

**From:** H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 14, 2009 9:25 PM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: More follow up

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Did you send anyone else for [REDACTED]

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Cheryl Mills  
**To:** hdr22@clintonemail.com  
**Sent:** Feb 14, 2009 9:21 PM  
**Subject:** RE: More follow up

did not - they know him already

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**From:** H [mailto:hdr22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 14, 2009 9:18 PM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills  
**Subject:** Re: More follow up

Did you send [REDACTED]

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**From:** Cheryl Mills  
**To:** hdr22@clintonemail.com  
**Sent:** Feb 14, 2009 9:12 PM  
**Subject:** RE: More follow up

sent that too

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**From:** H [mailto:hdr22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 14, 2009 9:08 PM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills  
**Subject:** Re: More follow up

Good [REDACTED]

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**From:** Cheryl Mills  
**To:** hdr22@clintonemail.com  
**Sent:** Feb 14, 2009 9:05 PM  
**Subject:** RE: More follow up

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**From:** H [mailto:hdr22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 14, 2009 8:46 PM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills  
**Subject:** More follow up

A new idea for our Ambassador to [REDACTED]

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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 11:24 AM  
**To:** Burns, William J <BurnsWJ@state.gov>; Steinberg, James B <SteinbergJB@state.gov>; Lew, Jacob J <LewJJ@state.gov>; Smith, Daniel B <SmithD2@state.gov>; Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>; Holbrooke, Richard C <HolbrookeRC@state.gov>; Slaughter, Anne-Marie <SlaughterA@state.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: announcement

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FYI – going out shortly.

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**From:** McDonough, Denis R. [mailto: [REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 11:12 AM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Subject:** announcement

### President Announces Team Leading Afghanistan-Pakistan Review

The President has asked Bruce Riedel to chair an interagency policy review of U.S. policy toward Afghanistan and Pakistan to be completed before the NATO summit in April. Ambassador Richard Holbrooke, Special Representative for Afghanistan and Pakistan, and Michelle Flournoy, Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, will co-chair. Mr. Riedel will report directly to the President and National Security Advisor Jones.

Mr. Riedel is working at the White House for sixty days while he is on leave from the Saban Center for Middle East Policy at the Brookings Institution where he is a Senior Fellow.

**From:** Mills, Cheryl D [mailto:MillsCD@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 11:07 AM  
**To:** Donilon, Thomas E.; McDonough, Denis R.; Craig, Gregory B.; Gips, Donald H.  
**Cc:** Kennedy, Patrick F.; Boswell, Eric J.; Hardy, Sharon L.; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

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Tom, Greg, Denis et al:

I am confirming our conversations regarding the [REDACTED]

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The Secretary confirmed with Senator Kerry directly his comfort so we all should be moving forward efficiently.

We assume you will advise the FBI.

Thank you for all your assistance.

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**From:** H <hdr22@clintonemail.com> B6  
**Sent:** Monday, February 9, 2009 6:36 AM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: North Korea

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I talked w Steve Bosworth last night. He will come see me Tuesday and if he is willing, I will ask him to do NK envoy.

**From:** "Cheryl Mills"  
**Date:** Mon, 9 Feb 2009 05:55:42 -0500  
**To:** <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
**Subject:** Fw: North Korea

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**From:** Wendy Sherman [REDACTED]  
**To:** Robert Einhorn [REDACTED]; Cheryl Mills; MillsCD@state.gov <MillsCD@state.gov>; Kurt Campbell External [REDACTED] Kurt  
**Sent:** Fri Feb 06 14:48:54 2009  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea

By the way, the more senior person could be you, Bill Burns or Jim Steinberg if you didn't want to do an outside person. There just has to be someone more senior than the person who does the Six-party with Kim Gae Gwan, who is engaged, identified and ready to go.

Wendy R. Sherman

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**From:** Robert Einhorn [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, February 06, 2009 11:41 AM  
**To:** Wendy Sherman, Cheryl Mills; MillsCD@state.gov; Kurt Campbell External; Kurt Campbell  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea

Wendy, a few reactions to your ideas:

What worked in the second Bill Clinton term was having a respected, senior official in State (i.e., Wendy) who could bring other agencies together and lead the North Korea policy effort in Washington. One approach in the current Administration would be to have such a senior official serving both as Washington coordinator and as envoy, in which case s/he could have the stature to interact with Kang Suk Ju or the Dear Leader himself. Another model would be to have a senior line officer (e.g., EAP A/S) serve as Washington policy coordinator with another, equally or even more senior, official serving as envoy. A third model of having a Special Advisor for NE Asia Security (who would coordinate in DC and do some high-level diplomatic missions), a separate envoy (who would not be as senior), and a senior line officer with day-to-day responsibility for NE Asia, like the EAP A/S, strikes me as too many cooks in the kitchen. I would prefer either of the first two models.

I agree that we should have an early, general communication from the President to KJI (a video?) "extending his hand" and outlining the broad parameters of his approach toward the DPRK. But any direct contact with NK - even at a very general, tone-setting level - would need to be previewed to the allies and China in

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advance, lest we generate early suspicions of what we're up to. That means we could use HRC's trip to preview such a contact, but not do the contact concurrently. An HAK/MKA tandem emissary visit would be fine, but also after we had previewed it with our partners.

Bob

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From: Wendy Sherman  
Sent: Friday, February 06, 2009 10:54 AM  
To: Cheryl Mills; MillsCD@state.gov; Kurt Campbell External; Kurt Campbell; Robert Einhorn  
Subject: North Korea  
Importance: High

All-

I write you not in your official capacities or potential future capacities but as people focused on how to approach North Korea and following conversations at dinner last night. As some of you heard, I believe that the USG needs a somewhat revised approach to NK and the Six-Party Talks. I believe that it is probably necessary to return to a two tiered approach- that is a Special Advisor/Coordinator at a high level and a Special Envoy/Negotiator at a perhaps lower level. Part of Chris' problem (among many others imposed by the last administration) was that he could never reach up into higher levels of NK. NK is a very hierarchical system and KJI would believe that if Chris was negotiating day to day, then he wasn't senior enough for Kang Suk Ju or for KJI, himself. In addition, I suggested last night that at least the senior person, perhaps, be called a Special Advisor for Northeast Asia Security, focused on the 6 party talks as both a mechanism for NK and as the beginnings of a Northeast Asian Security framework. My thinking is that the paradigm needs to shift a bit. The actual work would not change since any advisor or negotiator will be working on alliance management as much as NK in the process required. In addition, as I thought about this further, although it would be ideal to announce the way forward before Secretary Clinton's trip, the chances of making the decision, finishing vetting and announcing are quite slim given the few days. Therefore, it would be important to say publicly that as part of the trip, HRC will be consulting and an announcement would come shortly after the trip. As part of that process, I believe it is essential to send a communication to KJI that HRC is coming to Asia, will be developing a way forward, and looks forward to the day when enough progress is made that she can come to NK as well. Obviously if to KJI, the letter likely comes from POTUS. Simultaneous with the trip, before or during, it would also be important to send someone to New York to speak with the NK per rep. One last somewhat outside the box thought is that HRC announce that she has asked an emissary or emissaries to travel to NK as she is going to Asia to assess where NK is and how they hope to move ahead. As some of you know Madeleine and Henry Kissinger discussed going at several points but Condi, in the end, never gave the green light. Just some thoughts as you all think ahead.

