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**From:** [Redacted] (DO) (FBI)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 11, 2017 11:18 AM  
**To:** Paul, Michael F. (CTD) (FBI)  
**Cc:** [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted] (CTD) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI)  
**Subject:** FW: [Redacted] BIE Inquiry

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Would it be possible to speak with you for a few minutes to get a better understanding of how and why the name changed? If any talking points have been developed for this it would be good to see those as well.

If members of the Black Caucus talk about the issue we may have to provide some sort of response.

[Redacted] is out of the office this morning but UC [Redacted] and I are here.

Thank you  
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 FBI National Press Office  
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**From:** [Redacted] (DO) (FBI)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 11, 2017 9:30 AM  
**To:** [Redacted] (SECD) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted]  
**Cc:** Paul, Michael F. (CTD) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted]  
**Subject:** RE: [Redacted] BIE Inquiry

Thanks [Redacted] I appreciate the heads-up. The coverage of the assessment has been unfortunate and most of the media have taken the information out of context.

We will await any update from you but will start considering if we need to issue a statement.

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

**From:** [Redacted] (SECD) (FBI)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 11, 2017 9:14 AM  
**To:** [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted] (DO) (FBI); [Redacted]  
**Cc:** Paul, Michael F. (CTD) (FBI); [Redacted]  
**Subject:** [Redacted] BIE Inquiry

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I received a call from the National Association of Black Law Enforcement (NOBLE) regarding the August 3, 2017 intelligence assessment titled "Black Identity Extremists Likely Motivated to Target LE Officers". I bring this to your attention for a couple of reasons:

1. NOBLE [redacted] received multiple media inquiries on this report over the weekend. He is scheduled to meet with the Congressional Black Caucus where he expects this report to be discussed.
2. There is likely to be additional inquiries to the FBI and wanted to make OPA aware.

OPE has reached out to SC Michael Paul for additional guidance on this inquiry. We will keep you in the loop.

Thanks

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