

Russian Accusations: Pentagon Reportedly Spent \$200 Million on Bioresearch in Ukraine at Numerous Facilities

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Russian Defence Ministry briefing showing US-sponsored biolabs on Ukrainian territory. Photo : Russian Ministry of Defence

The Russian Defense Department has presented documents allegedly proving US-Ukrainian bio-research was conducted with the Ukrainian military. Gateway Pundit has the receipts.

The Pentagon acknowledges that the US has spent **\$200 million** on programs in 46 biolabs in Ukraine since launched by young Senator

Barack Obama in 2005.

US officials have so far insisted the funding went solely to the Ukrainian Ministry of Health for civilian purposes. Allegedly the program was designed to dispose of Soviet-era bioweapons materials. This does not explain why it is necessary to open dozens of new biolabs costing \$200 million.

“There are no U.S. military-run labs in Ukraine,” said Andy Weber, a member of the Arms Control Association Board of Directors and a former Assistant Secretary of Defense for nuclear, chemical, and biological defense programs, **according to PolitiFact**. “Rather, the U.S. Department of Defense Cooperative Threat Reduction Program has provided technical support to the Ukrainian Ministry of Health since 2005 to improve public health laboratories, whose mission is analogous to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,” Weber said, according to PolitiFact.

“There are no Ukrainian biological weapons laboratories supported by the United States – not near Russia’s border or anywhere”, stated U.S. Representative to the United Nations **Linda Thomas-Greenfield** on Friday, March 18.

Speaking to the UN Security Council on Friday, Russian representative Vassily Nebenzia asserted “documents signed by the head of the DTRA (Defense Threat Reduction Agency) office at the US Embassy in Kiev Joanna Wintrol” prove the Pentagon’s DTRA was working directly with the Ukrainian Ministry of Defense on bioresearch (**Gateway reported**).

Today, Gateway Pundit presents these documents.

*Embassy of the United States of America*

Defense Threat Reduction Office
Kyiv, Ukraine

February 20, 2018

DTRO-K 18-0064

Mr. Lytovka Serhii
Chief, Central Sanitation and
Epidemiological Department
Ministry of Defense of Ukraine
16 Hospitalna St.
Kyiv, Ukraine, 01133

Dear Mr. Lytovka:

The U.S. Embassy to Ukraine presents its compliments to the Central Sanitation and Epidemiological Department of the Ministry of Ukraine and has an honor to address with the following.

According to the Order of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated September 20, 2018, No. 650-r, the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine has been designated as an additional Executive Agent for the implementation of the Agreement Between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Health of Ukraine Concerning Cooperation in the Area of Prevention of Proliferation of Technology, Pathogens and Expertise that could be Used during the Development of Biological Weapons, dated August 29, 2005.

I kindly request that you provide a list of facilities and laboratories from the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine which will participate in the implementation of the international technical assistance project "Cooperative Biological Engagement Program".

The project is executed by Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp. (under the HDTRA 1-08-D-0007-0004 contract (registration card No. 3253-02 dated 13.12.2017). The Donor of the project - the U.S. Department of Defense/Defense Threat Reduction Agency.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at +38 (044) 521 5666.

Very respectfully,

Joanna Wintrol
Chief

On February 20, 2018, Kiev Defense Threat Reduction Office Chief Joanna Wintrol wrote to Dr. Serhii Lytovka in the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine:

