

**From:** William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>  
**Sent time:** 01/09/2023 10:39:49 AM  
**To:** Stern, GaryM <garym.stern@nara.gov>; Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>  
**Subject:** Urgent

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**From:** Debra Wall <debra.wall@nara.gov> <debra.wall@nara.gov>  
**Sent time:** 01/09/2023 10:58:50 AM  
**To:** Hamilton, John <john.hamilton@nara.gov>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Urgent

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From: **William Bosanko** <[william.bosanko@nara.gov](mailto:william.bosanko@nara.gov)>  
Date: Mon, Jan 9, 2023 at 10:40 AM  
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**To:** William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>  
**Cc:** jamie.gangel@cnn.com  
**Subject:** Re: <https://www.cbsnews.com/news/biden-center-classified-documents/>

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It is my understanding that the materials were in a locked closet prior to being provided to us.

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Thank you

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**Subject:** Re: URGENT: CBS Media Inquiry

Thanks. We'll (b) (5) draft something in the morning.

On Mon, Jan 9, 2023, 8:45 PM Debra Wall <[debra.wall@nara.gov](mailto:debra.wall@nara.gov)> wrote:

Yes, I think we should consider that. (b) (5)

On Mon, Jan 9, 2023 at 7:34 PM Gary Stern <[garym.stern@nara.gov](mailto:garym.stern@nara.gov)> wrote:

Now that the WH has put out a statement, we could consider putting out a statement (b) (5) If you think that would be helpful, we would have to run it by DOJ. I did learn from the press reports that DOJ has assigned this case to the U.S. Attorney in Chicago.

On Mon, Jan 9, 2023, 1:51 PM John Valceanu <[john.valceanu@nara.gov](mailto:john.valceanu@nara.gov)> wrote:

We've created a Google doc. We anticipate getting a number of additional questions overnight, following the CBS report this evening. We'll plan to start responding in the early morning with the no-comment message drafted in the document. Please take a look and let us know if you have any issues with our proposed responses. Thank you!

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U.S. National Archives and Records Administration  
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On Mon, Jan 9, 2023 at 12:49 PM William Bosanko <[william.bosanko@nara.gov](mailto:william.bosanko@nara.gov)> wrote:

Hi. Can you please brief your team, create a shared document to track questions, and otherwise be sure the team knows the plan is to offer no comment?

Thanks,

Jay

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**Subject:** Document shared with you: "Draft Statement Regarding Biden Records"

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## John Valceanu shared a document



John Valceanu (john.valceanu@nara.gov) has invited you to **edit** the following document:

Here's a draft statement we could put out, (b) (5)

 Draft Statement Regarding Biden Records

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