, D-Grand Forks, said some lawmakers were originally concerned about exempting cemeteries because it could cause a large increase of special assessments to other property owners in the district. But a change that makes it clear that the city can spread the fees across the whole municipality rather than expect a single district to make up the difference helps keep the impact to a minimum, she said. "We think this is a fair solution to a long, 40-year-old problem," Triplett said. The Grand Forks Cemetery Association currently owes the city $240,000 from previous assessments and was scheduled for another $118,000 next year. It paid $45,000 toward the assessments but hasn't paid any additional money since 2004. Holmberg said if the law passes the House, that debt would be erased and the city could spread the fees out across all other special assessment payers. "It clearly gives the city a direction of what they can do," he said.

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Body	The morning of Dec 17 is best. Before the BCI Christmas lunch **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 4:43 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Meeting Request May I set up a meeting> Liz **From:** Kruse, I. Lise <lkruse@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 1:26 PM **To:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Meeting Request Liz, I would like to have an in-person meeting with the Attorney General to discuss some of our department's challenges as we navigate the increasing complexities with the financial industries we regulate. Rick Clayburgh, President/CEO of the North Dakota Bankers' Association would like to be part of the meeting to give his perspective on how the department interacts with our bankers. Would it be possible to meet with Attorney General Stenehjem in the afternoon on Dec 15, morning of Dec 16 or Dec 17? Thank you for your consideration! Lise. Lise Kruse *Commissioner* 701.328.9938 • 701.367.4157 (m) • lkruse@nd.gov • www.nd.gov/dfi/ Confidentiality Notice: the information contained in this email and any attachments may be legally privileged and confidential. If you are not an intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this e-mail is strictly prohibited. If you have received this e-mail in error, please notify the sender and permanently delete the e-mail and any attachments immediately. You should not copy or use this e-mail or any attachments for any purpose, nor disclose all or any part of the contents to any other person.
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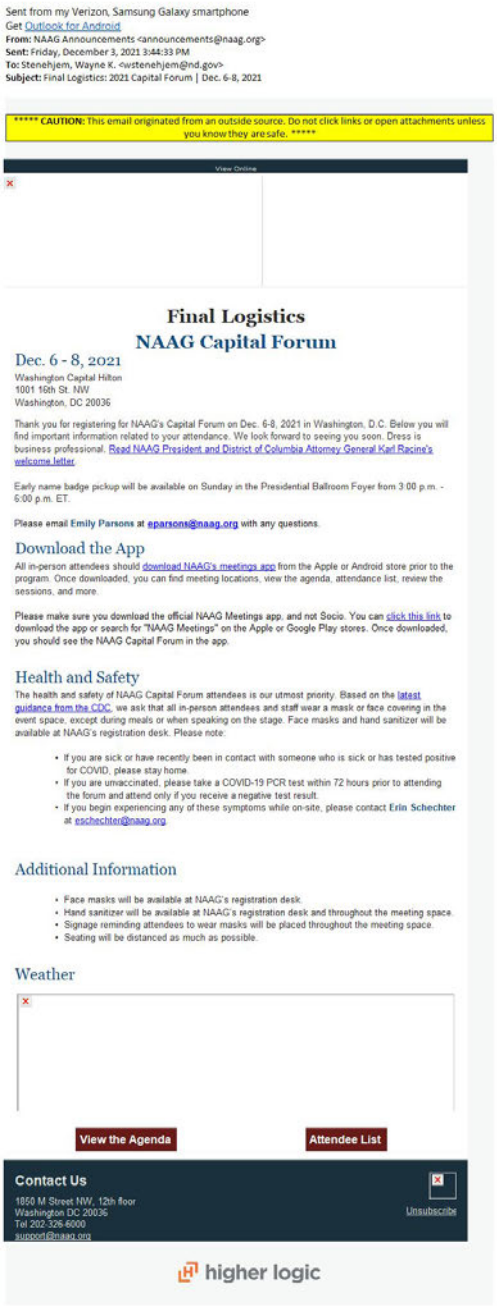
Body	

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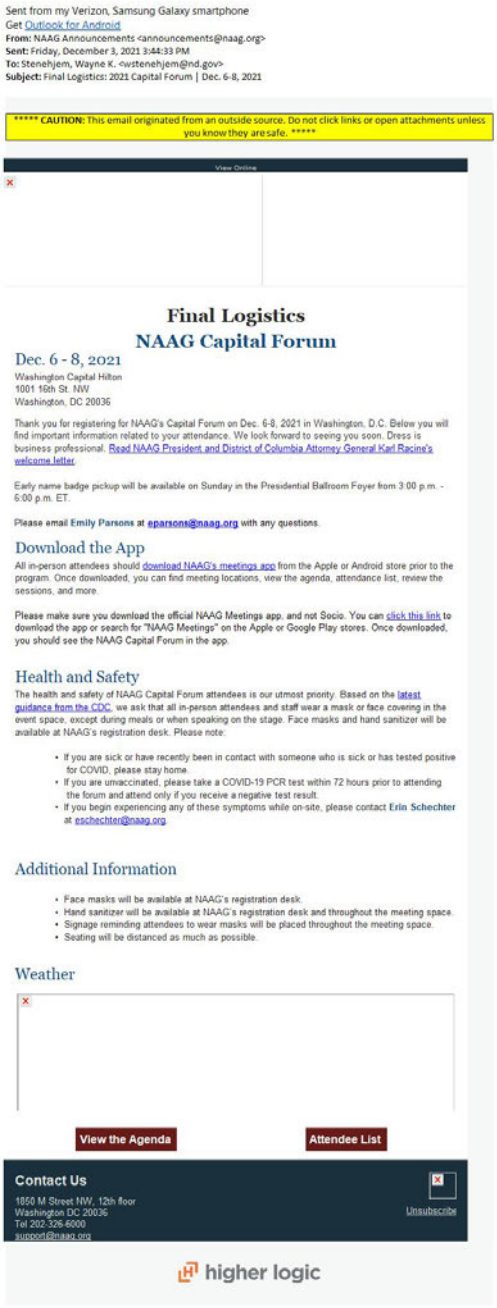
Body	

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Body	Thank you for the reminder. Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Julie Stahl <jstahl@csg.org> **Sent:** Friday, December 3, 2021 4:03:22 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Committee Reminder - 2021 CSG National Conference ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Dear Attorney General Stenehjem, Thank you for joining us this week at the 2021 CSG National Conference! This is a friendly reminder that you serve on the Executive Committee; 1-4 pm, Dec. 4, Eldorado Ballroom A at the Eldorado Hotel. All the best, Julie **Julie Stahl** *(she/her)* Membership Coordinator The Council of State Governments 1776 Avenue of the States Lexington, KY 40511 O: (859) 244-8045 C: (859) 421-4992
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CC	tseibel@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
Attachments	image001[13526].jpg, image002[13527].png

Record 1547

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	laurie.kocarnik@nebraska.gov
Subject	RE: Shared Hope
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Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	ctoth@naag.org
Subject	RE: Retirement from NAAG
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 10:20:02.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 10:20:03.000 AM
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Body	Thank you, Chris, for your service, both to our country and to NAAG. I wish you the best in your future path! Wayne **From:** Chris Toth <ctoth@naag.org> **Sent:** Monday, December 6, 2021 10:14 AM **To:** Chris Toth <ctoth@naag.org> **Subject:** Retirement from NAAG ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Generals, Earlier this morning, I notified the NAAG Executive Committee of my decision to retire from NAAG in 2022. This is my second, and last, retirement, the first being from the U.S. military. Like my military career, it has been my privilege to serve America's attorneys general over the past 18 years. I want to thank the Executive Committee for its support and plan to assist in its search for a successor. Over the coming months, I look forward to catching up with each of you before I leave. Until then, I will continue to focus on supporting the bipartisan work of attorneys general and making NAAG the best organization it can be. V/r, Chris **Chris Toth** **Executive Director** National Association of Attorneys General 1850 M Street, NW, 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036 202.326.6021 office ctoth@naag.org www.naag.org
Attachments	image001[15597].png, image002[15598].png, image003[15599].png

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Record 1550

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bekeller@nd.gov
Subject	RE: LAFRC
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 10:48:00.000 AM
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Body	Wonderful. I want to be there in person Wayne **From:** Keller, Becky J. <bekeller@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 6, 2021 10:42 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Gerding, Tasha A. <tgerding@nd.gov>; Quinn, Robyn <rquinn@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: LAFRC We have been removed from the LAFRC agenda on Wednesday. **From:** Kadrmas, Chris J. <cjkadrmas@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 6, 2021 10:41 AM **To:** Keller, Becky J. <bekeller@nd.gov> **Subject:** Re: LAFRC Yes it was removed. Chris Kadrmas, CPA Senior Fiscal Analyst ND Legislative Council (701) 328-3568 cjkadrmas@nd.gov **From:** Keller, Becky J. <bekeller@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 6, 2021 8:34:58 AM **To:** Kadrmas, Chris J. <cjkadrmas@nd.gov> **Subject:** LAFRC Good morning. Did Senator Klein talk to you about taking the Attorney General off the Wednesday LAFRC schedule and putting us on the next meeting? Wayne will be out of the office this week. Wayne visited with Senator Klein and he said he would try to contact you. Thanks, BK

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Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: Acute Psychiatric Treatment Committee Meeting Presentation - 1/20/2022
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 6:20:47.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 6:20:52.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 6:20:53.000 PM
Body	Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Kinnischtzke, Levi <lkinnischtzke@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 6, 2021 5:48:25 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Acute Psychiatric Treatment Committee Meeting Presentation - 1/20/2022 Mr. Stenehjem, Representative Jon O. Nelson, Chairman, has called a meeting of the Legislative Management's Acute Psychiatric Treatment Committee for Thursday, January 20, 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Harvest Room of the State Capitol. Presenters are expected to present in person in the committee room. Chairman Nelson asks that you or your representative arrange for a presentation from 1:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. regarding the Attorney General's office involvement with occupational boards providing mental and behavioral health services and similarities and differences of licensing and reciprocity requirements. Please submit an electronic copy of your presentation to me at lkinnischtzke@nd.gov by 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, January 19, 2022, so we may attach your presentation to the committee's online meeting agenda for use by committee members and members of the public. The meeting agenda will be posted to the committee's 2021□22 interim webpage. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding the meeting. Thank you. **Levi Kinnischtzke, CPA** Senior Fiscal Analyst North Dakota Legislative Council (701)-328-3694 lkinnischtzke@nd.gov

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	sebyp@gtlaw.com, masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Case 1:19-cv-00150-North Dakota, State of v. United States of America Motion for Leave to File
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/6/2021 9:34:33.000 PM
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Wayne

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Sent: Monday, December 6, 2021 10:52 AM
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To: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; 'Stenehjem, Wayne K.' <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
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Sent: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 10:08 AM
To: Bobet, Jane (USACO) <Jane.Bobet@usdoj.gov>; Kellogg, Ian (USACO) <Ian.Kellogg@usdoj.gov>
Subject: Case 1:19-cv-00150-North Dakota, State of v. United States of America Motion for Leave to File

Jane and Ian -

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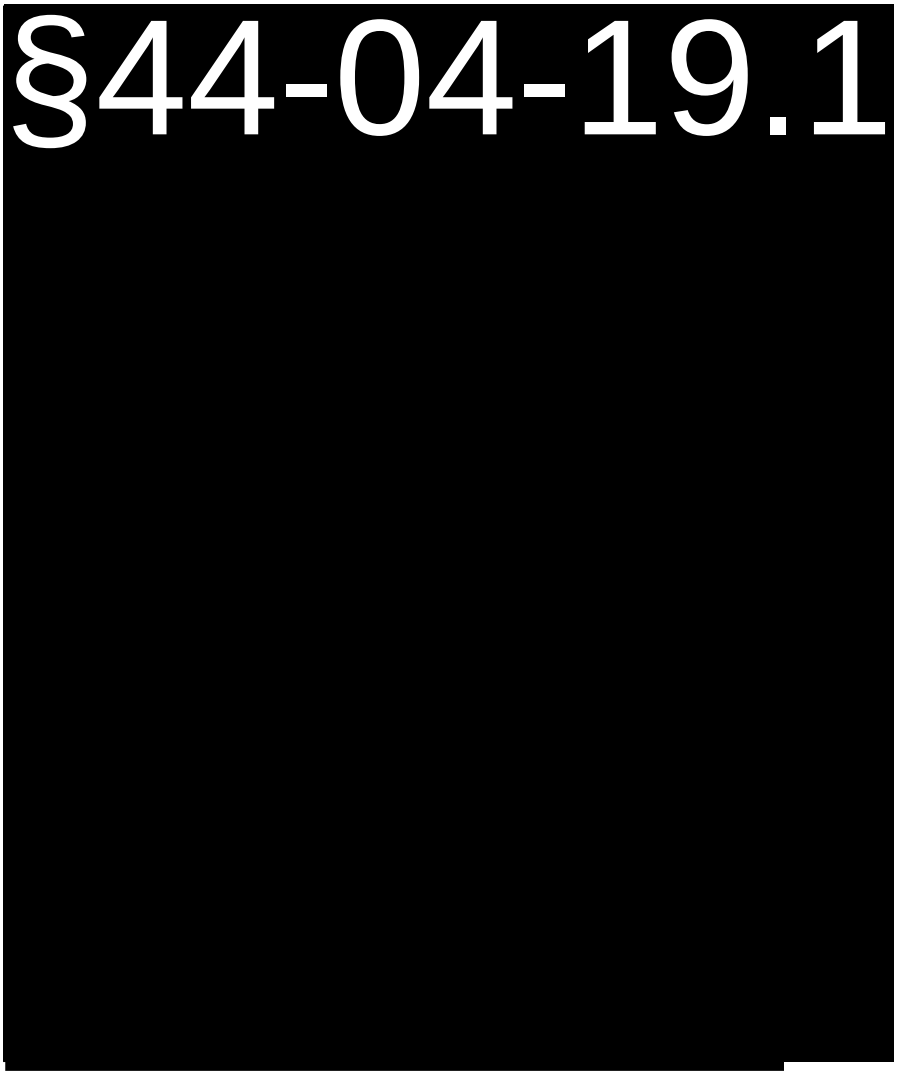
Body	From: ndd_nef@ndd.uscourts.gov <ndd_nef@ndd.uscourts.gov> Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2021 1:51 PM To: CourtMail@ndd.uscourts.gov Subject: Activity in Case 1:19-cv-00150-DMT-ARS North Dakota, State of v. United States of America Motion for Leave to File *EXTERNAL TO GT*  If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.
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Record 1558

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	pgrossman@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Victim Impact Statement State v. Craig Keller--SA #M637-21-02 . 08-2021-CR-625
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/7/2021 9:53:13.000 AM
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Thanks Parrell

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone
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From: Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 10:34:14 AM
To: Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Victim Impact Statement State v. Craig Keller--SA #M637-21-02 . 08-2021-CR-625

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From: Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 10:21:04 AM
To: Schwarz, Justin J. <JJSCHWARZ@nd.gov>; Wanner, Heather J. <hwanner@nd.gov>
Subject: Re: Victim Impact Statement State v. Craig Keller--SA #M637-21-02 . 08-2021-CR-625

Thank you very much for letting me know. Our involvement is now concluded and I want to thank you very much for your prosecution in this case. I know how busy you are and your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated!

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From: Schwarz, Justin J. <JJSCHWARZ@nd.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 10:04:48 AM
To: Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov>; Wanner, Heather J. <hwanner@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Victim Impact Statement State v. Craig Keller--SA #M637-21-02 . 08-2021-CR-625

The recommendation sent was for 360 days, all suspended for 2 years on each count.
$325 court fees, fingerprinting, 20 hours community service on each count & any restitution owing.

Justin

From: Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov>
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Thank you. I understand your procedure. However, for our purposes it seems useless if not provided to the Court. Therefore, I likely will send it to the Court. On the other hand, it might be unnecessary if you are able to share the written plea agreement with us. Are you willing to do so?

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Mr. Grossman:
Our office was in receipt of the attached documentation. Such was included in our file & provided in discovery. It was not filed with the Court, as we would only file the victim impact statements that were received from the victims in this case. We did file the one we did receive from victim Eric Mayer.
As of now, the matter is set to be resolved by written plea agreement. So there won't be any further hearings at this time.

Justin Schwarz

From: Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov>
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To: Wanner, Heather J. <hwanner@nd.gov>; Schwarz, Justin J. <JJSCHWARZ@nd.gov>
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Thank you very much for letting me know. Our involvement is now concluded and I want to thank you very much for your prosecution in this case. I know how busy you are and your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated!

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The recommendation sent was for 360 days, all suspended for 2 years on each count.
$325 court fees, fingerprinting, 20 hours community service on each count & any restitution owing.

Justin

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Thank you. I understand your procedure. However, for our purposes it seems useless if not provided to the Court. Therefore, I likely will send it to the Court. On the other hand, it might be unnecessary if you are able to share the written plea agreement with us. Are you willing to do so?

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Mr. Grossman:
Our office was in receipt of the attached documentation. Such was included in our file & provided in discovery. It was not filed with the Court, as we would only file the victim impact statements that were received from the victims in this case. We did file the one we did receive from victim Eric Mayer.
As of now, the matter is set to be resolved by written plea agreement. So there won't be any further hearings at this time.

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Friends,

Judge Baker just issued a nationwide injunction in our federal contractor mandate case. We're still reviewing, but wanted to make you aware. Also, I'm adding Georgia's new SG, Stephen Petrany, to this chain.

Best,
Drew

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Best,
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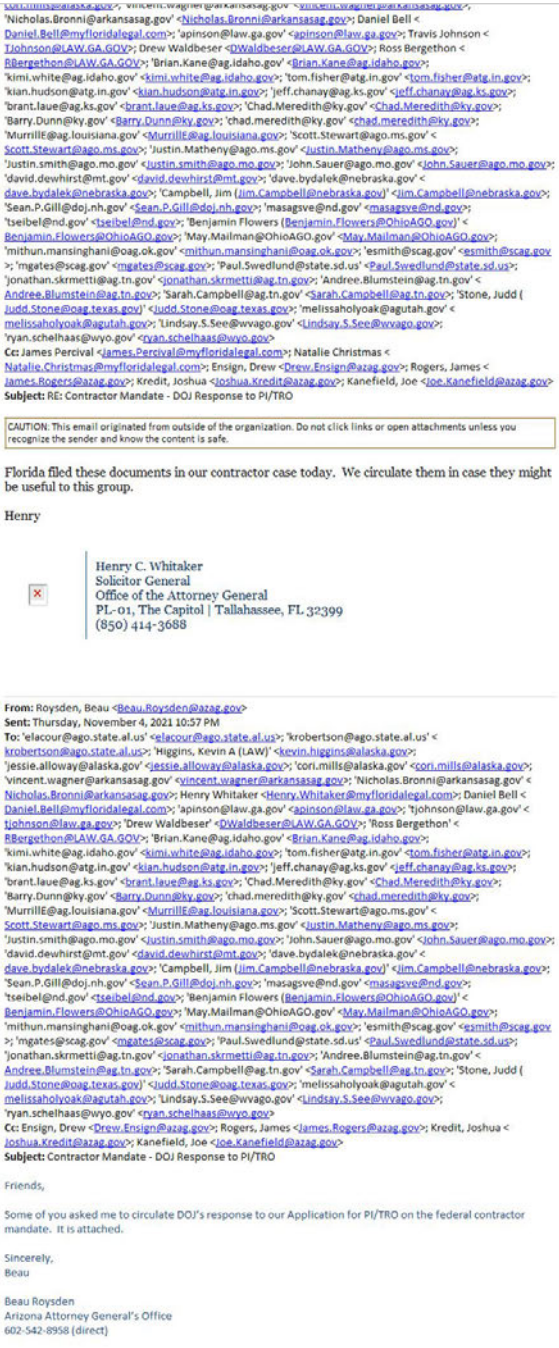
Body	
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Friends,

Judge Baker just issued a nationwide injunction in our federal contractor mandate case. We're still reviewing, but wanted to make you aware. Also, I'm adding Georgia's new SG, Stephen Petrany, to this chain.