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**From:** PVerveer [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, February 9, 2009 1:01 AM  
**To:** hr15@att.blackberry.net  
**Subject:** Your upcoming trip

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I feel like I'm in limbo but trying to do what's allowable on the women's front.

I wanted to raise a few issues regarding your upcoming trip.

China - the state of female migrant workers is looming as a big challenge and exacerbated by the economic downturn. About half of the 130 million migrant workers are women. The Chinese government just announced that 20 million migrant workers have lost jobs. Women's fate is compounded by the fact that 85 million are reported suffering from domestic violence and an unknown number are victims of trafficking. According to the All China Women's Federation, 1/3 of China's 267 million families have witnessed domestic violence and 94% are of the victims are women. A Chinese court in 2008 issued the first ever protective order to a domestic violence victim ...so far 6 have been issued in 3 localities. A central government document now mandates police to respond to DV complaints made through hotlines and mandate the All-China Women's Federation to establish DV hotlines throughout the country. The All-China Women's Federation is committed to getting a domestic violence law approved this year. Also China has finally issued the national action plan on combating trafficking in women and children to adopt a comprehensive approach to trafficking. They have a long way to go but this represents progress.

If there's anyway to mention pressing concerns affecting women, particularly protecting migrant workers, the urgency of protecting victims of domestic violence and trafficking, it could make a difference.

If you have time to meet with any women or to include them in an already planned for discussion, there are several women (some of whom you met during your 1998 trip to China and again at Vital Voices event, as well as the representative of All-China Women's Federation, Chen Zhili). I can provide contact information if there's interest, as can Susan O'Sullivan in DRL.

Finally on HIV/AIDS

ZENG JINYAN is the wife of the famous HIV/AIDS activist and detainee Hu Jia who was nominated for a Nobel Peace Prize. Sec. Rice raised his case in 2008 as he has been detained since 2007 for testifying on TV for the EU about China's human rights situation.

Zheng, his wife, was selected by TIME as one of the 100 most influential people in the world.

She is under house arrest with her 2 year-old daughter for speaking out on behalf of her husband.

Zheng and Hu were our messengers to Dr Gao when we were trying to get her to come to Washington in 2006.

ZHENG TRANSLATED YOUR LETTER TO THE CHINESE PRESIDENT AND PREMIER, AS WELL AS THE VITAL VOICES INVITATION INTO CHINESE FOR DR. GAO. If there's anyway you could meet with Zheng it would send a strong and personal message for human rights.

I don't know where DRL and the China desk come down on all of this, but I thought you'd want to know. You have no shortage of experts in the building.

Japan - The DCM, James Zumwalt, is the Charge. He is terrific. His wife, ANN KAMBARA, is also a Foreign Service officer. She took the lead when Baker was Ambassador (strongly supported by Nancy Kassebaum at the time), to get the Japanese to address the terrible trafficking problem, which had been largely ignored. (John Miller wanted to come down hard on the Japanese and Nancy knew that would be a counterproductive strategy with the Japanese.) Nancy brought in Vital Voices to engage others from around the world and demonstrate to the Japanese that this was a global problem that we all had to address. We worked really closely with Ann who did a terrific job of pulling a regional meeting together of top governments and NGOs -- first time Japanese govt was in same room with the NGOs. It had a very positive impact and the work continues.

If you have a chance to thank Ann for her work on trafficking, it would be well deserved.

She is a huge fan of yours. She had me do a speaking tour in different parts of Japan for the embassy and I learned a great deal about the rather nascent state of civil society and the strictures on young women to leave the work force once they become mothers. This is creating a real problem as the birth rate there is dropping significantly.

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I'm sorry to put this in an email as opposed to a more readable memo. If you need anything additional on any of this, I'm happy to do what I can.

Have a productive trip.

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**From:** H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, February 8, 2009 4:02 PM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills <CMills@hillaryclinton.com>; Huma Abedin <HAbedin@hillaryclinton.com>  
**Cc:** Hillary Clinton <hr15@att.blackberry.net>  
**Subject:** Korea

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A bunch of Korean-Americans are planning to go to Korea while I'm there. So we have to have an event and let them know. Let's discuss tomorrow.

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**From:** Imuscating [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 12, 2009 7:21 PM  
**To:** hdr22@clintonemail.com.  
**Subject:** DNI threat assessment

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I meant to tell you that Blair does not think its worth mentioning his assessment because it focuses more on Africa and places outside of Asia.

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From: H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
Sent: Friday, March 20, 2009 7:52 AM  
To: Huma Abedin <HABedin@hillaryclinton.com>  
Subject: Fw: Update

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Pls print.

-----Original Message-----

From: <jkeane@clintonemail.com>

Date: Fri, 20 Mar 2009 03:46:01

To: Hillary Clinton <hdr22@clintonemail.com>

Subject: Update

Hillary

Know you are spending more time on Afghanistan as you inch closer to a POTUS decision. As such, would like to offer some thoughts. I realize I am somewhat radioactive as a result of articles and books which not only sensationalized my role in the Surge but misrepresented it. Despite that, my track record on COIN and understanding of irregular warfare and what it takes to succeed, speaks for itself.

Some thoughts

--We do not, now, have an effective civil/ military strategy that leads to defeat of the insurgency and a stable Afghanistan( I also believe, as you know, McKiernan, is not the leader to get us there)

-- when thinking about Afghanistan and our desires to succeed you must select options which are decisive. I have learned much from our past failures in Iraq but one lesson overwhelms all others and that is: there are no shortcuts to defeating an insurgency. We took these shortcuts, using a short war, minimalist, strategy for 3 years in Iraq and we came dangerously close to defeat, with potential dire consequences. We turned this around when we put into effect a decisive strategy with the right leader and the needed forces to support it. Thank God those who were advocating doing less lost to those who wanted, finally, a decisive option. These were the words I used to present it to the POTUS and the words I urged the POTUS/VPOTUS to use when examining other options which advocated less. "General, is this a decisive force that will defeat the insurgency". "General, do we have the right strategy, now, to win". Most insurgencies are defeated(75 per cent) and don't let others tell you there is no clear victory in these kind of wars. Its true the ending may have some ambiguity to it because the enemy leaves the battlefield without a surrender or comes into the political process(as in Iraq). But the outcome eventually is very clear, and we know whether we lost or won, whether the region is more stable as a result and whether our own security and interests are enhanced.

--I urge you to go for the decisive option, which means all the forces requested to include the additional 13K US forces, a robust ANA(at least 300K) required civilian capacity, necessary financing and demand a coherent civil/military strategy from the Generals that leads to victory.

--You cannot presume the generals have the right strategy to win, our own military history is that in most wars we had the wrong strategy, initially, but in time, made the necessary adjustments. We are at that moment in Afghanistan.

--if you keep McKiernan, as I suspect you will, because he enjoys high level support, then I recommend that Petraeus(who is one of the best irregular warfare generals we have) be told that he must get his intellectual capital into the details of the civil/military strategy to include the needed organizational headquarters, force dispositions, force employment, the structure and ways and means to establish the rule of law and a judicial system, and the structure and plans to bring better governance at the local level, while improving the effectiveness of the central government.

