Peter Arhangelsky

From: Dan Dueber [redacted]
Sent: Friday, March 06, 2009 1:23 PM
To: Jonathan Emord
Cc: Peter Arhangelsky; Andrea Ferrenz
Subject: RE: Letters to federal officials and the Va Board for your review

Hi Jonathan --- this seems sensible to me. In our existing position, I feel it is wise to stay on offense. So I agree with doing a press release.

Tx Dan

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From: Jonathan Emord [redacted]
Sent: Friday, March 06, 2009 12:44 PM
To: Dan Dueber
Cc: Peter Arhangelsky; Andrea Ferrenz
Subject: RE: Letters to federal officials and the Va Board for your review

Hi Dan--We will verify receipt of all the letters to the federal and state agencies on Monday. We will then issue the email with the letters and the board resolution attached to the staff of Energy and Commerce either late Monday or Tuesday. If we receive no response, I am inclined to have you outmaneuver the committee by having a press release announce the find and action by Coast IRB in a light favorable to you about a week before the hearing date.

The aim would be to get good publicity out there about how effective Coast had been in spotting a fraud and pursuing it, while also explaining how Coast protects human subjects of clinical research. Aware that adverse publicity could be generated and could lump Coast in with bad actors from the hearing testimony, it might be good to steal their thunder in this way. Does this interest you? If so, I will put together a press release and recommend a person to dispatch it professionally.

Jonathan

From: Dan Dueber [redacted]
Sent: Fri 3/6/2009 1:54 PM
To: Andrea Ferrenz
Cc: Jonathan Emord; Peter Arhangelsky; Pam Peinado
Subject: RE: Letters to federal officials and the Va Board for your review

Dustin caught this: the Board voted and approved the termination of this study. It was not suspended. So, please change the first paragraph accordingly.

Thanks! Dan

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From: Andrea Ferrenz [redacted]
Sent: Friday, March 06, 2009 11:06 AM
To: Dan Dueber
Cc: Jonathan Emord; Peter Arhangelsky; Pam Peinado
Subject: Letters to federal officials and the Va Board for your review

Dan,

Please find attached the letters to the federal law enforcement officials that would be the most interested in the recited facts. Those letters are identical to one another save for the addressee. The letter to the Virginia Board (Department of Health Professions) is focused on the licensure issue.

Please review these documents and let us know if they are approved to send. If you have any edits or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us. I will be in the office until 2:30. Jonathan is available at [redacted] Please be certain to copy our associate Peter Arhangelsky on this correspondence. He will take care of sending the documents. I have copied him on this email.

Thanks,
Andrea

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