
From: Chad Guo
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2018 10:10 AM
To: Julie Saulnier; Brendan Holland
Subject: RE: Akin Gump

I'm available anytime next week.

- Chad

From: Julie Saulnier
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2018 10:06 AM
To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>; Chad Guo <Chad.Guo@fcc.gov>
Subject: RE: Akin Gump

I'm good except Wed. I guess Holly/Tom will want to avoid the CFC Kickoff on Monday.

From: Brendan Holland
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2018 10:03 AM
To: Chad Guo <Chad.Guo@fcc.gov>; Julie Saulnier <Julie.Saulnier@fcc.gov>
Subject: Akin Gump

So these folks from Akin are going to come brief us on their view of the NDAA. Holly and/or Tom from our FO will join us. Besides Weds., are there any days/times you all are unavailable next week?

Thanks,
Brendan

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From: Holly Saurer
Sent: Monday, April 15, 2019 10:30 AM
To: Sima Chowdhury
Subject: FW: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

From: Brendan Holland
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 12:54 PM
To: Thomas Horan <Thomas.Horan@fcc.gov>; Holly Saurer <Holly.Saurer@fcc.gov>; Chad Guo <Chad.Guo@fcc.gov>; Julie Saulnier <Julie.Saulnier@fcc.gov>
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Brendan

From: Brendan Holland
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 6:25 PM
To: Julie Saulnier
Subject: Re: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Yes, right thanks Julie. I appreciate it. And Holly will be on the phone too.

From: "Julie Saulnier" <Julie.Saulnier@fcc.gov>
Date: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 at 6:18:52 PM
To: "Brendan Holland" <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>
Subject: Re: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Hi Brendan: I accepted the meeting but will have to participate by phone. Working from home that morning and off in the afternoon. Julie

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To: Chad Guo
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Great, thanks Chad.

From: Chad Guo
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 12:37 PM
To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>
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Brendan,

Any of those dates and times works for me, although earlier would be better.

- Chad

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From: Chad Guo
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 4:51 PM
To: Brendan Holland
Subject: Accepted: Meet with Akin Gump re: Foreign media entity registration

From: Julie Saulnier
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 6:17 PM
To: Brendan Holland
Subject: Accepted: Meet with Akin Gump re: Foreign media entity registration

Subject: Canceled: Meet with Akin Gump re: Foreign media entity registration
Location: 2-B142 Dividable North Conf Rm 2 (Room)
Start: Fri 9/28/2018 10:00 AM
End: Fri 9/28/2018 11:00 AM
Show Time As: Free
Recurrence: (none)
Meeting Status: Not yet responded
Organizer: Brendan Holland
Required Attendees: Holly Saurer; Thomas Horan; Chad Guo; Julie Saulnier
Resources: 3-B112 Dividable North Conf Rm 1 (Room)
Importance: High

Updating to 2-North b/c no AC in 3-North. I'll send call-in info to Holly and Julie in a moment. Thanks.

From: 3-B112 Dividable North Conf Rm 1 (Room)
Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 4:04 PM
To: Brendan Holland
Subject: Accepted: Meet with Akin Gump re: Foreign media entity registration

Your request was accepted.

• **The Following are the Phone Bridge Dial Numbers and Associated Access & Host Codes:**

- Toll Free (US & CA Only): 1-888-858-2144
- Toll Number for International: 646-746-3008
- Access Code: 7386650 | Host Code: 3217

• **For Further Assistance, Please Contact:**

- ASC: 202-418-0330 for assistance with reservations
- Service Center: 202-418-1200 for IT related matters

• **User Documentation:**

- Guides: [Conference Room Do's & Don'ts](#) | [Conference Room Info Sheet](#)
- Tips: [IT Portal](#)

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From: Chad Guo
Sent: Thursday, September 27, 2018 8:58 AM
To: Julie Saulnier
Subject: RE: Meet with Akin Gump re: Foreign media entity registration

Sure, Julie. No problem.

- Chad

From: Julie Saulnier
Sent: Wednesday, September 26, 2018 4:16 PM
To: Chad Guo <Chad.Guo@fcc.gov>
Subject: FW: Meet with Akin Gump re: Foreign media entity registration

Chad, as I'll be on the phone, would you mind grabbing me a copy of the power point if there's an extra? Thanks. Julie

From: Brendan Holland
Sent: Wednesday, September 26, 2018 4:12 PM
To: Holly Saurer <Holly.Saurer@fcc.gov>; Julie Saulnier <Julie.Saulnier@fcc.gov>; Chad Guo <Chad.Guo@fcc.gov>; Thomas Horan <Thomas.Horan@fcc.gov>
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From: Vanessa Lemme
Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 11:15 AM
To: Brendan Holland; Brenda Lewis
Subject: RE: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Will do.

