

JARED'S FLYNN 'SURFING', ELECTION DAY TO PRESENT

Quite a bit has been written about the Senate Judiciary Committee's request last week asking Jared Kushner's attorney Abe Lowell for "missing" documents omitted from his client's previously requested document production. Didn't anybody find odd the time range Senators Feinstein and Grassley specified in the letter, asking for all communications to, from, or copied to Lt. General Michael Flynn?

Here's an excerpt from the November 16 letter; note the bit underlined in red:

Communications Related to Lt. General Flynn

You have asked for further limiting terms in order to search for communications involving your client and Lt. General Michael Flynn. Without waiving the right to request additional documents as needed, please search for:

- a) all communications concerning Lt. General Flynn's termination; FARA (the Foreign Agents Registration Act); email hacking; Russia; or the Magnitsky Act;
- b) all communications to, from, or copied to Lt. General Flynn from November 8, 2016 to present; and
- c) all communications to, from, or copied to Lt. General Flynn and containing any of the following terms: Clinton, Peter Smith, WikiLeaks, Guccifer, DC Leaks, Alfa, hacking, Putin, Lavrov, Russian Federation, RF, Kislyak, Gorkov, Vnesheconombank, VEB, Vneshtorgbank, VTB, Sberbank, Igor Sechin, Rosneft, Gazprom, sanctions, Ukraine, Turkey, Erik Prince, or Seychelles.

From election day last year to the present.

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Has Jared Kushner – or other(s) copying both Kushner and Flynn – still been in direct communication with Michael Flynn all this time, even after Flynn resigned in February? Even after it looked like he was being investigated by Mueller? Even after it looked like Kushner himself was under scrutiny by both Mueller and Congress?

Does the Senate Judiciary Committee think Kushner's trying to build a defense case on "I'm too stupid to be a criminal!" based on his sloppy surfing over their document requests?

Or is Kushner so confident his daddy-in-law can pardon him that he isn't even bothering to hide his ongoing relationships with co-conspirators

or his obstruction – and just keeps surfing on by?

Worse, does this range suggest the Senate Judiciary Committee believes Kushner has been actively using a backchannel to communicate with others under investigation, including Russian contacts and Michael Flynn?

And does the range suggest Kushner may have been communicating with Flynn even while out of the country – perhaps even during his recent unannounced wee-hours pajama party in Saudi Arabia with Crown Prince Mohammad bin Salman while they talked ‘strategy’?

This is an open thread. Bring your off-topic discussions here.