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James/Dan,

I am still seeking clarification from the State Department regarding this deposition.

Regards,

Ron

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[EXTERNAL]

Hi Ron,

Just following up on Dan's email below, noting that the Committees have agreed to reschedule Mr. Brechbuhl's deposition for Thursday, October 17. Please confirm by COB today whether Mr. Brechbuhl intends to appear voluntarily.

Best,

James

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Dear Mr. Goldman,

This is in response to your October 1, 2019 e-mail to Mr. Thomas Ulrich Brechbuhl, Counselor at the State Department, requesting that he voluntarily appear for a deposition on October 8, 2019. My law firm is in the process of being formally retained to assist Mr. Brechbuhl in connection with this matter. It will take us some time to complete those logistics, review the request and associated request for documents, and to meet with our client to insure he is appropriately prepared for any deposition. It will not be possible to accomplish those tasks before October 8, 2019. Thus, as I am sure that you can understand, Mr. Brechbuhl will not be able to appear on that date as he requires a sufficient opportunity to consult with counsel. Moreover, given the concerns expressed in Secretary

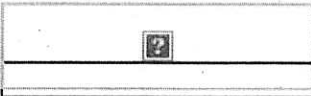
Pompeo's letter of October 1, 2019, to Chairman Engel, any participation in a deposition would need to be coordinated with other stakeholders.

I am currently out of the country on another matter and will be traveling back to the United States on Thursday, October 3, 2019. I will reach out to you to further introduce myself after my return.

Respectfully,

Ronald J. Tenpas

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Thank You.
