

Message

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Sent: 3/21/2025 9:48:21 PM
To: Dunkins, Robin [Dunkins.Robin@epa.gov]
CC: Tsirigotis, Peter [Tsirigotis.Peter@epa.gov]; Tardif, Abigale (Abbie) [Tardif.Abigale@epa.gov]
Subject: Re: email address for Presidential exemption requests

Sounds great. Thanks!

Thanks,

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Sent: Friday, March 21, 2025 5:13:16 PM
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I've already got our comms team reaching out to OAR's team. We have a draft comms plan that we sent about an hour ago to John and Isabel. We should have that populated by Monday morning.

And thanks for the quick feedback on OGC concerns. I will follow up with everyone on Monday morning and turn around a new version to send to you.

Robin

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Robin - thanks for the response. (b) (5)

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

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With respect to the posting, your recommendation seems to go to me. Can we ask John Millett's team to put together a short press thing so we can post it on the EPA website with a link to it as well?

Thanks,

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Aaron, I was able to connect with OGC and they have made a few edits to the writeup but there were also Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP) I'm going to hold off on sending you the revised pager until Monday to allow OGC time to followup on Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP) for you to think about.

I've cut and pasted excerpt of message below. I did ask them to follow up with their (b) (5) experts first thing Monday morning.

From OGC.... (b) (5) Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

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Thanks Robin!

Thanks,

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I have not run it thru OGC yet but will do that today. I will circle back to you to confirm we can get this posted by Monday.

Thanks

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Robin – this looks great. I provided some recommended edits and if you can run it through OGC (if you have not yet), to make sure they are good with it. I would like to get this up on the website Monday if that is possible.

I am still debating Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP) but I think we can hold off on that for now.

Let me know if you need anything from me.

Thanks,

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Aaron,

Per your request, we've have an email box dedicated to receive exemption requests under 112(i)(4). I'm attaching a short narrative to provide a bit more detail including the email address. One point to note for you is Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

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