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From: Mittelholzer, Michael [MMittelholzer@nahb.org]
Sent: 4/5/2017 2:53:50 PM
To: Hale, Michelle [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=cb99f5247ab8412fa017133839301fee-Hale, Miche]
Subject: NAHB letters to Administrator Pruitt
Attachments: The Honorable Scott Pruitt 4.5.17.pdf; The President 3.31.17.pdf

Michelle –

I am seeking your assistance transmitting these two letters to Administrator Pruitt. The first letter thanks the Administrator for last week's meeting. The second letter is a copy of a letter that has been transmitted to the President praising him for his leadership in signing the Executive Order on "Waters of the United States" rule. Could you please make sure copies of these two letters are shared with the Administrator and members of his senior staff that attended last week's meeting.

Within NAHB's thank you letter to Administrator Pruitt, NAHB's 2017 Chairman of the Board, Mr. Granger MacDonald reiterates our request for the Administrator to address NAHB's Board of Directors during our Midyear meetings in Washington D.C., June 13-17 at the Marriot Wardman Park Hotel.

The Administrator did mentioned during last week's meeting, he has some foreign travel plans for some time in June. However, prior conversations with his staff indicated the Administrator might be available on the afternoon of Thursday, June 15 (e.g., between noon and 2:30 p.m.). **Can you please confirm whether or not the afternoon of Thursday, June 15th is still a possibility?** NAHB staff will of course will remain flexible to the Administrator's schedule for that week.

Thanks again for all your help with last week's meeting. Our senior leadership couldn't have been more pleased with the reception they received from Administrator Pruitt and his senior staff.

- Mike



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April 5, 2017

The Honorable Scott Pruitt
Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

Dear Administrator Pruitt:

On behalf of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB), I would like to thank you and your staff for meeting with NAHB's senior leadership on March 29. The nation's home builders and developers appreciate that we share similar philosophies and goals: to establish sound environmental policies that protect our water, air, and land while simultaneously respecting the rights of states to manage their resources and avoiding undue economic burdens for small businesses. NAHB is committed to working with you during this critical time for our nation's economy, particularly as it relates to the uneven recovery for the U.S. home building industry.

We look forward to your leadership as EPA responds to the President's call for regulatory reform and takes steps to reduce the regulatory burdens that are needlessly raising housing costs for hard-working families without adding benefit to the environment. These regulatory concerns include those associated with the Clean Water Act's "waters of the U.S." (WOTUS) rule, lead-based paint requirements, stormwater permitting, and emissions reduction initiatives, among others.

With respect to WOTUS and in response to your request, NAHB sent a letter (attached) to President Trump thanking him for his executive order which calls upon EPA and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to review the Obama administration's flawed WOTUS rule and restore the rule of law. This is an important first step toward establishing a more sensible rule. Under your leadership, EPA and the Corps have already signaled their intent to fix WOTUS, and we want to commend you for moving quickly.

As we mentioned in our meeting last week, NAHB's senior leadership would like you to address our Board of Directors at the 2017 NAHB Midyear Meeting taking place June 13 – 17, 2017 at the Marriott Wardman Park Hotel in Washington, D.C.

The Honorable Scott Pruitt
April 5, 2017 (Page 2)

Communications with your staff indicate you may be available to join us on Thursday, June 15, between noon and 2:30 p.m. We are, of course, flexible and will accommodate your schedule.

In the meantime, please let us know if we can do anything to assist you in your efforts to implement the President's regulatory streamlining initiatives.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Granger MacDonald', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Granger MacDonald



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March 31, 2017

The President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

On behalf of the more than 140,000 members of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB), I want to thank you for keeping your campaign promise and signing the recent executive order directing the Environmental Protection Agency and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to begin the process of rescinding or revising the controversial "waters of the United States" (WOTUS) rule.

I was truly honored to be at the White House on Feb. 28 for the signing ceremony. It was also a privilege to personally convey to you the gratitude of the nation's home builders for your strong leadership and decisive actions to roll back excessive regulations that are harming small businesses and stifling job and economic growth.

I am pleased to report that we recently had the opportunity to meet with EPA Administrator Scott Pruitt to discuss WOTUS and other issues of concern to the housing community. NAHB was one of the first groups to come out in support of your choice of Administrator Pruitt to head the EPA, and we look forward to building on the positive relationship.

NAHB would like to remain actively engaged, and work with you and your administration to implement a major infrastructure plan and comprehensive tax reform that will enable builders to construct more homes, lower effective rates for small businesses, and unleash the potential our economy has to move us into a bold and exciting future.

NAHB stands ready to do its part to support pro-business, pro-housing policies that will make America great again.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Granger MacDonald", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Granger MacDonald

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From: Mittelholzer, Michael [MMittelholzer@nahb.org]
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CC: Dewey, Amy [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=fc3a7e01b12f4aeba5d34b813df8112a-Dewey, Amy]; Dickerson, Aaron [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=d0440d9f06994021827e0d0119126799-Dickerson,]
Subject: RE: Meeting Request with Administrator Pruitt

Michelle - Thank you for prompt response. I look forward to hearing back from you next month.

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National Association of Home Builders

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From: Hale, Michelle [mailto:hale.michelle@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 01, 2017 12:14 PM
To: Mittelholzer, Michael <MMittelholzer@nahb.org>
Cc: Dewey, Amy <Dewey.Amy@epa.gov>; Dickerson, Aaron <dickerson.aaron@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Meeting Request with Administrator Pruitt

Thank you for the invitation. I will get it in our system! Please feel free to follow back up with us in April if we haven't been in touch.

Michelle Hale
Executive Assistant to the Administrator
Environmental Protection Agency
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(202) 564-1430

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From: Mittelholzer, Michael [mailto:MMittelholzer@nahb.org]
Sent: Wednesday, March 1, 2017 12:13 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Cc: Dewey, Amy <Dewey.Amy@epa.gov>
Subject: Meeting Request with Administrator Pruitt

Ms. Hale - I understand from speaking with Amy Dewey that you are handling meeting requests between Administrator Pruitt and outside groups.