--I know much of COIN is largely non-military and others will play a key role but none of that will matter much if we do not have the right military strategy to win.

--Henry Kissinger asked me off line on one of our many discussions on Iraq as members of SECDEF policy board. what is US military strategy to defeat the insurgency? I answered, we do not have one, because we are training the ISF so they can defeat the insurgency. He answered, we will lose, Jack, just as we did in Vietnam, because our military strategy will fail to enable viable political solutions and stability and we will lose the political and moral support of the American people. He iterated further that our failed military strategy in Vietnam, for 3 years under Westmoreland, robbed us of political will(despite the fact Abrams turned it around later). He of course, was right, and his thoughts helped me to go forward with a strategy to win.

Please keep these scribbles for your eyes only. If you desire to discuss, am always available for you. All the best, Jack

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

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**From:** Valmoro, Lona J [ValmoroLJ@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 10:54:21 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** RE:

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Yes, I believe the first week of May.

**From:** Huma Abedin [mailto: ]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 10:54 AM  
**To:** Valmoro, Lona J  
**Subject:** Re:

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I didn't know sonia was leaving

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Valmoro, Lona J <ValmoroLJ@state.gov>  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 17 10:51:50 2009  
**Subject:** RE:

Kin came by yesterday and said that Sonia was leaving as well, could she get a photo too. Why ' wouldn't we do together?

**From:** Huma Abedin [mailto: ]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 10:51 AM  
**To:** Valmoro, Lona J  
**Subject:** Re:

Why r u doing katie and sonia together?

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Valmoro, Lona J <ValmoroLJ@state.gov>  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 17 10:48:52 2009  
**Subject:** RE:

8:25am Presidential Daily Briefing

8:30am Secretary's Office

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8:30am Daily Small Senior Staff Meeting

8:40am Secretary's Office

8:45am Daily Senior Staff Meeting

9:15am Secretary's Conference Room

9:15 am Monday Meeting with Assistant Secretaries

10:00 am Principals Conference Room 7516

10:45am Meeting with the Dutch FM

11:15am Secretary's Conference Room

Camera Spray (in the Treaty Room before the meeting)

11:30am White House Cabinet Meeting

12:45pm Room Tbd

1:00pm Office Time

2:00pm Secretary's Office

2:15pm Meeting with the Cypriot FM

2:45pm Secretary's Conference Room

2:55pm Photo with Katie Stana and Sonia Tarantola

3:00pm Secretary's Office

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3:00pm Meeting with ICRC President Jakob Kellenberger (T)

3:30pm Secretary's Office


3:30pm Hearing Prep

6:30pm Secretary's Conference Room

Attending: Rich, Cheryl, Jake, Jim Steinberg, Jack, Phillipe, Andrew, Mike Polt

Lissa, Tomicah, and Derek Cholet

HRC Ron Washington, DC

From: Huma Abedin [mailto:  
Sent: Friday, April 17, 2009 10:47 AM  
To: Valmore, Lona J  
Subject:

Send me draft for monday

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From: Huma Abedin  
Sent: Friday, April 17, 2009 12:11:11 PM  
To: 'LukensLA@state.gov'; 'WohlersP@state.gov'; 'baee@state.gov'  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

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That's what this will probably be

-----Original Message-----

From: Lukens, Lewis A <LukensLA@state.gov>  
To: Huma Abedin; Wohlers, Paul <WohlersP@state.gov>; Bae, Eugene <BaeE@state.gov>  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 12:07:13 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

At a certain point you may want to decide to take your time and we'll just shift to a post-AF1 landing.

From: Huma Abedin  
To: Lukens, Lewis A; Wohlers, Paul, Bae, Eugene  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 12:03:53 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

That's going to be a challenge but we will try.

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To: Huma Abedin; Wohlers, Paul <WohlersP@state.gov>; Bae, Eugene <BaeE@state.gov>  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 12:01:01 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

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From: Huma Abedin  
To: Lukens, Lewis A; Wohlers, Paul, Bae, Eugene  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:56:29 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

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What r u saying? How late can we leave?

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To: Wohlers, Paul <WohlersP@state.gov>; Bae, Eugene <BaeE@state.gov>; Huma Abedin  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:42:07 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

Just told by pilot that AF1 due in a little earlier than expected. We will be OK if we leave here at 1 but have less leeway at that end. If we leave on time we have 30 minutes at the other end to deplane and unload bags before we're locked down.

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From: Wohlers, Paul  
To: Lan, Melissa J, Lukens, Lewis A; Bae, Eugene  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:35:37 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

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----- Original Message -----

From: Lan, Melissa J  
To: Bae, Eugene, Wohlers, Paul  
Cc: Beale, Courtney A Kramer  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:27:16 2009  
Subject: En route to airport

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To: 'baee@state.gov'; 'LukensLA@state.gov'; 'WohlersP@state.gov'  
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From: Bae, Eugene <BaeE@state.gov>  
To: Huma Abedin, Lukens, Lewis A <LukensLA@state.gov>, Wohlers, Paul <WohlersP@state.gov>  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 12:08:58 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

Here is my plan to get us out of here on time

I will give signal for last question at 1215pm (in 8 minutes)

1220 Townhall ends  
1225 Depart Funglode for Airport  
1250 Arrive airport/load  
1005 Wheels Up

Okay?

Eugene Bae  
U.S. Department of State

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We are flexible. If we miss our window we will circle. Just cuts into her downtime but we have plenty of fuel.

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Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:56:29 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

We are late right now.  
What r u saying? How late can we leave?

-----Original Message-----

From: Lukens, Lewis A <LukensLA@state.gov>  
To: Wohlers, Paul <WohlersP@state.gov>; Bae, Eugene <BaeE@state.gov>; Huma Abedin  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:42:07 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

Just told by pilot that AF1 due in a little earlier than expected. We will be OK if we leave here at 1 but have less leeway at that end. If we leave on time we have 30 minutes at the other end to deplane and unload bags before we're locked down.

----- Original Message -----

From: Wohlers, Paul  
To: Lan, Melissa J; Lukens, Lewis A; Bae, Eugene  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:35:37 2009  
Subject: Re: En route to airport

Abt 20 mins late; just arrived Funglode. Everyone aware need to be out of here by 12:30 latest.  
Pw

----- Original Message -----

From: Lan, Melissa J  
To: Bae, Eugene ; Wohlers, Paul  
Cc: Beale, Courtney A Kramer  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 11:27:16 2009  
Subject: En route to airport

How are things?

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**From:** Bishop, Christopher W [BishopCW@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 12:55:26 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**CC:** S\_SpecialAssistants  
**Subject:** RE:

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Nothing that I've heard—we'll check with his office.

**From:** Huma Abedin [mailto:]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 12:53 PM  
**To:** Bishop, Christopher W  
**Cc:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Subject:**

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Christopher - do we have any updates from holbrooke on pakistan money?  
I just left him a message.

