

From: [REDACTED]

To: "[REDACTED] (FBI)" <[REDACTED]>

Subject: RE: Confidential contact information

Date: Mon, 07 Mar 2011 19:28:20 +0000

Importance: Normal

I am at my desk.

[REDACTED]
Assistant U.S. Attorney
[REDACTED]

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

From: [REDACTED] (FBI)
Sent: Monday, March 07, 2011 2:28 PM
To: [REDACTED] (USAFLS)
Subject: Re: Confidential contact information

We need to talk.

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

From: [REDACTED] (USAFLS) <[REDACTED]>
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Sent: Mon Mar 07 12:06:54 2011
Subject: FW: Confidential contact information

Dear [REDACTED]

Please treat this as a confidential communication.

Thank you for contacting me. Special Agent [REDACTED] and I would like to speak with you at 9:00 a.m. your time, Tuesday, March 8, 2011. According to my calculations, that is [REDACTED] here in West Palm Beach.

We would prefer to speak with you via Skype, if possible. We feel that a video-conference would put you a bit more at ease, and would be a better way for us to introduce ourselves to you. [REDACTED] has set up a Skype account with user name [REDACTED].

If you are unable to sign in to Skype, or if you cannot locate Special Agent [REDACTED] log-in, please send me an email. In the alternative, if we do not hear from you on Skype by 5:10, we will call you on the telephone number that you provided.

Thank you again.

[REDACTED]

Assistant U.S. Attorney

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

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Sunday, March 06, 2011 10:06 PM
To: [REDACTED] (USAFLS)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Confidential contact information

Dear Ms. [REDACTED]

I am sending you this email on a strictly background, not for attribution basis. I will not disclose it nor any future communications between us without your explicit permission.

[REDACTED] has asked me to give you her cell phone number.

She is in [REDACTED]

I am copying her in by email but she will be grateful any initial contact with her is by phone. [REDACTED] A good time for her to speak is nine am her time tomorrow [REDACTED] [REDACTED] would prefer me to be present when you initiate communication with her. We both realize that any such communication must be in confidence. I will be there for support, not as a journalist.

I am sure you understand that it has been a big step for her coming forward. She has [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

I am a former investigative reporter for New York Magazine where my colleagues included [REDACTED]. I understand the sensitivity of this situation.

Frankly, if I still worked there, I would publish everything that I believe happened to [REDACTED] and that now may be happening to a new generation of minors.

But I now run the NY bureau for a UK paper and I am restrained because of the UK's libel laws.

So [REDACTED] and I are putting our trust in you.

Best regards,
[REDACTED]

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