Attached is a letter from the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB) to Administrator Pruitt that was sent immediately following his confirmation vote by the United States Senate. NAHB's letter closes with a meeting request to the Administrator.

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Attachments: The Honorable Scott Pruitt 2.22.17.pdf

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- Michael

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February 22, 2017

The Honorable Scott Pruitt
Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460

Dear Administrator Pruitt:

On behalf of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB), I would like to congratulate you on your confirmation as Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. NAHB looks forward to working with you as you bring your leadership and experience to the Agency during this critical time for our nation's economy and, in particular, during the uneven recovery for the U.S. home building industry.

NAHB is committed to working with you and your leadership team to promote sound environmental policies that protect our nation's water, air, and land while simultaneously respecting the rights of states to manage their resources and avoiding undue economic burdens for small businesses, states, and local governments. We look forward to your leadership as EPA heeds the President's call for regulatory reform and takes steps to reduce the regulatory burdens that are needlessly raising housing costs for hard-working families without adding benefit to the environment – including those associated with the Clean Water Act's "waters of the U.S." rule, lead-based paint requirements, stormwater permitting, and emissions reduction initiatives, among others.

To ensure NAHB's views are considered, NAHB's senior leadership would like to request a meeting with you at your earliest convenience to begin a mutually beneficial and productive policy dialogue. Again, congratulations on your confirmation. NAHB looks forward to working with you in 2017 and beyond.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Granger MacDonald", written over a light blue horizontal line.

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From: Hupp, Sydney [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=D50089FF1A5B4C83BAA0160AFE2C33CB-HUPP, SYDNE]
Sent: 3/14/2017 9:49:29 PM
To: tgibson@steel.org
CC: Hale, Michelle [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=cb99f5247ab8412fa017133839301fee-Hale, Miche]
Subject: American Iron and Steel Institute and the Steel Manufacturers Association Meeting
Attachments: Event Request Form.docx

Good afternoon Tom,

Hope this email finds you well! Ryan Jackson forwarded on to me your request to have Administrator Pruitt speak at your meeting. Thank you so much for thinking of our office! Would you mind filling out the attached event form and sending it back? We are trying to streamline our scheduling effort as we are getting so many requests coming in. Please let me know if you have any questions!

Thank you!
Sydney Hupp

**Event Request Form for
Administrator E. Scott Pruitt**

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

To request the Administrator to attend and/or speak at your event, please complete and submit the following form.

Group:

Name of Event:

Date of Event:

Type of Event (banquet, lecture, panel discussion, etc.):

Role of the Administrator:

Approximate time will the Administrator's Remarks Begin (example 9:00 am):

Expected length of the Administrator's remarks:

Will there be Q&A? If so, for how long and who from? Ex: press, attendees:

Event begins (example 9:00 am):

Event ends (example 9:00 am):

Event address (*please include room name or number if applicable*):

Will there be a hold room for the Administrator? (please include room name and/or number):

Please list the name and title of the individual who will introduce the Administrator:

Approximate size of the audience. Please also include a brief description of the makeup of the

audience (*attorneys, business owners, veterans, students etc.*):

Please indicate your request for the topic of the Administrator's remarks, if applicable:

Please list any special guests, elected officials, or other dignitaries who are invited or are expected to attend:

Please list any other speakers at this event:

Is this event open to the media?:

Please list a point of contact for the day of the event, including a cell phone number and e-mail address for the contact:

If applicable, please list the name(s) and contact information of the person(s) who will greet the Administrator upon arrival, including a cell phone number and e-mail address for each contact:

Please list any special information or directions, such as ongoing construction, specific points of entry, or parking instructions, about the event or location:

Please list below any other relevant information such as agendas, background information or other relevant information about the event. (*Information may also be attached and submitted with this form.*)

Please include a contact number for the event location:

Please indicate whether this event is held weekly, monthly or annually:

Please indicate the attire for this event (*business, formal, casual, etc.*):

Please list any agencies, businesses, schools or universities, or other organizations that may be sponsoring or co-sponsoring this event:

Please provide the security contact if contracted or head of security for event location:

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Sent: 7/19/2017 12:59:37 PM
To: Tobin, James [JTobin@nahb.org]
CC: Maddy Morris (morris.madeline@epa.gov) [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=f42c86b4a2044779972ac94e098f0304-Morris, Mad]; Dickerson, Aaron [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=d0440d9f06994021827e0d0119126799-Dickerson,]
Subject: RE: Invitation for Administrator Pruitt

Thank you, Mr. Tobin. I'm looping in our scheduling team.

Michelle

From: Tobin, James [mailto:JTobin@nahb.org]
Sent: Tuesday, July 18, 2017 4:19 PM
To: Hupp, Sydney <hupp.sydney@epa.gov>; Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Cc: Tobin, James <JTobin@nahb.org>
Subject: Invitation for Administrator Pruitt

Sydney and Michelle,

I am reaching out to call your attention to a request (attached) from the Colorado Association of Home Builders for Administrator Pruitt to speak to a group of home builders and general contractors in October. The event will take place on the morning of October 6 in Colorado Springs, CO. NAHB will be participating in the event, as well, and I want to add our name to request. Our builders recognize the impact Administrator Pruitt is having on the regulatory burdens facing the industry and they would very much like to hear his vision for the future. NAHB is enjoying an excellent relationship with the Administrator and I hope you will seriously consider attending the Colorado event.

If I can answer any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.



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Subject: NAM Board Meeting - Security Detail

Michelle,

Could you please provide Mr. Pruitt's security detail Matthew Dehart with Ron Smisek's contact information? He is head of security at The Phoenician and would like to connect prior to Mr. Pruitt's arrival. Please let me know if you need additional information.

