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From: Benjamin Friedman - NOAA Federal
Sent: Monday, September 9, 2019 4:51 PM

To: Kathryn Watson

Subject: Re: Reaching out on that NYT report

Sorry, Katie, I can only direct you to our public affairs office.

Ben

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 9, 2019, at 4:30 PM, Kathryn Watson < kathryn.watson@cbsinteractive.com> wrote:

Hi Mr. Friedman,

Sorry to bother you, but we've reached out to the press office so I'm just reaching out to anyone else who might know if the New York Times report is accurate that Secretary Ross called Neil Jacobs Friday to fix the perceived contradiction of the president and that Jacobs was told the political staff would be fired if the situation wasn't fixed.

Thought I'd give you a shot! My cell is 571-282-8391.

Best, Katie

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