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**From:** Attorney General  
**To:** O'Neil, David (ODAG); Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG); Cole, James (ODAG); Schmalzer, Tracy (SMO); Grindler, Gary (OAG); Delery, Stuart F. (OAG)  
**Sent:** 8/28/2011 2:41:10 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Change of position

This is not a negotiation. Soft landing is way more than enough

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**From:** Attorney General  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 28, 2011 01:22 PM  
**To:** O'Neil, David (ODAG); Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG); Cole, James (ODAG); Schmalzer, Tracy (SMO); Grindler, Gary (OAG); Delery, Stuart F. (OAG)  
**Subject:** Re: Change of position

Or to be more blunt: don't issue anything until we see it and until we say it's ok.

Make that clear

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**From:** O'Neil, David (ODAG)  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 28, 2011 12:51 PM  
**To:** Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG); Attorney General Cole, James (ODAG); Schmalzer, Tracy (SMO); Grindler, Gary (OAG); Delery, Stuart F. (OAG)  
**Subject:** Re: Change of position

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**From:** Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG)  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 28, 2011 12:32 PM  
**To:** Attorney General Cole, James (ODAG); Schmalzer, Tracy (SMO); O'Neil, David (ODAG); Grindler, Gary (OAG); Delery, Stuart F. (OAG)  
**Subject:** Fw: Change of position

Fyi. I also want to flag that Ken says he has cleaned out his office. That will create a buzz at ATF if it is apparent and I am guessing Ken notified a bunch of people directly about his departure especially since he will not be around most of Monday and Tuesday. DP

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**From:** Melson, Kenneth E. (ATF)  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 28, 2011 12:16 PM  
**To:** Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG)  
**Subject:** Re: Change of position

Thanks. I meant OLP Unrelated  
Ken

----- Original Message -----  
From: Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG) <Stuart.Goldberg@usdoj.gov>

To: Melson, Kenneth E.  
Sent: Sun Aug 28 11:07:25 2011  
Subject: Re: Change of position

Ken - thanks for the email. A couple of things. It looks like your email was sent to a James Cole at BOP instead of the DAG I will forward it to him but you may want recall your other message. I will also send your draft onto OPA. Also I see your email references OLA -- do you mean OLP?

**Unrelated**

----- Original Message -----

From: Melson, Kenneth E. (ATF)  
Sent: Sunday, August 28, 2011 10:28 AM  
To: Cole, James (BOP); Goldberg, Stuart (ODAG)  
Subject: Change of position

The previous email was sent before the message was added. Still getting used to the iPad. The prior email contains a draft press release for Monday that I would like to issue from ATF. Stuart, could you pass it on to OPA? I have my office cleared out

**Unrelated**

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I may

not be back until late Tuesday afternoon in time for the class at 6.

I will need to know to whom to report to in OLA on Wednesday.

Thanks. Ken

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