Ron's email is: Ron.Smisek@luxurycollection.com

Best,

Matthew Chambers
National Association of Manufacturers
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Message

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce [JTINI@nam.org]
Sent: 3/2/2017 12:52:56 AM
To: Hale, Michelle [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=cb99f5247ab8412fa017133839301fee-Hale, Miche]
CC: Matt Chambers [MChambers@nam.org]
Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite
Attachments: Scott Pruitt Run of Show.docx

Thank you Michelle, we are excited to visit with the administrator! Gail Davis was kind enough to share the travel itinerary and I have shared the hotel confirmations below—will **Ex. 7(F)** still be traveling with the Administrator or will it now be **Ex. 7(F)**? I have also attached a run of show which outlines his session in detail. Please let me know if you have any questions I am happy to help in any way!

Best, Jeannine

Jeannine Tini Pierce
NAM

Ex. 6

Scott Pruitt –
Arrive March 6
Depart March 7
Confirmation # **Ex. 6**

Ryan Jackson – Chief of Staff
Arrive March 6
Depart March 7
Confirmation # **Ex. 6**

Ex. 7(F) – Protective Detail Agent - Room near/adjacent to Scott Pruitt.

Arrive March 6
Depart March 7
Confirmation # **Ex. 6**

From: Hale, Michelle [mailto:hale.michelle@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 01, 2017 6:23 PM
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>
Subject: FW: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Traveling with the Administrator:

Security **Ex. 7(F)**
Chief of Staff Ryan Jackson

They will be arriving Phoenix by noon on Monday and will depart the next morning.

From: Michelle Hale [mailto:**Ex. 6**]
Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 11:59 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

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From: Michelle Hale <[REDACTED] Ex. 6 >
Date: Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 3:22 PM
Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>, Millan Hupp <[REDACTED] Ex. 6 >

I believe there will be a security detail assigned to him as well as and Advance staff. Unfortunately I don't know who will be assigned as if now. EPA will be paying for the staff accommodations but if possible could you hold 2 rooms for the team members?

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 2:30 PM Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Yes. Can you please let us know his travel itinerary and who will be traveling with him? We will send a flow document complete with all details—thanks.

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce
Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 2:29 PM
To: 'Michelle Hale' <[REDACTED] Ex. 6 >; Millan Hupp <[REDACTED] Ex. 6 >

Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Yes. Can you please let us know

From: Michelle Hale [mailto:[REDACTED] Ex. 6]
Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 2:26 PM
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>; Millan Hupp <[REDACTED] Ex. 6 >

Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Will his accommodations be compd?

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 2:23 PM Michelle Hale <[REDACTED] Ex. 6 > wrote:

We just finished with a meeting on this. The plan is for the Administrator to arrive on March 6. It looks like the 3:15 slot would be a good option for us.

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 12:55 PM Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Also, if Tuesday is an option, I can move things around and we could have him address the group at 12:00 noon for our closing lunch? It would be a great close for this group.

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce

Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 12:02 PM

To: 'Millan Hupp' <[Ex. 6](mailto:Ex.6)>

Cc: Michelle Hale <[Ex. 6](mailto:Ex.6)>

Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Understood, thanks for the update—look forward to being in touch.

From: Millan Hupp [[mailto:Ex. 6](mailto:Ex.6)]

Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 12:01 PM

To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>

Cc: Michelle Hale <[Ex. 6](mailto:Ex.6)>

Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Hi Jeannine -- I'm so sorry, I don't have answers here yet. I am copying the Administrator's Executive Assistant, Michelle Hale, as she is also working on getting a firm answer for you on this. It is a priority for us, we are just trying to iron out a few wrinkles in our system. Thank you for being so patient with us.

Millan

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 10:53 AM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Hi Millan, any update as to your travel logistics? Ideally, we'd prefer the afternoon time slot 3:15 pm given our almost final agenda. Thanks for any update you can provide!

From: Millan Hupp [mailto:Ex. 6]
Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2017 10:07 AM
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>
Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Attendance is definitely confirmed. Unsure just yet if after 3PM on the 6th will work but will let you know soon.

Thank you for the follow up Jeannine. Look forward to working on logistics with you.

Millan

On Tue, Feb 21, 2017 at 8:46 AM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Hi Millan, very good news last week! Can we confirm The NAM Board Meeting given the recent confirmation? Thanks so much for all of your help.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 13, 2017, at 10:19 AM, Millan Hupp <Ex. 6> wrote:

That time should work but I would like to hold off on a firm yes just yet, if I may? We'll hopefully have more information on his schedule once he is confirmed this week.

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 8:25 AM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Yes, Monday later in the afternoon, after 3:00 pm local time. Could we make that work?

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 13, 2017, at 6:34 AM, Millan Hupp <Ex. 6> wrote:

Jeannine,

Hello to you and good morning. Thank you so much for the kind invitation.

Do you have a specific time slot that you are holding for General Pruitt or hopeful that he can fill?

Millan

On Sun, Feb 12, 2017 at 3:03 PM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Hello Ryan, Michelle and Millan,

As Ross mentions, we are grateful that General Pruitt can address the NAM Board at our meeting at the Phoenician in Scottsdale, AZ. Please note that the NAM Board meeting will convene on Monday, March 6 at 12:00 noon and adjourn on Tuesday, March 7 at 1:30 pm. While we have a working agenda and several speakers confirmed, please let me know what might work for you and we can try our best to accommodate. Many thanks, Jeannine

Jeannine Tini Pierce

VP, Board Initiatives

National Association of Manufacturers

Ex. 6

jtini@nam.org

From: Ross Eisenberg

Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 5:25 PM

To: Jackson, Ryan (Inhofe) <Ryan.Jackson@inhofe.senate.gov>

Cc: **Ex. 6**; Millan Hupp

<**Ex. 6**>; Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>

Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Ryan, thanks so much. We're excited to have General Pruitt speak at the board meeting.

I've copied Jeannine Tini Pierce, Vice President of Board Initiatives for NAM; she runs the board meeting and can answer all of your questions.

From: Jackson, Ryan (Inhofe) [mailto:Ryan_Jackson@inhofe.senate.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 5:01 PM
To: Ross Eisenberg <REisenberg@nam.org>
Cc: [REDACTED] Ex. 6 Millan Hupp
<[REDACTED] Ex. 6 >
Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Ross, General Pruitt would like to RSVP for the board meeting. Thanks for the invitation.

