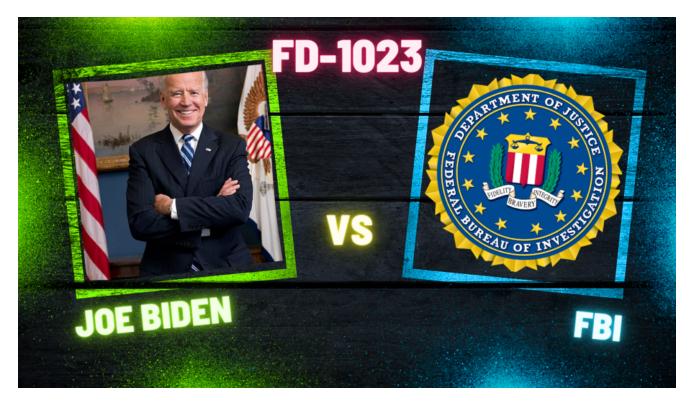
FBI to hand over Biden docs

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After a nearly month-long battle, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has agreed to honor a Congressional subpoena. That subpoena covers documents the FBI has already admitted could put President Biden and his son in a bad light.

The FBI admits...

On May 3, 2023, Rep. James Comer, Chairman of the House Oversight Committee, <u>sent</u> this <u>subpoena</u> to Christopher Wray, Director of the FBI, and to Attorney General Merrick Garland.

This subpoena specifically demanded any and all Forms FD-1023, "created or modified in June 2020," mentioning the Biden family name. Sen. Charles Grassley (R-Iowa), Ranking Member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, signed onto the subpoena. But all Rep. Comer had to go on was a whistleblower's <u>word</u> concerning then-Vice-President Biden taking a bribe. The larger problem, besides bribery *per se*, is that a foreign national allegedly paid it. (Form FD-1023 <u>covers</u> documents, tips, and other information from informers, information not necessarily verified.)

But Director Wray refused to furnish any documents, alleging no such documents exist. The situation so angered Rep. Comer that he <u>threatened</u> to hold Director Wray in contempt of Congress. Rep. Kevin McCarthy (R-Calif.), Speaker of the House, backed Comer on this

threat.

I have a message for FBI Director Christopher Wray: If he misses today's deadline to turn over subpoenaed documents to Congress, I am prepared to move contempt charges against him. <u>pic.twitter.com/D3hyW3VIpX</u>

— Kevin McCarthy (@SpeakerMcCarthy) May 30, 2023

Then on May 31, 2023, the impasse <u>broke</u>, according to Breitbart. In short, the FBI now admits that at least one such FD-1023 exists. The agency might not have conceded this much, except that Sen. Grasssley and Rep. Comer <u>told</u> Wray *they had seen the form for themselves*.

At first the FBI merely invited Comer to view the document at its headquarters.

New: FBI Director Wray offered to let Comer view the FD-1023 document, allegedly containing Biden bribery allegations, in person at FBI HQ.

But Comer says in statement "anything short of producing these documents to the Oversight Committee is not in compliance with the subpoena."

— Max Cohen (@maxpcohen) May 31, 2023

That did *not* satisfy Rep. Comer, who shot back that if the FBI did not hand over that document, House Oversight would hold Director Wray in contempt.

On my call with FBI Director Wray, the FBI finally confirmed the existence of the FD-1023 form alleging then-VP Joe Biden engaged in a criminal bribery scheme.

Anything short of producing these documents to <u>@GOPoversight</u> is not in compliance with my subpoena.

Statement + pic.twitter.com/doK7PNheZE

— Rep. James Comer (@RepJamesComer) May 31, 2023

...then surrenders

Then, yesterday morning, Director Wray surrendered totally. He will now <u>furnish</u> the Form FD-1023 to the House Oversight Committee, as the subpoena demands.

Chris Wray caves. Biden bribery scandal heating up. pic.twitter.com/DGPLtvob14

— Defund NPR–Defund Democrats (@defundnpr3) June 2, 2023

Just hit the wires.

Chris Wray caves to Comer, agrees to hand over document detailing \$5 million bribery allegation against Joe Biden.pic.twitter.com/yM6jwSjbjl

— Citizen Free Press (@CitizenFreePres) June 2, 2023

No one offers any explanation for Director Wray's sudden change of attitude, other than that "he simply caved."

Apparently the FBI will brief the Committee and hand over the document on Monday (June 5). Whether the document will come redacted or unredacted, will not be clear until then.