From: Brendan Holland
Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 11:04 AM
To: Vanessa Lemme <Vanessa.Lemme@fcc.gov>; Brenda Lewis <Brenda.Lewis@fcc.gov>
Subject: FW: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Hi, I have a group of folks coming in Friday for a ten AM meeting in MB front office conf room. Could you please do the honors and alert Security that they'll be attending (names are below) and that they can contact me when they arrive (and/or you all as well, if you're here and I'm not around.)

Thanks,
Brendan

From: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>
Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 10:57 AM
To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>
Subject: RE: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Hello Brendan –

Our client, Ms. Hagir Elawad, who runs government affairs for the UAE embassy, would like to attend this meeting as well. Could you please add her to the list?

All told we will be:
Hagir Elawad
Hal Shapiro
Jennifer Richter
Brad Powell

Thanks,

Shea

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From: Brendan Holland [<mailto:Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 2:48 PM

To: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>
Subject: RE: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Shea-

I think meeting the morning of Friday September 28th from 10-10:30 would work best for our my folks. I'll secure a conference room and alert security to expect your three colleagues that morning. And I will be the point of contact, so if they inform security they're here to meet with me, then security will give me a buzz to come down and collect them.

Thanks,
Brendan

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From: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 12:01 PM
To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>
Subject: RE: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

We can also add in as options:
9/28 at 10-11
10/5 at 9-10 or 10-11

I did realize right after sending that both options were for a Friday afternoon meeting. It will be Hal, Jennifer and my colleague Brad Powell (I will be out of town). If Friday in general is no good, let me know and I can find another time maybe the week after. Those are just the times that work for everyone on our end over the couple weeks.

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Regards,
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Brendan –

Do either of these dates/times team work for your team?

9/28 – 3-4 pm

10/5 – 3-4 pm

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From: Brendan Holland [<mailto:Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>]
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To: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>
Subject: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

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From: Raenell Plummer on behalf of SOC
Sent: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 11:40 AM
To: Brendan Holland; SOC
Cc: Brenda Lewis; Vanessa Lemme
Subject: RE: outside visitors to HQ

You're very welcome.

Thank you,

***Mrs. Raenell Plummer
Deputy Security Officer
Federal Communications Commission
Security Operations Center
202-418-7884 (phone)
202-418-1092 (fax)***

From: Brendan Holland
Sent: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 11:20 AM
To: SOC <SOC@fcc.gov>
Cc: Brenda Lewis <Brenda.Lewis@fcc.gov>; Vanessa Lemme <Vanessa.Lemme@fcc.gov>
Subject: RE: outside visitors to HQ

Okay, got it. I expect it will be a laptop from one of the associate attorneys at Akin Gump law firm (a big US law firm here in town) and that it will not be any foreign equipment.

Thanks very much for the help and clarification.

Brendan

From: Raenell Plummer **On Behalf Of** SOC
Sent: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 11:08 AM
To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>; SOC <SOC@fcc.gov>
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If it is U.S. property, then they will be fine to use the laptop. The concerns only arise with use of foreign equipment above the TW level.

Thank you,

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Thanks for the further info. I'll try and follow up and see. I suspect it will be the laptop of one of the DC attorneys and not the person from the embassy. And I also suspect that if I ask for all this info, they'll just print the power point out and use it as a hand out, which would be much easier.

Thanks,
Brendan

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Sent: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 10:56 AM
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Cc: Brenda Lewis <Brenda.Lewis@fcc.gov>; Vanessa Lemme <Vanessa.Lemme@fcc.gov>
Subject: RE: outside visitors to HQ

Brendan,

If you are able to, please obtain the information below for any foreign visitors (non-U.S. citizens). Do you know if the laptop belongs to and will be used by the UAE visitor or a U.S. citizen? What room will the meeting be held in?

Name:
Passport Number:
Date of Expiration
Country of Issuance:
Date of Birth:

Thank you,

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Cc: Brenda Lewis <Brenda.Lewis@fcc.gov>; Vanessa Lemme <Vanessa.Lemme@fcc.gov>
Subject: RE: outside visitors to HQ

Thanks very much, and I have checked with the visitors, and I'm not sure what constitutes a "Foreign Visitor" but one of the party is from the embassy of the United Arab Emirates, and likely not a US citizen. And I checked with them and the lawyers who are accompanying the visitor want to use their laptop to present a powerpoint slide deck. Accordingly, can you let me know what they need to do in order to get IT/CISO approval to use their laptop? Is it some additional step when they come through Security the morning of their meeting?

Thanks much,
Brendan

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Subject: RE: outside visitors to HQ

SOC has been notified. Permit visitor(s) access as requested below.

If applicable, Foreign Visitors who travel above the TW Level for meetings are not allowed to power-up their laptops or use their cell phones unless pre-approved by the IT/CISO. Please advise your visitors accordingly. They are allowed to use the Public Wi-Fi on the TW Level.

