From:
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Subject: Clark Deposition at 4:00

**Date:** Friday, November 5, 2021 12:42:00 PM

Harry,

I tried calling you a short while ago. I couldn't leave a message, as your cellphone voicemail box is full. I wanted to let you know that the Select Committee is reconvening for Mr. Clark's continued deposition at 4:00 today. The purpose of the reconvened deposition is to seek a ruling from the Chairman on Mr. Clark's assertion of privilege and refusal to answer questions. The House Rules I sent you this week provide (in pertinent part) that "[w]hen the witness has refused to answer a question to preserve a privilege, members of staff may (i) proceed with the deposition, or (ii) either at that time or at a subsequent time, seek a ruling from the Chair either by telephone or otherwise. If the Chair overrules any such objection and thereby orders a witness to answer any question to which an objection was lodged, the witness shall be ordered to answer." Please return to the O'Neill House Office Building with Mr. Clark at that time, or indicate your refusal to do so.

We are preparing a response to the letter to the Chairman you delivered this morning. We will provide that letter as soon as it is complete, before or at 4:00.

Thanks,

