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FBI Coverup Protects Biden, Stymies Congress

On Monday, June 15, Senator Chuck Grassley (R-Iowa) delivered a bombshell: The unredacted version of a certain FBI FD-1023 form, which Grassley and House Oversight Committee chair James Comer (R-Ky.) have both seen, alleges that a Ukrainian executive of Burisma Corporation has recordings of conversations with both Hunter Biden and Joe Biden, in which their corrupt quid pro quo dealings were discussed. Grassley was specific: The Burisma exec possesses 15 recordings of phone calls with Hunter Biden, and two more recordings of phone calls with the “big guy” himself, then-Vice President Joe Biden. The unnamed executive supposedly made the recordings as “a sort of insurance policy, in case he got into a tight spot,” according to Grassley. Yet in the version of the FD-1023 that FBI Director Christopher Wray finally deigned to let House Oversight Committee members read last Friday, that information, along with large tracts of other incriminating text, had been redacted.



For the record: Senator Chuck Grassley (R-Iowa) revealed that a Ukrainian business associate of the Bidens had recorded multiple telephone calls with both Hunter and Joe Biden as an insurance policy against Biden retaliation. Whether the FBI has copies of those recordings is still not known.

The following day, Senator Ted Cruz (R-Texas), in a contentious back and forth with FBI Deputy Director Paul Abbate, accused the FBI of stonewalling over the Biden corruption allegations. When Cruz asked Abbate, repeatedly and directly, whether the FBI possessed the tape recordings mentioned by Senator Grassley, the deputy director refused to answer, saying he would not “get into that.”

This latest episode in the protracted struggle between the House Oversight Committee and foot-dragging FBI officials has followed a familiar pattern: obstruct, deny, delay, and outright refuse to cooperate with congressional investigators — only to reluctantly half-comply when threatened with legal action (in this case, citation of FBI director Wray for contempt of Congress). While the furor over possible contempt proceedings has receded temporarily with Wray’s having permitted all committee members to view the document, the FBI has still not complied with the congressional subpoena; the document has not been handed over to Congress unredacted, and neither have additional FD-1023s referenced in footnotes in this document, of whose existence Comer and other House Oversight Committee members had been totally unaware.

Federal Bureau of Intransigence

Why has the FBI been so extraordinarily uncooperative, seeking to thwart Congress at every turn? Such is the hubris of the investigative agency that it seemingly has forgotten that, having been created and



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funded by Congress, the FBI is subordinate to Congress, and not the other way around. Yet the same FBI and DOJ that have been aggressively hounding and persecuting Donald Trump for years on the flimsiest of pretexts (such as the farrago of hearsay and speculation in the Steele Dossier) have been ignoring all sorts of credibly damning evidence from highly paid, reliable informants that Joe Biden, while vice president, did in fact accept millions of dollars in bribes from malign foreign actors.

Naturally, the FBI maintains that the secrecy is justified in the interest of protecting their investigation and informants. But the investigation of Biden family bribery has been going on for many years — in stark contrast with the lightning speed with which the various Trump investigations, and now indictments, have been carried out. The allegations about Biden's unsavory connections to Ukraine's Burisma Corporation and China's CEFC likewise have been circulating for years, with the appearance of the Hunter Biden laptop in 2020 adding fuel to the fire. The FD-1023 that was finally revealed to the House Oversight Committee in June was originally produced sometime in 2020. In it, the informant alleged having had a conversation with an unnamed Burisma executive in 2015 or 2016 concerning that executive's relationship with Hunter and Joe Biden. The executive indicated that he had paid Hunter Biden and Joe Biden \$5 million apiece, in exchange for getting a pesky Ukrainian prosecutor fired who was investigating Burisma for corruption. The executive went on to say that the payouts had been laundered through various banks and structured in such a way that it would take investigators "10 years" to track them, and also indicated that he had not paid "the big guy directly," according to congressmen who have seen the report. This last attribution is particularly telling, since the term "big guy," an apparent reference to Joe Biden himself, has turned up elsewhere; in one of the roughly 154,000 emails found on Hunter Biden's laptop, "J" (Hunter Biden business associate James Gilliar), on May 13, 2017, wrote the following regarding the disbursement of funds to Hunter and his associates from an alleged Chinese influence-peddling operation involving energy company CEFC:

At the moment there's a provisional agreement that the equity will be distributed as follows

20 H

20 RW

20 JG

20 TB

10 Jim

10 held by H for the big guy?

In October 2020, soon after the Hunter Biden laptop came to light, another former associate of Hunter Biden's, Tony Bobulinski, came forward and confirmed that the "big guy" referenced by Gilliar was indeed Vice President Joe Biden. Moreover, Bobulinski turned over to FBI investigators all of his own correspondence and documents related to the Biden family. Among the Bobulinski correspondence was an urgent exchange on May 20, 2017, only a week after the "big guy" email, initiated by Gilliar on WhatsApp, in which he warns Bobulinski not to mention Joe Biden's involvement in the CEFC deal:

Gilliar: "Don't mention Joe being involved, it's only when u are face to face, I know u know that but they are paranoid"



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Bobulinski: "OK they should be paranoid about things"

Gilliar: "For real"

This is the type of evidence the FBI had accumulated by October 2020, yet they, and the rest of the Deep State, fearful that an unsavory "October surprise" might jeopardize their plans to elect Biden, quickly issued a letter, signed by more than 50 members of the intelligence community, declaring the Hunter Biden laptop a Russian disinformation ploy; this, despite the corroborating evidence produced by the likes of Bobulinski. The news media lapdogs rushed to propagate the Russian disinformation narrative far and wide, and that was that.