Best,
Drew

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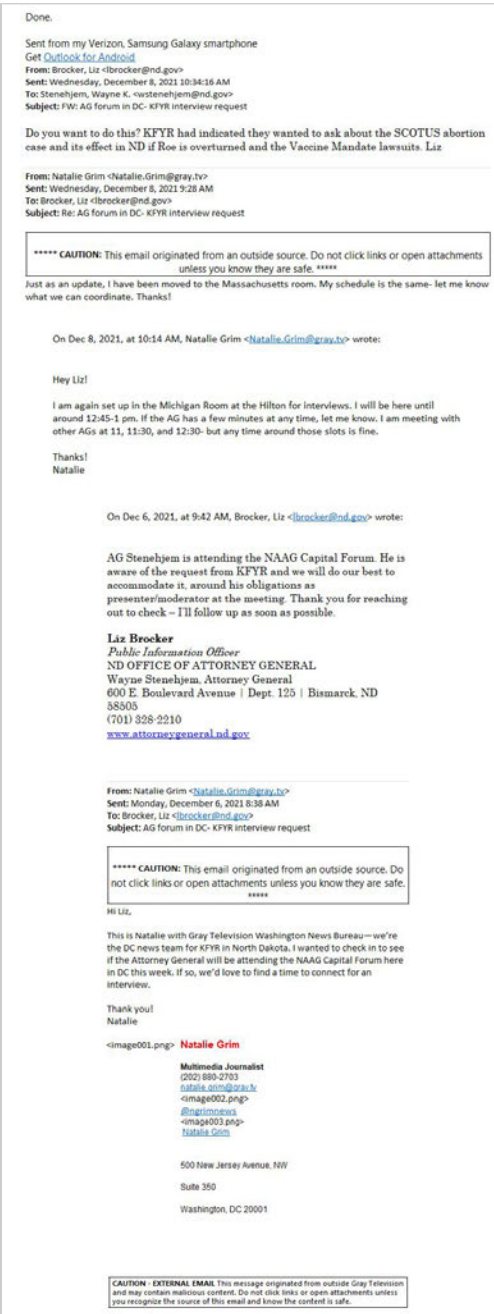
Body	

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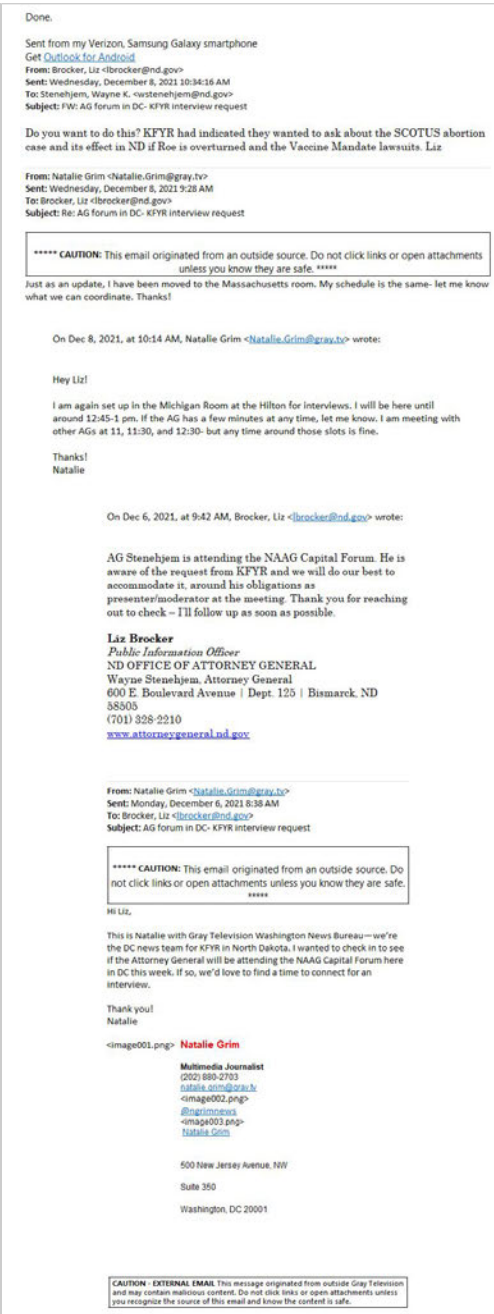
Body	

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I don't think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I don't think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come

Body	from. As a practical matter, I don't think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week. 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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Texas plans to file in the Lubbock Division today on behalf of Lubbock ISD.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I don't think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I don't think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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Wayne N.B. the short turn-around on this letter. **From:** Melissa Holyoak <melissaholyoak@agutah.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 10, 2021 12:52 AM **To:** Bowdre, Barrett <Barrett.Bowdre@AlabamaAG.gov>; cori.mills@alaska.gov; ninia.dizon@alaska.gov; Beau.Roysden <Beau.Roysden@azag.gov>; nicholas.bronni@arkansasag.gov; vincent.wagner@arkansasag.gov; henry.whitaker@myfloridalegal.com; daniel.bell@myfloridalegal.com; james.percival@myfloridalegal.com; jeffrey.desousa@myfloridalegal.com; christopher.baum@myfloridalegal.com; Jordan Watson <JWatson@LAW.GA.GOV>; Montgomery, Eric <Eric.Montgomery@ag.ks.gov>; Carswell, Dwight <Dwight.Carswell@ag.ks.gov>; Wiard, Kurtis <Kurtis.Wiard@ag.ks.gov>; Coatney, Denise <Denise.Coatney@ag.ks.gov>; Christopher, Blake R (KYOAG) <blake.christopher@ky.gov>; John Coghlan <John.Coghlan@ago.ms.gov>; Jennifer Lewis <jennifer.lewis@oag.ok.gov>; Maranda Spears <Maranda.Spears@oag.ok.gov>; Judy Mitchell <judy.mitchell@wyo.gov>; brian.kane@ag.idaho.gov; Tom.Fisher@atg.in.gov; Kian.Hudson@atg.in.gov; julia.payne@atg.in.gov; Brant.Laue@ag.ks.gov; jeff.chanay <jeff.chanay@ag.ks.gov>; matt.kuhn@ky.gov; murrillE@ag.louisiana.gov; Whitney.Lipscomb@ago.ms.gov; Scott.Stewart@ago.ms.gov; Justin.Matheny@ago.ms.gov; John Coghlan <John.Coghlan@ago.ms.gov>; John.Sauer@ago.mo.gov; David.Dewhirst@mt.gov; Christian.Corrigan@mt.gov; Jim.Campbell@nebraska.gov; Daniel.E.Will@doj.nh.gov; Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Benjamin.flowers@ohioattorneygeneral.gov; mithun.mansinghani@oag.ok.gov; Esmith@scag.gov; Steven.Blair@state.sd.us; Paul.Swedlund@state.sd.us; Sarah.Campbell@ag.tn.gov; Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov; Judd.Stone@oag.texas.gov; aaron.reitz@oag.texas.gov; Grant.Dorfman@oag.texas.gov; Lindsay.S.See@wvago.gov; ryan.schelhaas@wyo.gov; james.kaste@wyo.gov; Christopher, Blake R (KYOAG) <blake.christopher@ky.gov>; Youngs, Corrine <Corrine.Youngs@atg.in.gov>; Stephen Petrany <SPetrany@LAW.GA.GOV>; 'Matt Gates' <MGates@scag.gov>; Webster, Brent <Brent.Webster@oag.texas.gov>; 'LaCour Eddie' <elacour@ago.state.al.us>; Thomas Hydrick <ThomasHydrick@scag.gov>; Robert D. Cheren <Robert.D.Cheren@wvago.gov> **Cc:** Virginia Brooks <virginiabrooks@agutah.gov>; Aaron Waite <aaronmwaite@agutah.gov>; Cecilia Lesmes <clesmes@agutah.gov> **Subject:** RE: ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 6 pm ET ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hello All, Attached are a redline and clean version of the ERISA comments letter with some revisions. Many thanks to Arkansas and Idaho for already joining! Please reach out with any questions/comments. Thanks! 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Cheren <Robert.D.Cheren@wvago.gov> **Cc:** Virginia Brooks <virginiabrooks@agutah.gov>; Aaron Waite <aaronmwaite@agutah.gov> **Subject:** ERISA ESG Comment Letter -- Deadline 12/13 at 3 pm ET Hello All, Attached is a draft comments letter in response to a revised DOL rule regarding ERISA plan sponsors' obligations relating to ESG investments. The letter argues that these investments are often misleading and administratively costly and should not be encouraged. The administration also does not provide justification for departure from the current rules that went into effect early 2021. The current rules clarify that only pecuniary factors can be considered when investing. **I apologize for the short turnaround but we need joins by Monday December 13 at 6 pm ET.** Also, please note that we worked with our state Treasurer on this letter. He is circulating to treasurers from other states to see if they would like to add their signatures. We welcome any feedback and if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thanks, Melissa Melissa A. Holyoak Utah Solicitor General Office of Utah Attorney General Sean D. Reyes Work Cell: 385-271-2484 Direct: 801-366-0113 Fax: 801-366-0221 Email: melissaholyoak@agutah.gov Confidentiality Notice: The information contained in this email and the documents attached hereto contain confidential information intended only for the use of the intended recipients. If the reader of the message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copying of the information contained herein is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please immediately notify me by reply email.
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Recipients	rcmiller@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Winner tonight

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Subject	RE: CWAG AG Home Addresses
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Body	Will you draft a commendatory letter for Sheriff Landeis [before Dec. 30] Wayne **From:** Donnell Preskey Hushka <donnell.preskey@ndaco.org> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 10:56 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Beehler, Jace <jabeehler@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Sheriff Frank Landeis ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne and Jace, I thought both of your offices may like to know about the retirement of Sioux County Sheriff Frank Landeis. Sheriff Landeis has ran a one man department – he has had no deputies and also serves his county in other capacities as well. He's been Sheriff for 27 years! He is retiring at the end of the year. Information on a celebration honoring his service is below. Thanks, Donnell Preskey Hushka NDACo Government / Public Affairs Specialist Executive Director ND Auditor's & Treasurer's Association Executive Director ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association Desk: 701-328-7300 Cell: 701-220-6607 donnell.preskey@ndaco.org www.ndaco.org **From:** Donnell Preskey Hushka <donnell.preskey@ndaco.org> **Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 3:06 PM **To:** Sheriffs <Sheriffs@ndaco.org> **Subject:** Sheriff Frank Landeis Sheriffs, I've been asked to pass on that Sioux County Sheriff Frank Landeis is retiring after 30 some years. He is actually our longest-serving Sheriff in ND. They will have an open house honoring Sheriff Landeis on December 30th starting at 1 p.m. in the Sioux County Courthouse. 303 2nd Ave Fort Yates, ND Thanks, Donnell Preskey Hushka NDACo Government / Public Affairs Specialist Executive Director ND Auditor's & Treasurer's Association Executive Director ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association Desk: 701-328-7300 Cell: 701-220-6607 donnell.preskey@ndaco.org www.ndaco.org

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Body	Will you draft a commendatory letter for Sheriff Landeis [before Dec. 30] Wayne **From:** Donnell Preskey Hushka <donnell.preskey@ndaco.org> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 10:56 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Beehler, Jace <jabeehler@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Sheriff Frank Landeis ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne and Jace, I thought both of your offices may like to know about the retirement of Sioux County Sheriff Frank Landeis. Sheriff Landeis has ran a one man department – he has had no deputies and also serves his county in other capacities as well. He's been Sheriff for 27 years! He is retiring at the end of the year. Information on a celebration honoring his service is below. Thanks, Donnell Preskey Hushka NDACo Government / Public Affairs Specialist Executive Director ND Auditor's & Treasurer's Association Executive Director ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association Desk: 701-328-7300 Cell: 701-220-6607 donnell.preskey@ndaco.org www.ndaco.org **From:** Donnell Preskey Hushka <donnell.preskey@ndaco.org> **Sent:** Monday, December 13, 2021 3:06 PM **To:** Sheriffs <Sheriffs@ndaco.org> **Subject:** Sheriff Frank Landeis Sheriffs, I've been asked to pass on that Sioux County Sheriff Frank Landeis is retiring after 30 some years. He is actually our longest-serving Sheriff in ND. They will have an open house honoring Sheriff Landeis on December 30th starting at 1 p.m. in the Sioux County Courthouse. 303 2nd Ave Fort Yates, ND Thanks, Donnell Preskey Hushka NDACo Government / Public Affairs Specialist Executive Director ND Auditor's & Treasurer's Association Executive Director ND Sheriff's & Deputies Association Desk: 701-328-7300 Cell: 701-220-6607 donnell.preskey@ndaco.org www.ndaco.org

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North Dakota will also likely want to join you.
Thanks.
Wayne

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Thanks.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Texas plans to file in the Lubbock Division today on behalf of Lubbock ISD.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Texas plans to file in the Lubbock Division today on behalf of Lubbock ISD.

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Louisiana is in the process of drafting a compliant. We will have draft declarations available today. We have identified about 6 program directors willing to sign declarations (some more detailed than others).

We plan to file in the Western District of La, which at this point is where most if not all our declarations will come from. As a practical matter, I donâ€™t think we can get the Complaint and PI filed until next week so we are shooting for Tuesday of next week.

We welcome all joiners.

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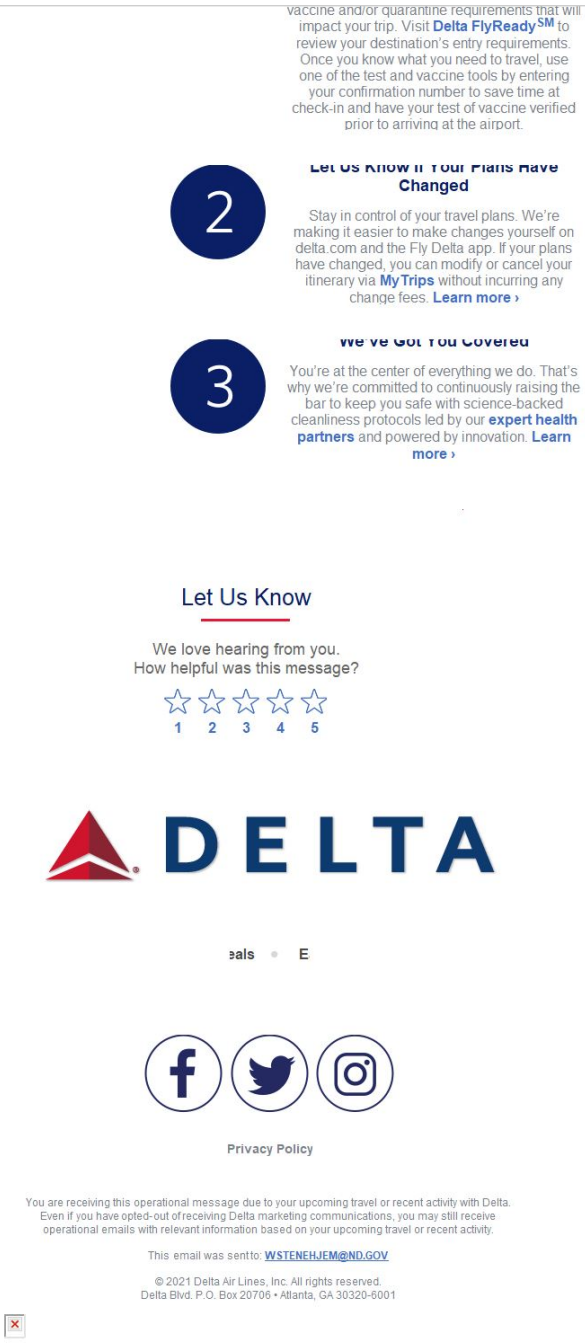
Body	

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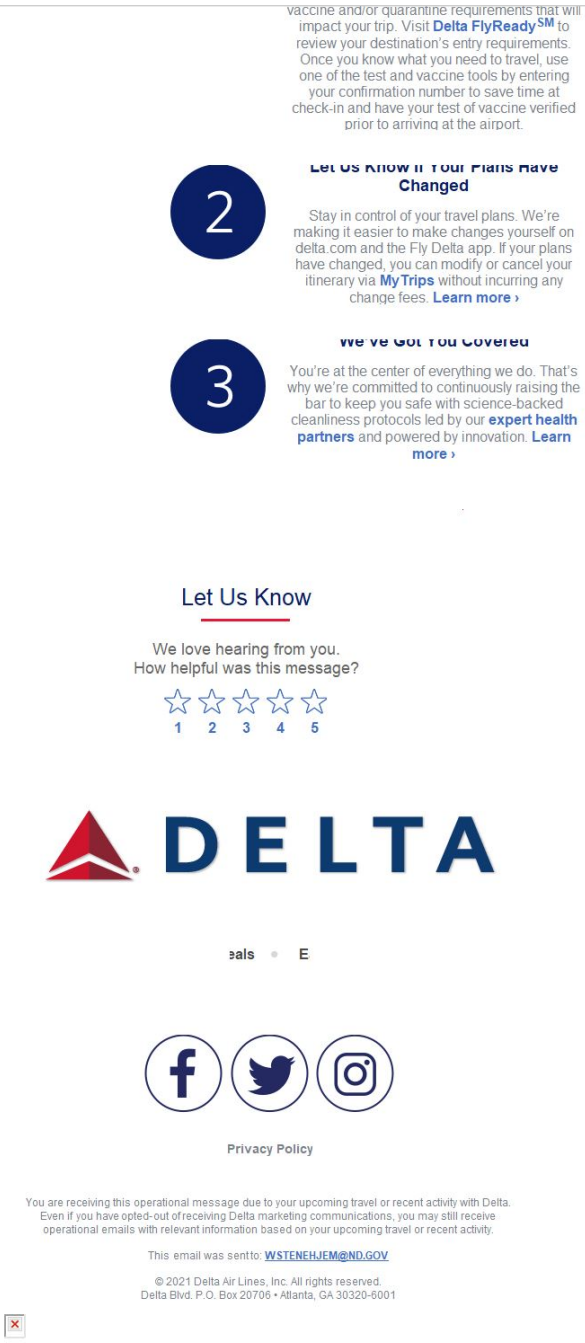
Body	

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Just let me know.
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Thanks General! I will circulate revised Complaint this afternoon. We won't be filing today – too many moving parts. Liz

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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I will share this afternoon. Happy to take edits too. We are just compiling our notes from talking to Directors and teachers. If you have someone who has more to add or has special expertise in speech development and early childhood ed then just adapt.

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Body	Thanks, Donna. You enjoy your evening as well! Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Connor, Donna J. <dconnor@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 4:28:41 PM **To:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Ashley and Wayne, I said Grandpa because I had looked at Kylie Buchholz's Facebook(Kerrie's daughter) about losing her grandpa, my fault. Kerrie's husband is Curt, sorry for the confusion this afternoon. Enjoy your evening! ☺

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Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com, astenehjem31@gmail.com
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Body	Additional info from Liz who just returned from Jamaica. Wayne Beth—can you forward this to Janelle, Grant and Kayla? **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 16, 2021 8:21 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Jamaica 1. No more than 7 days (and no fewer than 3 day) prior to *arrival* date in Jamaica, you will need to complete the Travel Authorization. Each person in your group needs to do a separate authorization – you'll need passport, flight, and resort information. Click on this link, and answer No: https://travelauth.visitjamaica.com/ . That opens the travel authorization. You will be sent a one-time password. 1. Once the travel authorization is completed and submitted, you will get an email approving it and attaching the authorization. Download a copy to your phone AND print a hard copy. I know it says they'll accept the e-copy, but they always ask to see the hard copy. 2. No more than 72 hours prior to *arrival date* in Jamaica, you need to get a Covid 19 test done. IGNORE the public health testing sites. I know the sites imply that they do testing for travel but that is NOT the case. The best place we have found to get the testing done is Mayo Pharmacy on 4th Street. You can book the appointment online. You do have to pay for it. You may not be able to complete your online check-in because the ticket agent has to personally verify that she has checked your covid-19 test and your travel authorization unless your flight has been authorized for Delta's Verifly – in which case click on the delta link, enter your info, upload pics of your results and travel authorization, and you'll be good. About 3 days before your return, you'll get an email from Delta with a link to complete the CDC attestation. You'll also need to have covid-19 test results before checking in on the flight (or doing verifly). Liz

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Body	Additional info from Liz who just returned from Jamaica. Wayne Beth—can you forward this to Janelle, Grant and Kayla? **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 16, 2021 8:21 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Jamaica 1. No more than 7 days (and no fewer than 3 day) prior to *arrival* date in Jamaica, you will need to complete the Travel Authorization. Each person in your group needs to do a separate authorization – you'll need passport, flight, and resort information. Click on this link, and answer No: https://travelauth.visitjamaica.com/ . That opens the travel authorization. You will be sent a one-time password. 1. Once the travel authorization is completed and submitted, you will get an email approving it and attaching the authorization. Download a copy to your phone AND print a hard copy. I know it says they'll accept the e-copy, but they always ask to see the hard copy. 2. No more than 72 hours prior to *arrival date* in Jamaica, you need to get a Covid 19 test done. IGNORE the public health testing sites. I know the sites imply that they do testing for travel but that is NOT the case. The best place we have found to get the testing done is Mayo Pharmacy on 4th Street. You can book the appointment online. You do have to pay for it. You may not be able to complete your online check-in because the ticket agent has to personally verify that she has checked your covid-19 test and your travel authorization unless your flight has been authorized for Delta's Verifly – in which case click on the delta link, enter your info, upload pics of your results and travel authorization, and you'll be good. About 3 days before your return, you'll get an email from Delta with a link to complete the CDC attestation. You'll also need to have covid-19 test results before checking in on the flight (or doing verifly). Liz

Record 1668

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	ndyon@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Awards ceremony
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Body	We will miss you, Nancy, but it makes sense not to chance ND winter roads and weather. Merry Christmas to you and your family! Wayne **From:** Yon, Nancy D. <ndyon@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 16, 2021 8:52 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov> **Subject:** Awards ceremony Good morning. I am sorry to say that I will be missing todays years of service award's ceremony. I was looking forward to coming and seeing everyone and receiving my years of service recognition in person. However, the roads are not the best, slippery. It is a cold and windy ND day and not ideal for 7 hours of driving. I can't believe I have nearly 21.5 years of combined service to Grand Forks County and the State. Time flies. Thank you both for giving me the opportunity to do the work that I do and for being wonderful to work with/for. I hope to see you soon. Merry Christmas. Nancy **Nancy Yon** ***Assistant Attorney General*** Office of General Counsel 264 Centennial Drive Stop 8196 Grand Forks, ND 58202-8196 701-777-6345 ndyon@nd.gov

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	rquinn@nd.gov
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 9:55:44.000 AM
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Recipients	dschaibley@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Head Start
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Body	Thanks, Dave. So you know, I have visited about this with Kirsten and also Chris Jones. Wayne **From:** Schaibley, David J. <dschaibley@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 16, 2021 3:58 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Pieske, Christopher S. <chpieske@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Head Start I'm not sure if you're looking for input from me, but I don't have suggested revisions. To the extent folks might be interested in DPI's/the Superintendent's perspective, her authority is generally limited to elementary-secondary schools/school-aged children and does not extend to the pre-K/Head Start level (a separation reinforced further just this past session when the limited early childhood programming she did have some authority over was moved from DPI to DHS). So she is generally ..... disinclined .... to weigh in on such matters. **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021 4:51 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Pieske, Christopher S. <chpieske@nd.gov>; Schaibley, David J. <dschaibley@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Head Start FYI, see message below from "other" state counsel. ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Friends – attached is the most updated draft of the complaint. The State-specific allegations for plaintiffs and states are still a work in progress, but we have a robust coalition. Several states have sent me some suggested revisions, including minimizing allegations that get into efficacy of vaccines. I agree with that approach. I didn't take it all out but modified some paragraphs and deleted others. I worked on amplifying State standing allegations. Please provide me with signature blocks and any other recommendations. GA has provided a declaration, which may change a little but is provided for your reference. Also attached a draft Dec we are using with our program directors. If you have a superintendent of a public school system who is a willing declarant, it would be helpful for him/her to speak to blending of funds, need to lean on the state to backfill lost funding, educational opportunities lost and hindered for entering Kindergarten.