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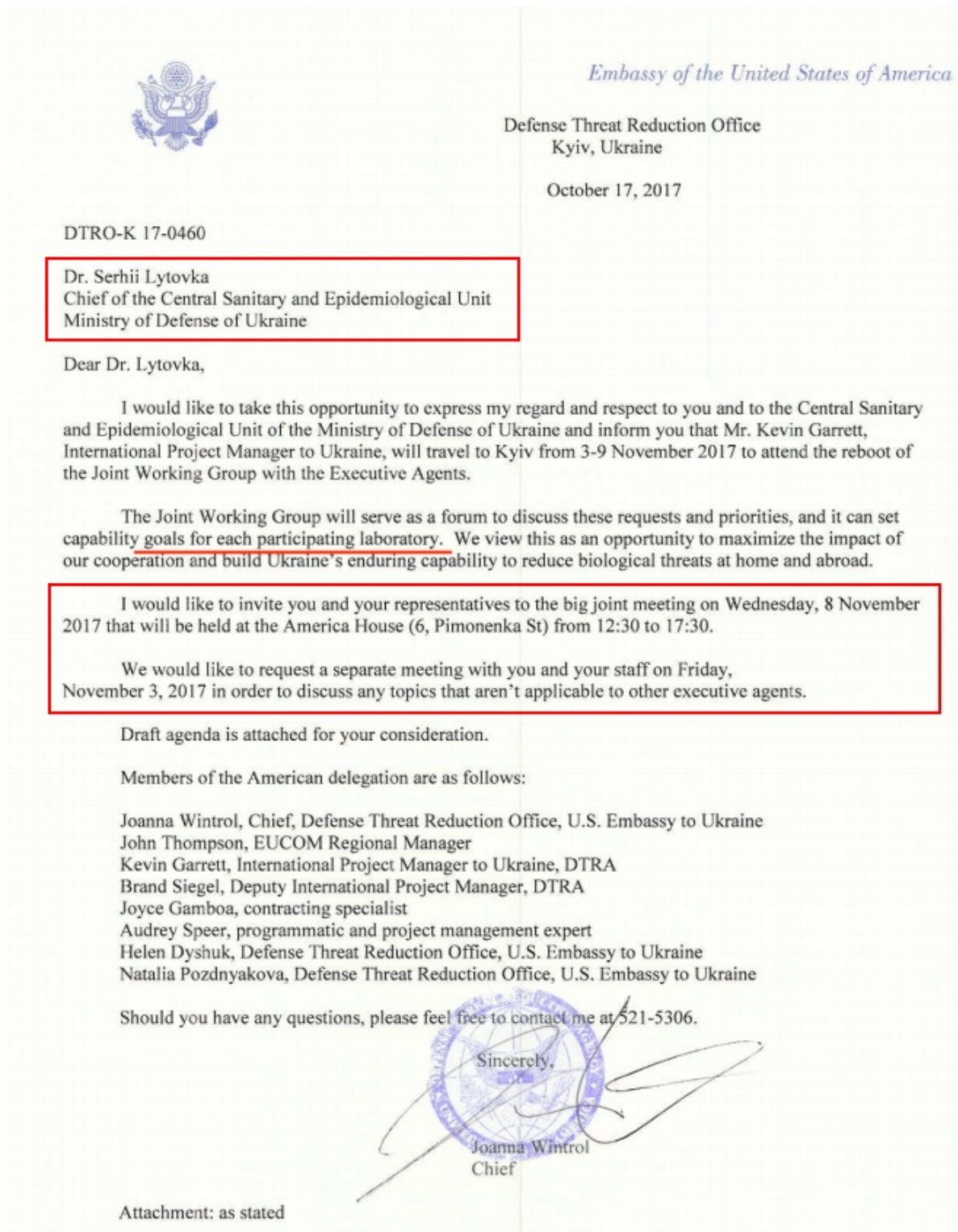
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As **Gateway Pundit** reported, Hunter Biden’s firm Rosemont Seneca invested in a firm called Metabiota, which was a subcontractor to Black & Veatch’s work with DTRA.

The DTRA cooperation with the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine dates back at least to an October 2017 “reboot”:



Further documentation of Joanna Wintrol's cooperation with Ukrainian Ministry of Defense biolabs in Kharkiv, Lviv and Odessa:

*Embassy of the United States of America*

Defense Threat Reduction Office
Kyiv, Ukraine

March 2, 2018

DTRO-K 18-0080

Department of International Defense Cooperation
Ministry of Defense of Ukraine

Dr. Serhiy Litovka
Central Sanitary-Epidemiological Department
Ministry of Defense
Kyiv, Ukraine

Dear Dr. Litovka:

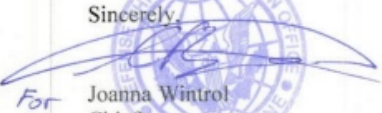
I would like to take this opportunity to express my regard and respect to you and to the Central Sanitary-Epidemiological Department of the Ukrainian Ministry of Defense and provide you with the list of US representatives who will be visiting the laboratory in Odessa on March 19, 2018 under the Biological Threat Reduction Program in Ukraine. Kindly request you to provide site access to the below listed team members.