I've attached Michelle and Millan on this email as they keep the General's schedule.

Could we, of course, get a little more information and the itinerary so we can start building out his trip?

Thanks.

From: Ross Eisenberg [<mailto:REisenberg@nam.org>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 2:09 PM
To: Jackson, Ryan (Inhofe) <Ryan_Jackson@inhofe.senate.gov>
Subject: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

This went in through the main channels but I wanted to get it on your radar as well. I'm crossing my fingers he'll be confirmed before our board meeting...

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**The Hon. Scott Pruitt
Administrator
EPA**

National Association of Manufacturers
Spring 2017 Board of Directors Meeting

The Phoenician
6000 E. Camelback Rd.
Scottsdale, AZ 85251
(480) 941-8200

Monday, March 6
3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

NAM Onsite Contacts

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Senior Vice President of Policy and Government Relations
National Association of Manufacturers
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Matt Chambers
Manager, Board Initiatives
National Association of Manufacturers
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Email: mchambers@nam.org

Background

Speech: This session is scheduled for forty five minutes including Q&A.

Audience: There will be between approximately 200 executive level manufacturers attending plus an additional 50-100 of invited guest and liaisons. This an invite-only event.

Media: The session is closed to the media.

Attire: Business

Session Flow

- 3:00 p.m. Scott Pruitt (SP) arrives.**
- SP will meet Aric Newhouse, Jeannine Tini Pierce and Matt Chambers of the NAM outside of The Phoenician Grand Ballroom.
 - SP will be escorted to the green room behind the stage. There will be snacks and drinks available in green room.
- 3:15 p.m. We will have lavalier and podium microphone available.**
- 3:30 p.m. Session start.**
- A short NAM video will play on large screens in the room, NAM President and CEO Jay Timmons will ascend the stage and approach the podium and give short introductory remarks and introduce SP.
 - SP will ascend the stage on from opposite side of the podium, greet Jay Timmons and begin remarks.
 - SP can give remarks standing or seated (stools will be on stage).
- 3:35 p.m. Remarks begin.**
- Water will be available onstage.
- 3:55 p.m. Q & A begins.**
- SP will moderate own Q & A? Please let us know if SP would prefer moderator to join him on stage.
- 4:10 p.m. Wrap up.**
- 4:15 p.m. End of session.**
- SP walks off stage.
 - Jay Timmons will ascend stage and thank SP.

Introduction & Video:	5 minutes
Remarks:	20 minutes
Q&A:	15 minutes
Wrap up:	5 minutes

Message

From: Stengle, Jim [Stengljw@oge.com]
Sent: 5/5/2017 3:32:22 AM
To: Hale, Michelle [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=cb99f5247ab8412fa017133839301fee-Hale, Miche]
Subject: RE: Pruitt speak NGEAO in Sept

Thanks

From: Hale, Michelle [mailto:hale.michelle@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 04, 2017 2:08 PM
To: Stengle, Jim <Stengljw@oge.com>
Subject: RE: Pruitt speak NGEAO in Sept

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Jim, email Sydney Hupp about this? hupp.sydney@epa.gov
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Would love to see you!
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From: Hale, Michelle
Sent: Tuesday, May 2, 2017 7:36 AM
To: Stengle, Jim <Stengljw@oge.com>
Subject: Re: Pruitt speak NGEAO in Sept

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Sent from my iPhone

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Sent: 4/4/2017 1:43:31 PM
To: Stengle, Jim [StengIJW@oge.com]
Subject: RE: Scott keynote speaker for NGEAO annual meeting Sept 13,2017

Ex. 6 is on my list to try. Maybe this weekend. Take care of **Ex. 6**

From: Stengle, Jim [mailto:StengIJW@oge.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 4, 2017 8:32 AM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Scott keynote speaker for NGEAO annual meeting Sept 13,2017

You know this is a Jim, [Ngeao.org](http://ngeao.org) request. Not OGE proper. We don't want to spend OGE bullets we may need later, but greatly appreciate your consideration. Thanks, take care and enjoy D.C. And my favorite **Ex. 6**

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 4, 2017, at 7:22 AM, Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov> wrote:

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Hey, Jim, it's great to hear from you! I am forwarding this to our scheduling team. I hope it works out!
Michelle

From: Stengle, Jim [mailto:StengIJW@oge.com]
Sent: Monday, April 3, 2017 11:30 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Cc: Alford, Brian <alfordbt@oge.com>
Subject: Scott keynote speaker for NGEAO annual meeting Sept 13,2017

Michelle, hope the world is finding you and your family and friends in good graces. We are all very proud of you and what you and Mr. Pruitt are doing for our America.

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Thank you,
Jim Stengle, PE
OGE
Community Affairs Manager
PO Box 321

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Sent: 2/27/2017 4:00:15 PM
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce [JTINI@nam.org]
Subject: RE: Administrator Pruitt

I'm checking. Our biggest issue is trying to find a flight back to DC following his remarks. If he stays over we aren't able to get him to DC until mid-afternoon the next day.... Ugh.

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce [mailto:JTINI@nam.org]
Sent: Monday, February 27, 2017 10:45 AM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Administrator Pruitt

Michelle, any chance we can keep the 3:15?

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce
Sent: Monday, February 27, 2017 10:37 AM
To: 'Hale, Michelle' <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Administrator Pruitt

Cannot do 1:00 as we have a lunch that does not adjourn until 1:15 pm. I will have to see what we can do about 1:30 pm as I'll need to move another speaker if he can do it...stand by. Also we have reserved the three rooms as you have requested:

We have 3 reservations.

1. Scott Pruitt – Confirmation# [Ex. 6] Arrive 3/6 – Depart 3/7. Room and Tax Charges to NAM
2. TBD Advance Staff – (Alias Clark Kent) – Confirmation# [Ex. 6] Arrive 3/6 – Depart 3/7. On their own for all charges
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From: Hale, Michelle [mailto:hale.michelle@epa.gov]
Sent: Monday, February 27, 2017 10:34 AM
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>
Subject: Administrator Pruitt

Jeannine,

Would it be possible to move the Administrator's speech to either 1:00 or 1:30 on Monday, March 6?