From: Vanessa Lemme
Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 11:21 AM
To: SOC <SOC@fcc.gov>
Cc: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>; Brenda Lewis <Brenda.Lewis@fcc.gov>
Subject: outside visitors to HQ

The Media Bureau Chief's staff will be meeting with the following individuals on **Friday, Sept. 28**. They should be arriving shortly before 10:00 am.

Please contact **Brendan Holland (418-2757)**, **Vanessa Lemmé (418-2611)** or **Brenda Lewis (418-1447)** upon their arrival and one of us will come down to escort them to the conference room.

Hagir Elawad
Hal Shapiro
Jennifer Richter

Brad Powell
Shea Boyd

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you in advance.

Vanessa

*Vanessa C. Lemmé
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(202/418-2611) office
(202/418-2053) fax*

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Sent: Friday, September 14, 2018 10:07 AM
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Subject: Re: Foreign Media Outlet Briefing

From: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>
Sent: Monday, September 10, 2018 1:48 PM
To: Alison Nemeth <Alison.Nemeth@fcc.gov>
Cc: Richter, Jennifer <jrichter@akingump.com>; Shapiro, Hal <hshapiro@akingump.com>
Subject: Foreign Media Outlet Briefing

Hi Alison,

Thank you for taking the time to speak with me, Hal, and Jennifer on 8/31 regarding the new Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement. As we mentioned on the call, we'd like to fully brief you, and whoever you think would benefit, on the activities of Al Jazeera in the United States. This would be purely informational, not in connection with any docket, and we believe this information will be helpful to the Commission as it works through this new requirement. Please let us know if you are available in the coming weeks to set up a briefing on this issue.

Regards,

Shea

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Good Morning Brendan –

Thanks for your note. I'll gather a few dates/times that work on our end and will be back in touch soon. We look forward to meeting with you and your team.

R,

Shea

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From: Brendan Holland [<mailto:Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>]

Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 11:52 AM

To: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>

Subject: RE: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

****EXTERNAL Email****

Shea-

Let me check and follow up; Fridays sometimes can be challenging. And are you bringing your clients, or will it be just yourself, Hal, and Jennifer? (Only asking in case targeting a Friday is tied to client's travel plans or something.)

Regards,
Brendan

From: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>

Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2018 11:46 AM

To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>

Subject: RE: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Brendan –

Do either of these dates/times team work for your team?

9/28 – 3-4 pm

10/5 – 3-4 pm

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From: Brendan Holland [<mailto:Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>]

Sent: Monday, September 17, 2018 9:35 AM

To: Boyd, Shea <shea.boyd@akingump.com>

Subject: Foreign Media Outlet disclosure requirement

Shea-

The Chairman's Office has asked that we meet with you again regarding the recently enacted NDAA. As discussed on our earlier call, we'd be interested in knowing who your point of contact has been at DOJ for these issues related to FARA, and also to learn anything new you may have to tell us. Please let me know when (preferred dates/times) you were interested in meeting, and I'll see what works best for the team on this end.

Regards,
Brendan

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From: Powell, Brad <powellb@akingump.com>
Sent: Friday, September 28, 2018 12:58 PM
To: Brendan Holland
Cc: Shapiro, Hal; Richter, Jennifer
Subject: RE: Following up

Thanks!

From: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 28, 2018 12:51 PM
To: Powell, Brad <powellb@akingump.com>
Cc: Shapiro, Hal <hshapiro@akingump.com>; Richter, Jennifer <jrichter@akingump.com>
Subject: RE: Following up

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Thanks Brad, appreciate the follow up info. Folks attending from this side were:

1. Myself, Brendan Holland, Chief Industry Analysis Division, Media Bureau
2. Chad Guo, Attorney Advisor, Industry Analysis Division, Media Bureau
3. Julie Saulnier, Attorney Advisor, Industry Analysis Division, Media Bureau (by phone)
4. Tom Horan, Chief of Staff, Media Bureau
5. Holly Saurer, Assistant Chief, Media Bureau (by phone)

Regards,
Brendan

From: Powell, Brad <powellb@akingump.com>
Sent: Friday, September 28, 2018 12:31 PM
To: Brendan Holland <Brendan.Holland@fcc.gov>
Cc: Shapiro, Hal <hshapiro@akingump.com>; Richter, Jennifer <jrichter@akingump.com>
Subject: Following up

Hi Brendan,

Thanks again for taking the time to meet with us this morning. Could you please confirm the names and titles of everyone from FCC who joined this morning? We need to keep track for our own FARA purposes.

Also, here are the names of the personnel from DOJ's FARA Unit we met with in February (I just have contact info for the first two):

- Heather Hunt (heather.hunt@usdoj.gov)
- Clifford Rones (clifford.rones@usdoj.gov)
- Bob Wallace

All the best,
Brad

Brad Powell

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