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	jthiel@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Christmas Luncheon
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/16/2021 4:58:59.000 PM
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Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
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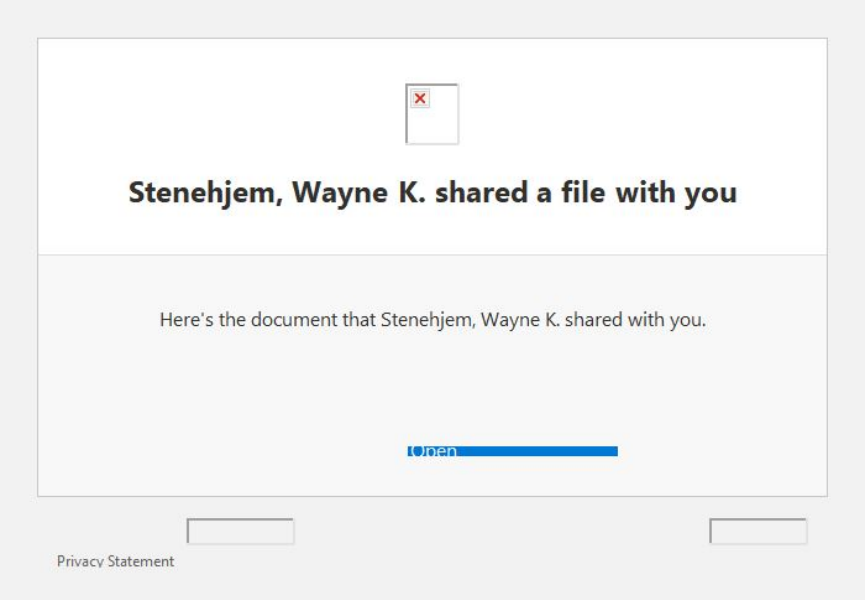
Body	
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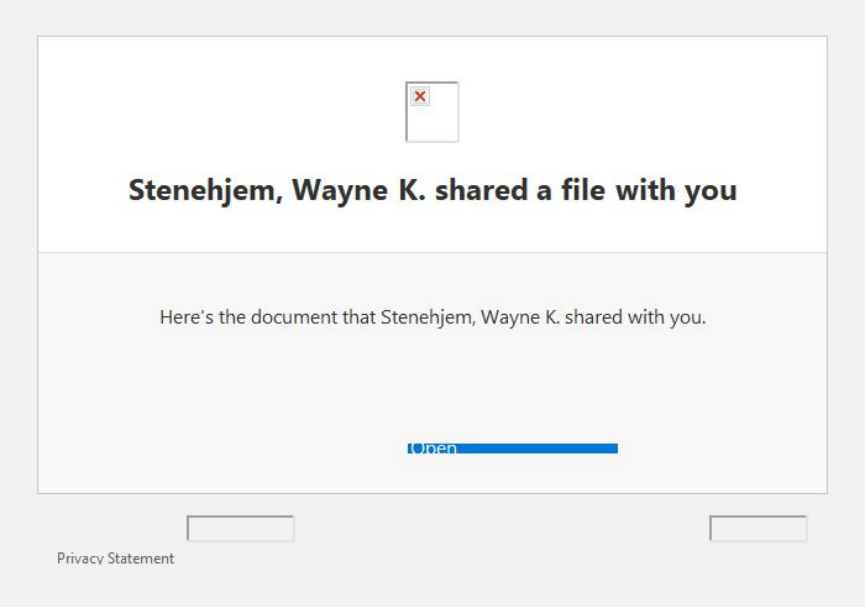
Body	
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Subject	To all staff
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Body	To my colleagues in the Office of Attorney General: For the last 22 years it has been my honor to work with the dedicated people in the office of Attorney General on behalf of the citizens of North Dakota. I have had to make many difficult decisions in that time, but never one as difficult as this one. After visiting with Beth and others, I have decided that this term will be my last. The decision has been a hard one because I have truly enjoyed my time in this office, and that is in large part because I have been able to work with some of the most dedicated and loyal employees anyone could ask for. You are trusted colleagues, and for many of you, I regard you as dear friends. The citizens of North Dakota have seen fit to elect me to this important office six times and it has been an honor beyond measure. The end of my current term will mark 22 years as North Dakota's 29th Attorney General. For all but a couple of you, I'm the only boss in the office you've known. My current term runs through the end of 2022, and we still have lots of time to continue together the important work we have ahead of us. When you walk into the front of our office in the Capitol you see that composite photograph of all the people who have served North Dakota as Attorney General over the years. After my photo there are seven blank spots. Those spots are reserved for the people who will come after me. I know that whoever is fortunate enough to have his or her photo included after mine will inherit a talented, dedicated group of employees who come to work every day with the goal of keeping North Dakota the very best place to work and live. I wish you all the best of the Holiday Season, and look forward to continuing to work with you through 2022! Warmly, *Wayne*

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Subject	RE: BURGUM STATEMENT ON ATTORNEY GENERAL WAYNE STENEHJEM NOT SEEKING RE-ELECTION IN 2022
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Body	Thanks so much, Mike. This means a lot. Wayne **From:** Nowatzki, Mike <mnowatzki@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 11:30 AM **To:** Nowatzki, Mike <mnowatzki@nd.gov> **Subject:** BURGUM STATEMENT ON ATTORNEY GENERAL WAYNE STENEHJEM NOT SEEKING RE-ELECTION IN 2022 **NEWS: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** **Burgum releases statement on Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem not seeking re-election in 2022** VIEW THIS RELEASE ONLINE: governor.ND.gov **BISMARCK, N.D. (DEC. 17, 2021)** – Gov. Doug Burgum released the following statement after North Dakota Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem announced today he will not seek re-election in 2022. Stenehjem is the longest-serving attorney general in North Dakota history, having held the position for 21 years. He was elected as the state's 29th attorney general in 2000 and was re-elected in 2004, 2006, 2010, 2014 and 2018. Stenehjem also served in the North Dakota Legislature for 24 years, including four years in the House and 20 years in the Senate, where he was chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee from 1995-2000. "Wayne Stenehjem is the epitome of a dedicated public servant. We are deeply grateful for his more than four decades of exemplary service to the State of North Dakota, both as a legislator and attorney general, a position he held longer than his three predecessors combined," Burgum said. "As the state's top law enforcement officer for more than 20 years, Wayne's chief concern has always been the safety and well-being of North Dakota citizens, and our state is a better place because of his devoted service. We very much look forward to partnering with him on important initiatives during his remaining time in office to keep our state moving forward." — # # # — - **CONTACT:** Mike Nowatzki mnowatzki@nd.gov 701.328.2424 Mike Kennedy mikekennedy@nd.gov 701.328.2937 *600 E Boulevard Ave.* *Bismarck ND 58505-0001* PHONE *701.328.2200* -
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Recipients	pgrossman@nd.gov
Subject	RE: USDA Letter
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Body	Thanks, Parrell. Please let them know ND is happy to join. Wayne **From:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 1:57 PM **To:** Kit Wendtland <kit.wendtland@wyo.gov> **Cc:** Odette, Elizabeth <Elizabeth.Odette@ag.state.mn.us>; Alm, Elin S. <ealm@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: USDA Letter Thanks, Kit and I appreciate the telephone call. I just sent a reminder to Attorney General Stenehjem with my recommendation to join. I know he is very busy and I'm certain he will give this matter his attention as soon as possible. I know that he appreciates that General Hill and General Ellison joined in North Dakota's earlier letter urging USDOJ to investigate the meat packing industry and he continues to be very concerned about this topic. Have a good weekend and same to you, Elizabeth! *Parrell* Parrell D. Grossman Assistant Attorney General Director Consumer Protection & Antitrust Division Office of Attorney General 1720 Burlington Drive, Suite C Bismarck, ND 58504-7736* (701)328-5570 (701)328-5568 (Fax) pgrossman@nd.gov www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov **Confidentiality Notice:** This electronic mail transmission is intended for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain confidential information belonging to the sender. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution, or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify the sender immediately by e-mail and delete the original message. **From:** Kit Wendtland <kit.wendtland@wyo.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 1:50 PM **To:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov> **Subject:** USDA Letter ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hi Parrell, Thanks again for your time. Below is a list of current signatories: Sponsors: MN, WY Signatories: ID, IA, DE, IL, RI, CA There are a number of other states' AG's that I can't disclose who are considering, both (R) and (D) Thanks, and feel free to reach out with any questions. -- Kit Wendtland Assistant Attorney General Consumer Protection Unit, Tobacco Settlement State of Wyoming 2320 Capitol Avenue Cheyenne, WY 82002 Telephone: (307)-777-3795 kit.wendtland@wyo.gov This e-mail transmission and any attachments to it contains information from the Wyoming Attorney General's Office, which is confidential and/or privileged. The information is intended to be solely for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you are not the intended recipient, any disclosure, copying, distribution or the use of the contents of this information is prohibited. If you have received this e-mail in error, please immediately notify me by telephone or return e-mail so that I can arrange for the deletion of the information and destruction of any copies that have been made at no cost to you. E-Mail to and from me, in connection with the transaction of public business, is subject to the Wyoming Public Records Act and may be disclosed to third parties.

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Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
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Recipients	aeisenbeis@nd.gov
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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/17/2021 4:08:23.000 PM
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Body	Oh. I thought you were going to do a Vacancy Announcement for this end of the hallway! Wayne Have a nice weekend. **From:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 3:49 PM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** Vacancy Announcement for the Civil Ligation, Natural Resources, and Indian Affairs Division Hello, Attached is the Vacancy Announcement for a Legal Assistant position available at the Civil Ligation, Natural Resources, and Indian Affairs Division. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this opening. Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email:** aeisenbeis@nd.gov **Phone: 701-328-1256**

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Body	Actually, that's great news! Eliminates a conflict with the IC! Wayne **From:** sebyp@gtlaw.com <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 4:09 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Supreme Court Electronic Filing System ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Apologies- my email earlier misstated the date as Feb 22. The correct date is February 28th . The Court's website now shows the consolidated cases are the only argument set for February 28th **Oral Arguments** **Week of Monday, February 28** **Monday, February 28** West Virginia v. EPA (20-1530) North American Coal Corp. v. EPA (20-1531) Westmoreland Mining Holdings v. EPA (20-1778) North Dakota v. EPA (20-1780) *Consolidated* Paul M. Seby Tel 303.572.6584 **From:** Seby, Paul (Shld-DEN-Env) **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 2:11 PM **To:** 'Stenehjem, Wayne K.' <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Supreme Court Electronic Filing System The Supreme Court has just set February 22, 2022 for oral argument Paul M. Seby Tel 303.572.6584 **From:** efilingsupport@supremecourt.gov <efilingsupport@supremecourt.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 2:09 PM **To:** Seby, Paul (Shld-DEN-Env) <sebyp@gtlaw.com> **Subject:** Supreme Court Electronic Filing System ***EXTERNAL TO GT*** A new docket entry, "ARGUMENT SET FOR Monday, February 28, 2022. VIDED." has been added for North Dakota, Petitioner v. Environmental Protection Agency, et al.. If you are not an intended recipient of confidential and privileged information in this email, please delete it, notify us immediately at postmaster@gtlaw.com, and do not use or disseminate the information.
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Body	**From:** North Dakota Young Republicans <chair@ndyr.org> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 10:07 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Wayne Stenehjem <wstenehjem@aol.com> **Cc:** -Info-Attorney General <ndag@nd.gov> **Subject:** Invitation to NDYR Convention ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hello Mr. Stenehjem, Happy December! In making preparations for year-end, we wanted to let you know about an exciting event happening in early January. On January 15th at around 3:00pm, we will host the annual North Dakota Young Republicans State Convention in Bismarck. It's been a wild year. As Young Republicans, we've observed our first year of President Biden's attempt at #BuildBackBetter, and honestly, we think we could do "better." We are excited to meet with our membership for an update on what we've accomplished during this unprecedented time and vision casting for the future. This convention will focus on hosting Republican speakers campaigning in the 2022 election, YR bylaws, updates, and recruitment. I would like to extend an invitation for you to speak at our meeting. I want to thank you for your years of service, and ask you to address our body in your final year of office. I would also like to humbly ask you to consider donating financially to the cause of the organization. Our convention is always a grand event and does make up a significant portion of our yearly budget. What YR's lack in finances, we make up in energy and ambition. Thank you for your support as we endeavor to continue to provide leadership & direction for this organization. We would be delighted to see you on January 15. - NDYR State Chair Daryle Mindeman & Executive Committee NDYR State Convention: Saturday, January 15, 2022 (Registration at 2:00pm, call to order at 2:50pm, with speakers until 4:15pm) Location: Capitol Heights Baptist Church 4307 43rd Ave NE, Bismarck, ND 58503 ww.ndyr.org/2021convention -- Daryle Mindema Chairman, N Dakota Your Republicans 701.580.938 chair@ndyr www.ndyr.or Bismarck, NI

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Body	Thanks so much, Kerrie. I consider it a privilege to work with you all this time! It was nice to visit with you last week! Best to you and yours at Christmas. Wayne **From:** Helm, Kerrie L. <khelm@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 6:47 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: To all staff Wayne, Congratulations on your well-deserved retirement! Your announcement makes me happy for you, but sad for me. It has been such a privilege to serve for a man with such integrity. Thank you for the kindness you have always shown to me and my family. You have been so good to me, it is why I have stayed for the past 33 years. I am excited to see all the adventures of Wayne and Beth ☺ *Kerrie* **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 10:20 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** To all staff To my colleagues in the Office of Attorney General: For the last 22 years it has been my honor to work with the dedicated people in the office of Attorney General on behalf of the citizens of North Dakota. I have had to make many difficult decisions in that time, but never one as difficult as this one. After visiting with Beth and others, I have decided that this term will be my last. The decision has been a hard one because I have truly enjoyed my time in this office, and that is in large part because I have been able to work with some of the most dedicated and loyal employees anyone could ask for. You are trusted colleagues, and for many of you, I regard you as dear friends. The citizens of North Dakota have seen fit to elect me to this important office six times and it has been an honor beyond measure. The end of my current term will mark 22 years as North Dakota's 29th Attorney General. For all but a couple of you, I'm the only boss in the office you've known. My current term runs through the end of 2022, and we still have lots of time to continue together the important work we have ahead of us. When you walk into the front of our office in the Capitol you see that composite photograph of all the people who have served North Dakota as Attorney General over the years. After my photo there are seven blank spots. Those spots are reserved for the people who will come after me. I know that whoever is fortunate enough to have his or her photo included after mine will inherit a talented, dedicated group of employees who come to work every day with the goal of keeping North Dakota the very best place to work and live. I wish you all the best of the Holiday Season, and look forward to continuing to work with you through 2022! Warmly, *Wayne*

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Body	Thanks for your email. This idea was floated a couple of sessions ago, and never really got much traction. [Indigent defense needed a lot more than the small amount of money generated by asset forfeiture.] Best to you for Christmas and for 2022! Wayne **From:** Satrom, Bernie L. <blsatrom@nd.gov> **Sent:** Saturday, December 18, 2021 9:04 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Idea There has been a little accusation of policing for profit in our civil asset forfeiture. Some states are using it for indigent defense. Any thoughts? Bernie Rep. Bernie Satrom

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Body	Thanks for your email. This idea was floated a couple of sessions ago, and never really got much traction. [Indigent defense needed a lot more than the small amount of money generated by asset forfeiture.] Best to you for Christmas and for 2022! Wayne **From:** Satrom, Bernie L. <blsatrom@nd.gov> **Sent:** Saturday, December 18, 2021 9:04 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Idea There has been a little accusation of policing for profit in our civil asset forfeiture. Some states are using it for indigent defense. Any thoughts? Bernie Rep. Bernie Satrom

Record 1708

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Preliminary Homicide list for 2021
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 8:34:13.000 AM
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Body	Can you print this on the color printer, please **From:** Weltz, Colleen A. <cweltz@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 12:12 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Preliminary Homicide list for 2021 Here you go! Colleen Weltz NIBRS/UCR Program Manager ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation 701-328-5527 www.attorneygeneral.nd.gov Have a nice day!
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Record 1709

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
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Record 1710

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	Travis.Svihovec@bismarcktribune.com
Subject	RE: Thanks
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 8:37:25.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 8:37:25.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 8:37:00.000 AM

Body	Thanks so much, Travis. I'm glad to hear that the scotcheroos made it all the way to you! It's been a pleasure to work with you as well, You always dig in and get it right. Looking forward to working with you in 2022, and wishing you the very Happiest of the Christmas season! Wayne **From:** Travis Svihovec <Travis.Svihovec@bismarcktribune.com> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 11:51 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Thanks ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good morning Mr. Stenehjem, Just a note to say thanks for your years of service to North Dakota. I enjoyed working with you on stories and always appreciated your knowledge of topics and your willingness to give me some of your time. Thanks too for letting Jack take those Scotcheroos. He was kind enough to share them, and honestly I'm not sure I would have done that. Please tell Beth hers are still the best I've ever had. Wishing you all the best, TS Travis Svihovec Reporter Bismarck Tribune 701-250-8260

Record 1711

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	Travis.Svihovec@bismarcktribune.com
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Record 1712

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov

Subject	FW: To all staff
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 8:59:23.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 8:59:00.000 AM
Body	Is there really a photo of me and Pat that I haven't signed? Wayne **From:** PH420 <ph420@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 8:57 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: To all staff Wayne, Congratulations! I know I'm at the age where I'm looking forward to retirement. I can only hope that the next AG is as good as you have been to us. It's a bittersweet time for you and us at BCI. You were right, when you said you were the only AG I knew since I was hired. I'd like to ask that before you go, you find time to autograph the picture of us when I was hired on. It's something that I will display proudly. North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigations Special Agent Pat Helfrich PO Box 1054 Bismarck, ND 58502-1054 phone: 701-328-5500 fax: 701-328-5510 email: ph420@nd.gov **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 10:20 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** To all staff To my colleagues in the Office of Attorney General: For the last 22 years it has been my honor to work with the dedicated people in the office of Attorney General on behalf of the citizens of North Dakota. I have had to make many difficult decisions in that time, but never one as difficult as this one. After visiting with Beth and others, I have decided that this term will be my last. The decision has been a hard one because I have truly enjoyed my time in this office, and that is in large part because I have been able to work with some of the most dedicated and loyal employees anyone could ask for. You are trusted colleagues, and for many of you, I regard you as dear friends. The citizens of North Dakota have seen fit to elect me to this important office six times and it has been an honor beyond measure. The end of my current term will mark 22 years as North Dakota's 29th Attorney General. For all but a couple of you, I'm the only boss in the office you've known. My current term runs through the end of 2022, and we still have lots of time to continue together the important work we have ahead of us. When you walk into the front of our office in the Capitol you see that composite photograph of all the people who have served North Dakota as Attorney General over the years. After my photo there are seven blank spots. Those spots are reserved for the people who will come after me. I know that whoever is fortunate enough to have his or her photo included after mine will inherit a talented, dedicated group of employees who come to work every day with the goal of keeping North Dakota the very best place to work and live. I wish you all the best of the Holiday Season, and look forward to continuing to work with you through 2022! Warmly, *Wayne*
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Record 1713

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	FW: To all staff
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Record 1714

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	sg414@nd.gov
Subject	RE: To all staff
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 9:01:37.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 9:01:37.000 AM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/20/2021 9:01:00.000 AM

Body	Not to put too fine a point on it, Steve, but you've been one of the best. Leaving the dedicated agents at BCI is one of the hardest things about my decision. Wayne Merry Christmas to you and your family! **From:** SG414 <sg414@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 8:17 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: To all staff Congratulations Sir!!! I was hoping to talk you into one more term but it will be a well deserved retirement.. Steve Gilpin Special Agent ND Bureau of Criminal Investigation GFNTF Coordinator §44-04-18.3 sg414@nd.gov **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 10:20 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** To all staff To my colleagues in the Office of Attorney General: For the last 22 years it has been my honor to work with the dedicated people in the office of Attorney General on behalf of the citizens of North Dakota. I have had to make many difficult decisions in that time, but never one as difficult as this one. After visiting with Beth and others, I have decided that this term will be my last. The decision has been a hard one because I have truly enjoyed my time in this office, and that is in large part because I have been able to work with some of the most dedicated and loyal employees anyone could ask for. You are trusted colleagues, and for many of you, I regard you as dear friends. The citizens of North Dakota have seen fit to elect me to this important office six times and it has been an honor beyond measure. The end of my current term will mark 22 years as North Dakota's 29th Attorney General. For all but a couple of you, I'm the only boss in the office you've known. My current term runs through the end of 2022, and we still have lots of time to continue together the important work we have ahead of us. When you walk into the front of our office in the Capitol you see that composite photograph of all the people who have served North Dakota as Attorney General over the years. After my photo there are seven blank spots. Those spots are reserved for the people who will come after me. I know that whoever is fortunate enough to have his or her photo included after mine will inherit a talented, dedicated group of employees who come to work every day with the goal of keeping North Dakota the very best place to work and live. I wish you all the best of the Holiday Season, and look forward to continuing to work with you through 2022! Warmly, *Wayne*

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Record 1716

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	mspahr@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Merry Christmas
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Body	You are most welcome, Marina. Congratulations on your stellar job at getting our MFCU up and running with top staff and leadership. Merry Christmas to you! Wayne **From:** Spahr, Marina <mspahr@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 10:28 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** Merry Christmas I hope you have a wonderful holiday. Thank you for all of the support that you have given us. Marina
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Record 1718

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	jkthomps@nd.gov
Subject	RE: To all staff
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Body	Sorry we didn't get a chance to say Merry Christmas in person last week! Best to you for the Holidays! Wayne **From:** Thompson, Julie K. <jkthomps@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 9:19 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: To all staff Best wishes on your new adventures, from one of the "couple". LOL Have a Merry Christmas. Julie **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, December 17, 2021 10:20 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** To all staff To my colleagues in the Office of Attorney General: For the last 22 years it has been my honor to work with the dedicated people in the office of Attorney General on behalf of the citizens of North Dakota. I have had to make many difficult decisions in that time, but never one as difficult as this one. After visiting with Beth and others, I have decided that this term will be my last. The decision has been a hard one because I have truly enjoyed my time in this office, and that is in large part because I have been able to work with some of the most dedicated and loyal employees anyone could ask for. You are trusted colleagues, and for many of you, I regard you as dear friends. The citizens of North Dakota have seen fit to elect me to this important office six times and it has been an honor beyond measure. The end of my current term will mark 22 years as North Dakota's 29th Attorney General. For all but a couple of you, I'm the only boss in the office you've known. My current term runs through the end of 2022, and we still have lots of time to continue together the important work we have ahead of us. When you walk into the front of our office in the Capitol you see that composite photograph of all the people who have served North Dakota as Attorney General over the years. After my photo there are seven blank spots. Those spots are reserved for the people who will come after me. I know that whoever is fortunate enough to have his or her photo included after mine will inherit a talented, dedicated group of employees who come to work every day with the goal of keeping North Dakota the very best place to work and live. I wish you all the best of the Holiday Season, and look forward to continuing to work with you through 2022! Warmly, *Wayne*

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Record 1720

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	mhathaway@nd.gov
Subject	RE: I was wrong twice
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Body	Thanks, Mark. Great to see you and Julie on Friday. Merry Christmas! Wayne **From:** Hathaway, Mark <mhathaway@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 4:40 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** I was wrong twice When you asked me where Marina was from I gave you the wrong answer twice. So I asked her. She is actually from Baku, Azerbaijan originally. She did live in Russia for a time. Mark Hathaway Database Design Analyst

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com
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Record 1723

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Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com
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Record 1724