Michelle Hale
Executive Assistant to the Administrator
Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW,
WJCS, Suite 3000
Washington, D.C. 20460

(202) 564-1430

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Sent: 2/22/2017 6:04:54 PM
To: swansora@oge.com
Subject: contact info

Great hearing from you today.

Michelle Hale
Executive Assistant to the Administrator
Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW,
WJCN, Suite 3000
Washington, D.C. 20460
(202) 564-1430

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To: halema@oge.com
Subject: Fwd: EPA's Pruitt basks in Trump glow after Paris pullout

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Date: June 2, 2017 at 6:48:53 PM EDT
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Subject: EPA's Pruitt basks in Trump glow after Paris pullout
Reply-To: "POLITICO subscriptions" <reply-fe8012767261037472-982755_HTML-802295970-1376319-0@politicoemail.com>

EPA's Pruitt basks in Trump glow after Paris pullout

By Alex Guillén

06/02/2017 06:45 PM EDT

Scott Pruitt's victory in vanquishing the Paris climate agreement has given him a status few of his predecessors enjoyed — an EPA chief who is clearly his administration's public face in driving environmental policy.

Pruitt's move into the spotlight comes after weeks of White House infighting over whether to reject the global climate pact, and shows that though the the former Oklahoma attorney general isn't a member of Trump's inner circle, he's got the president's ear on energy and environmental issues.

Typically, the head of the Environmental Protection Agency toils away crafting air and water regulations and defending the administration's policies in Congress, while more prominent officials lead the charge on the grand policy vision. Those more high-profile roles went to people like John Kerry, who served as a kind of global climate ambassador when he was Barack Obama's secretary of State, or former Vice Presidents Dick Cheney and Al Gore.

But when President Donald Trump announced the U.S. withdrawal from the Paris agreement Thursday, Pruitt was the one joining him at the podium in the Rose Garden — while Secretary of State Rex Tillerson, who'd wanted to stick with the deal, was nowhere to be seen. Pruitt repeated his victory lap at Friday's White House press briefing, beaming as he jousting with reporters over whether he or Trump believes that climate change is real.

Pruitt's prominence is a byproduct of how Trump views the Paris deal, former Obama climate negotiator Jonathan Pershing said Friday — through the lens of the U.S. economy, not as a worldwide fight against a common threat.

"It was a domestic agenda and not an international agenda that was dictating the policy" this week, Pershing said. "That's consistent with the way [Trump] characterized it as protecting American jobs. It was not characterized in the terms of American security being at risk because of climate change."

At Friday's press briefing, Pruitt praised Trump once again for the Paris decision, saying he had the courage to withdraw from a pact that would have benefited other countries as the expense of the U.S. economy.

"We owe no apologies to other nations for our environmental stewardship," said Pruitt, who had celebrated his win Thursday night with a dinner with staffers at the French-themed D.C. bistro Le Diplomate.

Tillerson, meanwhile, declined to endorse Trump's move at a separate press appearance Friday, calling it "a policy decision."

Despite months of behind-the-scenes debating over Paris that pitted Pruitt and Trump adviser Steve Bannon against Tillerson, Ivanka Trump and top economic adviser Gary Cohn, Pruitt sought to downplay his own influence over the president, saying he won on the merits.

In an appearance on Fox News Thursday evening, Pruitt dismissed the idea there had been an epic struggle as "simply legend."

"What happened in this process is what happens with every decision the president makes," Pruitt said. "He had advisers around him informing, equipping, helping him make a decision. The debate was good and strong and meaningful amongst all voices and the president made an informed decision."

But Pruitt has emerged as a power player inside the administration who appears to have the confidence of the president.

"It's all eyes on Pruitt because there's a lot of big issues regarding how the Trump administration addresses climate change," said Nick Loris, an economist at the conservative Heritage Foundation.

Pruitt's prominence is at least partly due to the fact that climate change isn't a top issue in the administration.

"There's just fewer cooks in the kitchen because addressing climate change is clearly not a priority for Trump," Loris said. And given how he fought against the Obama climate agenda while serving as Oklahoma's attorney general, "I'm not surprised he's spreading his wings to the international stage," he added.

Pruitt has already proven himself a successful operator in carrying out Trump's deregulation agenda.

He has had significant early success in pausing several key Obama-era regulations that were still in court, including a sweeping carbon regulation for power plants, ozone pollution limits and the Waters of the U.S. rule that defines which wetlands, streams and rivers fall under federal rules. The repeal process for those rules could take years, but Pruitt is well positioned to succeed in the task.

And in the meantime, Pruitt has canceled an EPA information request that would have set the stage for methane pollution limits for oil and gas wells, re-opened emissions standards for future vehicles and taken steps to modify other Obama-era regulations.

With his Paris win, Pruitt is positioning himself as the administration's leading voice on the international issues surrounding climate change.

On Fox News, Pruitt downplayed the potential diplomatic harm of the Paris decision, noting that the U.S. pulled out of the Kyoto Protocol in 2001 but weathered criticisms over that as well.

"If you go back and read, in March and April of 2001, the criticisms that was being led against President Bush, you can read the comments from the German chancellor, they're almost identical to the ones today."

However, Bush administration officials at the time found themselves surprised by other nations' strong reactions.

Then-Secretary of State Colin Powell said in 2002 that the "blowback" from Europe "was a sobering experience that everything the American president does has international repercussions." And Condoleezza Rice, at the time George W. Bush's national security adviser, wrote in a 2011 memoir that the Kyoto withdrawal was "a self-inflicted wound that could have been avoided."

Pruitt may soon find out just how angry his international counterparts are.

He will head to Italy on June 11 and 12 for an environmental ministerial meeting connected to the G-7 summit Trump recently attended. Italy, along with Germany and France, said in a statement Thursday that there is no re-negotiating the Paris agreement, despite what Trump promised Thursday.

