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I would like a phone interview with Robert Otto Russia Economic Affairs Division Chief, Office of Analysis for Russia and Eurasia (OAE/REA).

The subject of his participation is an email traffic involving former American citizen (now British) William Browder and MSNBC Washington report Ken Dilanian about Mr. Browder's claims that Browder's former "lawyer" (actually his accountant) Sergei Magnitsky was attacked and beaten to death in a Russian prison because he had "blown the whistle" on a \$230 million tax refund fraud. Dilanian had evidence that some of this was true.

Mr. Otto expressed concern that this story might be reported on MSNBC. I want to talk to him about that. And his views on Browder's story.

This all occurred in spring 2016, during the Obama Administration.

My deadline is in 10 days.

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