

Potential Qs for DD's call [REDACTED]

From: "\"strzok\" <>, \"peter p. \" <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>
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Date: Tue, 24 Jan 2017 06:46:58 -0500

[REDACTED]

I'm sure he's thought through these, but for DD's consideration about how to answer in advance of his call with Flynn:

Am I in trouble?

Am I the subject of an investigation?

Is it a criminal investigation?

Is it an espionage investigation?

Do I need an attorney?

Do I need to tell Priebus? The President?

Will you tell Priebus? The President?

Will you tell the WH what I tell you?

What happens to the information/who will you tell what I tell you?

Will you need to interview other people?

Will our interview be released publically? Will the substance of our interview be released?

How long will this take (depends on his cooperation – I'd plan 45 minutes)?

Can we do this over the phone?

I can explain all this right now, I did this, this, this [do you shut him down? Hear him out? Conduct the interview if he starts talking? Do you want another agent/witness standing by in case he starts doing this?]

Thanks,

Pete

[REDACTED]

RE: Question regarding 1001

From: [REDACTED]
To: Page <-@->, Lisa C. <peter.strzok [REDACTED]>
Date: Mon, 23 Jan 2017 22:04:41 -0500

I haven't read the policy lately, but if I recall correctly, you can say it at any time. I'm 90 percent sure about that, but I can check in the am.

----- Original message -----

From: "Page, Lisa C. (OGC) (FBI)" <[REDACTED]>
Date: 01/23/2017 9:30 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [REDACTED] (OGC) (FBI)" <[REDACTED]>, "Strzok, Peter P. (CD) (FBI)" <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Question regarding 1001

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From: "\"page\" <>, \"lisa c. \" [REDACTED] >\"
To: [REDACTED] <peter.strzok [REDACTED]>
Date: Mon, 23 Jan 2017 21:30:41 -0500

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DD



- We have a case on Flynn + Russians
- Our goal is to resolve case
- Our goal is to ^{determine if} ~~assess~~ Mike Flynn is going to tell the truth @ his relationship w/ Russians
- Can quote [redacted]
- Shouldn't [redacted]



Review in stand-alone

• Afterwards

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- Interview
 - I agreed yesterday that we shouldn't show Flynn [redacted] if he didn't admit
 - I thought @ it last night, + I believe we should rethink this
 - What's our goal? Truth/Admission or to get him to lie, so we can prosecute him or get him fired?
 - We regularly show subjects evidence, with the goal of getting them to admit their wrongdoing
 - I don't see how getting someone to admit their wrongdoing is going easy on him
 - If we get him to admit to breaking the Logan Act, give facts to DOJ + have them decide
 - Or, if he initially lies, then we present him [redacted] + he admits it, document for DOJ, + let them decide how to address it
 - If we're seen as playing games, WH will be furious
 - Protect our institution by not playing games