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Sent: 3/2/2017 1:10:25 AM
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce [JTINI@nam.org]
Subject: FW: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Fyi

From: Ex. 7(F)
Sent: Wednesday, March 1, 2017 8:05 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Thanks for reaching out. Ex. 7(F) is traveling with the Administrator as the Shift Leader for Phoenix (Scottsdale). Ex. 7(F) is one of the advance Agents. Ex. 7(F)'s room needs to be near the Administrator because he is doing the midnight shift and needs to be close by. Since the rooms there are so expensive, Ex. 7(F) and the other Agents are staying at a Doubletree nearby. Ex. 7(F) is the Lead Advance Agent for Scottsdale.

I'm the Shift Leader for the Houston trip and Ex. 7(F) is the Lead Advance Agent for that one.

Thank you very much for all of your communication. I realize things are hectic as you guys get staffed up and I appreciate your efforts with us.

Ex. 7(F)

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Intelligence Advisor/Special Agent
U.S. EPA - Office of the Administrator
Office of Homeland Security

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cell

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On Mar 1, 2017, at 7:58 PM, Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov> wrote:

Question below, thanks!

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce [<mailto:JTINI@nam.org>]
Sent: Wednesday, March 1, 2017 7:53 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Cc: Matt Chambers <MChambers@nam.org>
Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Thank you Michelle, we are excited to visit with the administrator! Gail Davis was kind enough to share the travel itinerary and I have shared the hotel confirmations below—will Ex. 7(F) still be traveling with the Administrator or will it now be Ex. 7(F)? I have also attached a run of show which outlines his session in detail. Please let me know if you have any questions I am happy to help in any way!

Best, Jeannine

Jeannine Tini Pierce
NAM

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Scott Pruitt –
Arrive March 6
Depart March 7
Confirmation # Ex. 6

Ryan Jackson – Chief of Staff
Arrive March 6
Depart March 7
Confirmation # Ex. 6

Ex. 7(F)

Protective Detail Agent - Room near/adjacent to Scott Pruitt.

Arrive March 6
Depart March 7
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From: Hale, Michelle [mailto:hale.michelle@epa.gov]
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Subject: FW: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Traveling with the Administrator:

Security Ex. 7(F)
Chief of Staff Ryan Jackson

They will be arriving Phoenix by noon on Monday and will depart the next morning.

From: Michelle Hale [mailto:Ex. 6]
Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 11:59 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

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From: Michelle Hale <Ex. 6>
Date: Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 3:22 PM
Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite
To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>, Millan Hupp <Ex. 6>

I believe there will be a security detail assigned to him as well as and Advance staff. Unfortunately I don't know who will be assigned as if now. EPA will be paying for the staff accommodations but if possible could you hold 2 rooms for the team members?

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 2:30 PM Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Yes. Can you please let us know his travel itinerary and who will be traveling with him? We will send a flow document complete with all details—thanks.

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce

Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 2:29 PM

To: 'Michelle Hale' <[redacted] Ex. 6 >; Millan Hupp <[redacted] Ex. 6 >

Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Yes. Can you please let us know

From: Michelle Hale [mailto:[redacted] Ex. 6]

Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 2:26 PM

To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>; Millan Hupp <[redacted] Ex. 6 >

Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Will his accommodations be compd?

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 2:23 PM Michelle Hale <[redacted] Ex. 6 > wrote:

We just finished with a meeting on this. The plan is for the Administrator to arrive on March 6. It looks like the 3:15 slot would be a good option for us.

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 12:55 PM Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Also, if Tuesday is an option, I can move things around and we could have him address the group at 12:00 noon for our closing lunch? It would be a great close for this group.

From: Jeannine Tini Pierce

Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 12:02 PM

To: 'Millan Hupp' <[redacted] Ex. 6 >

Cc: Michelle Hale <[redacted] Ex. 6 >

Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Understood, thanks for the update—look forward to being in touch.

From: Millan Hupp [mailto:[Ex. 6](mailto:millan.hupp@nam.org)]

Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 12:01 PM

To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>

Cc: Michelle Hale <[Ex. 6](mailto:michelle.hale@nam.org)>

Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Hi Jeannine -- I'm so sorry, I don't have answers here yet. I am copying the Administrator's Executive Assistant, Michelle Hale, as she is also working on getting a firm answer for you on this. It is a priority for us, we are just trying to iron out a few wrinkles in our system. Thank you for being so patient with us.

Millan

On Fri, Feb 24, 2017 at 10:53 AM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Hi Millan, any update as to your travel logistics? Ideally, we'd prefer the afternoon time slot 3:15 pm given our almost final agenda. Thanks for any update you can provide!

From: Millan Hupp [mailto:[Ex. 6](mailto:millan.hupp@nam.org)]

Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2017 10:07 AM

To: Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org>

Subject: Re: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Attendance is definitely confirmed. Unsure just yet if after 3PM on the 6th will work but will let you know soon.

Thank you for the follow up Jeannine. Look forward to working on logistics with you.

Millan

On Tue, Feb 21, 2017 at 8:46 AM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Hi Millan, very good news last week! Can we confirm The NAM Board Meeting given the recent confirmation? Thanks so much for all of your help.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 13, 2017, at 10:19 AM, Millan Hupp <Ex. 6> wrote:

That time should work but I would like to hold off on a firm yes just yet, if I may? We'll hopefully have more information on his schedule once he is confirmed this week.

On Mon, Feb 13, 2017 at 8:25 AM, Jeannine Tini Pierce <JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Yes, Monday later in the afternoon, after 3:00 pm local time. Could we make that work?

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 13, 2017, at 6:34 AM, Millan Hupp <Ex. 6> wrote:

Jeannine,

Hello to you and good morning. Thank you so much for the kind invitation.

Do you have a specific time slot that you are holding for General Pruitt or hopeful that he can fill?