U.S. team members are as follows:

1. Viktor Averkov, Deputy Chief, Defense Threat Reduction Office, US Embassy to Ukraine
2. Natalia Pozdnyakova, Program Management Assistant, Defense Threat Reduction Office, US Embassy to Ukraine
3. Lance Lippencott, Program Manager, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp.
4. David Mustra, Biosurveillance and Research Manager, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp.
5. Nataliia Rodyna, EDP specialist, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp.
6. Kateryna Kycha, interpreter, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp.
7. Craig M. Free, P.E., President, Diversified Laboratory Sciences, Inc
8. Dr. Robert A. Heckert, BSc, DVM, PhD, Robert Heckert Consulting

Should you have any questions, please contact me at 521-5334.

Sincerely,

For 
Joanna Wintrol
Chief



*Embassy of the United States of America*

Defense Threat Reduction Office
Kyiv, Ukraine
May 4, 2018

DTRO-K 18-0176

Department of International Defense Cooperation
Ministry of Defense of Ukraine

Dr. Serhiy Litovka
Central Sanitary-Epidemiological Department
Ministry of Defense
Kyiv, Ukraine

Dear Dr. Litovka:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my regard and respect to you and to the Central Sanitary-Epidemiological Department of the Ukrainian Ministry of Defense and provide you with the list of US representatives who will be visiting the laboratories in Kharkiv and Lviv under the Biological Threat Reduction Program in Ukraine.

We would like to request a visit to Kharkiv laboratory preferably in the morning on May 17. Alternative date is the morning of May 16, 2018.

We would like to request a visit to Lviv laboratory preferably in the morning on June 14, 2018. Alternative date is the morning of June 15, 2018.

Kindly request you to provide site access to the below listed team members and allow taking pictures in and outside the laboratories.

Our integrating contractor Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp will provide you with a questionnaire to the laboratories. It would be beneficial if the laboratories could fill them prior to the visit in order to facilitate the assessment of the laboratory conditions maximum correctly and effectively.

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4. Kateryna Kycha, interpreter, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp.
5. Donnie Montoya,
6. Yurii Donets, technical expert, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp.
7. Viktor Averkov, Deputy Chief, Defense Threat Reduction Office, U.S. Embassy to Ukraine
8. Natalia Pozdnyakova, Program Management Assistant, Defense Threat Reduction Office, US Embassy to Ukraine

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Russia has not been caught LYING to us over and over and over again like our "government"...

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Somehow in someway these labs are 100% legitimate. It is necessary to kill all mankind via experiments!!!! Sarc....

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When do the liars, murderers and thieves of the US gov actually get taken down and held accountable?

And I do mean all of them regardless of what side of the aisle they're from.

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Xena • 3 minutes ago

I hate that I trust a foreign government more than my own. Everything the left touches turns to mierda.

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@MJW ➔ **Xena** • 2 minutes ago

We cant trust our government because theyre Communists. McCarthy was right about them.

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Huck L. Berry • 4 minutes ago

The Pentagon acknowledges that the US has spent \$200 million on programs in 46 biolabs in Ukraine since launched by evil Senator Barack Obama in 2005. Do **NOT** support Ukraine's or America's governments, they are both massively corrupted.

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Jamfer Jones • 3 minutes ago

Yes, Russian overwhelming evidence not counting the many first-hand witnesses in Ukraine that worked in the labs plus the remaining physical evidence that they failed to destroy.

1 ^ | v • Reply • Share ›

Paladin Geste • 4 minutes ago

The money these politicians waste is beyond ridiculous. Doesn't matter if they're

repubs or dems, they both don't use common sense, logic and reasoning. The only

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repubs or dems, they both don't use common sense, logic and reasoning. The only way this country will ever get straightened out is with a ruthless righteous dictator.

1 ^ | v • Reply • Share ›

Huck L. Berry ➔ Paladin Geste • 2 minutes ago

There is only one of those...

His name is Jesus.

He is the Christ, the great redeemer.

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Paladin Geste ➔ Huck L. Berry • a minute ago

Even when he comes back, he won't be hanging out here. He'll appoint judges to rule.

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@MJW ➔ Huck L. Berry • a few seconds ago

This nation hates Jesus

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Phooey • 4 minutes ago

Sorry Russia you have to make it more credible. Add zeroes to your accusation. The U.S. Deep State doesn't get out of bed in the morning for \$200 million, much less spend such a paltry amount on WMD's, especially not in Ukraine where numerous entities require 10% cuts.

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lets go brandon • a few seconds ago

nuttin to see here folks move along

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Rebel • a minute ago

Does anyone actually doubt this?

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Mick • 3 minutes ago

Just a small side project, thanks



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