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Court Grants Preliminary Injunction in Fed. Contractor Case/Applies to ND
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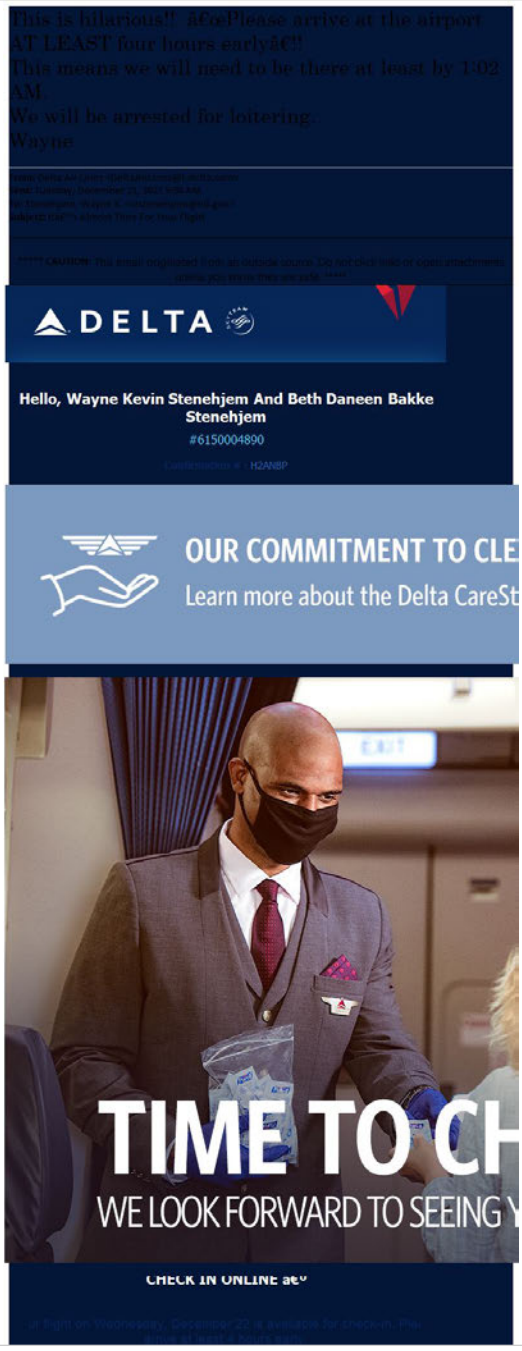
Body	This is hilarious!! â€œPlease arrive at the airport AT LEAST four hours earlyâ€!! This means we will need to be there at least by 1:02 AM. We will be arrested for loitering. Wayne 

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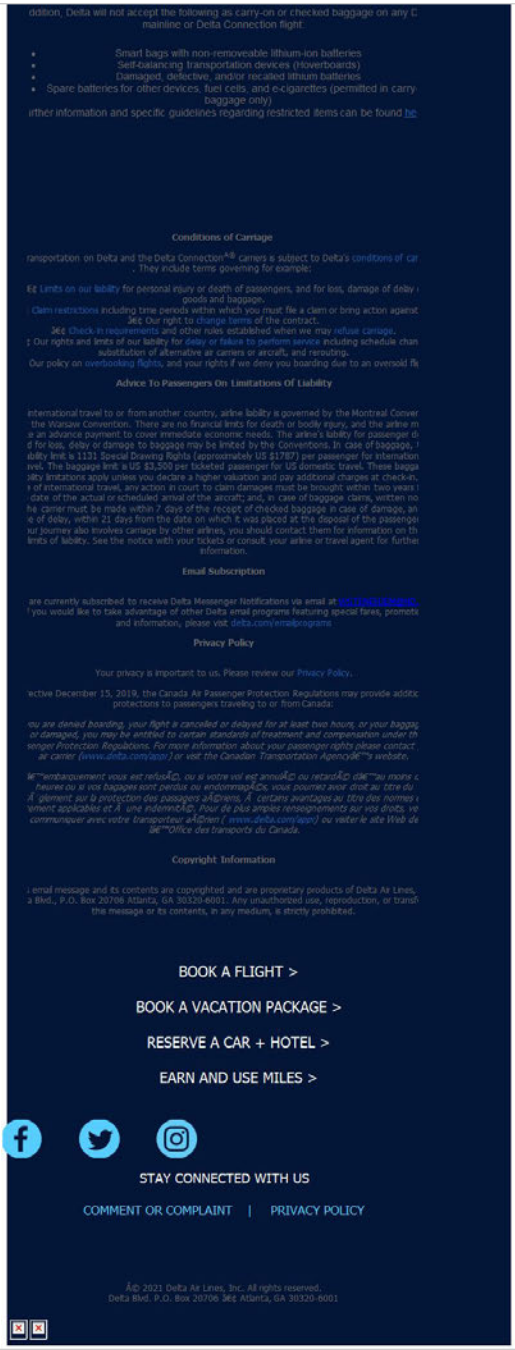
Body	

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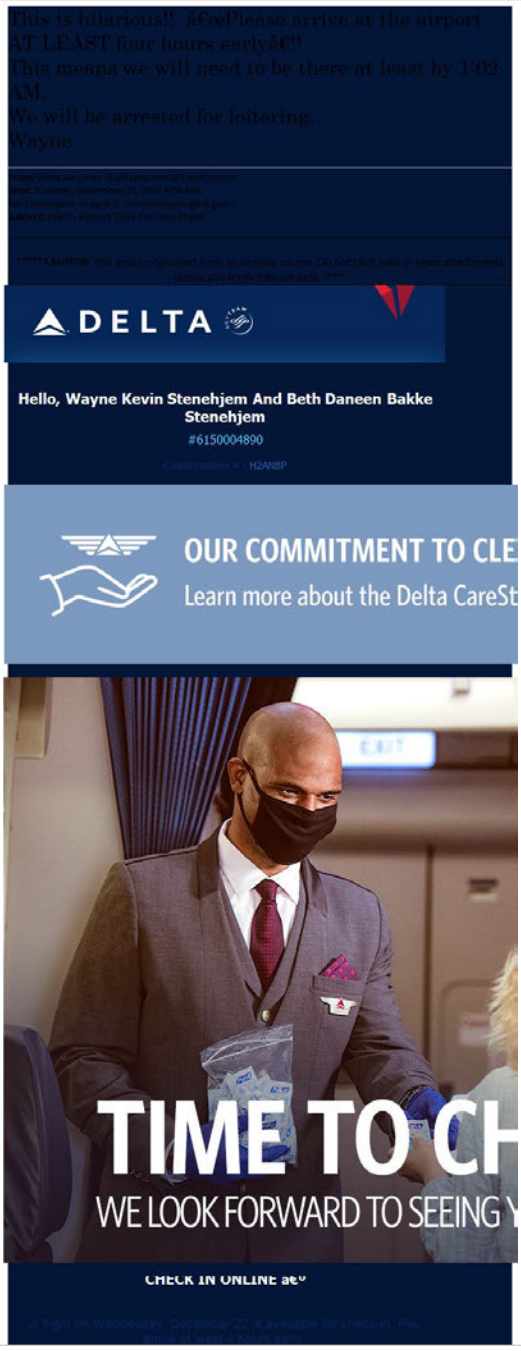
Body	

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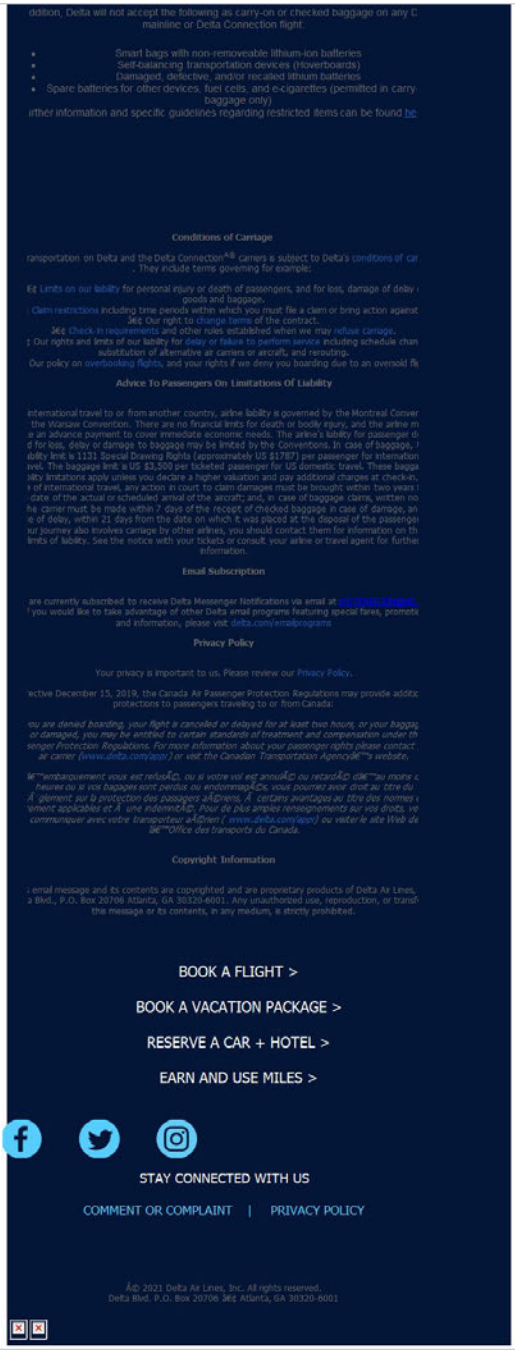
Body	

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We wanted to let you know about a multi-state amicus brief we plan on circulating late this week or early next week. The amicus brief would support challenges to SEC approval of a NASDAQ proposed "diversity" requirement. That requirement (discussed in greater detail below) adopts one of the crudest and most odious tool available to the government: race- and sex-based quotas. All companies that fail to satisfy those quotas would be compelled to make statements explaining (i.e., apologizing for) their failure to do so.

Challenges to SEC's approval have been consolidated in the Fifth Circuit. One opening brief challenging the rule has already been filed (attached). Another will be filed on December 20, so our amicus brief will be due December 27.

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No. I am leaving town today, back on Dec. 31. Have a Merry Christmas!

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So far we have Louisiana, Montana, Alaska, Arkansas.

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Hi all,

Here is a very slightly updated version of the amicus brief supporting the challenges to SEC's/Nasdaq's explicit race- and sex-based quotas, and last call for sign-ons.

Thanks to everyone that has joined so far. We are currently at 8 states: Arizona, Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, and South Carolina.

We can accept sign-ons until **tomorrow, Monday, December 27 at 5pm EST.** Please also let us know if you have any questions, concerns, or edits.

Sincerely,
Drew

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Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:14 PM
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Hi all,

Attached is a slightly updated version of the Fifth Circuit amicus brief for the Nasdaq/SEC Quota Rule challenge. So far Alaska, Arkansas, and Montana have joined.

Basically, the brief makes two points that are probably pretty uncontroversial for this group: (1) explicit race- and sex-based quotas are bad and violate the Constitution and (2) SEC cannot use a highly generalized and circumscribed grant of authority to intrude upon an area traditionally regulated by state law and in service of an agenda of restructuring society in the agency's own social-justice-minded image (while violating the Constitution in the process).

We will be able to accept sign-ons until **December 27 at 5pm Eastern.** Please let us know if you have any questions or would like to discuss any of this.

Sincerely,
Drew

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Thanks to everyone that has joined so far. We are currently at 8 states: Arizona, Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, and South Carolina.

We can accept sign-ons until **tomorrow, Monday, December 27 at 5pm EST.** Please also let us know if you have any questions, concerns, or edits.

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Recipients	rquinn@nd.gov
Subject	Re: CLD Statistics - November 2021
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/28/2021 2:29:40.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	12/28/2021 2:29:41.000 PM

Body	Thanks, Robyn, and Happy New Year to you as well! Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Quinn, Robyn <rquinn@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2021 3:28:23 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** CLD Statistics - November 2021 Good Afternoon. Attached please find statistics for November 2021 for the CLD. Let me know if you have any questions or need additional information. Happy New Year! Robyn
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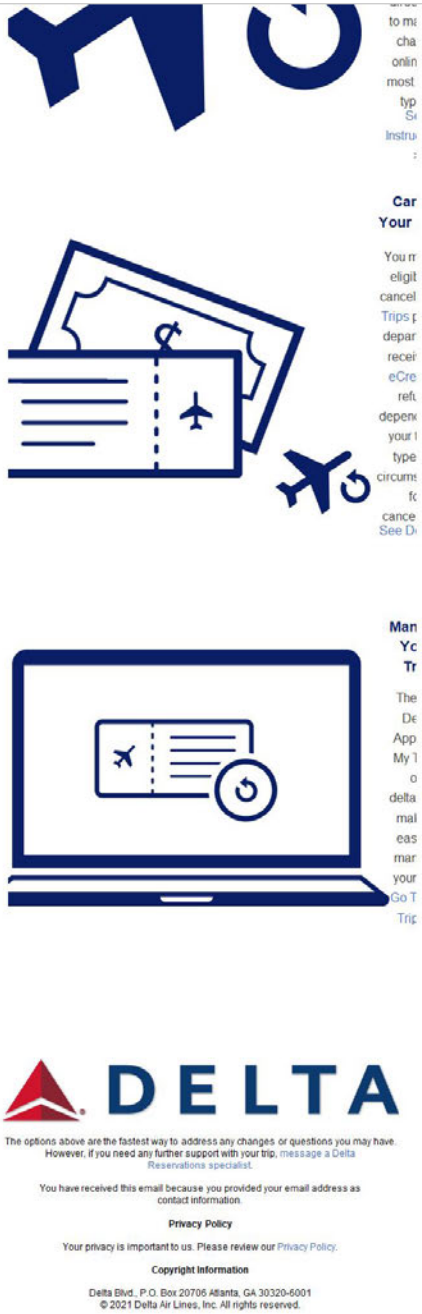
Body	

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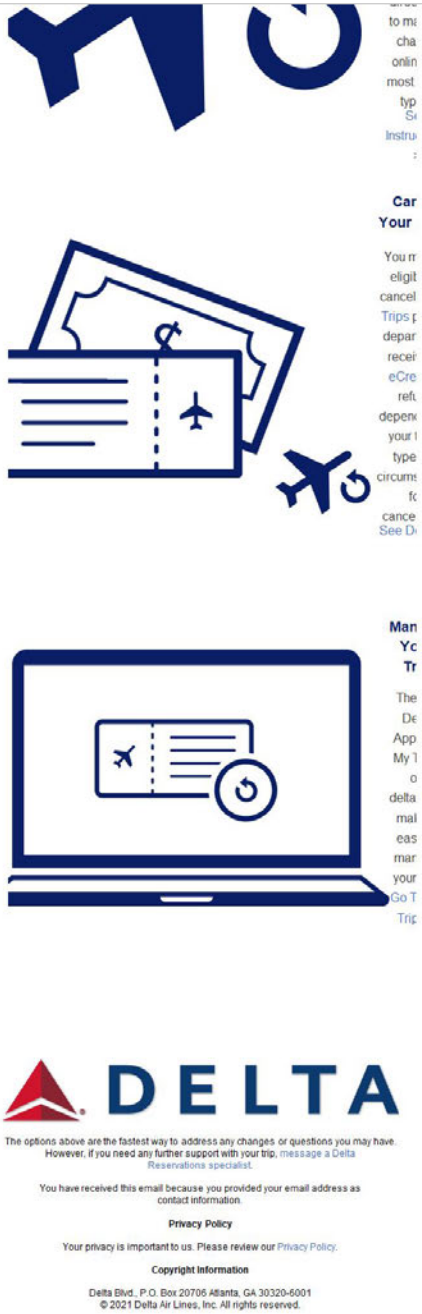
Body	

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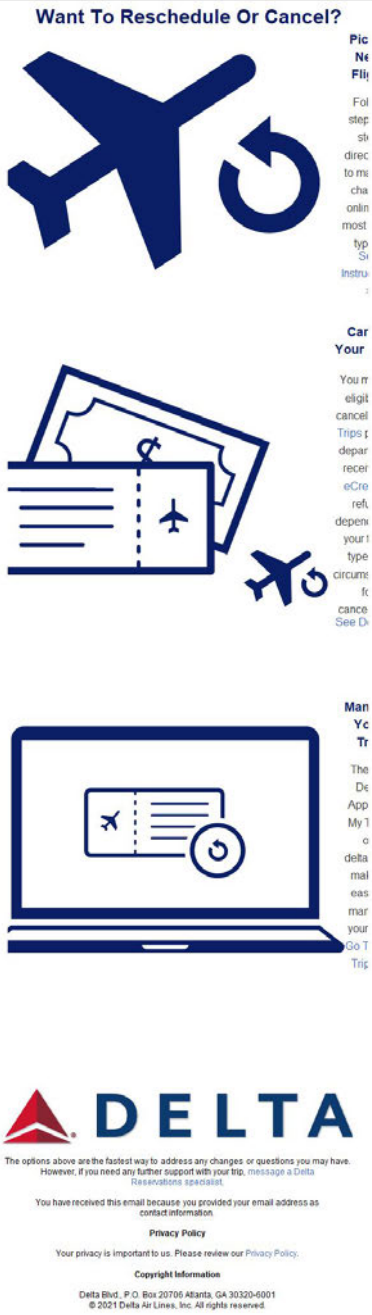
Body	

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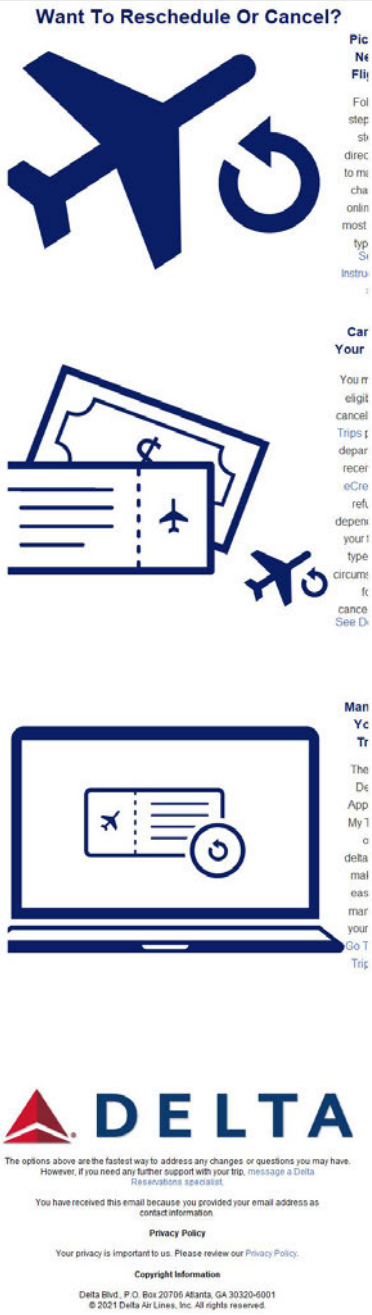
Body	

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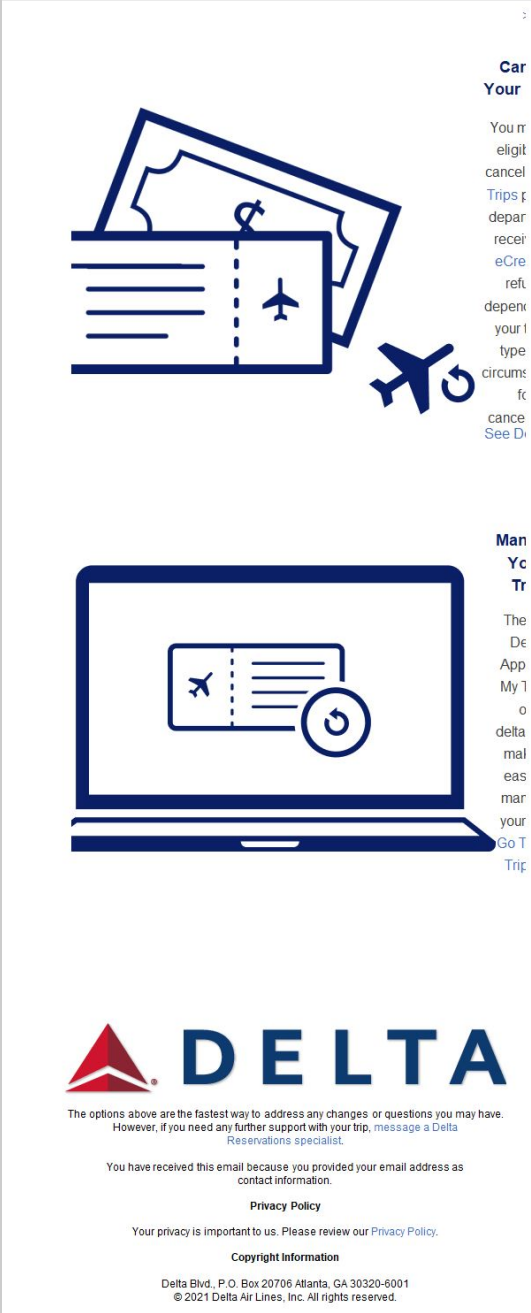
Body	

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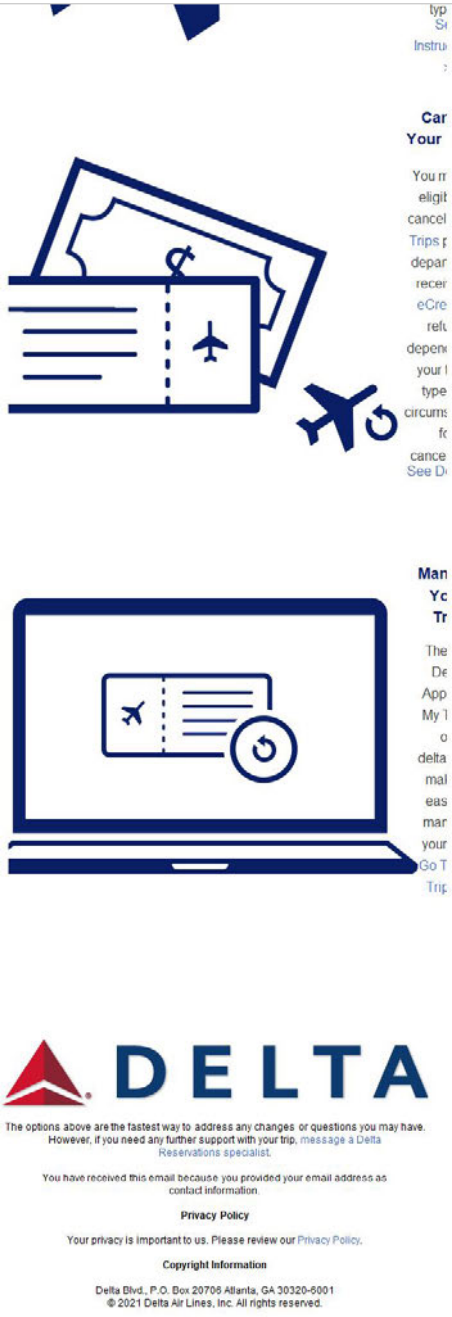
Body	

