From: Rick Gates < rgates6@me.com > Date: May 23, 2016 at 23:34:59 EDT

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Subject: Re: DNC and Paul Manafort

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Thank you. I will ring you in the morning. Think you might be in Europe. Or you just are no sleeping.

On May 23, 2016, at 2:39 AM, Tony Podesta odesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Think I slowed this down

Sent from my iPhone

On May 17, 2016, at 9:09 PM, Rick Gates < rgates6@me.com > wrote:

You will love this one...the American Polish Advisory Council.

On May 17, 2016, at 3:06 PM, Tony Podesta odesta@podesta.com> wrote:

What's APAC

Sent from my iPhone

On May 17, 2016, at 12:27 PM, Rick Gates < rgates6@me.com > wrote:

Tony-

Thanks for your help. See the information below. I am not sure who the person in charge of "ethnic outreach" for the DNC is but seems like it that is the point person. Let me know what you can do.

Last Friday APAC had a meeting at DNC organized by their ethnic outreach office, presenting Democratic Party strategies for presidential elections. One of the subjects was a smear campaign against Paul Manafort, which will be launched in a couple of days. The head of the ethnic outreach is of Ukrainian descent and has connections in Ukraine. She was able to produce documents linking Manafort to Moscow during his time as adviser to Victor Yanukowych, ousted former Ukrainian president. They will try to link Donald Trump to Putin through Manafort's engagement and money trail of over billion dollars.

This was a formal presentation on the part of DNC - I am trying to obtain an audio tape from the meeting.

I just wanted to share this with you to make you aware before they start.