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**To:** Brett M. Kavanaugh ( CN=Brett M. Kavanaugh/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Brett M. Kavanaugh ( CN=Brett M. Kavanaugh/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [ WHO ] )  
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Brett--As noted, I think this should be referred to your office. Let me know of anything you would like us to do at this end.

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Adam F. Greenstone  
07/23/2002 03:04:17 PM

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To: James F. Daniel/OA/EOP@EOP  
cc: Sandra K. Evans/WHO/EOP@EOP  
bcc: Records Management@EOP  
Subject: Re: request for additional information

Jim--OA needs to advise White House Counsel when legal issues that concern the President arise. If you or your staff become aware of such an issue, you should advise me and I will make the referral, as I will do here.

Sandra K. Evans  
07/23/2002 09:39:37 AM  
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To: Adam F. Greenstone/OA/EOP@EOP  
cc:

Subject: Re: request for additional information

Adam,

What is your interpretation of the following dialogue?

Thanks.  
Sandy

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James F. Daniel  
07/23/2002 09:35:29 AM  
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To: William J. Wilde/OA/EOP@EOP  
cc: Sandra K. Evans/WHO/EOP@EOP  
bcc:  
Subject: Re: request for additional information

Bill,

Please forward this information to Sandy and work with her to develop a recommended solution. thanks, jim

William J. Wilde  
07/19/2002 02:18:20 PM  
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To: James F. Daniel/OA/EOP@EOP  
cc:  
Subject: request for additional information

Jim,  
Did you forward this note to Cathy?  
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William J. Wilde  
07/15/2002 05:04:36 PM  
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To: James F. Daniel/OA/EOP@EOP  
cc:  
Subject: request for additional information

For your review and comment.  
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Fugh.Justina@epamail.epa.gov  
07/15/2002 04:41:26 PM  
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To: William J. Wilde/OA/EOP@EOP  
cc: Bazzle.Diane@epamail.epa.gov  
Subject: request for additional information

Dear Bill,

On behalf of EPA, thank you very much for your inquiry regarding whether EPA is able under our appropriations to fund the purchase of the four jackets used by the President, Secretary Card, Governor Pataki and Administrator Whitman at the Earth Day event at Lake Placid on April 22, 2002. I have had initial conversations with our Office of General Counsel, and we are attempting to determine whether we can in fact pay for the purchase of wearing apparel. It would greatly assist our determination if you can tell us what happened to the jackets after they were worn. Did the individuals retain the jackets (which would seem more like a gift), or were they turned in (which would appera to be less like a gift)?

If we determine that EPA can pay for the jackets, then they would of course be EPA property and would have to be accounted for in our custodial procedures in some way. In the only analogous situation we have unearthed thus far, EPA has paid for certain apparel for on-scene-coordinators (OSCs), but there are several factors in the test used to justify those purchases. In those cases, the argument is furthered by the fact that the apparel can be worn by different OSCs and the fact that the apparel remains government property, not the property of the individual employee. Thus, as you can see, it would be very helpful for EPA to know what happened to the jackets in question. We note that our reasoning as to Governor Pataki may not be the same as applied to the President, Secretary and Administrator. He is, after all, not a federal employee.

I will be in the office until noon on Wednesday, July 17, and then will be on vacation through Tuesday, July 23. I'll return to the office on Wednesday, July 24 and look forward to further discussions with you then.

All the best,  
Justina  
564-1786

William J.  
\_Wilde@oa.eop.go      To: Justina  
Fugh/DC/USEPA/US@EPA

v cc:  
Subject: Re: Reply  
07/15/02 08:22  
AM

Justina,

I understand the necessity to confer with colleagues regarding this issue. There is no problem on this end with a Tuesday response. Thanks.

Bill  
395-7639

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To: William J. Wilde/OA/EOP@EOP

cc:  
Subject: Reply

Sir,  
Thanks very much for your inquiry. I received your message earlier today, but needed to confer with some colleagues before letting you know for certain. I expect to reply to your inquiry no later than Tuesday of next week. I hope that this time frame will not cause you unnecessary concern.

Best regards,  
Justina Fugh  
564-1786

William\_J.



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07/11/02 05:37 Subject:  
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Ms. Fugh,

I am the accountant for the White House Office and I need to bring an issue to your attention. The EPA agreed to fund costs associated with a visit by President Bush to Lake Placid, NY on April 22 . Part of the money spent for this event went to the purchase of four jackets in the amount of \$630. Further details of the purchase can be found below. We need to know if the EPA has an issue with funding the purchase of these jackets before we present the total cost of the event to you and the transfer of funds takes place. Thank you for your attention.

In support of the President

's visit to the Lake Placid, NY region for an Earth Day event on Monday-April 22, 2002, four jackets were purchased, at the request of the advance lead, for use by the principals in an outdoor event.

There were several justifications of this purchase given by the advance lead.

Due to the fact that the event involved the principals walking on a hiking trail, the standard banners used around a stationary podium to provide information on the event could not be used. Rather, the jackets served as banners with information placed on them in the form of a logo. In this case the logo stated the location of the event. Second, due to unusually severe winter conditions, the jackets served as outdoor protection for the inclement weather.

The four principals that were wearing these jackets during the event were the PRESIDENT, Secretary Card, Governor Pataki, and EPA Administrator

Whitman.

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