

## Report: Former FBI Lawyer Lisa Page Revealed Under Oath That There Was No Basis for Mueller's Appointment

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The Mueller special counsel investigation was launched to probe charges that the key FBI officials developing evidence in the case thought were baseless. That's a bombshell accusation that appears to have been confirmed by former FBI lawyer **Lisa Page**, according to **John Solomon**. It tends to confirm the suspicion that the **Mueller probe is a cover-up operation to obscure the criminal use of counterintelligence** capabilities to spy on a rival presidential campaign and then sabotage the presidency that resulted.

<u>Earlier reports</u> indicated that Page has been answering questions from the House Judiciary Committee quite frankly and may even have <u>cut a deal</u> selling out her ex-lover **Peter Strzok** over their professional misbehavior (and quite possibly worse) in targeting the campaign and presidency of **Donald Trump** with the intelligence-gathering tools of the FBI.

Last night, John Solomon of <u>The Hill</u> revealed that he has obtained information from sources who heard Page's testimony in two days of sworn depositions behind closed doors that she offered a bombshell confirmation of the meaning of one of the most enigmatic text messages that the public has seen (keep in mind that there are many yet to be released).

Writing in The Hill, Solomon explains:

[T]here are just five words, among the thousands of suggestive texts Page and Strzok exchanged, that you should read.

That passage was transmitted on May 19, 2017. "There's no big there there," Strzok texted.

The date of the text long has intrigued investigators: It is two days after **Deputy Attorney General Rod Rosenstein** named special counsel **Robert Mueller** to oversee an investigation into alleged collusion between Trump and the Russia campaign.

Since the text was turned over to Congress, investigators wondered whether it referred to the evidence against the Trump campaign.

This month, they finally got the chance to ask. Strzok declined to say – but Page, during a closed-door interview with lawmakers, confirmed in the most pained and contorted way that the message in fact referred to the quality of the Russia case, according to multiple eyewitnesses.

The admission is deeply consequential. It means Rosenstein unleashed the most awesome powers of a special counsel to investigate an allegation that the key FBI officials, driving the investigation for 10 months beforehand, did not think was "there."

The truth behind the Mueller probe is looking uglier and uglier. Pursuing bogus accusations without foundation is the very definition of a witch hunt – President Trump's term for Mueller's team of Hillary-supporters.

We don't know anything at all about the activities of Utah U.S. attorney **Peter Huber**, who is <u>investigating</u> the potential abuse of U.S. intelligence apparatus for political purposes. That is the proper procedure for grand jury probes. But if Lisa Page is honestly answering questions under oath for a congressional committee, she probably is doing so in grand jury sessions, if summoned.

The glacial pace of this probe is frustrating for Trump-supporters. But doing it right and observing the ethical and legal constraints takes time and does not generate leaks. Nevertheless, I am deeply encouraged by this leak to Solomon, as it seems to indicate that the truth will come out.

Appearing on Hannity last night, Solomon elaborated: watch video here.

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