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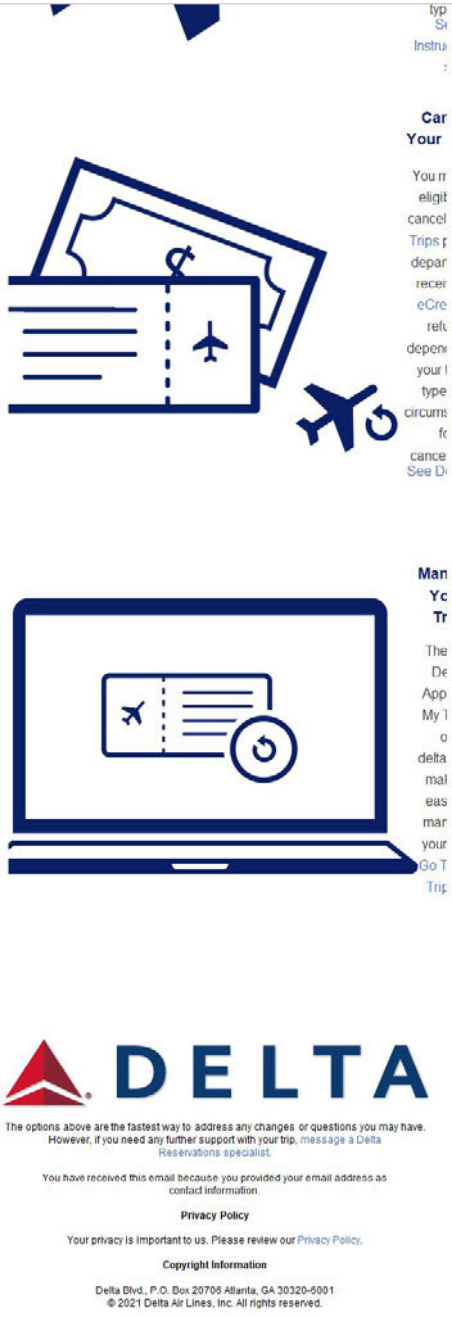
Body	

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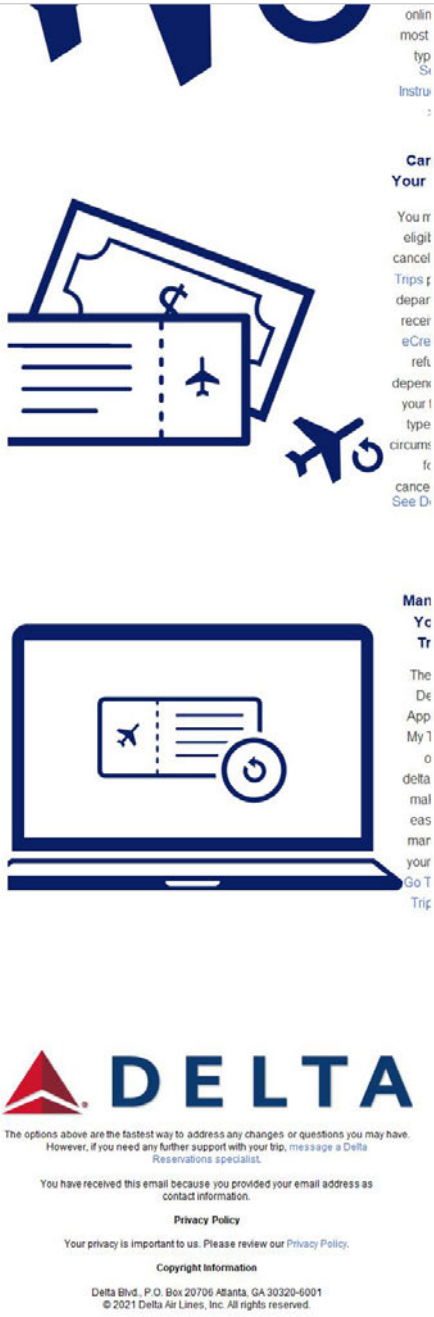
Body	

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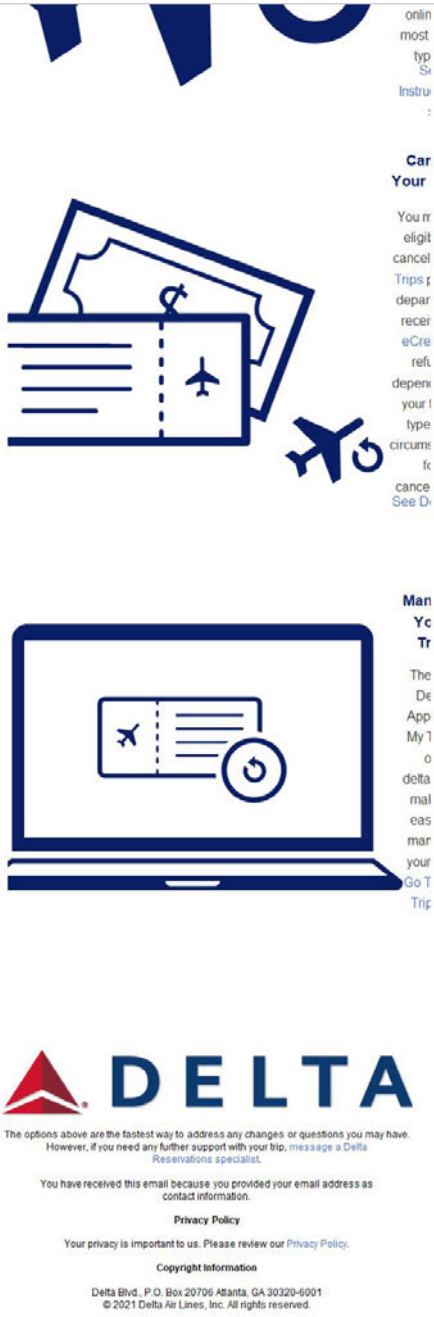
Body	

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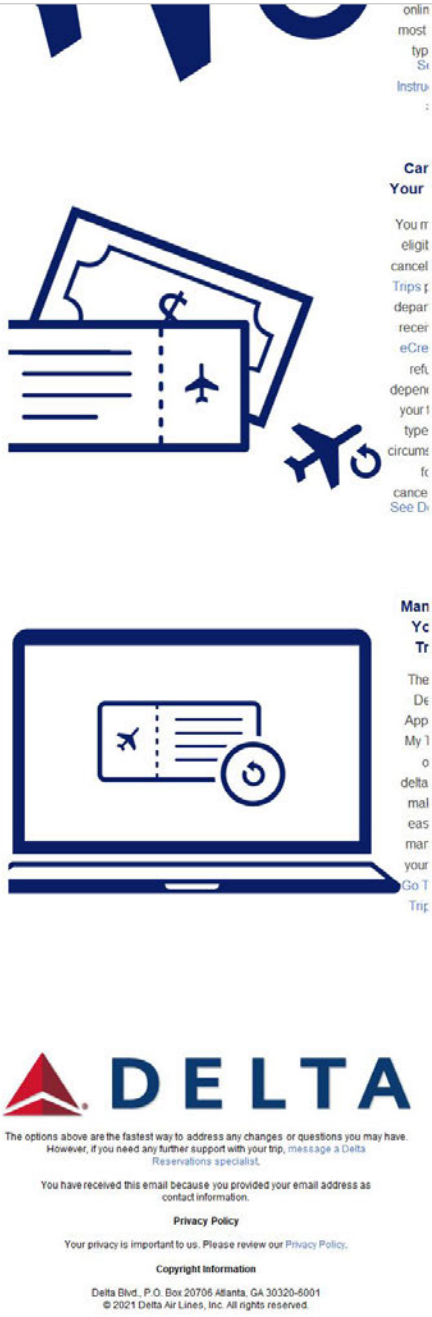
Body	

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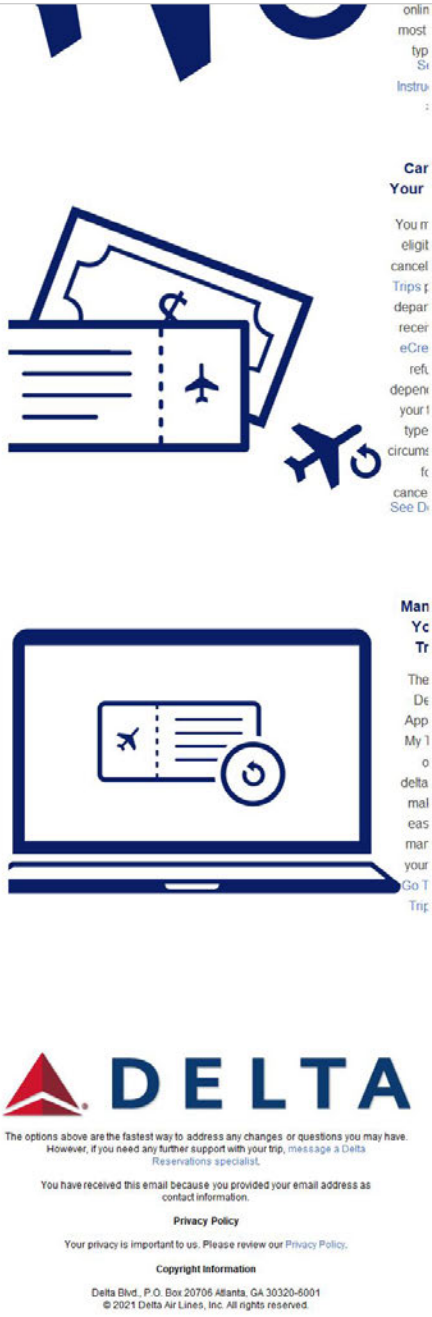
Body	

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Body	Thanks for the information, Doug. Happy New Year Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Nelson, Douglas D. <ddnelson@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 12:07:03 PM **To:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: FSRI Journal Article Addresses Airborne Contamination During Post-Fire Investigations Hi Wayne and Troy, Attached the conclusion paragraph from the report noted below. I know you don't have time to read a whole research report on this, so I included the short conclusion synopsis so that you would have time to read if you were interested. Just some new research as to the airborne hazards that fire investigators are exposed to when examining a scene. And if you don't have time, no worries or expectations, just sharing information, I know you are both very busy. Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks, Doug Nelson **From:** Jim Narva <jnarva@narvaassociates.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 21, 2021 12:26 PM **To:** Jim Narva <jnarva@narvaassociates.com> **Subject:** FW: FSRI Journal Article Addresses Airborne Contamination During Post-Fire Investigations ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Dear NASFM Member, We are forwarding along a link to a publication from the UL Fire Safety Research Institute dealing with occupational exposures to fire investigators. Many of you have fire investigation within the responsibility of your office and this publication really shows the need to protect our fire investigators from airborne contaminations. If you have seen this I apologize for the duplication. Merry Christmas, Jim Narva NASFM Executive Director **From:** Williams, Jennifer <Jennifer.Williams@ul.org> **Sent:** Monday, December 20, 2021 8:50 AM **To:** Jon Narva <jon@NarvaAssociates.com>; Jim Narva <jnarva@narvaassociates.com>; respondermarketing <respondermarketing@gmail.com> **Subject:** FSRI Journal Article Addresses Airborne Contamination During Post-Fire Investigations Good morning, Hope you are having a safe and happy holiday season! Today we have announced our latest publication that may be of particular interest to NASFM. Most chemical exposure studies have primarily focused on firefighters during suppression or overhaul. However, as you know, fire investigators may be occupationally exposed to many of the same compounds but are often tasked with working on the scene for longer periods of time with limited PPE. Our latest peer-reviewed journal article highlights the need to protect investigators' airways from particulates during investigations and post-fire reconstruction activities. "Airborne contamination during post-fire investigations: hot, warm and cold scenes" was recently published in the Journal of Occupational and Environmental Hygiene. Learn more about the study and download the article here: https://s.ul.org/3yMRNFA Let us know if you have any questions about the study. We plan to highlight this again on our channels following the holidays. Thanks for all you do. Stay safe, **Jennifer Williams** **Senior Content Specialist** Fire Safety Research Institute --- Underwriters Laboratories Inc. 6200 Old Dobbin Lane, Suite 150 Columbia, MD 21045 USA C +1 240.401.0912 E jennifer.williams@ul.org W fsri.org CloseYourDoor.org Smokealarms.ul.org This e-mail may contain privileged or confidential information. If you are not the intended recipient: (1) you may not disclose, use, distribute, copy or rely upon this message or attachment(s); and (2) please notify the sender by reply e-mail, and then delete this message and its attachment(s). Underwriters Laboratories Inc. and its affiliates disclaim all liability for any errors, omissions, corruption or virus in this message or any attachments.
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From: Microsoft Outlook <MicrosoftExchange329e71ec88ae4615bbc36ab6ce41109e@NDGOV.onmicrosoft.com>
Sent: Wednesday, December 29, 2021 8:02:51 PM
To: reception.montergobay@riu.com <reception.montergobay@riu.com>
Subject: Undeliverable: Fwd: 195.01 - Ethics Commission Ron Goodman - OPINION

Office 365

Your message to reception.montergobay@riu.com couldn't be delivered.

reception.montergobay wasn't found at riu.com.

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Action Required		Recipient

Unknown To address

How to Fix It
The address may be misspelled or may not exist. Try one or more of the following:

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Status code: 550 5.1.1

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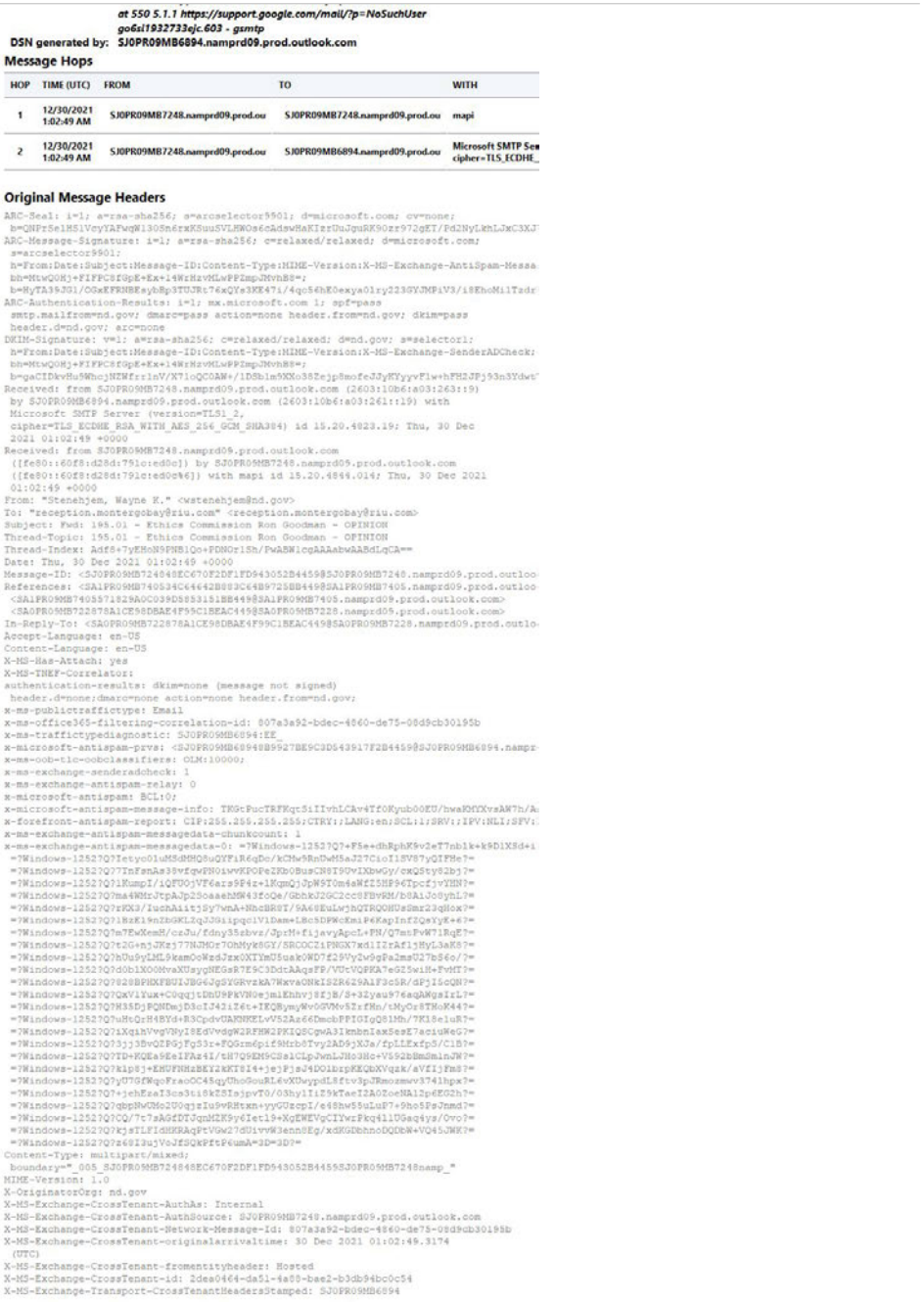
Body	
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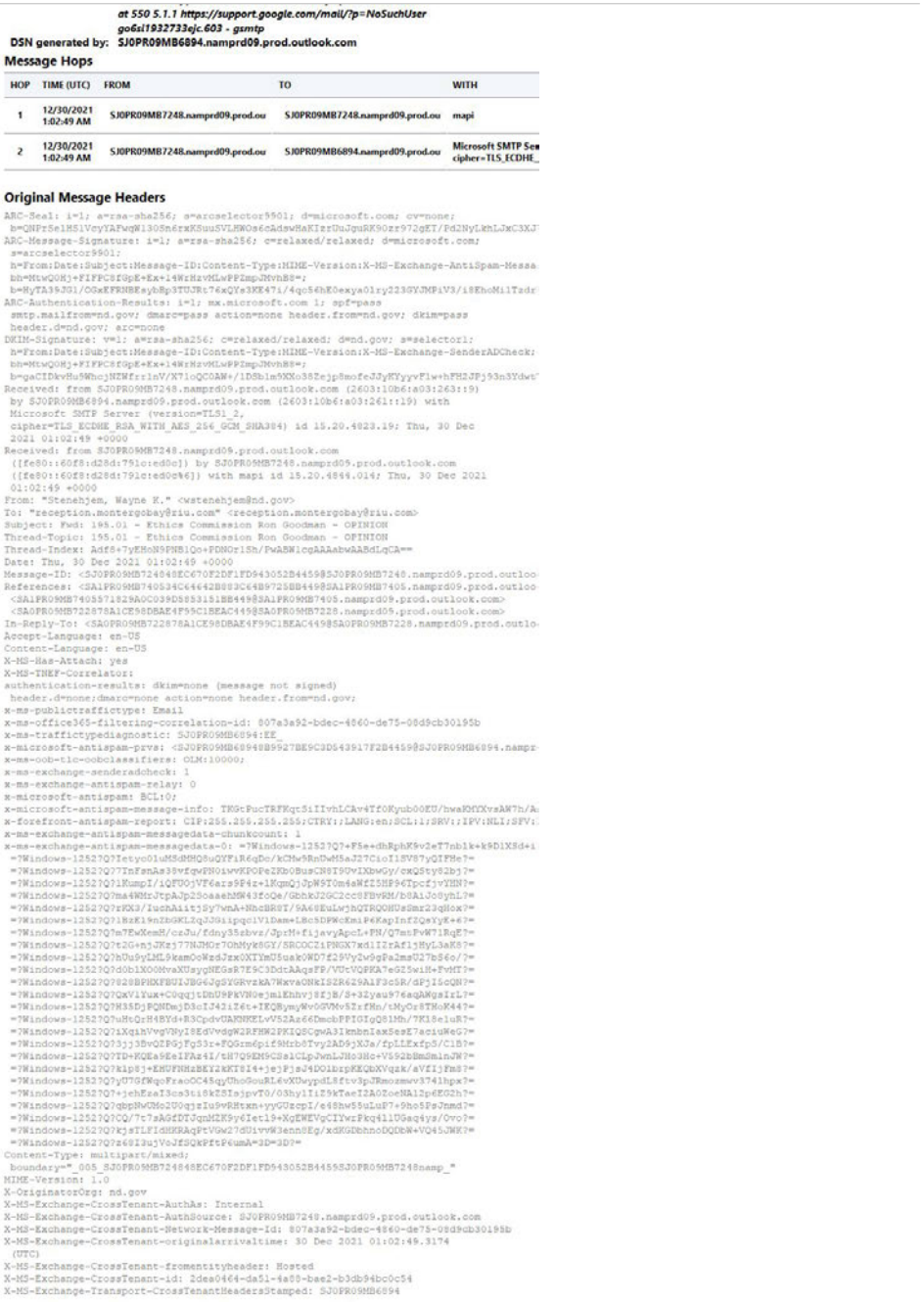
Body	
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Body	Unless you hear otherwise from me, join! Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grossman, Parrell D. <pgrossman@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, December 30, 2021 11:36:37 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fwd: NEW Robocall Sign-On for FCC Reply Comments on Gateway Providers; DEADLINE next Friday, Jan. 7 Wayne, I recommend we join in this sign-on. The deadline is January 7. Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Nayer, Tracy <Tnayer@ncdoj.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 12:41:20 PM **To:** Nayer, Tracy <tnayer@ncdoj.gov> **Cc:** David McCoy (ARK AG) <david.mccoy@arkansasag.gov>; 'Peggy Johnson (AR AG) (peggy.johnson@arkansasag.gov)' <peggy.johnson@arkansasag.gov>; Bingle, Brandon <bbingle@attorneygeneral.gov>; Abel, John <jabel@attorneygeneral.gov>; Ahmed, Nazneen <Nahmed@ncdoj.gov>; Abigail Stempson (NAAG) (astempson@naag.org) <astempson@naag.org>; Todd Leatherman (NAAG) (tleatherman@naag.org) <tleatherman@naag.org>; Ryan Greenstein (NAAG) <rgreenstein@naag.org>; Ashley Wynstra (NAAG) (awynstra@naag.org) <awynstra@naag.org>; Brewer, Laura <lbrewer@ncdoj.gov> **Subject:** NEW Robocall Sign-On for FCC Reply Comments on Gateway Providers; DEADLINE next Friday, Jan. 7 ******* CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good morning/afternoon, everyone, Attached is information that NAAG is sending to CP Chiefs and Chief Deputies/Chiefs of Staff about a robocall-related sign-on opportunity for Reply Comments to be filed with the FCC. These Reply Comments support the FCC's proposal to place new obligations on gateway providers that serve as the U.S. point of entry for foreign-originated illegal robocalls. This effort is co-sponsored by Arkansas, Pennsylvania, and North Carolina. Attached is a copy of the FNPRM, the sign-on memo and form, and of course the Reply Comments. If you are interested in joining as a signatory to these Reply Comments, please complete and **return the sign-on form to me (tnayer@ncdoj.gov), Ryan Greenstein at NAAG (rgreenstein@naag.org), and Ashley Wynstra at NAAG (awynstra@naag.org) by NEXT Friday, January 7, 2022, at 3:00 pm ET.** *NOTE: The FCC filing is the following Monday, so we do have a bit of wiggle room if you need a few more hours beyond the 3pm ET deadline. Just keep me posted on your progress.* YES, because of the holidays, this is an abbreviated sign-on period, since none of us should be checking email right now. And, YES, it is almost New Year's, and I sincerely apologize for intruding on your holiday (I, too, planned to turn off notifications on my email right now, I promise!!). The delays in getting this to you lay squarely at the feet of North Carolina, so please direct your rightful indignation in my direction. NC's co-sponsors do not deserve your ire, and have been extraordinarily gracious and collaborative partners in this effort. HOWEVER, these Reply Comments need and deserve 51 sign-ons, because they concern important next steps in our collective advocacy and are absolutely significant and consequential. So PLEASE do not take your frustration in the timing of this sign-on out on the effort, because it is a worthy one. If you have any questions about the Reply Comments as you consider joining, please feel free to contact any of the following members of the Robocall Technologies Working Group Executive Committee: • John Abel in PA (jabel@attorneygeneral.gov) • Brandon Bingle in PA (bbingle@attorneygeneral.gov) • David McCoy in AR (david.mccoy@arkansasag.gov) • Peggy Johnson in AR (peggy.johnson@arkansasag.gov) • Tracy Nayer in NC (tnayer@ncdoj.gov). Press will be coordinated for this sign-on through North Carolina's press office. Please direct all press related inquiries to NC's Press Secretary Nazneen Ahmed at Nahmed@ncdoj.gov or 919-716-0060. Thanks so much, and I hope you and your families enjoy a safely festive New Year's!! Tracy **Tracy Nayer** Assistant Attorney General North Carolina Department of Justice Consumer Protection Division (919) 716-6581 tnayer@ncdoj.gov Post Office Box 629, Raleigh, NC 27602 ncdoj.gov Please note messages to or from this address may be public records.
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Body	You are most welcome, Tegan! Happy New Year and looking forward to seeing you in Colorado next month! Wayne **From:** Tegan White <TWhite@agalliance.org> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 6:56 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Karen White <karen.white@agalliance.org> **Subject:** Thank you! ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Hello General! I wanted to email and say thank you very much for thinking of us this holiday season! You know how much we love our North Dakota flour! We have actually used one bag already! I feel lucky that we get to work with someone as kind and considerate as yourself! I hope you have a wonderful New Year and looking forward to seeing you in Avon! Thank you again, **Tegan White** Meetings and Events Coordinator Conference of Western Attorneys General *and* CWAG Alliance Partnership 5050 Laguna Blvd, Suite 112-323 Elk Grove, CA 95758 916-690-4353