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FULLExpected Pledges from each country  
and Exchange rates (as of 4/13/09)

	A	B	C	D
1	Donor	Amount in currency pledged	Amount in million \$ USD	Comments
2	Australia	120 Aussie	43.2	Doubling of current assistance
3	Canada			Still considering a pledge
4	China			Recalled fall 2008 \$500 million loan; no new money
5	Denmark			Still considering a pledge; will establish new program
6	Finland			Still considering a pledge
7	France	300 Euro	264	300 Euros over 3 yrs
8	Germany		155	
9	Indonesia			Reaffirmed existing technical assistance
10	Iran		330	320 in loans; 10 in ODA grants
11	Italy	42 Euro	59	
12	Japan		1,000	JBIC loans
13	Kuwait		49	
14	Malaysia			Reaffirmed existing technical assistance
15	Netherlands		80	\$120 mil on over 3 years
16	New Zealand		0.58	
17	Norway		0	No new money
18	Oman			observers only
19	Qatar		0	No new money
20	Republic of Korea		40	200 mil over 3 years (160 previously existing); \$40 mil new grants
21	Russia			observers only
22	Saudi Arabia		700	300 infrastructure; 200 non-oil imports; 200 in State Bank deposit
23	Spain	20 Euro	26.4	30 mil Euro over 3 years
24	Sweden		5	Humanitarian aid to IDPs
25	Switzerland	50 fr	29	50 mil Swiss francs over 3 years
26	Turkey		100	
27	UAE		300	
28	USA		1,000	
29	UK		0	Front loading disbursement to meet June 30
30				
31	Total Bilateral		4181.18	
32				
33	World Bank		300	
34	EC		320	\$640 mil on over 4 years
35	ADB		200	\$300 mil on over 3 years
36	IsDB		250	
37	UN			observers only
38				
39	Total IOs		1070	
40				
41	Total Pledges		5251.18	

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23	ADB		200	\$300 million over 3 years
24	IsDB		250	
25				
26	Total IOs		1070	
27				
28	Total Pledges		5251.18	

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From: Huma Abedin  
 Sent: Friday, April 17, 2009 1:06:54 PM  
 To: 'BishopCW@state.gov'  
 CC: 'SullivanJJ@state.gov'; 'S\_SpecialAssistants@state.gov'; 'MacmanusJE@state.gov'  
 Subject: Re: Pledge Tallies from Tokyo

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Paul wolvers email isn't working Can u send to plane team to print?

-----Original Message-----

From: Bishop, Christopher W <BishopCW@state.gov>  
 To: Huma Abedin  
 CC: Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>; S\_SpecialAssistants <S\_SpecialAssistants@state.gov>; Macmanus, Joseph E <MacmanusJE@state.gov>  
 Sent: Fri Apr 17 13:03:55 2009  
 Subject: Pledge Tallies from Tokyo

Huma,

Here's the latest from Tokyo. Holbrooke is working on a note we which will send out as soon as we get it.

Christopher

----- Original Message -----

From: Leatham, Rachel M  
 To: McClure, Kimberly M  
 Sent: Fri Apr 17 07:12:37 2009  
 Subject: RE: Recall Pledge tally

Kimberly - The attachment is well formatted. Please use that.

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ADB	200 \$300 million over 3 years
IsDB	250
UN	observers only

Total IOs 1070

Total Pledges 5251.18

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From: Huma Abedin [REDACTED]  
Sent: Friday, April 17, 2009 1:14:33 PM  
To: 'SullivanJJ@state.gov'; Philippe Reines1; 'ValmoreLJ@state.gov'; Andrew Shapiro1; 'MillsCD@state.gov'  
Subject: Re: Alpac

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I can do that too [REDACTED]

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-----Original Message-----

From: Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
To: Philippe Reines1, Huma Abedin; Valmore, Lona J <ValmoreLJ@state.gov>; Andrew Shapiro1; Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 13:07:35 2009  
Subject: Re: Alpac

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From: PIR  
To: Huma Abedin; Valmore, Lona J; AJS; Mills, Cheryl D; Sullivan, Jacob J  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 13:06:25 2009  
Subject: Re: Alpac

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From: "Huma Abedin"  
Date: Fri, 17 Apr 2009 12:59:38 -0400  
To: <ValmoreLJ@state.gov>; Andrew Shapiro1 [REDACTED]; Philippe Reines1 [REDACTED] <MillsCD@state.gov>;  
<SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
Subject: Alpac

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Calls from our friends in the jewish community are now getting ugly. I don't understand who's taking charge of this. [REDACTED]

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**From:** andrew.shapiro [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 1:15:01 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin; ValmoroLJ@state.gov; Philippe Reines1; MillsCD@state.gov; SullivanJJ@state.gov  
**Subject:** Re: Aipac

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**From:** "Huma Abedin"  
**Date:** Fri, 17 Apr 2009 12:59:38 -0400  
**To:** <ValmoroLJ@state.gov>; Andrew Shapiro1 [REDACTED]; Philippe Reines1 [REDACTED]; <MillsCD@state.gov>; <SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
**Subject:** Aipac

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Calls from our friends in the jewish community are now getting ugly. I don't understand who's taking charge of this. [REDACTED]

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**From:** andrew.shapiro [redacted]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 1:24:17 PM  
**To:** Valmoro, Lona J; Sullivan, Jacob J; preines [redacted] habedin [redacted] Mills, Cheryl  
**Subject:** Re: Aipac

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**From:** "Valmoro, Lona J"  
**Date:** Fri, 17 Apr 2009 13:19:28 -0400  
**To:** Sullivan, Jacob J<SullivanJJ@state.gov>; <preines [redacted]>  
 <habedin [redacted]>; <andrew.shapiro [redacted]> Mills, Cheryl  
 D<MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Aipac

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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**To:** 'preines [redacted]'; 'habedin [redacted]'; Valmoro, Lona J; 'andrew.shapiro [redacted]'; Mills, Cheryl  
 D  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 17 13:15:08 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Aipac

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**From:** PIR  
**To:** Huma Abedin ; Valmoro, Lona J; AJS ; Mills, Cheryl D; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 17 13:06:25 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Aipac

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**From:** "Huma Abedin"  
**Date:** Fri, 17 Apr 2009 12:59:38 -0400

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To: <ValmoroLJ@state.gov>; Andrew Shapiro1 [REDACTED] Philippe  
Reines1 [REDACTED]; <MillsCD@state.gov>; <SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
Subject: Aipac

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Calls from our friends in the jewish community are now getting ugly. I don't understand who's taking charge of this. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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**CALL LIST**

**Friday, April 17, 2009: 5:30 PM EST**

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**Cong. Dick Gephardt -** LM 4/17/09. He is looking for a readout of the forthcoming Apr 24<sup>th</sup> stmt by POTUS on Turkey and Armenia.

**Elaine Schuster -** She rtnd. 4/17/09; [REDACTED]

**Gen. Hugh Shelton -** Per your request (from Burns).

**Cong. Loretta Sanchez -** LM 4/17/09.

**Leo Daly -** LM 4/17/09 through Lona, wants to catch up with you.

**Lou d'Allessandro -** LM 4/16/09 through Huma. Wants to catch up.

**Sen. Bob Menendez -** LM 4/16/09.

**Fmr. Cong. Tom Roemer -** LM 4/15/09 through Claire.

**Sen. Russ Feingold -** He rtnd 4/14/09. Per your request.

**Weldon Latham -** LM 4/9/09.

**Italian Amb. Giovanni Castellaneta -** He rtnd. 4/8/09, per your request.

**Sen. Jim Webb -** LM 4/8/09. Wishes to discuss Asian affairs.

**Sen. Lisa Murkowski -** You LM 4/7/09. Per Huma. She cannot attend your Arctic Council events on Monday, 4/6/09 [REDACTED]

**Luis Moreno -** He LM 4/3/09. Also, per your request to Lona/Huma.

**Mort Zuckerman -** LM 4/1/09. He just returned from Israel; met with Israeli-PM designate Netanyahu, outgoing Israeli PM Olmert, and Israeli Defense Min. Barak. He asked to de-brief you in person/this week about these meetings, but given that you are on travel, has asked for a call.

