

Meeting with FEU - AM of 06/08/06

Started by reminding him of his comment of 6/2 ^{that he was just going to order a little bit for lunch}
Met with Federico - told him I could not support illegal action - was not only putting staff in temporary legal situation it was also putting Dept at risk.

resp his job as Director to make such judgment calls.

Said I would not make any payments -
resp Then I will.

Said I could not allow that to happen had responsibility to Dept & Board - not just him

we discussed a number of issues including the advice for Summit law to "take it to Board"

Federico said that he would take no action until after he had consulted with an attorney at Preston Gates or with an attorney they recommended.

Did not confirm that I knew he had instructed Board to proceed - (as I know that path was blocked).

I reiterated that I did not want to have to take any actions that would be bad for him, me or dept - but would if passed.

he reiterated paragraph * above and said maybe the lawyer would then call under an alias thing.

we did have a discussion about a pending FOIA approval charge for Caraker he pointed out that that also was illegal and if I confirmed that then I was paying out charges which led to they are for needs.