

From: [Yovanovitch, Marie L](#)
To: [Kent, George P](#)
Subject: RE: Blue Star/Burisma
Date: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 4:13:53 PM

If you wouldn't mind reconstituting, with a view that [REDACTED] may get to take a peak, I would appreciate.

From: Kent, George P
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 10:57 PM
To: Yovanovitch, Marie L
Subject: Blue Star/Burisma

A company which has been previously investigated by the GPO providing funding for training to the GPO by a US organization? Oi-yoi-yoi.

I do not know if I have any email to [REDACTED] about this that I can track down, since I did much of the talking thru of issues with him face to face, but I can reconstitute the concerns. Apart from that, to my mind, the below idea would not pass the Washington Post sniff test.

(That said, Sad irony is that leadership training for GPO could be considered an element of an active OPDAT/RLA program. The GPO might well actually get more out of a two week McCain Institute training session, and for cheaper, than a pro-rated component of what INL transferred to DOJ/OPDAT annually).

From: Yovanovitch, Marie L <[REDACTED]@state.gov>
Date: September 26, 2017 at 10:42:24 PM GMT+3
To: Kent, George P <[REDACTED]@state.gov>
Subject: Fw: Greetings from [REDACTED]

Thoughts? :)

Can you resurrect your email to [REDACTED] on this for me to edit and forward?

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone.

From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@asu.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 9:17 PM
To: Yovanovitch, Marie L
Subject: Greetings from [REDACTED]

Masha:

Here is a blast from our joint past and wishing you well in your tough but exciting assignment! I know you and Kurt get to work together closely in his non-McCain Institute capacity. But I have a quick request for your views on a leadership training proposal we have received. [REDACTED] of Blue Star Strategies, together with Vadym Poharskyi of the Burisma Group have asked us whether we could provide a two-week Leadership Development and Professional Capacity Building program for Ukrainian public prosecutors proposed to us by the Ukrainian Chief Prosecutor. Burisma would find this. We are prepared to do this, as we have done for similar groups from the DRC and from Pakistan. Just doing due diligence. I would greatly appreciate your and your team's views.

Cheers,

[REDACTED]

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