

The Senate Ethics Committee will weigh the legal questions surrounding your role, but in the meantime, you have a larger obligation to the people of New Mexico to finally explain your actions in detail. To that end, I request that you:

1. Detail any contacts between you or your staff, including your chief of staff Steve Bell, and Monica Goodling or other Department of Justice officials such as former Chief of Staff Kyle Sampson.
2. Detail any contacts between you or your staff, including your chief of staff Steve Bell, and Karl Rove and his staff.

If there are emails between your staff and the Department of Justice or White House office of Political Affairs, you owe it to the public to release them. If your executive assistant maintains call logs, a common practice in Senate offices, please release any such call logs noting calls either from or to the Department of Justice or White House.

New Mexicans entrusted you with your office, and there are serious questions whether you abused it to serve the political interests of the Republican Party. You owe it to your constituents to begin clearing the air by answering these questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Brian S. Colón", with a large, circular, scribbled flourish to the right of the name.

Brian S. Colón
Chairman
Democratic Party of New Mexico