Partners in crime: Joe Biden and his son Hunter. Keeping criminal enterprises within the family is a storied tradition both in politics and in gangland. (AP Images)



Until now. While the mainstream news media has been forced to concede reluctantly that, after all, the Hunter Biden laptop is genuine, they continue to willfully ignore the cascade of new evidence emanating from the House investigation, lavishing attention on the Trump indictments while insisting that the Biden corruption investigation is nothing more than a conspiracy theory.

Meanwhile, House Republicans such as Jim Jordan (R-Ohio) and Comer, who are involved in the investigation, have indicated that the next step will be to subpoena more bank records and obtain the other FD-1023s now known to be in the FBI's possession. It is not clear whether the alleged Burisma Biden tapes exist at all, or whether, if they do, the FBI also has copies. But it seems likely that the ongoing investigation will continue to uncover evidence of criminal conduct by the commander in chief.

Some of the members of the House Oversight Committee, such as freshman Anna Paulina Luna (R-Fla.), have already expressed the belief that the investigation will lead to Biden's impeachment. But some House members continue to express doubts. Representative Keith Self (R-Texas), for example, remarked on Fox Business that he believes that the Biden corruption may rise to the level of treason. But when pressed by host Maria Bartiromo as to whether impeachment was in the cards, Self replied that "we have a five point plan to impeach members of his cabinet, but the American people are not yet ready to impeach Biden. You saw it: zero minutes in the media about the Biden crime family. That's why. Because you cannot do that without the American people understanding the severity of the problem."



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During the first two years of the big guy's presidency, the mainstream media completely ignored or ridiculed the "conspiracy theories" about the Biden influence-peddling, and the FBI and other intelligence entities dismissed the trove of evidence already available — even while they pursued Trump, his associates, and anyone even tangentially involved in the January 6 protest with a ferocity and vindictiveness unprecedented in American power politics. Even by the standards of the town where ruining people is a recreational activity, the palpable double standard between the Trumps and the Bidens had become appallingly obvious to all but the most tribalistic Democratic partisans.



Corroborating evidence: Former Biden business associate Tony Bobulinski has confirmed that the "big guy" referenced in one of the emails found on Hunter Biden's laptop is, indeed, Joe Biden. (AP Images)

Cascade of Evidence

Then came last fall's midterm elections in which, to nobody's surprise, the Republicans took control of the House and began to run to ground the many leads on the Biden crime syndicate. And the torrent of new incriminating evidence has surpassed everyone's expectations. Pointing up the deliberate inefficiency of the FBI's so-called investigations, the House Oversight Committee has already brought to light enough evidence to convict anyone not named Biden or Clinton many times over for graft, corruption, bribery, and possibly even treason, thanks to reams of bank records, Suspicious Activity Reports suggesting money laundering by Hunter and his associates, and, of course, the allegations contained in the FD-1023 that has finally been extracted from the FBI's cult of secrecy.

It must be borne in mind that FD-1023s in and of themselves, regardless of the reliability of the source, are merely allegations, and do not necessarily constitute hard evidence. After all, Igor Danchenko, one of the main sources for the Steele dossier, was also a confidential human source that the FBI and DOJ deemed highly credible, and was paid more than \$200,000 for his services from 2017 through 2020. This very point is one that Trump's detractors like to make. The Intercept, for example, observed dismissively, "Top Republicans are now citing exactly the kind of evidence — a confidential human source relaying the unverified allegations of a Ukrainian business executive — that they dismissed as unreliable when it came to Trump and the dossier."

But unlike the Trump-Russia Collusion Hoax, which relied entirely upon hearsay and wild allegations by



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a shady cast of characters, the Biden corruption scandal allegations are backed by both testimony and hard evidence such as emails, text messages, numerous shell corporations, and bank transactions. The monies wired to more than 20 shell corporations controlled by various Biden family members and business associates from sources in Romania, Ukraine, and China all indicate money laundering on a very sophisticated scale. All of this evidence points clearly in the same direction, namely, that Joe Biden, while vice president, was the beneficiary of various elaborate pay-to-play influence-peddling schemes, orchestrated by Hunter and his associates with the complicity of at least three corrupt foreign governments.

Still, with many Republicans apparently fearful of a public and media backlash — not to mention a Kamala Harris presidency — it does not seem likely that impeachment proceedings to hold Biden properly accountable for his misconduct are anywhere near at hand.

And in the meantime, Communist China, Ukraine, and other countries will continue to cash in on their investment in Joe Biden.



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