**Harriet Tamen -** LM 3/25/09 thru Huma.

**Adm. Bill Owens -** LM 3/24/09. Wants to brief you/get your input on the Sanya Initiative, a military dialogue between inactive senior-ranking military leaders from China and the United States.

**John Podesta -** Per your request.

**Orville Schell -** Per your request.

**Walter Mondale -** Per your request.

**Barbara Dimonstein-Spielvogel -** Per your request.

**Sandy Berger -** Per your request.

**Jeff Smith -** He rtnd. 3/17/09. Per your request.

**Brent Scowcroft -** LM 3/17/09.

**Sec'y Hilda Solis -** She is flying to Rome for a G8 Labor Ministerial conference on 3/28; wants to speak with you in advance.

**George Soros -** Per his note to you, he wants to speak with you about China.

**Walter Pincus -** Per your request.

**John Merrigan -** Per your request.

**Ruth Love -** Per your request.

**Cong. Jack Murtha -** Per your request.

**Marcia Dyson -** Per your request. You saw her at the Women of Courage event.

**Roz Fink -** Per your request. [REDACTED]

**Susan Esserman -** Per your request. You regretted the Wellesley reunion dinner on March 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Amb. Edward "Skip" Gnehm -** Per your request/Senator Enzi asked you to touch base with him. He is Fmr. U.S. Amb. to Jordan and currently professor at GW.

**Tom Friedman (NYT) -** Per your request.

**Rabbi Arthur Schneier -** LM 2/27/09.

**Oscar de la Renta -** Per your request. Congrats on NYT magazine article.

**Sen. Russ Feingold -** Per your request re: the joint letter he sent w/ Sen. Isakson re: a Special Envoy for Sudan.

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From: H [HDR22@clintonemail.com]  
Sent: Friday, April 17, 2009 7:48:20 PM  
To: 'habedin'  
Subject: Re: Cong delegation

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We still have an hour long cultural program to go.

----- Original Message -----

From: Huma Abedin  
To: H  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 19:39:37 2009  
Subject: Re: Cong delegation

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As u know, we are way late. Leaders will process out the way the way they walked in. This place then descends into chaos. I put tom in a seat several rows behind you, he will make his way to you to help you walk out. [redacted] so we will bring you up to your hold, I ordered some food but options are limited here. Then we do manning for 20 min. And caricom for 30 min.

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-----Original Message-----

From: H <HDR22@clintonemail.com>  
To: Huma Abedin  
Sent: Fri Apr 17 19:08:09 2009  
Subject: Cong delegation

It is much bigger than thought led by Engel and they want to meet w me sometime while we're here.

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**From:** Farnsworth, Sarah S. [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 9:07:34 PM  
**To:** habedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Where are you?

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Just me with gen J. We've been hanging outside and now headed to bilat site.  
I've been stuck on support plane so usually arriving after

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**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** Farnsworth, Sarah S.  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 17 21:02:06 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Where are you?

Upstairs in our hold. Didn't know u were here!!  
Are u guys going to mtgs?

-----Original Message-----  
**From:** Farnsworth, Sarah S. [REDACTED]  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 17 20:32:16 2009  
**Subject:** Where are you?

I'm at summit- outside at lobby bar

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**From:** McDonough, Denis R. [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2009 11:50:18 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Out of Office AutoReply:

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Thanks for the message. I will have access to this email only sparingly until Monday. - Denis.

From KozlowskiTG@state.gov Fri Apr 17 23:37:50 2009

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From: "Kozlowski, Thomas G" <KozlowskiTG@state.gov>  
To: "habedin" <habedin@state.gov>

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Date: Fri, 17 Apr 2009 23:27:38 -0400  
Subject: Tonight

[REDACTED]

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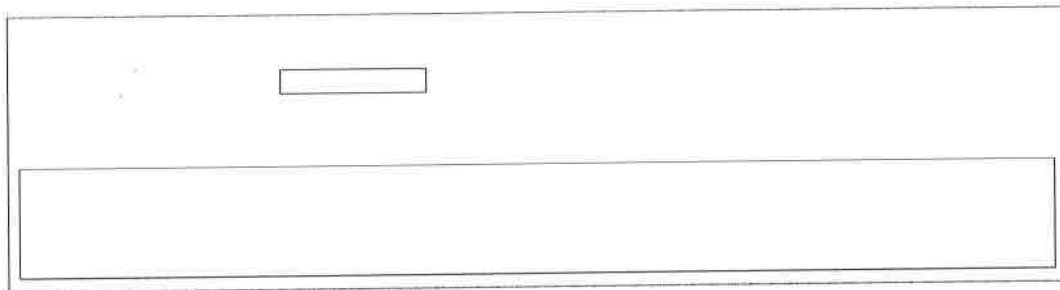
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**From:** Lukens, Lewis A [LukensLA@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 18, 2009 8:17:02 AM  
**To:** habediri [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** In case

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Any WH folks ask for a ride home. We are all full now except for 2 reserved seats at the table. Lew

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 8, 2009 4:06 PM  
**To:** humamabedi  
**Subject:** Fw: Colombian President Uribe has requested to speak to the Secretary

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Thank you!

**From:** Shannon, Thomas A  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Sat Aug 08 08:49:10 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Colombian President Uribe has requested to speak to the Secretary

Uribe travelled to several South American countries to explain the U.S.-Colombia negotiation of a Defense Cooperation Agreement. Chavez has painted this agreement, which includes access to Colombian airbases by U.S. aircraft, as a militarization of the region and a threat

Uribe will want to tell the Secretary what he accomplished, which was to blunt most of the criticism and win recognition that the negotiations are a bilateral issue between Colombia and the U.S. That said, he will probably highlight a very shaky environment in South America and a worry that hostility against him, Colombia, and the U.S. is just below the surface. (Ecuador's inauguration is Monday and that will be the next chance for South American leaders to gather and talk about regional issues. Because of the Ecuador-Colombia border dispute, Colombia is sending a vice foreign minister.)

In this regard, he will probably urge quick conclusion of the DCA. We have a team on the ground now and there is hope we can close the deal this month. This might require the Secretary to tell our negotiators that we want this done now...which would be best for everyone.

**From:** Abedin, Huma  
**To:** Shannon, Thomas A  
**Sent:** Sat Aug 08 07:09:48 2009  
**Subject:** Fw: Colombian President Uribe has requested to speak to the Secretary

Do you know about this? Anything she needs to know before she returns?

**From:** Carpenter-Rock, Jane H  
**To:** SES-O\_S-Calls  
**Sent:** Fri Aug 07 20:06:58 2009  
**Subject:** RE: Colombian President Uribe has requested to speak to the Secretary

The topic of the call is a read-out of President Uribe's recent travel in South America meeting with counterparts.