Record 1826

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	pgrossman@nd.gov
Subject	RE: NEW Robocall Sign-On for FCC Reply Comments on Gateway Providers; DEADLINE next Friday , Jan. 7
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To: Nayer, Tracy <tnayer@ncdoj.gov>
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Recipients	wstenehjem@aol.com
Subject	FW: Koda Resources
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 9:44:00.000 AM

Body	**From:** Beth Bakke Stenehjem <bethbakke@aol.com> **Sent:** Monday, November 29, 2021 7:22 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fw: Koda Resources ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Sent from the all new AOL app for Android ----- Forwarded Message ----- **From:** "Aaron Michael" <amichael@lonetreeenergy.com> **To:** "bethbakke@aol.com" <bethbakke@aol.com> **Cc:** **Sent:** Wed, Nov 24, 2021 at 12:59 PM **Subject:** Koda Resources Beth, As we discussed Koda is willing to change the terms for the Surface use agreement to **$20K for the pad and 1 well bore and $3,500k, 5 cents per barrel, $2000 per acre over 10 acres.** I will ask Koda about bumping the disposal water to 10 cents and get back to you as soon as I hear. For Janelle and your open minerals the best I can get Koda to offer for a lease is $200, 3 yrs., and 18%. Aaron Michael Lonetree Energy & Assoc., LLC 701-253-0121
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Record 1830

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: meeting request
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	dietdoctorpepper@hotmail.com
Subject	photo
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 1:04:42.000 PM
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 1:04:00.000 PM
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 1:24:46.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/3/2022 1:24:00.000 PM
Body	**From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 1:15 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: AG Alliance Chair's Initiative Registration Information **Importance:** High May I register you for this event? Lodging is reserved by them, and I assume you will book your own flight rather than use the Egencia link? Liz **From:** Paige Stiles <pstiles@agalliance.org> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:45 PM **To:** Paige Stiles <pstiles@agalliance.org> **Cc:** Tegan White <TWhite@agalliance.org> **Subject:** AG Alliance Chair's Initiative Registration Information **Importance:** High ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Dear Attorney General, On behalf of the Attorney General Alliance and Chair and Colorado Attorney General Phil Weiser, we looking forward to have you join us at our upcoming 2022 Chair's Initiative, formally titled, "The Ginsburg/Scalia Initiative: Towards a More Perfect Union Through Dialogue and Collaborative Problem Solving." This meeting will take place on February 4th to 6th, 2022 at the Ritz Carlton in Avon, CO. To review information for the event and to register please visit our website 2022 AG Alliance/CWAG Chair's Initiative . To register, click on the "Register" button, select "Attorney General" as your registration type then proceed to complete the process. For the safety of our guests, the AG Alliance is committed to enhanced levels of cleanliness, attendance limits and physical distancing meeting protocols as well as mandatory masks and pre-event COVID-19 temperature checks may be required. We will follow all mandates required by the state of Colorado. **Lodging:** The AG Alliance team has reserved a room for you at the host hotel for Friday, February 4th and Saturday, February 5th, checking out on Sunday February 6th. Once your registration for the event is confirmed we will provide you with your hotel confirmation number. If you have any questions or need special assistance please contact meeting coordinator Tegan White at twhite@agalliance.org or 916-690-4353. **The Ritz Carlton, Bachelor Gulch** Address: 0130 Daybreak Ridge Rd, Avon, CO 81620 Phone: (970) 748-6200 **Airport Options:** Denver International Airport (99.6 miles from hotel) Eagle County Regional Airport (21.1 miles from hotel) Aspen–Pitkin County Airport (33.8 miles from hotel) **Airfare:** AG Alliance uses an online travel portal called **Egencia**. Booking your travel through Egencia allows your trip to be billed directly to us. Please follow the link below to create a new Egencia account, or simply login using your existing account. If you have made other arrangements for your flights, please forward us your itinerary. Once you select the best option, please use the American Express card listed for master billing, then select 'Tegan White' as your trip approver. Please do not hesitate to reach out to Twhite@agalliance.org if you have any questions setting up or locating your account, prompting a password reset or finding your flights for this event! **Book your flights today by following this link!** If you have any questions regarding logistics, please feel free to call me at 916-690-4353 or email me at Twhite@agalliance.org. Looking forward to seeing you in Avon!
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Recipients	Joseph.Sciarrotta@azag.gov

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Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: meeting
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Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	Re: Comment letter to FCC re: Robocalls - Sign on Deadline Friday January 7, 2022
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 9:55:30.000 AM
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Body	Already done Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 9:54:38 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** FW: Comment letter to FCC re: Robocalls - Sign on Deadline Friday January 7, 2022 Are we signing onto this one? Liz **From:** Todd Leatherman <tleatherman@naag.org> **Sent:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 1:59 PM **To:** Todd Leatherman <tleatherman@naag.org> **Cc:** Ryan Greenstein <rgreenstein@naag.org>; Ashley Wynstra <awynstra@naag.org>; Nayer, Tracy <tnayer@ncdoj.gov> **Subject:** Comment letter to FCC re: Robocalls - Sign on Deadline Friday January 7, 2022 ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** *This message is being sent on behalf of Ryan Greenstein to all Attorneys General, Chief Deputies/Chiefs of Staff, and Executive Assistants:* The Attached and below are provided by Tracy Nayer in the NC AGO. These Reply Comments support the FCC's proposal to place new obligations on gateway providers that serve as the U.S. point of entry for foreign-originated illegal robocalls. This effort is co-sponsored by Arkansas, Pennsylvania, and North Carolina. Attached is a copy of the FNPRM, the sign-on memo and form, and the Reply Comments. If you are interested in joining as a signatory to these Reply Comments, please complete and **return the sign-on form to Tracy Nayer in NC (tnayer@ncdoj.gov), Ryan Greenstein at NAAG (rgreenstein@naag.org), and Ashley Wynstra at NAAG (awynstra@naag.org) by NEXT Friday, January 7, 2022, at 3:00 pm ET.** *NOTE: The FCC filing is the following Monday, so we do have a bit of wiggle room if you need a few more hours beyond the 3pm ET deadline. Please keep Tracy Nayer in NC AGO Tnayer@ncdoj.gov posted on your progress.* These comments build on prior comments to which 51 AGs signed on and these comments are the next steps in our collective advocacy and are absolutely significant and consequential so we urge all prior signatories to these comments as well. If you have any questions about the Reply Comments as you consider joining, please feel free to contact any of the following members of the Robocall Technologies Working Group Executive Committee: • John Abel in PA (jabel@attorneygeneral.gov) • Brandon Bingle in PA (bbingle@attorneygeneral.gov) • David McCoy in AR (david.mccoy@arkansasag.gov) • Peggy Johnson in AR (peggy.johnson@arkansasag.gov) • Tracy Nayer in NC (tnayer@ncdoj.gov). Press will be coordinated for this sign-on through North Carolina's press office. Please direct all press related inquiries to NC's Press Secretary Nazneen Ahmed at Nahmed@ncdoj.gov or 919-716-0060. **Tracy Nayer** Assistant Attorney General North Carolina Department of Justice Consumer Protection Division (919) 716-6581 tnayer@ncdoj.gov Post Office Box 629, Raleigh, NC 27602 ncdoj.gov Please note messages to or from this address may be public records. **Todd E. Leatherman** **Program Counsel, NAGTRI Center for Consumer Protection** National Association of Attorneys General 1850 M Street NW, 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036 859.753.0726 office tleatherman@naag.org www.naag.org
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Record 1854

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	rcmiller@nd.gov, bekeller@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Fiscal Year 2021 North Dakota Lottery Audit Engagement Letter
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:14:41.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:14:42.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:14:00.000 PM

Body	I have no issues with this. Let me know if you do. Wayne **From:** Hellman, Delan D. <ddhellma@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 11:55 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Miller, Randall C. <rcmiller@nd.gov>; Slappy, Lindsey M. <lslappy@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fiscal Year 2021 North Dakota Lottery Audit Engagement Letter Good Morning Attorney General Stenehjem, Attached you will find the Engagement Letter for the upcoming Fiscal Year 2021 financial audit of the North Dakota Lottery. Please let me or the Audit Manager, Lindsey Slappy (328-2336 / lslappy@nd.gov), know if you have any questions. Thank you, **DELAN HELLMAN** Senior Auditor North Dakota State Auditor's Office 600 E. Boulevard Ave. Dept 117 Bismarck, ND 58505-0060 p: 701-328-2744 www.nd.gov/auditor
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Recipients	rcmiller@nd.gov, bekeller@nd.gov
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Record 1856

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	kfine@nd.gov

Subject	RE: 10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:15:25.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:15:25.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:15:00.000 PM
Body	Will 1:15 work for you? Wayne **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 11:49 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** 10 minutes Wayne – Do you have time for a brief visit today? Name the time….Karlene

Record 1857

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	kfine@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:15:25.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:15:25.000 PM
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	kfine@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:28.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:28.000 PM
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Body	Say 3? **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 12:36 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: 10 minutes Oops. Just got a call.....Can we do it after 2:30 p.m.? Karlene **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 12:15 PM **To:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: 10 minutes Will 1:15 work for you? Wayne **From:** Fine, Karlene K. <kfine@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 11:49 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** 10 minutes Wayne – Do you have time for a brief visit today? Name the time....Karlene

Record 1859

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	kfine@nd.gov
Subject	RE: 10 minutes
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 12:44:28.000 PM
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Record 1860

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bekeller@nd.gov, rcmiller@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Fiscal Year 2021 North Dakota Lottery Audit Engagement Letter
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 1:49:21.000 PM
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/5/2022 1:49:00.000 PM

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Recipients	bekeller@nd.gov, rcmiller@nd.gov
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	mkelsch@nd.gov, masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Department of Health Subpoena/Records in custody of Commerce Department
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Body	Right **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 3:49 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Department of Health Subpoena/Records in custody of Commerce Department Are you asking why we need the records? **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 3:39 PM **To:** Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov>; Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Department of Health Subpoena/Records in custody of Commerce Department And why is defendant DOH serving subpoenas to Commerce? **From:** Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 3:36 PM **To:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Department of Health Subpoena/Records in custody of Commerce Department What legal basis are they giving for the confidentiality? **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 2:40 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov> **Subject:** Department of Health Subpoena/Records in custody of Commerce Department Wayne, I want to let you know that the Department of Commerce possesses certain confidential records that are relevant to a lawsuit filed against the Department of Health ("DOH"). Commerce takes the position that the records are confidential, and DOH will need to service Commerce with a subpoena for the records. Therefore, DOH will be serving Commerce with a subpoena for the records. I do not recall that we have had to do this before, so I just want to make sure you are aware of what is happening. Matt

Record 1866

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
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Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
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CC	tseibel@nd.gov

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Body	It will be on at 10 Central, 11 Eastern time **From:** Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 4:02 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: C-SPAN I sent the request into our IT help desk, with the link. Liz **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 3:54 PM **To:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Subject:** C-SPAN https://www.c-span.org/video/?516919-1/justices-hear-case-vaccine-mandate-health-care-workers

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Subject: FW: Land Transfers

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To: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Land Transfers

Matt,

Following up to get your thoughts on the below as well as the proposed revisions to S.3200 sent in e-mail dated 12/29/2021. Happy to discuss in a call if convenient.

Also, be advised that the McKenzie County Grazing Association has sent the attached letter to Representative Armstrong requesting that the Little Missouri National Grasslands be completely removed from the current bill. Paragraph 3 calls out the section line rights-of-way issue.

Thank You,

James

From: Wald, James J.
Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 5:29 PM
To: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Land Transfers

Matt,

I don't believe we have specifically discussed sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3, but I don't see any glaring issues aside from those we have already discussed. Here is my take, please let me know if you disagree with anything - I would be happy to discuss further.

- Article IX, § 6 of the constitution requires further legislative authority to exchange state- owned original grant lands with federal lands (see highlighted language below).
- This legislative authority appears in N.D.C.C. §§ 15-06-19.1, 54-01-12, and 54-01-13:
  - § 15- 06- 19.1 grants the Board legislative authority to exchange "[o]riginal grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands" with federal lands "of like character and value". I interpret this grant of authority to be quite broad and apply to *all* lands under the control of the Board (whether granted in the Enabling act or otherwise acquired thereafter, and wherever located).
  - § 54- 01- 12 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located on Indian reservations within the state with federal lands also located on Indian reservations within the state. The language does not indicate that the lands exchanged must be located the same reservation.
  - § 54- 01- 13 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located within the borders of Fort Berthold reservation with federal lands located *outside* of Fort Berthold reservation.
- S.3200 specifically proposes an exchange of state- owned land located within the Little Missouri National Grassland and within the reservations.
- N.D.C.C. §§ 54- 01- 13.1, 13.2, and 13.3 all appear to apply only to exchanges of land within Theodore Roosevelt National Park. It is my understanding that most (if not all) state- owned land within the Park has already been exchanged.

N.D. Const. art. IX, § 6.
Any of said lands that may be required for townsite purposes, schoolhouse sites, church sites, cemetery sites, sites for other educational or charitable institutions, public parks, airplane landing fields, fairgrounds, public highways, railroad right of way, or other railroad uses and purposes, reservoirs for the storage of water for irrigation, irrigation canals, and ditches, drainage ditches, or for any of the purposes for which private lands may be taken under the right of eminent domain under the constitution and laws of this state, may be sold under the provisions of this article, and shall be paid for in full at the time of sale, or at any time thereafter as herein provided. Any of said lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands, including state coal mineral interests, may, with the approval of said board, be exchanged for lands and coal mineral interests of the United States, the state of North Dakota or any county or municipality thereof as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject, and the state shall reserve all mineral and water power rights in land so transferred.

Body	except coal mineral interests approved for exchange by the board of university and school lands under this section. **15-06-19.1. Exchange of lands with the United States.** Original grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands may be exchanged for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government when it appears that such exchange will be advantageous to the state of North Dakota and will effect an increase in the value of such lands by consolidation or by making lands more accessible. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring the giving of notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of North Dakota of the land for which such lands are exchanged, and the lands so acquired are subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject. **54-01-12. Exchange of lands on Indian reservation between state and federal government.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, may exchange tracts and sections of land on Indian reservations within the state, belonging to the state of North Dakota, and not a part of the original grant of land to the state provided in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government on Indian reservations within this state. 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Exchange of lands on Fort Berthold reservation.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, is hereby authorized and empowered to exchange tracts, sections, and parcels of land located within the diminished borders of Fort Berthold reservation belonging to the state of North Dakota and not a part of the original grant of lands to the state provided for in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government located outside of the diminished borders of said Fort Berthold reservation. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. 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Appraisal.** The lands to be conveyed to the United States of America and also the lands to be taken in exchange therefor, under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1, must be appraised by the county superintendent of schools, the county auditor, and the chairman of the board of county commissioners in the county where the land is situated, at its fair market value, but no state school lands may be appraised and valued at less than ten dollars per acre [.40 hectare]. The county director of tax equalization shall serve as an assistant in making the appraisals. **54-01-13.3. Conveyance.** Conveyances made under section 54-01-13.1 to the United States of America of state school lands must be executed in the same form and manner as now provided by law for the sale and conveyance of state school lands and conveyance by the state of other lands under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1 must be executed on behalf of the state of North Dakota by the governor and attested by the secretary of state. James **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 11:33 AM **To:** Wald, James J. <jawald@nd.gov> **Subject:** Land Transfers James, I forget if we discussed state laws, and I apologize if we did, but did you review sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3? Matt

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Matt,

Following up to get your thoughts on the below as well as the proposed revisions to S.3200 sent in e-mail dated 12/29/2021. Happy to discuss in a call if convenient.

Also, be advised that the McKenzie County Grazing Association has sent the attached letter to Representative Armstrong requesting that the Little Missouri National Grasslands be completely removed from the current bill. Paragraph 3 calls out the section line rights-of-way issue.

Thank You,

James

From: Wald, James J.
Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 5:29 PM
To: Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Land Transfers

Matt,

I don't believe we have specifically discussed sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3, but I don't see any glaring issues aside from those we have already discussed. Here is my take, please let me know if you disagree with anything - I would be happy to discuss further.

- Article IX, § 6 of the constitution requires further legislative authority to exchange state- owned original grant lands with federal lands (see highlighted language below).
- This legislative authority appears in N.D.C.C. §§ 15-06-19.1, 54-01-12, and 54-01-13:
  - § 15- 06- 19.1 grants the Board legislative authority to exchange "[o]riginal grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands" with federal lands "of like character and value". I interpret this grant of authority to be quite broad and apply to *all* lands under the control of the Board (whether granted in the Enabling act or otherwise acquired thereafter, and wherever located).
  - § 54- 01- 12 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located on Indian reservations within the state with federal lands also located on Indian reservations within the state. The language does not indicate that the lands exchanged must be located the same reservation.
  - § 54- 01- 13 grants legislative authority to exchange state- owned non- grant lands located within the borders of Fort Berthold reservation with federal lands located *outside* of Fort Berthold reservation.
- S.3200 specifically proposes an exchange of state- owned land located within the Little Missouri National Grassland and within the reservations.
- N.D.C.C. §§ 54- 01- 13.1, 13.2, and 13.3 all appear to apply only to exchanges of land within Theodore Roosevelt National Park. It is my understanding that most (if not all) state- owned land within the Park has already been exchanged.

N.D. Const. art. IX, § 6.
Any of said lands that may be required for townsite purposes, schoolhouse sites, church sites, cemetery sites, sites for other educational or charitable institutions, public parks, airplane landing fields, fairgrounds, public highways, railroad right of way, or other railroad uses and purposes, reservoirs for the storage of water for irrigation, irrigation canals, and ditches, drainage ditches, or for any of the purposes for which private lands may be taken under the right of eminent domain under the constitution and laws of this state, may be sold under the provisions of this article, and shall be paid for in full at the time of sale, or at any time thereafter as herein provided. Any of said lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands, including state coal mineral interests, may, with the approval of said board, be exchanged for lands and coal mineral interests of the United States, the state of North Dakota or any county or municipality thereof as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject, and the state shall reserve all mineral and water power rights in land so transferred.