Millan

On Sun, Feb 12, 2017 at 3:03 PM, Jeannine Tini Pierce
<JTINI@nam.org> wrote:

Hello Ryan, Michelle and Millan,

As Ross mentions, we are grateful that General Pruitt can address the NAM Board at our meeting at the Phoenician in Scottsdale, AZ. Please note that the NAM Board meeting will convene on Monday, March 6 at 12:00 noon and adjourn on Tuesday, March 7 at 1:30 pm. While we have a working agenda and several speakers confirmed, please let me know what might work for you and we can try our best to accommodate. Many thanks, Jeannine

Jeannine Tini Pierce

VP, Board Initiatives

National Association of Manufacturers

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jtini@nam.org

From: Ross Eisenberg

Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 5:25 PM

To: Jackson, Ryan (Inhofe)

<Ryan_Jackson@inhofe.senate.gov>

Cc: <**Ex. 6**>; Millan Hupp

<**Ex. 6**>; Jeannine Tini Pierce

<JTINI@nam.org>

Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Ryan, thanks so much. We're excited to have General Pruitt speak at the board meeting.

I've copied Jeannine Tini Pierce, Vice President of Board Initiatives for NAM; she runs the board meeting and can answer all of your questions.

From: Jackson, Ryan (Inhofe)
[mailto:Ryan_Jackson@inhofe.senate.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 10, 2017 5:01 PM
To: Ross Eisenberg <REisenberg@nam.org>
Cc: [redacted] Ex. 6 Millan Hupp
<[redacted] Ex. 6 >
Subject: RE: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

Ross, General Pruitt would like to RSVP for the board meeting. Thanks for the invitation.

I've attached Michelle and Millan on this email as they keep the General's schedule.

Could we, of course, get a little more information and the itinerary so we can start building out his trip?

Thanks.

From: Ross Eisenberg [mailto:REisenberg@nam.org]
Sent: Wednesday, February 08, 2017 2:09 PM
To: Jackson, Ryan (Inhofe)
<Ryan_Jackson@inhofe.senate.gov>
Subject: Scott Pruitt Spring Board Meeting Invite

This went in through the main channels but I wanted to get it on your radar as well. I'm crossing my fingers he'll be confirmed before our board meeting...

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Message

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Sent: 5/24/2017 3:24:45 PM
To: Elizabeth Vago [evago@steel.org]
Subject: RE: Iron and Steel photos

You are very welcome!

From: Elizabeth Vago [mailto:evago@steel.org]
Sent: Wednesday, May 24, 2017 11:10 AM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Iron and Steel photos

Thanks!!

Sent from my iPhone

On May 24, 2017, at 9:38 AM, Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov> wrote:

Greetings, here are the photos from yesterday's event with EPA Administrator Scott Pruitt. <https://www.flickr.com/gp/usepagov/22eC8D>

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Sent: 5/5/2017 3:53:28 AM
To: Fugh, Justina [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=54afbe2e36d3481c8c52d27ba3979d47-JFUGH]
CC: halema@oge.com
Subject: Re: Integrity.gov: Report Returned

Hope to! I think my hubby didn't keep out last statement but hopefully he can request another one and get it to me quickly.

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 4, 2017, at 6:15 PM, Fugh, Justina <Fugh.Justina@epa.gov> wrote:

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> You've already filed your report, so the clock has stopped ticking. Can you get the info in another week or so?

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Hale, Michelle
> Sent: Thursday, May 04, 2017 6:06 PM
> To: Fugh, Justina <Fugh.Justina@epa.gov>
> Subject: RE: Integrity.gov: Report Returned

> I'm going to need a different investment statement to complete everything. I've asked my husband to get the info to me. What is my deadline?

>
> -----Original Message-----

> From: Fugh, Justina
> Sent: Thursday, May 4, 2017 5:46 PM
> To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
> Subject: RE: Integrity.gov: Report Returned

> Sorry to hear that, and you click on "none or less than \$201."

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Hale, Michelle
> Sent: Thursday, May 04, 2017 5:20 PM
> To: Fugh, Justina <Fugh.Justina@epa.gov>
> Subject: RE: Integrity.gov: Report Returned

> Justina, what if there was a loss on a tax-deferred investment?

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Fugh, Justina
> Sent: Wednesday, May 3, 2017 11:04 AM
> To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
> Cc: Fort, Daniel <Fort.Daniel@epa.gov>
> Subject: RE: Integrity.gov: Report Returned

> Hi,
> Oops that was a typo. I meant "Oklahoma CITY University." In part 4, you need to provide a "brief description of duties."

> Best,
> Justina

>
> Justina Fugh | Senior Counsel for Ethics | Office of General Counsel | US EPA | Mail Code 2311A | Room 4308 North, William Jefferson Clinton Federal Building | Washington, DC 20460 (for ground deliveries, use 20004 for the zip code) | phone 202-564-1786 | fax 202-564-1772

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Hale, Michelle
> Sent: Wednesday, May 03, 2017 10:02 AM
> To: Fugh, Justina <Fugh.Justina@epa.gov>
> Cc: Fort, Daniel <Fort.Daniel@epa.gov>
> Subject: RE: Integrity.gov: Report Returned

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> Please see if I've entered the information on the positions with Okla. City University and Oklahoma Attorney General correctly. I didn't ever work for Oklahoma State University so I'm not sure where you saw that. I will need to get my investment info to complete the rest of the information requested. Thanks for letting me know.
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Integrity.gov [mailto:notifications@integrity.gov]
> Sent: Tuesday, May 2, 2017 6:19 PM
> To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
> Subject: Integrity.gov: Report Returned
>
> Justina Fugh has requested that you amend your 2017 New Entrant Report filed 4/28/2017. Access the report by logging into Integrity at <https://integrity.gov>.
> To view comments/requests for additional information, scroll through your report to find the entries that have a check mark beside them. Click on the "+" button to open the dialogue box below that entry to see the information you need to provide. After you have completed making your changes, be sure to hit the "submit" button at the end of the report! Otherwise, your changes will be not be sent back to us.
>
> If you have any questions concerning filling out the report, send a note to ethics@epa.gov and we will respond as soon as we can. You should hear from us within two business days after you send the email.
>
> For additional guidance about filling out the OGE-278 annual and OGE-278-T periodic financial disclosure form, see: <https://www2.oge.gov/web/278eGuide.nsf>

