

**From:** Trusty, James  
**To:** Weinstein, Jason  
**Sent:** 5/3/2011 1:26:13 AM  
**Subject:** FW: Letters of march 4 and March 28 from Senator Grassley to ATF re murder of ICE agent Jaime Zapata in Mexico  
**Attachments:** 2011-03-04 CEG to ATF (Zapata).pdf; 2011-03-08 DOJ to CEG.PDF; 2011-03-28 CEG to ATF (Zapata).pdf; grassley osorio response.docx

I'm inclined to stay away from this but thought you'd want to know.

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**From:** Maisel, Gregg (USADC) [mailto:Gregg.Maisel@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, May 02, 2011 5:40 PM  
**To:** Trusty, James; Jaffe, David; Wyatt, Arthur; Bratt, Jay (USADC); DiLorenzo, Michael (USADC); Campoamor-Sanchez, Fernando (USADC); Goldberg, Andrea; Karpel, David  
**Subject:** FW: Letters of march 4 and March 28 from Senator Grassley to ATF re murder of ICE agent Jaime Zapata in Mexico

Team,

Faith Burton at OLA reached out to me on Friday evening about some ongoing correspondence with Sen. Grassley's office. The correspondence is generally about the ATF's gun program and the announcement out of Dallas that one of the weapons in their case was connected to the murder of Agent Zapata.

I've attached the correspondence to date (pdf files), along with OLA's proposed response to the last request (Word file); DP If anyone has any comments about OLA's draft response, please let me know. Thanks.

- Gregg

**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Sent:** Monday, May 02, 2011 4:26 PM  
**To:** Beers, Elizabeth R. (FBI); Maisel, Gregg (USADC)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO); Spinola, Theresa M. (FBI); Madden, Joanne (FBI)  
**Subject:** RE: Letters of march 4 and March 28 from Senator Grassley to ATF re murder of ICE agent Jaime Zapata in Mexico

Thanks. Beth.

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**From:** Beers, Elizabeth R. (FBI)  
**Sent:** Monday, May 02, 2011 3:54 PM  
**To:** Burton, Faith (SMO); Maisel, Gregg (USADC)  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO); Spinola, Theresa M. (FBI); Madden, Joanne (FBI)  
**Subject:** Letters of march 4 and March 28 from Senator Grassley to ATF re murder of ICE agent Jaime Zapata in Mexico

Faith – following up on our telcal on Friday, our folks confirmed that we do have a pending investigation into the murder of the ICE Agent and it is active to the extent that several extraditions are anticipated.

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Thanks,

Rep. Peter  
FBI Director  
Congressional Affairs  
505-474-1111

**FBI-specific releases:**

Reward: [http://www.fbi.gov/news/news\\_blog/reward\\_033011](http://www.fbi.gov/news/news_blog/reward_033011)

Three Dallas Arrests: <http://www.fbi.gov/dallas/press-releases/2011/dl030111.htm>

Operation Bombardier: <http://houston.fbi.gov/pressrel/pressrel11/ho022411.htm>

**Related press:**

Task Force: [http://articles.cnn.com/2011-02-16/world/mexico.ice.attack\\_1\\_task-force-ice-agent-immigration-agents?\\_s=PM:WORLD](http://articles.cnn.com/2011-02-16/world/mexico.ice.attack_1_task-force-ice-agent-immigration-agents?_s=PM:WORLD)

Napolitano's comments re – investigation: <http://www.plumaslakelife.com/news/suspects-123467-brownsville-washington-aims.html>

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**From:** Burton, Faith (SMO) [mailto:Faith.Burton@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 29, 2011 5:02 PM  
**To:** Maisel, Gregg (USADC); Beers, Elizabeth R.  
**Cc:** Gaston, Molly (SMO)  
**Subject:** FW: March 4th 2011 Letter from Senator Grassley  
**Importance:** High

Here's the 3/4 Grassley incoming; our 3/8 response focused primarily on the IG issue. Thanks for your help. FB 514-1653

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**From:** Downey, Brian (Judiciary-Rep) [mailto:Brian\_Downey@judiciary-rep.senate.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 29, 2011 4:19 PM  
**To:** Gaston, Molly (SMO); Burton, Faith (SMO)  
**Cc:** ATF (ATF); Hoover, William J. (ATF); Leavitt, Tristan (Judiciary-Rep); CEG (Judiciary-Rep)  
**Subject:** March 4th 2011 Letter from Senator Grassley  
**Importance:** High

Will Senator Grassley be receiving any response or documents to his March 4<sup>th</sup> letter besides the March 8<sup>th</sup> letter from the Department of Justice?

Thank you,

Brian

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