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CASE #: OI-DA-2017-CAC-0021

CROSS REFERENCE #:

TITLE: [REDACTED] - EMAIL THREAT TO EPA ADMINISTRATOR

CASE AGENT: [REDACTED]

SIGNIFICANT INCIDENT REPORT

NARRATIVE:

On November 2, 2016, [REDACTED], Office of Investigations, (OI) Office of Inspector General, (OIG) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Dallas, Texas, received an email from Special Agent [REDACTED], [REDACTED], regarding an email threat [REDACTED], private citizen, [REDACTED] Texas, sent to Gina McCarthy, EPA Administrator. The email stated the following:

“---Original Message-- From: [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@gmail.com] sent Thursday, October 27, 2016, 9:10 PM To: McCarthy, Gina McCarthy.Gina@epa.gov Subject: Ban glyphosate or die you haggard nazi bitch! DIEDIEDIEDIEDIEDIEDIE.”

[REDACTED] continued in [REDACTED] email explaining the harmful use of glyphosate. [REDACTED]’s email ended with “Thank you, [REDACTED] US, [REDACTED]. This investigation is being opened because it is within the OIG’s jurisdiction to investigate threats against EPA employees. The potential violations is but not limited to 18 U.S.C 875 (Interstate Communication); 18 U.S.C. 115(a)(2) (Influencing, impeding, or retaliating against a Federal official by threatening).

On November 10, 2016, [REDACTED] verbally presented this case to Assistant District Attorney (ADA) Investigator [REDACTED], on behalf of ADA John Best for prosecution consideration concerning the aforementioned Texas Penal Codes.

On November 14, 2016, [REDACTED] sent [REDACTED] an email stating ADA Best reviewed the case background information (b) (5) [REDACTED].

Attachment(s):

None