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BR/EK:

Here's a new idea to bring the family together on the release of the gun shows report...

- Next Friday (1/21) have Jim Johnson and Eric Holder do an embargoed brief for Monday mornings papers w/5 print reporters and perhaps a network;
- Have VP release at event in CA that Monday (1/24), along w/\$300 million in crime victims money that will get good regional press; and
- Draft bill ahead of time and have Senator Lautenberg and Rep. Blagoievich introduce on Monday and hold press conference w/gun advocates.

Alternatively, we could do for the Mayors' meeting on Friday (1/29). However, this may only beg the question of where we are on the pending litigation...which we may need to figure out before then anyway.

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