Body	except coal mineral interests approved for exchange by the board of university and school lands under this section. **15-06-19.1. Exchange of lands with the United States.** Original grant school or institutional lands and any other lands controlled by the board of university and school lands may be exchanged for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government when it appears that such exchange will be advantageous to the state of North Dakota and will effect an increase in the value of such lands by consolidation or by making lands more accessible. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring the giving of notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of North Dakota of the land for which such lands are exchanged, and the lands so acquired are subject to the trust to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject. **54-01-12. Exchange of lands on Indian reservation between state and federal government.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, may exchange tracts and sections of land on Indian reservations within the state, belonging to the state of North Dakota, and not a part of the original grant of land to the state provided in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government on Indian reservations within this state. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the appropriate department of the federal government and the lands must be appraised in the manner provided by law. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law, without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and it may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of the lands for which such state lands are exchanged. **54-01-13. Exchange of lands on Fort Berthold reservation.** The state of North Dakota, through its several departments and agencies, is hereby authorized and empowered to exchange tracts, sections, and parcels of land located within the diminished borders of Fort Berthold reservation belonging to the state of North Dakota and not a part of the original grant of lands to the state provided for in the Enabling Act, for lands of like character and value belonging to the United States government located outside of the diminished borders of said Fort Berthold reservation. Such exchange is subject to the approval of the proper department of the federal government, and such lands must be appraised as provided by law in the case of sale of real property owned by the state. The state also may execute and deliver proper conveyances of such land in the manner and form provided by law, without the necessity of complying with any statute requiring the giving of notice of exchange or competitive bidding, and may accept in return therefor a proper instrument of conveyance to the state of North Dakota of the land for which such lands are exchanged. **54-01-13.1. Exchange of lands within Theodore Roosevelt National Park.** The state of North Dakota is hereby authorized to transfer and convey to the United States of America any lands situated within the Theodore Roosevelt National Park in the county of Billings, state of North Dakota, including state school lands and lands held by the state historical society or for the use and benefit of the state game and fish department, such transfer and conveyance to be made in exchange for federal lands of not less than equal value situated outside of the Theodore Roosevelt National Park. **54-01-13.2. Appraisal.** The lands to be conveyed to the United States of America and also the lands to be taken in exchange therefor, under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1, must be appraised by the county superintendent of schools, the county auditor, and the chairman of the board of county commissioners in the county where the land is situated, at its fair market value, but no state school lands may be appraised and valued at less than ten dollars per acre [.40 hectare]. The county director of tax equalization shall serve as an assistant in making the appraisals. **54-01-13.3. Conveyance.** Conveyances made under section 54-01-13.1 to the United States of America of state school lands must be executed in the same form and manner as now provided by law for the sale and conveyance of state school lands and conveyance by the state of other lands under the provisions of section 54-01-13.1 must be executed on behalf of the state of North Dakota by the governor and attested by the secretary of state. James **From:** Sagsveen, Matthew A. <masagsve@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 11:33 AM **To:** Wald, James J. <jawald@nd.gov> **Subject:** Land Transfers James, I forget if we discussed state laws, and I apologize if we did, but did you review sections 54-01-12, 54-01-13, 54-01-13.2, 54-01-13.3? Matt

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Body	Thanks so much for your email. I appreciate your kind comments about my impending retirement. It was a lot harder decision than I thought it would be! I will be happy to lend assistance to you and your effort on the open records. I realize it's a challenge put all the pieces together in a workable fashion. The person I have in mind is out of the office for the week now, but I'll visit about that with her first thing Monday morning. Again, thanks for you your kind words. Have a good weekend. Wayne **From:** Tufte, Justice Jerod <JTufte@ndcourts.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 7, 2022 3:12 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** open records in the judicial branch ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good afternoon Wayne, I haven't yet had a chance to wish you well in your announced retirement. I hope this means that you and Beth will have even greater opportunities for interesting travel. Congratulations on your long and honorable service to the state. I reach out today because I am leading a work group to rewrite our court rule relating to open records (Admin. Rule 41). You may recall that about two years ago we amended this rule and implemented a policy of greater remote public access of court records that had been to that point available only in person at court houses. For a variety of reasons, that public access under the amended rule was suspended. Our Court Services Administration Committee spent more than a year working on another approach to these issues. Unfortunately, I believe the result of that effort did not leave us with a viable rule to manage access to records within the judicial branch. I have been working on a draft rule for consideration by the Supreme Court that would closely track the open records provisions in Chapter 44-04, in many cases by expressly incorporating those procedures by reference. As you are probably aware, Chapter 44-04 expressly excludes from the definition of "record" any documents in the possession of a court. This carve-out recognizes that the Court has authority to provide by rule for management of judicial records. I think the public should have a more consistent experience in terms of cost, response time, administrative procedure, etc whether records are requested from the executive branch or the judicial branch. I explain all this to you to ask if you would recommend someone in your office having knowledge and experience with our open records laws to participate in 2-3 meetings over the course of the next 3 months or so. I think the statutory procedures for requests, costs, response time, search and collection, and many of the exemptions and confidentiality exclusions are well crafted and would work well for court records. If this project leads where I believe it will, the court, and eventually the public, would benefit from your office's expertise in this area as we re-write our open records rule to harmonize it with Chapter 44-04. Thank you for your assistance with this and please let me know if your office has someone willing and able to assist us with this. You can also reach me on my cell phone at [redacted] if you'd like to discuss further. Jerod **Jerod E. Tufte** Justice - North Dakota Supreme Court
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Body	What a sad event. Thanks to all our staff for such difficult work. Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov> **Sent:** Saturday, January 8, 2022 11:58:55 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** Fwd: LaMoure Co Suicide Wayne and Troy, Please find below an overview of a call for assistance for a suicide from the LaMoure County Sheriffs Department. Tragic loss of a young man. S/A's Troy Kelly and Shawn Banet did a great job with a tough and emotional scene. Thank you, Lonnie Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Banet, Shawn J. <sbanet@nd.gov> **Sent:** Saturday, January 8, 2022 11:43 AM **To:** Grabowska, Lonnie; Miller, Casey J.; Rummel, Arnie; TK427 **Subject:** Re: LaMoure Co Suicide To add to this I would like to strongly commend the LaMoure Ambulance in going above and beyond their duty by offering to clean up the scene after we were done processing. The whole crew without hesitation cleaned up the biological material and blood so that the family wasn't retraumatized by dealing with he aftermath of their child's suicide. It is truly an honor to work with such great communities that care for one an other to that level. Shawn Sent from my iPhone Special Agent Shawn Banet North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation Cell: [redacted] Office: 701-251-2993 **From:** Banet, Shawn J. **Sent:** Saturday, January 8, 2022 11:33:37 AM **To:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov>; Miller, Casey J. <cajmiller@nd.gov>; Rummel, Arnie <arummel@nd.gov>; TK427 <tk427@nd.gov> **Subject:** LaMoure Co Suicide Thursday night S/A Kelly and myself assisted LaMoure County SO with the investigation of a suicide involving a 15 year old juvenile male. Upon arrival we were advised by the Sheriff that the in the evening [redacted] went to his room locking the door behind himself. After some time his mother Ann went to his door to ask him to come out to play a card game with the family. It was at this point that she discovered that the door was locked. Ann then asked [redacted] to unlock the door as per their family rules the kids were not allowed to lock their doors [redacted] did not respond. Ann went out to the kitchen to let her husband (Brett) know. It was at this time they heard a loud noise. Brett unlocked the door with a screwdriver and discovered [redacted] laying on the floor on top of his shot gun surrounded by a large pool of blood. Upon interviewing the family I was advised that the family wasn't into hunting or guns but [redacted] had expressed interest in wanting to start to bird hunt. The parents decided with [redacted] recent interest they would give him a shot gun for Christmas along with a box of bird shot. Further discussion reviled that [redacted] was a straight A student and an athlete. No recent break ups or apparent issues with his peers. Recently [redacted] did get into trouble for disrespecting his mother but the family did not disclose that it was anything beyond normal teenage issues. Preliminary searching of [redacted] cell phone has not reviewed any obvious red flags, beyond online searches (relating to suicide and suicide by shotgun) that [redacted] did prior to committing suicide. [redacted] mother Charlie did disclose that LaMoure high school does have a significant amount of bullying but was unaware of any major issues that would have been affecting [redacted] [redacted] did leave a note next to his phone stating "Your Loss." Preliminary autopsy results are constant with what we saw on scene, ruling the death as a suicide with the manor of death being a single oral gunshot wound. After talking with the family they agreed to allow me to give our victim advocates their information to possibly offer some assistance in going through this process. The following is a brief synopsis of the family: Father Charles Brett Bowman (goes by Brett) Mother Ann Bowman Charlie Bowman (senior in HS) [redacted] victim, was a sophomore in HS) I will be pulling a case number on Monday and will have my initial report submitted early next week. If you have more questions feel free to let me know. Sent from my iPhone Special Agent Shawn Banet North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation Cell: [redacted] Office: 701-251-2993

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Body	**From:** Aicha Bah <abah@naag.org> **Sent:** Monday, January 10, 2022 7:55 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Brocker, Liz <lbrocker@nd.gov> **Cc:** Theresia Heller <theller@naag.org> **Subject:** NAAG Dues 2022 ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** TO: All Attorneys General FROM: Theresia Heller, Chief Financial Officer SUBJECT: Annual Dues Invoices for Calendar Year 2022 Enclosed is an invoice for your state's annual dues to the National Association of Attorneys General for the calendar year 2022. Also enclosed for your information is a copy of the NAAG Dues Schedule for calendar year 2022. The groupings are based on the data of the latest Census. According to Article VII Section 1 of the NAAG Constitution, the dues and publications/technical assistance fees for each Attorney General shall be assessed according to a schedule, which is based upon the population of each jurisdiction. Each state's grouping on the schedule shall be readjusted by the Executive Committee as soon as practicable following the availability of the population figures of the midterm and decennial census. Dues shall increase annually by the Consumer Price Index (CPI) or 3%, whichever is greater. The invoice is due and payable on receipt. If you or your staff have any questions or require any further clarification, please feel free to contact Aicha Bah at 202-326-6013 or abah@naag.org **Aicha Bah** **Finance and Accounts Receivable Coordinator** **National Association of Attorneys General** 1850 M Street NW, 12th floor Washington DC 20036 202.326.6013
Attachments	image001[15208].png, 16029.pdf, 16030.pdf

Record 1895

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bekeller@nd.gov
Subject	FW: NAAG Dues 2022
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Record 1896

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	JTufte@ndcourts.gov
Subject	RE: open records in the judicial branch
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 12:51:23.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 12:51:24.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 12:51:00.000 PM

Body	Chief, Thanks again for reaching out to me and my office on this important issue. I've visited with Mary Kae Kelsch in my office, and she is more that willing to assist with the rule you are working on. As you know, she's had the open records portfolio in my office for years, and I'm sure you will find her assistance very helpful. Best to you, Wayne **From:** Tufte, Justice Jerod <JTufte@ndcourts.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 7, 2022 3:12 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** open records in the judicial branch ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Good afternoon Wayne, I haven't yet had a chance to wish you well in your announced retirement. I hope this means that you and Beth will have even greater opportunities for interesting travel. Congratulations on your long and honorable service to the state. I reach out today because I am leading a work group to rewrite our court rule relating to open records (Admin. Rule 41). You may recall that about two years ago we amended this rule and implemented a policy of greater remote public access of court records that had been to that point available only in person at court houses. For a variety of reasons, that public access under the amended rule was suspended. Our Court Services Administration Committee spent more than a year working on another approach to these issues. Unfortunately, I believe the result of that effort did not leave us with a viable rule to manage access to records within the judicial branch. I have been working on a draft rule for consideration by the Supreme Court that would closely track the open records provisions in Chapter 44-04, in many cases by expressly incorporating those procedures by reference. As you are probably aware, Chapter 44-04 expressly excludes from the definition of "record" any documents in the possession of a court. This carve-out recognizes that the Court has authority to provide by rule for management of judicial records. I think the public should have a more consistent experience in terms of cost, response time, administrative procedure, etc whether records are requested from the executive branch or the judicial branch. I explain all this to you to ask if you would recommend someone in your office having knowledge and experience with our open records laws to participate in 2-3 meetings over the course of the next 3 months or so. I think the statutory procedures for requests, costs, response time, search and collection, and many of the exemptions and confidentiality exclusions are well crafted and would work well for court records. If this project leads where I believe it will, the court, and eventually the public, would benefit from your office's expertise in this area as we re-write our open records rule to harmonize it with Chapter 44-04. Thank you for your assistance with this and please let me know if your office has someone willing and able to assist us with this. You can also reach me on my cell phone at [redacted] if you'd like to discuss further. Jerod **Jerod E. Tufte** Justice - North Dakota Supreme Court
CC	mkelsch@nd.gov

Record 1897

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Record 1898

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bhicks@nd.gov
Subject	Visit
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 2:14:41.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 2:14:00.000 PM
Body	Bruce, Is there a time later this week where I can pick your brain for a minute? This is not urgent or controversial □□ Wayne

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bhicks@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Visit
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 3:56:18.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 3:56:18.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 3:56:00.000 PM
Body	Nope. And thanks. **From:** Hicks, Bruce E. <bhicks@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 10, 2022 3:54 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Visit I'll be there—any documents I should review or bring with me? Bruce **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 10, 2022 3:46 PM **To:** Hicks, Bruce E. <bhicks@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Visit How about Wednesday am at 9? My office Wayne **From:** Hicks, Bruce E. <bhicks@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 10, 2022 3:25 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Visit Atty General, I'm available all morning tomorrow and all day Wednesday. Bruce **From:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 10, 2022 2:15 PM **To:** Hicks, Bruce E. <bhicks@nd.gov> **Subject:** Visit Bruce, Is there a time later this week where I can pick your brain for a minute? This is not urgent or controversial □□ Wayne

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Record 1902

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	rquinn@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Meeting Follow-up
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 5:07:41.000 PM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 5:07:42.000 PM
Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/10/2022 5:07:00.000 PM

Body	Thanks, Robyn. Please arrange an in person meeting through Liz, hopefully Friday of this week or next Monday. [I'm speaking with the State's Attorneys on the 19th, and I'd like to have an outline before then. Wayne **From:** Quinn, Robyn <rquinn@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 10, 2022 4:27 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Cc:** Rittenbach, Charlene R. <crittenbach@nd.gov> **Subject:** Meeting Follow-up Good Afternoon. I just wanted to give you a brief update on today's meeting (Troy, sorry you couldn't make it). I think we had some great discussion regarding case prioritizations, communication and paths forward. I will be sending you a prioritization scheme proposal soon. We have some great policies from MN and VA that we plan to mimic in our policy. We will send to the attendees of today's meeting for feedback, then send to you for approval. Once approved I will send a memo to all of our stakeholders. The hot topic of the meeting was what your decision is regarding firearms and latent print analyses. LEAs want to know what our plan is. Apparently, they have been holding these cases so there is a backlog at the LEAs. I have attached the proposal I sent to you in April for your review. We probably should set an in person meeting to discuss these items. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information. Regards, Robyn **A. Robyn Quinn, M.S., CFM-I** **Director** **Crime Laboratory Division** **Office of Attorney General** **2641 East Main Avenue** **Bismarck, ND 58501-5044** **(701) 328-6359** NOTE: Correspondence referencing cases may be retained as part of the Crime Laboratory Division case record and are subject to Discovery Requests. *Please visit our website at https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Crime-Lab1/CrimeLabCustomerSurvey-SFN16700.pdf to complete the Laboratory Feedback Survey. Your feedback is important to us.* CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: This e-mail message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message.
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Record 1904

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lgrabowska@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	FW: Williston
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 10:50:00.000 AM

Body	Do either of you know anything about this? Wayne **From:** Jack McDonald <jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 10:33 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** McDonald, Jack <jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov>; Kelsch, Mary Kae M. <mkelsch@nd.gov> **Subject:** Williston ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Wayne: I just had a call from Tom Simon, controversial radio guy in Williston. Apparently a bit ago the Williston School Board held an executive session. Some school board members leaked some info about the meeting to Tom. He ran the story on Williston Trending Topics and on Facebook. Last night, while at another school board meeting in the school office, BCI agent Chrissa Remus showed up with a search warrant for Tom's phone signed by Judge Johnson and seized his phone. She said she was authorized by the warrant to search his phone to identify who leaked the info. The AP just called about it. This could be a start of a firestorm. The warrant is a violation of our shield law for a start, and I'm not sure how BCI gets involved with school board matters? Can you check on this? Jack McDonald WHEELER WOLF LAW FIRM Box 1776 Bismarck, ND 58502-1776 Ph: 701-751-1776; Fx: 701-751-1777 jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com
Attachments	16028.doc

Record 1905

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Recipients	lgrabowska@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
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Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
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Record 1909

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
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Record 1910

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lgrabowska@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Williston
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 11:01:08.000 AM
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lgrabowska@nd.gov, lbrocker@nd.gov
Subject	RE: Williston
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Subject	Fwd: Williston
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Record 1914

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
Subject	RE: AMA v. State and Burdick
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 11:30:46.000 AM
Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 11:30:46.000 AM
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Record 1915

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Record 1916

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bkdemellorice@nd.gov
Subject	visit
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 12:58:47.000 PM
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Body	Please come down for a visit with me before you do anything further

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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov
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Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 5:01:57.000 PM
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Recipients	jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com
Subject	RE: [The Bismarck Tribune] North Dakota crime bureau adds dog for fire investigations
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 8:42:12.000 PM
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Delivered Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/11/2022 8:42:00.000 PM

Body	He's on it! Wayne **From:** Jack McDonald <jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022 6:02 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** McDonald, Jack <jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com> **Subject:** [The Bismarck Tribune] North Dakota crime bureau adds dog for fire investigations ***** **CAUTION:** This email originated from an outside source. Do not click links or open attachments unless you know they are safe. ***** Send Agent Lee after that damn phone! https://bismarcktribune.com/news/state-and-regional/crime-and-courts/north-dakota-crime-bureau-adds-dog-for-fire-investigations/article_4e66bffe-7679-5e02-b006-519e3757189a.html?utm_medium=social&utm_source=email&utm_campaign=user-share

Record 1921

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
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Recipients	jackmcdonald@wheelerwolf.com
Subject	RE: [The Bismarck Tribune] North Dakota crime bureau adds dog for fire investigations
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Record 1922

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	sebyp@gtlaw.com
Subject	my proposed response to WV
Sync Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/13/2022 8:46:19.000 AM
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Body	§44-04-19.1
CC	tseibel@nd.gov

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Record 1926

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Recipients	masagsve@nd.gov, tseibel@nd.gov
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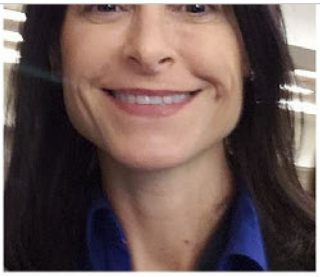
Body	

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ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIME

Florida Attorney General Ashley Moody is working with state legislators to address organized retail theft in Florida. Attorney General Moody held a news conference with lawmakers in Hialeah to announce legislative efforts to help law enforcement and prosecutors dismantle retail theft crime rings. The announcement comes one week before Floridaâ€™s 2022 Legislative Session begins.

FORCE is a statewide task force and database to help spot trends, identify suspects and take down massive, organized retail theft rings. The database is designed to bridge the gap between retailers, law enforcement and prosecutors by allowing shareable, searchable information on theft incidents statewide.

To help bolster the effectiveness of FORCE, the Florida Attorney Generalâ€™s Office will partner with state legislators this session to seek to remove barriers to prosecution for what is clearly organized criminal activity. Upcoming legislation will provide a targeted revision to current statutes determining the felony status for retail theft when someone steals multiple items from multiple locations in a short period of time. These changes would strengthen the laws on the books to allow prosecutors to bring stronger penalties against criminals who commit crimes across the state to avoid justice.

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COVID MANDATES - SCOTUS DECISIONS

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National Federation of Independent Business v. Occupational Safety and Health Administration

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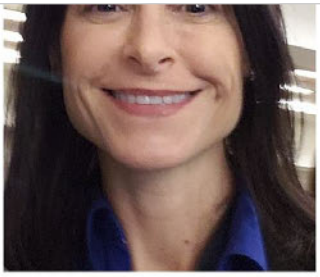
Body	

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ipartisan coalition of 39 attorneys general secured $1.85 billion from Navient, one of the nation's lar
lent loan servicers, resolving allegations of widespread unfair and deceptive student loan servicing practices
ses in originating predatory student loan and resolved allegations that Navient harmed student borrowers. As
he total $1.85 billion in relief, Navient will pay $1.7 billion in debt forgiveness and $95 million in restitution to fo
tents across the country. The settlement agreement, which concludes a nearly five- year investigation into
pany, states that Navient will also reform its practices and pay penalties of $46.9 million to the states.

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, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnes
souri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolin a, Ohio, Oregc
nsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia
consin signed the settlement.

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ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIME

Florida Attorney General Ashley Moody is working with state legislators to address organized retail theft in Florida. Attorney General Moody held a news conference with lawmakers in Hialeah to announce legislative efforts to help law enforcement and prosecutors dismantle retail theft crime rings. The announcement comes one week before Floridaâ€™s 2022 Legislative Session begins.

FORCE is a statewide task force and database to help spot trends, identify suspects and take down massive, organized retail theft rings. The database is designed to bridge the gap between retailers, law enforcement and prosecutors by allowing shareable, searchable information on theft incidents statewide.

To help bolster the effectiveness of FORCE, the Florida Attorney Generalâ€™s Office will partner with state legislators this session to seek to remove barriers to prosecution for what is clearly organized criminal activity. Upcoming legislation will provide a targeted revision to current statutes determining the felony status for retail theft when someone steals multiple items from multiple locations in a short period of time. These changes would strengthen the laws on the books to allow prosecutors to bring stronger penalties against criminals who commit crimes across the state to avoid justice.

Organized retail theft is on the rise nationwide, and the Attorney General Alliance is dedicated to ensuring all states remains ahead of the trend to help prevent the retail crime wave.

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"Weâ€™ve seen the damage and disorder caused by brazen criminals across the country through terrifying smash-and-grab robberies, and we must continue to innovate to stay ahead of this national crime trend.â€
-- Florida Attorney General Ashley Moody

COMBATTING DRUGS

Body

Arizona Attorney General Mark Brnovich and **West Virginia Attorney General Patrick Morrisey** co- led 15 other states urging the U.S. Department of State to take a tougher approach to stem the influx of deadly fentanyl into their states and the nation as a whole. In their letter, sent to U.S. Secretary of State Antony Blinken, the attorneys general outlined their concerns about the production and distribution of fentanyl. The attorneys general are asking Secretary Blinken and his department to take a tougher stance on stopping the influx of deadly fentanyl from China and Mexico.

The following states joined the coalition: Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida , Georgia, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri , Montana, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, and West Virginia.

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COVID MANDATES - SCOTUS DECISIONS

On Thursday, the Supreme Court blocked enforcement of the Biden administrationâ€™s COVID- 19 vaccine- or- test mandate for workers at large businesses but allowed enforcement of a similar mandate for certain health care workers.

While challenges to the mandates from businesses and a number of states were returned to lower courts, the ruling suggests that the justices are likely to rule against the business rule if the case reaches the court again.

National Federation of Independent Business v. Occupational Safety and Health Administration

By a 6- 3 vote, the Court stayed application of an emergency rule adopted by OSHA that would have required all employers with at least 100 employees to require their workers to receive a COVID- 19 vaccine or else obtain a medical test each week at their own expense and on their own time, and also wear a mask each workday.