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Sent: 6/29/2017 11:06:12 AM
To: halema@oge.com
Subject: Fwd: Pruitt Corrects Course on Obama-Era Water Regulation

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "EPA Press Office" <press@epa.gov>
Date: June 29, 2017 at 6:45:02 AM EDT
To: "hale.michelle@epa.gov" <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Subject: Pruitt Corrects Course on Obama-Era Water Regulation
Reply-To: press@epa.gov



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Scott Pruitt is not so much shaking things up at the EPA as restoring order, as with his decision to rescind the “Waters of the United States” rule – WOTUS, inevitably – which purported to expand the application of the Clean Water Act (CWA) and empower the federal government to regulate essentially any standing body of water and the lands adjacent to it. If you are wondering how bonkers the EPA was willing to be in its interpretation, consider that WOTUS would have applied to wet grass, if the grass had been wet enough.

WOTUS’s enforcement already had been suspended by the federal courts, and it will not

be missed.

WOTUS had very little to do with clean water. In the words of Zippy Duvall, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, “It was a federal land grab designed to put a straitjacket on farming and private businesses across this nation. That’s why our federal courts blocked it from going into effect for the past two years.”

WOTUS is a textbook example of federal mission creep. For years, “waters of the United States” were defined as navigable interstate and coastal waterways, that “are presently used, or have been used in the past, or may be susceptible for use to transport interstate or foreign commerce.”

Under the Obama administration, the EPA expanded the definition of waters under its regulatory jurisdiction to include any body of water that might possibly be used in interstate commerce: For example, a cow pond used to water livestock producing meat that might eventually be sold across state lines became, under the new rules, “jurisdictional,” as though it were the Erie Canal or the Everglades. The Army Corps of Engineers language communicates the absurdity of this, describing federal jurisdiction over “mudflats, sandflats, wetlands, sloughs, prairie potholes, wet meadows, playa lakes, or natural ponds,” in addition to the familiar navigable waterways.

Wet meadows.

In addition to eliminating WOTUS, the EPA will be reconsidering its definition of which waters are subject to regulation under the CWA, as it should. The EPA is a problem, one resulting from the interaction of two lamentable tendencies in contemporary American government. The first is the elevation of narrowly ideological environmentalism over ordinary quality-of-life concerns such as reducing air pollution and ensuring clean water for drinking and recreational purposes.

For about 25 years, radical environmentalists and responsible environmentalists competed for influence in the major advocacy organizations and, inevitably, in government. The radicals won, and the environmental movement today is not preoccupied with smog or waste-dumping in rivers but instead is engaged in a jihad against capitalism and modern standards of living. There is no oil pipeline that it will not attempt to sabotage, no coal-export depot that it will not attempt to paralyze through litigation, no new recreational use of wilderness areas that it will not attempt to suffocate.

That much should have become obvious during the fight over the Keystone XL pipeline: No environmental easement or precautionary measure was ever going to be enough to satisfy Keystone’s opponents, because they oppose oil pipelines per se. That ideology is dominant within the EPA as well, which is why giving the agency an open-ended mandate to regulate irrigation ditches in Nebraska, far from any legitimately interstate or international concern, is a mistake.

The second part of the EPA problem is the out-of-control substitution of agency regulation for statutes passed by Congress. As with health-care policy and much else that is defective in our public policy, environmental laws such as the Clean Air Act and the Clean Water Act have been effectively converted into a series of enabling acts, “the secretary shall” and “the secretary may,” creating an enormous body of onerous and sometimes contradictory administrative law enacting federal policies far removed from the substance of the laws actually passed by the democratically elected lawmakers accountable to the people. The federal bureaucrats enjoy their immunity to democratic accountability, and Congress, alas, enjoys shifting its accountability to the unaccountable.

EPA administrator Scott Pruitt has expressed his desire to restore something like the rule of law at the agency, reining in its more ambitious and expansive interpretations of the laws passed by Congress and – radical thought! – hewing instead to what the law actually says, providing what Pruitt describes as “regulatory certainty” to businesses and citizens.

The usual ninnyes are shrieking in the expected hysterical fashion. But the fact is, no one is in favor of water or air pollution. At question is whether we ought to treat a wet meadow in Oklahoma the same way we treat Lake Tahoe when it comes to federal regulation, whether the mission of the EPA is, as advertised, environmental protection, or whether it is to be deputized to lead an ideological jihad against modern industrial capitalism. Also at question is whether our laws are going to be made by our elected lawmakers or by unelected administrators in Washington.

Pruitt has chosen wisely here, and has much more work to do in the same vein.

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Sent: 7/19/2017 9:14:42 PM
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Subject: PBS

Please ask Brian to call Liz Bowman:

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Thanks, dear.

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Subject: Re: Meeting with TX AG Ken Paxton

Thank you so much!

Sarah Burgess
Scheduling

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From: "Hale, Michelle" <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Date: Tuesday, February 28, 2017 at 4:09 PM
To: Sarah Burgess <Sburgess@kenpaxton.com>
Subject: RE: Meeting with TX AG Ken Paxton

I won't need anything else. Thank you for checking.

From: Sarah Burgess [mailto:Sburgess@kenpaxton.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2017 5:09 PM
To: Hale, Michelle <hale.michelle@epa.gov>
Cc: Michelle Smith <Michelle@kenpaxton.com>
Subject: Meeting with TX AG Ken Paxton

Good afternoon Ms. Hale,

I got your contact information from Michelle Smith. In regards to tomorrow's 2:00 pm meeting with Mr. Pruitt and General Paxton... we would like to add an attendee. Marc Rylander is General Paxton's Communications Director and is currently traveling with him. Is there any info you need for Mr. Rylander prior to the meeting? Please let me know. Thanks!

Sarah Burgess
Scheduling

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