**Jane Carpenter-Rock**  
State Department Operations Center  
202-647-1512

**From:** Turner, Marybeth K  
**Sent:** Friday, August 07, 2009 7:02 PM  
**To:** SES-O\_S-Calls  
**Subject:** Colombian President Uribe has requested to speak to the Secretary

Colombian President Uribe has requested to speak to the Secretary at her earliest availability.

Regards,

Marybeth K. Turner  
Watch Officer, S/ES-O  
U.S. Department of State  
202-647-1512

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 1, 2009 6:15 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: Concerning American citizens in Israel

**From:** Macmanus, Joseph E  
**To:** 'blanca.jimenez@mail.house.gov' <blanca.jimenez@mail.house.gov>  
**Cc:** Abedin, Huma; S\_SpecialAssistants  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 01 18:11:56 2009  
**Subject:** Concerning American citizens in Israel

Congresswoman Waters:

Secretary Clinton asked that I send you the most recent update on the welfare and whereabouts of Cynthia McKinney.

Embassy officers met with Cynthia McKinney and her companions yesterday evening/early morning and again this afternoon. They were in good health and spirits and eager to return to the U.S.

The embassy confirms that the group underwent a brief judicial process at the immigration center in Holon yesterday. The embassy learned from the immigration officer responsible for deportations that the Americans and others who had been on the FGM vessel had not yet signed forms accepting their deportation, and refusal to do so would delay their departure. The immigration officer promised that they will have the opportunity to sign in the morning.

The three Americans were visited by an Embassy Consular Officer this afternoon and said they were ready to return, so it seems possible to resolve this discrepancy tomorrow. As of 4:30 p.m. EDT, they had been moved from the detention center at the airport to a center in the nearby town of Givon where there are accommodations for them to spend the night. Our Embassy officers will contact the lawyer in the morning and will visit them at Givon detention center. The Israeli immigration officer asked that she be informed of the visit so she can smooth the way. The embassy will remain in contact with the American citizens and report on them tomorrow morning.

I will report to you tomorrow when the embassy provides further updates.

Sincerely,  
Joe Macmanus  
Executive Assistant to Secretary Clinton

**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 3, 2009 6:41 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** PrintFw trip mtg readout  
**Attach:** pts for P reg docx

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**From:** Chollet, Derek H  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Zeya, Uzra S; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Cc:** Mills, Cheryl D; Rooney, Megan; Toiv, Nora F  
**Sent:** Wed Jun 03 18:37:48 2009  
**Subject:** RE: trip mtg readout

Here's a draft of some pts for Bill to use next week in Rome to preview S intervention at G8....these do not address specific deliverables but are more to frame the set of issues that S will drill down on during the Ministerial. Thoughts welcome.

Matt Stremlau will circulate tonight a draft graf on food security for Bill to take with him to get into the jt statement.

Thanks, derek

**From:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 03, 2009 6:14 PM  
**To:** Zeya, Uzra S; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Cc:** Mills, Cheryl D; Chollet, Derek H; Rooney, Megan; Toiv, Nora F  
**Subject:** Re: trip mtg readout

Thanks for the report. All sounds good. We also got eur memo on specific meeting requests so look forward to meeting monday.

**From:** Zeya, Uzra S  
**To:** Sullivan, Jacob J; Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Mills, Cheryl D; Chollet, Derek H; Rooney, Megan; Toiv, Nora F  
**Sent:** Wed Jun 03 13:15:44 2009  
**Subject:** trip mtg readout

Jake/Huma:

Here's a quick readout today of today's messaging meeting, with action items bolded; Cheryl would like to have a followup mtg on Monday.

G8 non-Af Pak portion:

-Cheryl stressed need to use the G8ministerial to [redacted] After some back and forth with P staff on issue of [redacted]

[redacted]

c) action: Derek will draft for P's use in Rome general bullets on what issues we expect S to emphasize, to include [redacted]

One frame for presenting these issues,

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suggested by Piper, was that S could highlight [REDACTED]  
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**Af-Pak portion:**

--there will likely be opportunity for a second S intervention in Trieste, during one of the opening Af-Pak sessions on 6/27. S/SRAP reps [REDACTED]

while we asked S/SRAP again for RCH's input, Cheryl thinks this will have to be addressed in a direct discussion between Jake and RCH.

--Italian planning for Af-Pak portion remains sketchy; up to 42 dels may be there; they won't circulate a more definitive program before next week at earliest; no word yet on how IDPs and other priority issues will be incorporated into agenda.

**Corfu:**

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2009 1:41 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** PrintFw. Trieste AfPak RSVP List  
**Attach:** Lista Paesi e livello di partecipazione.doc

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**From:** Zeya, Uzra S  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Fri Jun 19 12:49:13 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Trieste AfPak RSVP List

Here's the list of confirmed participants for g8 afpak mtgs, mostly at FM level (including India), though Saudis, China, and Kazakhstan are sending DFMs or State Secretaries, and Iran has not confirmed attendance.

**From:** Kromash, Neil S  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2009 12:01 PM  
**To:** Zeya, Uzra S; Takats, Sarah O  
**Subject:** FW: Trieste AfPak RSVP List

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**From:** Kent, Virginia E  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2009 11:33 AM  
**To:** Guest, C Colin; Hanrahan, Karen J; LaVine, Christopher M; Kromash, Neil S  
**Cc:** Wasley, Liam J  
**Subject:** Trieste AfPak RSVP List

Just got this out of the AfPak office of the MFA – they have confirmed participation at the level indicated for the delegations listed on the attachment.

They are awaiting confirmations from Iran and Turkmenistan. Turkmenistan will not leave the chair open but apparently no one from the capital can attend, so they are looking at an Ambassador level.

Regards,  
**Virginia Kent**  
Political Officer  
U.S. Embassy Rome  
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France	Minister of Foreign Affairs
Germany	Minister of Foreign Affairs
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USA	Secretary of State
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India	Minister of Foreign Affairs
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Denmark	Minister of Foreign Affairs
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FAO	Assistant Director General (Technical Cooperation Department)
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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 23, 2009 1:59 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** PrintFw. Revised START letter  
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**From:** Verma, Richard R  
**To:** Sullivan, Jacob J; Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Tue Jun 23 13:58:43 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Revised START letter

Do you think the Secretary will have a chance to review this letter? If you don't think she needs too, then disregard the request. I need to hand-carry a signed copy to a meeting with Senator Kyl at 5:00 today.

**From:** Verma, Richard R  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 23, 2009 1:45 PM  
**To:** Steinberg, James B; Sullivan, Jacob J; Mills, Cheryl D  
**Subject:** FW: Revised START letter

This is what we'd like to go with as a response to Kyl. We have done research on the past practice and precedent

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Dear Senators Byrd and Kyl:

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**DECISION No. 897  
AGENDA FOR THE 2009 HUMAN DIMENSION  
IMPLEMENTATION MEETING**

The Permanent Council,

Recalling Decision No. 476 (PC.DEC/476) of 23 May 2002, on the modalities for OSCE meetings on human dimension issues,

Further recalling the provisions of the Helsinki Document 1992, Chapter I and Chapter VI, paragraph (9),

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Decides to adopt the agenda for the 2009 Human Dimension Implementation Meeting as set out in the annex

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## **AGENDA FOR THE 2009 HUMAN DIMENSION IMPLEMENTATION MEETING**

Warsaw, 28 September to 9 October 2009

### **Monday, 28 September 2009**

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m.      Opening plenary session
- 1–3 p.m.              Break
- 3–6 p.m.              Working session 1: Rule of law I, including:
- Legislative transparency;
  - Independence of the judiciary;
  - Right to a fair trial;
  - Follow-up of the 2009 Human Dimension Seminar on Strengthening the Rule of Law in the OSCE Area, with a Specific Focus on the Effective Administration of Justice.

