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On Jun 22, 2016, at 4:29 PM, Morrell, Geoff <[REDACTED]@bp.com> wrote:

...democratic member is now on record stating that if given the opportunity, a House (and likely Senate) Democratic majority would expand the Exxon probe to other integrated oil companies.

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If Democrats were to win a majority the House, they would issue subpoenas to top executives from ExxonMobil and other oil companies to compel them to testify under oath about climate change, Rep. Ted Lieu said today.

"Absolutely. I believe so," Lieu told POLITICO, adding, "It wouldn't just be Exxon ... there's a number of companies that also appear to have done similar actions that Exxon engaged in. I think the public deserves to have a hearing as to whether or not those allegations are true."

He added, "For example, if the Oversight Committee were chaired by a Democrat, the Democratic chair could subpoena private-sector companies."

While the Democrats face long odds of taking the House, some political pundits have predicted that Donald Trump could put Republicans' 30-seat majority in jeopardy.

Lieu said he has talked to Hillary Clinton's presidential campaign about climate change, but not specifically about Exxon. Clinton has called for an investigation into Exxon over allegations that the company misled the public over what it knew about the threat of climate change.

Earlier this year, the Justice Department referred Lieu's request for a federal racketeering investigation into Exxon to the FBI. Asked whether he's received an update from DOJ or the FBI about where the request stands, Lieu said, "I have not and I don't expect to," noting that law enforcement officials don't generally announce their investigations publicly.

Geoff Morrell