Biden v. Missouri

By a 5- 4 vote, the Court stayed injunctions that had barred operation of a rule adopted by the Secretary of Health and Human Services that, â€œin order to receive Medicare and Medicaid funding, participating facilities must ensure that their staffâ€"unless exempt for medical or religious reasonsâ€"are vaccinated against COVIDâ€"19.â€

As the United States Supreme Court made these decisions regarding COVID- 19 mandates, attorneys general nationwide issued the following statements:

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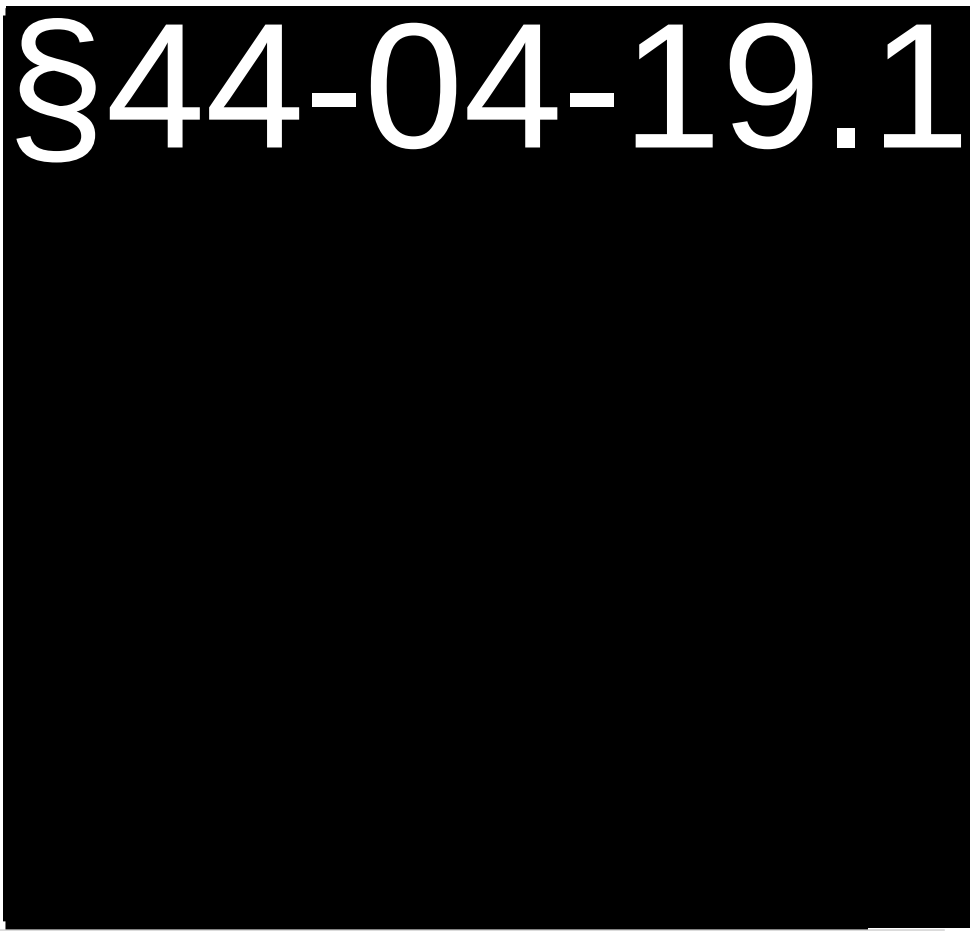

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Body	**From:** Eisenbeis, Ashley <aeisenbeis@nd.gov> **Sent:** Tuesday, January 18, 2022 8:49 AM **To:** -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov> **Subject:** COVID-19 At-Home Tests Good morning everyone, Please see the link below regarding the at-home COVID-19 tests you may be eligible to receive for free through your health insurance plan. You can obtain them from pharmacies, retailers, and online vendors (provided there are tests available). You are also able to go to a new website, www.covidtests.gov, to order the tests starting tomorrow, January 19th. The tests are expected to ship seven to 12 days of being ordered. Here's how you can get free home Covid-19 tests - CNNPpolitics Our agency follows the CDC guidelines as it relates to COVID-19, testing, and quarantine, so I have also provided the CDC recommendations regarding at-home tests: Self-Testing | CDC. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank You, *Ashley Eisenbeis* **Human Resources Officer II** **NORTH DAKOTA OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL** **Email: aeisenbeis@nd.gov** **Phone: 701-328-1256**

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To: -Grp-AG All Staff <agall@nd.gov>
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Good morning everyone,

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Here's how you can get free home Covid-19 tests - CNNPolitics

Our agency follows the CDC guidelines as it relates to COVID-19, testing, and quarantine, so I have also provided the CDC recommendations regarding at-home tests: Self-Testing | CDC.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank You,

Ashley Eisenbeis
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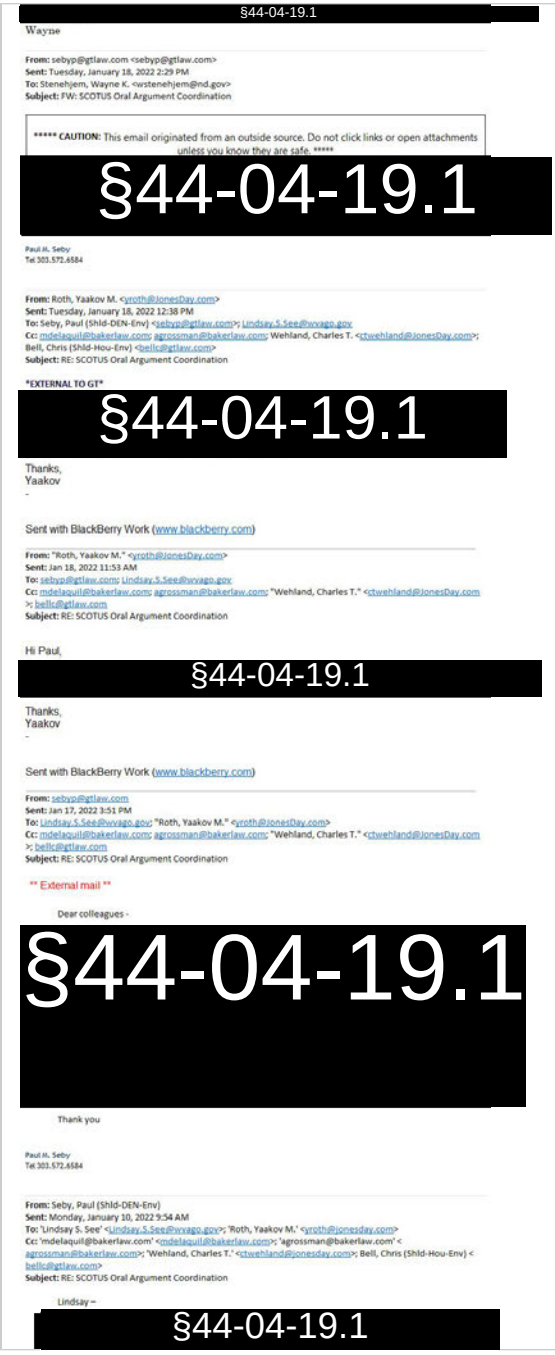

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All,
Attached is a slightly updated version of the OSHA ETS comment letter. Several minor edits are reflected in redline—none material. At this point we have received sign-ons from Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, Oklahoma, South Carolina, and West Virginia. Unless I hear otherwise, I will assume that those that have already signed-on are fine with the edits reflected in the attached.

If anyone else would like to sign-on, please let me know by 12:00 (noon) EST tomorrow, Wednesday, January 19.

Thank you,

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Moreover, OSHA has previously indicated that the "ETS also acts as a proposal for a permanent standard." Thus, unless the ETS is withdrawn before then, Kentucky plans to proceed with submitting a comment letter in opposition to the ETS (and any similar permanent standard) next Wednesday. We are in the process of revising the draft comment letter to incorporate reference to yesterday's Supreme Court opinion, and will circulate that new draft by Monday to invite any other AG's who would like to join the comment letter to do so Best, **Christopher L. Thacker** | Assistant Deputy Attorney General Kentucky Office of the Attorney General 700 Capital Avenue, Suite 118 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 | (502) 696-5570 Christopher.Thacker@ky.gov
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All,
Attached is a slightly updated version of the OSHA ETS comment letter. Several minor edits are reflected in redline—none material. At this point we have received sign-ons from Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, Oklahoma, South Carolina, and West Virginia. Unless I hear otherwise, I will assume that those that have already signed-on are fine with the edits reflected in the attached.

If anyone else would like to sign-on, please let me know by 12:00 (noon) EST tomorrow, Wednesday, January 19.

Thank you.

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Comments are due on Wednesday. Please advise if you would like to sign on by noon (12:00 EST) on Wednesday, and provide a copy of your AG's signature block for inclusion. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information. Thank you. **Christopher L. Thacker** | Assistant Deputy Attorney General Kentucky Office of the Attorney General 700 Capital Avenue, Suite 118 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 | (502) 696-5570 Christopher.Thacker@ky.gov **From:** Thacker, Christopher L (KYOAG) **Sent:** Friday, January 14, 2022 11:03 AM **To:** Joshua Richardson <Joshua.Richardson@OhioAGO.gov>; Benjamin Flowers < Benjamin.Flowers@OhioAGO.gov>; 'Alloway, Jessie M (LAW)' <jessie.alloway@alaska.gov>; 'Andree.Blumstein@ag.tn.gov'; 'Anthony.J.Galdieri@doj.nh.gov'; 'BCook@scag.gov'; 'Benjamin Wilson' < Benjamin.Wilson@oag.texas.gov>; 'Boal, Michael [IGOV]' <Michael.Boal@governor.iowa.gov>; 'Bowdre, Barrett' <Barrett.Bowdre@alabamaag.gov>; 'Brandon J. 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Moreover, OSHA has previously indicated that the "ETS also acts as a proposal for a permanent standard." Thus, unless the ETS is withdrawn before then, Kentucky plans to proceed with submitting a comment letter in opposition to the ETS (and any similar permanent standard) next Wednesday. We are in the process of revising the draft comment letter to incorporate reference to yesterday's Supreme Court opinion, and will circulate that new draft by Monday to invite any other AG's who would like to join the comment letter to do so Best, **Christopher L. Thacker** | Assistant Deputy Attorney General Kentucky Office of the Attorney General 700 Capital Avenue, Suite 118 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 | (502) 696-5570 Christopher.Thacker@ky.gov
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Body	What is the total number of scientists you have, and how many vacancies are there right now? Wayne **From:** Quinn, Robyn <rquinn@nd.gov> **Sent:** Monday, January 17, 2022 4:06 PM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Cc:** Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** Personnel Hi Wayne. Here is the list of personnel lost (resignation unless noted) in 2021: January: Dan Haak (Latent Prints Unit) March: Chris Focke (Technical Leader – Forensic Chemistry Unit) April: Anna Narehood (Forensic Chemistry Unit) June: Kali Hieb (Toxicology Unit – Biological & Breath Sections) August: Spencer Eberst (DNA Unit) *Training issues – resigned before he was let go (on probation/extended) November: Paige Harsy (DNA Unit) **A. Robyn Quinn, M.S., CFM-I** **Director** **Crime Laboratory Division** **Office of Attorney General** **2641 East Main Avenue** **Bismarck, ND 58501-5044** **(701) 328-6359** NOTE: Correspondence referencing cases may be retained as part of the Crime Laboratory Division case record and are subject to Discovery Requests. *Please visit our website at https://attorneygeneral.nd.gov/sites/ag/files/documents/Crime-Lab1/CrimeLabCustomerSurvey-SFN16700.pdf to complete the Laboratory Feedback Survey. Your feedback is important to us.* CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: This e-mail message, including any attachments, is for the sole use of the intended recipient(s) and may contain confidential and privileged information. Any unauthorized review, use, disclosure or distribution is prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender by reply e-mail and destroy all copies of the original message.
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Record 2000

Sender Name	Stenehjem, Wayne K.
Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	lbrocker@nd.gov
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Sender Email	wstenehjem@nd.gov
Recipients	bethbakke@aol.com, astenehjem31@gmail.com
Subject	Fwd: AGA
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Submitted Date/Time - UTC-06:00 (M/d/yyyy)[DST]	1/21/2022 8:09:55.000 AM
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Subject	RE: ND Comments on EPA Proposed O&G Methane Rule - Coordination Call
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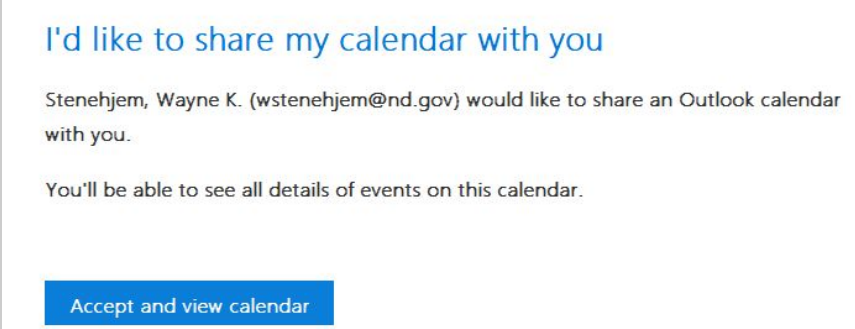
Body	

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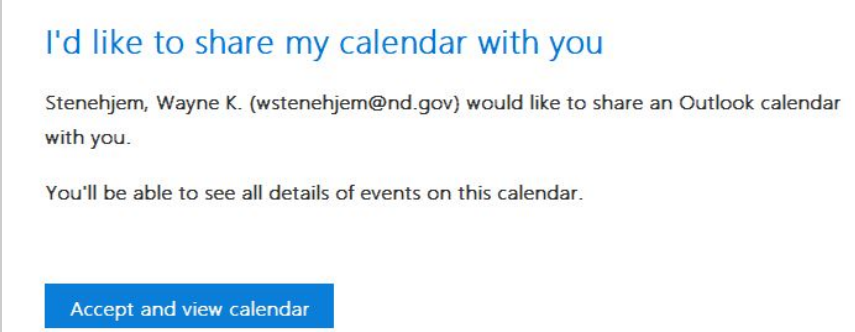
Body	

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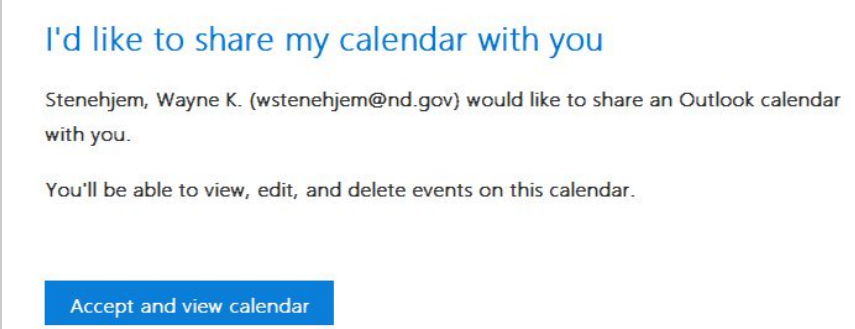
Body	

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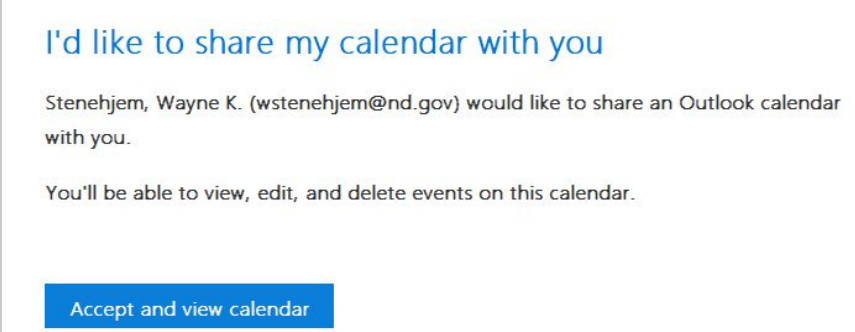
Body	

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Recipients	tseibel@nd.gov, bekeller@nd.gov
Subject	Fwd: Space needs survey - Please Complete
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Body	This is wonderful work that emphasizes the value of our task forces, and the diligence of our law enforcement. Thanks to everyone! Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 21, 2022 10:59:11 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** Case update from CCDTF for "Tango Blast" gang member Wayne and Troy, Please find below an overview of a drug search and attached photos from the Cass County Drug Task Force (CCDTF) related to a connected cartel-related gang member of the "Tango Blast" gang from the Houston, Texas area. You can "Wikipedia" Tango Blast for a quick overview of the criminal enterprise. The photos are of the confiscated guns, drugs, and money and the suspect. The third photo is S/A Voeltz after too many hours of surveillance! A really great case for the Fargo area! Thanks, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5330 office §44-04-18.3 cell lgrabowska@nd.gov **From:** Franklin, Shelby <sfranklin@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 21, 2022 10:08 AM **To:** Brock Klettke (brock.r.klettke.mil@mail.mil) <brock.r.klettke.mil@mail.mil>; Miller, Casey J. <cajmiller@nd.gov>; Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov>; Greg Warren (Greg.Warren@westfargond.gov) <Greg.Warren@westfargond.gov>; Jones, Lori J. <jonesl@casscountynd.gov>; Rummel, Arnie <arummel@nd.gov>; Schmitz Olson, Kara S. <olsonka@casscountynd.gov>; Shane Orn <shane.orn@westfargond.gov>; Stading, Joel <stadingj@casscountynd.gov> **Cc:** Jahner, Jesse F. <jahnerj@casscountynd.gov>; Denis E. Otterness <denis.otterness@westfargond.gov>; David Zibolski <dzibolski@fargond.gov>; TMorris@fargond.gov **Subject:** Case update Good morning TF board, At the last quarterly meeting I gave a brief rundown of a case we were currently working involving the Tango Blast gang members from Houston, TX. Last night we took the main individual, Joel Quinonez, and his girlfriend, Jaimie Garcia into custody. This involved a very in-depth safety plan due to the intelligence we had that Quinonez was armed and violent. When we confronted Quinonez in a hotel parking lot he attempted to reach for his firearm, but due the safety plan put together by Sgt. Orn, Sgt. Morris, and TFO Kyle Hinrichs, he was not able to retrieve it fast enough. It was a tense moment, but eventually he complied and was taken into custody. We were crammed in our takedown van, and also in the hotel room adjacent to Quinonez's, for approximately 7 hours but in the end it paid off. He had 2 stolen firearms in each pocket, and a 3rd firearm in his backpack. He was also in possession of 2.6 pounds of methamphetamine, 1 oz of heroin, and $6,121. After he was in custody he made some comments that were also concerning regarding killing whoever "snitched" on him. I would like to commend TFO Hinrichs, as well as the whole team who contributed, to this investigation (Including our Minnesota partners). Many hours went into this investigation. I believe the community is much safer with this individual in jail. I've attached some photos for you to review. This is an ongoing investigation. Thank you, Special Agent Shelby Franklin North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation Cass County Drug Task Force Coordinator PO Box 9038 Fargo, ND 58106 Office: (701) 239-7261
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Body	This is wonderful work that emphasizes the value of our task forces, and the diligence of our law enforcement. Thanks to everyone! Wayne Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 21, 2022 10:59:11 AM **To:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov>; Seibel, Troy T. <tseibel@nd.gov> **Subject:** Case update from CCDTF for "Tango Blast" gang member Wayne and Troy, Please find below an overview of a drug search and attached photos from the Cass County Drug Task Force (CCDTF) related to a connected cartel-related gang member of the "Tango Blast" gang from the Houston, Texas area. You can "Wikipedia" Tango Blast for a quick overview of the criminal enterprise. The photos are of the confiscated guns, drugs, and money and the suspect. The third photo is S/A Voeltz after too many hours of surveillance! A really great case for the Fargo area! Thanks, Lonnie **Director Lonnie Grabowska** **Bureau of Criminal Investigation** **P.O. Box 1054** **Bismarck, ND 58502-1054** 701-328-5530 - office §44-04-18.3 cell lgrabowska@nd.gov **From:** Franklin, Shelby <sfranklin@nd.gov> **Sent:** Friday, January 21, 2022 10:08 AM **To:** Brock Klettke (brock.r.klettke.mil@mail.mil) <brock.r.klettke.mil@mail.mil>; Miller, Casey J. <cajmiller@nd.gov>; Grabowska, Lonnie <lgrabowska@nd.gov>; Greg Warren (Greg.Warren@westfargond.gov) <Greg.Warren@westfargond.gov>; Jones, Lori J. <jonesl@casscountynd.gov>; Rummel, Arnie <arummel@nd.gov>; Schmitz Olson, Kara S. <olsonka@casscountynd.gov>; Shane Orn <shane.orn@westfargond.gov>; Stading, Joel <stadingj@casscountynd.gov> **Cc:** Jahner, Jesse F. <jahnerj@casscountynd.gov>; Denis E. Otterness <denis.otterness@westfargond.gov>; David Zibolski <dzibolski@fargond.gov>; TMorris@fargond.gov **Subject:** Case update Good morning TF board, At the last quarterly meeting I gave a brief rundown of a case we were currently working involving the Tango Blast gang members from Houston, TX. Last night we took the main individual, Joel Quinonez, and his girlfriend, Jaimie Garcia into custody. This involved a very in-depth safety plan due to the intelligence we had that Quinonez was armed and violent. When we confronted Quinonez in a hotel parking lot he attempted to reach for his firearm, but due the safety plan put together by Sgt. Orn, Sgt. Morris, and TFO Kyle Hinrichs, he was not able to retrieve it fast enough. It was a tense moment, but eventually he complied and was taken into custody. We were crammed in our takedown van, and also in the hotel room adjacent to Quinonez's, for approximately 7 hours but in the end it paid off. He had 2 stolen firearms in each pocket, and a 3rd firearm in his backpack. He was also in possession of 2.6 pounds of methamphetamine, 1 oz of heroin, and $6,121. After he was in custody he made some comments that were also concerning regarding killing whoever "snitched" on him. I would like to commend TFO Hinrichs, as well as the whole team who contributed, to this investigation (Including our Minnesota partners). Many hours went into this investigation. I believe the community is much safer with this individual in jail. I've attached some photos for you to review. This is an ongoing investigation. Thank you, Special Agent Shelby Franklin North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation Cass County Drug Task Force Coordinator PO Box 9038 Fargo, ND 58106 Office: (701) 239-7261
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Body	S2 Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone Get Outlook for Android **From:** Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 26, 2022 1:14:08 PM **To:** Aaron Birst <aaron.birst@ndaco.org> **Cc:** Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Lincoln Day I am willing if Wayne is, too. **From:** Aaron Birst <aarongbirst@gmail.com> **Sent:** Wednesday, January 26, 2022 7:30 AM **To:** Jaeger, Al A. <ajaeger@nd.gov>; Stenehjem, Wayne K. <wstenehjem@nd.gov> **Subject:** Lincoln Day Good morning gentlemen. So the Bismarck Area Republicans are getting back to doing our Lincoln Day celebration night after taking some time off due to Covid. This years get together is scheduled for February 10th at the Ramada. Since both of you are ending your remarkable careers I was thinking you both could be co-speakers. As you know the speeches are not formal so I was just thinking of having each of you speak for 10 minutes reflecting on your time in office or whatever you would want. Thoughts?? AGB

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