### **Tuesday, 29 September 2009**

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m.      Working session 2: Fundamental freedoms I, including
- Freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief;
  - Follow-up of the 2009 Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting on Freedom of Religion or Belief.
- 1–3 p.m.              Break
- 3–6 p.m.              Working session 3: Fundamental freedoms II, including.
- Freedom of assembly and association,
  - Freedom of movement;
  - National human rights institutions and the role of civil society in the protection of human rights.

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**Wednesday, 30 September 2009**

- 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Working session 4: Rule of law II, including.
- Exchange of views on the question of abolition of capital punishment;
  - Prevention of torture;
  - Protection of human rights and fighting terrorism
- 1-3 p.m. Break
- 3-6 p.m. Working session 5: Tolerance and non-discrimination I, including:
- Address by the OSCE High Commissioner on National Minorities;
  - National minorities;
  - Preventing aggressive nationalism, racism and chauvinism.

**Thursday, 1 October 2009**

- 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Working session 6: Humanitarian issues and other commitments I, including:
- Trafficking in human beings;
  - Implementation of the OSCE Action Plan to Combat Trafficking in Human Beings.
- 1-3 p.m. Break
- 3-6 p.m. Working session 7: Tolerance and non-discrimination II, including:
- Equality of opportunity for women and men;
  - Implementation of the OSCE Action Plan for the Promotion of Gender Equality;
  - Prevention of violence against women.

**Friday, 2 October 2009**

- 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Working Session 8 (specifically selected topic): Human rights education
- 1-3 p.m. Break
- 3-6 p.m. Working session 9 (specifically selected topic): Human rights education (continued)

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**Monday, 5 October 2009**

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m. Working session 10: Tolerance and non-discrimination II (continued).
- Review of the implementation of commitments, promotion of mutual respect and understanding
- Prevention and response to hate crimes in the OSCE area;
  - Follow-up of the 2009 Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting on Hate Crimes – Effective Implementation of Legislation;
  - Combating racism, xenophobia, and discrimination, also focusing on intolerance and discrimination against Christians and members of other religions;
  - Combating anti-Semitism;
  - Combating intolerance and discrimination against Muslims.
- 1–3 p.m. Break
- 3–6 p.m. Working session 11: Humanitarian issues and other commitments II, including
- Migrant workers, the integration of legal migrants;
  - Refugees and displaced persons;
  - Treatment of citizens of other participating States

**Tuesday, 6 October 2009**

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m. Working session 12 (specifically selected topic): Freedom of expression, free media and information
- 1–3 p.m. Break
- 3–6 p.m. Working session 13 (specifically selected topic): Freedom of expression, free media and information (continued)

**Wednesday, 7 October 2009**

- 10 a.m.–1 p.m. Working session 14 (specifically selected topic): Roma/Sinti and, in particular, early education for Roma and Sinti children
- 1–3 p.m. Break
- 3–6 p.m. Working session 15 (specifically selected topic): Roma/Sinti and, in particular, early education for Roma and Sinti children (continued)

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**Thursday, 8 October 2009**

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Working session 16: Discussion of human dimension activities (with special emphasis on project work), including:

- Presentation of activities of the ODIHR and other OSCE institutions and field operations to implement priorities and tasks contained in the OSCE decisions and other documents.

1-3 p.m. Break

3-6 p.m. Working session 17. Democratic institutions, including:

- Democratic elections;
- Democracy at the national, regional and local levels,
- Citizenship and political rights.

**Friday, 9 October 2009**

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Closing reinforced plenary session (reinforced by the participation of human rights directors, OSCE ambassadors, heads of OSCE institutions):

- Any other business;
- Closing.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
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**Subject:** Print Fw: Sargisian Call and French FM Call Sheet  
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**From:** Syed, Zia S  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** S\_SpecialAssistants; Macmanus, Joseph E  
**Sent:** Wed Aug 19 17:57:55 2009  
**Subject:** Sargisian Call and French FM Call Sheet

Huma, EUR is asking if the Secretary intends to make a call to Armenian President Sargisian. As you recall, the topic is a joint statement with Turkey on normalizing relations. EUR will also ask the Secretary to call Turkish FM Davutoglu after calling Sargisian, and will draft that call sheet after getting the readout from the Armenian President call. Finally, see attached for the unclassified call sheet for Kouchner.

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 20, 2009 5:35 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: S points for Bermudan Governor and Premier  
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**From:** Beale, Courtney A Kramer  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** S\_SpecialAssistants; Macmanus, Joseph E  
**Sent:** Thu Aug 20 17:34:36 2009  
**Subject:** S points for Bermudan Governor and Premier

Hi Huma,

Attached and copied below are EUR's points for the Secretary's meetings with the Governor and Premier. The points [REDACTED] have been coordinated with Dan Fried's office. [REDACTED]

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The Honorable

Christopher J. Dodd,  
United States Senate.

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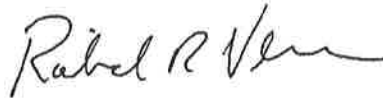
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**From:** Syed, Zia S  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Thu Sep 17 07:20:02 2009  
**Subject:** Call sheet for Sikorski

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**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** Fw: Af trip

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**From:** Bommer, Ashley F  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Pauli, Rosemarie; 'holbrooker@state.gov' <holbrooker@state.gov>; Mills, Cheryl D; Reines, Philippe I; Sullivan, Jacob J; Crowley, Philip J  
**Sent:** Tue Nov 10 15:48:25 2009  
**Subject:** Af trip

Hi Huma,

Ambassador Holbrooke mentioned that I should get in touch with you regarding the trip. I am at your disposal and ready to assist in any way you want. Here are the building blocks we envisage, in no particular order (note that RCH recommends [redacted])

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 12, 2009 12:33 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: 11/12 Senior Staff and Assistant Secretaries Meetings

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**From:** Smith, Daniel B  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Thu Nov 12 11:17:49 2009  
**Subject:** 11/12 Senior Staff and Assistant Secretaries Meetings

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Somalia

- Jack noted there will be a meeting today on Somalia – still trying to find a way forward on the humanitarian assistance issue.

Deputies Meeting with Defense

- Jack noted two things coming out of the State/DoD Deputies meeting:
  1. The Italian rendition case remains a very sore subject at DoD.
  2. [REDACTED]

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Senator Lugar

- Jack reported that his meeting with Senator Lugar had gone well and the Senator had agreed to lift his hold on agricultural assistance to Afghanistan. Lugar's staff, however, expressed continuing concern over reports that USDA might charge substantial overhead on money flowing to the Afghan Ministry of Agriculture.

START

- Bill said he would be sending a note to the Secretary once he had a fuller readout of Embassy Moscow's discussions with the Russians on post-START.

Management Issues

- The President will announce Honolulu as the site of the 2011 APEC Summit. Estimated cost = \$120 million. [REDACTED]

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- The Peace Corps, in order to begin operations in Indonesia, has requested official passports for their employees there, a departure from past practice. Pat is prepared to grant an exemption, since there seems no other way to start the program.
- Story in yesterday's NY Times alleging that Blackwater is paying bribes to foreign officials. Pat wanted to note, for the record, that we did encourage them to make "condolence" payments to families of those injured or killed by Blackwater employees, but not bribes.
- A school teacher arrested in Texas for pedophilia had taught previously at the international school in Curacao. The teacher had passed all the background checks. We are investigating if he did anything while in Curacao.
- We have been granted an extension of the OMB-mandated requirement that we complete our end of year audit within 45 days of the end of the fiscal year. Could not be done in time, especially given conditions under which we are operating in places like Afghanistan.

#### Congressional Issues

- H reported that Raj Shah has a December 1 hearing date and could possibly make the December 8 business meeting.
- There is a hearing on the UK and Australia Defense Trade Treaties tentatively scheduled for December 1.
- Tom Shannon met with Senator LeMieux who submitted a number of QFRs. Hope is that he will lift his hold once those are answered.
- Jack noted that he will go to Camp Atterbury in Indiana next week. Senator Lugar said he had already been and did not want to go again, but Jack wonders if others from the Hill should perhaps accompany him.

#### Legal Issues

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#### Public Affairs

- PA expects questions on Afghanistan and Honduras, especially after the unhelpful article in the Washington Post based on an interview with Zelaya. At the subsequent meeting, Arturo Valenzuela noted that the article was misleading and that there is more progress than it suggests. PA agreed they would address the issue during the daily briefing.
- NY Times is working on another Blackwater story regarding the investigation by PM into allegations of export control violations by the firm.

#### Assistant Secretaries Meeting – Highlights

#### IO

- There will be a number of human rights resolutions considered in the UN General Assembly, including one on Iran. IO said they may need help defeating the no-action motion and getting sufficient votes to approve the resolution.

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- Eric raised a number of issues:

1. He will travel [REDACTED] this weekend to Iraq to look at refugee returns, following by stops in Jordan and Syria. Jim urged him to raise with Iraqi officials the issue of external voting by refugees without which many will question the legitimacy of upcoming elections.
2. Estimated number of IDPs in Yemen has reached 200,000. PRM is on top of the situation.
3. We are seeing increased IDP returns in Sri Lanka.
4. The stories out of the Democratic Republic of the Congo on IDPs are increasingly bad. There are indications that the camp the Secretary visited had been cleaned out in a "very nasty" way.

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- Greek and FYROM (Macedonian) representatives will meet in Brussels on the name issue.

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- Johnnie noted that a large delegation from Angola will be in town next week for the follow-up to the strategic dialogue the Secretary announced during her recent stop there. Key focus will be energy and hydrocarbons, and security and military issues.

**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, November 16, 2009 4:42 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Para on Civ-Mil cooperation for S

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**From:** Moy, Kin W  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Piechowski, Jon E; Lucas, Laura D  
**Sent:** Mon Nov 16 16:38:59 2009  
**Subject:** Fw: Para on Civ-Mil cooperation for S

Huma,

Below is background on civ-mil coop briefing. Plane team can print out for you and place in your folder

**From:** Montgomery, Molly C  
**To:** Moy, Kin W  
**Sent:** Mon Nov 16 13:45:06 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Para on Civ-Mil cooperation for S

Background on proposed Civ-Mil briefing.

**From:** Fite, Nina M  
**Sent:** Monday, November 16, 2009 11:00 PM  
**To:** Montgomery, Molly C  
**Cc:** Wayne, E Anthony; Messenger, Jane S; Alvarado, Victoria A; Fite, Nina M  
**Subject:** Para on Civ-Mil cooperation for S

The briefing on civilian-military integration will focus on how we are working in Afghanistan to build and sustain cooperation across agency lines both among civilians and between civilian and military personnel. This cooperation covers a wide range of subject areas including security, human and economic development, governance and communications and information activities. We are building and sustaining this cooperation at the national, provincial, and district levels. It will lead off with an explanation of the Embassy/US Forces Afghanistan Integrated Civ-Mil Campaign Plan and the mechanisms through which the Campaign Plan is honed and implemented at the national level, followed by discussion of the field structure from the regional command to the district level, and the role of civilian development efforts in a counterinsurgency situation. It will conclude with a roundtable with Provincial Reconstruction Team (PRT) members. While this briefing will focus on how we are structuring USG cooperation, we are working to build close cooperation with other donor nations and the Afghans at every level of operation, and our vital goal is to build Afghan capacity to assume responsibility for Afghanistan's security, to provide more effective governance and to lead sustained development efforts with the support of international donors.

Nina Maria Fite  
Deputy Economic Counselor  
U.S. Embassy, Kabul, Afghanistan  
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Kabul is 9½ hours ahead of Eastern Standard Time;  
Formal workweek is Sunday through Thursday,  
with Saturday being a limited work day.*

**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 29, 2009 10:04 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: Info on Bisa Williams' trip to Cuba for possible call with Senator Menendez

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**From:** Bulgrin, Julie K  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Verma, Richard R  
**Cc:** Shannon, Thomas A  
**Sent:** Tue Sep 29 21:55:30 2009  
**Subject:** Info on Bisa Williams' trip to Cuba for possible call with Senator Menendez

Huma,

Below you will find a quick synopsis of Bisa Williams' interaction with the Hill regarding her recent trip to Cuba. It is followed by suggested points for a possible call with Senator Menendez. WHA will include a copy of the classified cable that outlines the recent Cuba trip in the Secretary's NYC read folder. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact H or WHA.

Thanks,  
Julie

Julie K. Bulgrin  
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Bureau of Legislative Affairs  
U.S. Department of State  
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#### WHA Deputy Assistant Secretary Williams' Meetings in Cuba Establishment of Direct Mail and other Bilateral Topic

**CONTEXT:** On Friday, September 25, Acting WHA DAS Bisa Williams briefed interested SFRC staff on the mail talks with Cuba via conference call. The conversation focused on what was discussed at the direct mail talks. Because she was unable to discuss her entire trip, Legislative Affairs sent a follow-up email the same day offering staff who participated in the phone call another call to discuss the non-direct mail activities. Senator Bill Nelson's staff positively replied, but a time has not yet been established for the follow-up call. Senator Menendez's staffer did not reply to the email.

Bisa Williams also briefed HFAC staff on the direct mail talks with Cuba. At the end of her readout of the talks, DAS Williams had time to discuss the rest of her trip. DAS Williams toured the postal facilities, including a training facility for their postal service. She had an opportunity to travel outside Havana, which included a trip to the international medical school and to a village that was devastated during last year's hurricane season. DAS Williams hosted a luncheon for a broad cross-section of human rights activists, dissidents, former political prisoners, and independent journalists and teachers (15 total), and she also described a visit she had with four independent Cuban bloggers who do not consider themselves "dissidents" but are treated as such by the Government of Cuba. She also visited the University of Havana to press further on the ability for Cuban students to participate in our educational scholarship programs. Lastly, she attended the Juanes concert for peace where she spoke with Cuban citizens about the impressions on the importance of the concert. Staff generally seemed pleased with the briefing and asked the Department to provide updates on Cuba as

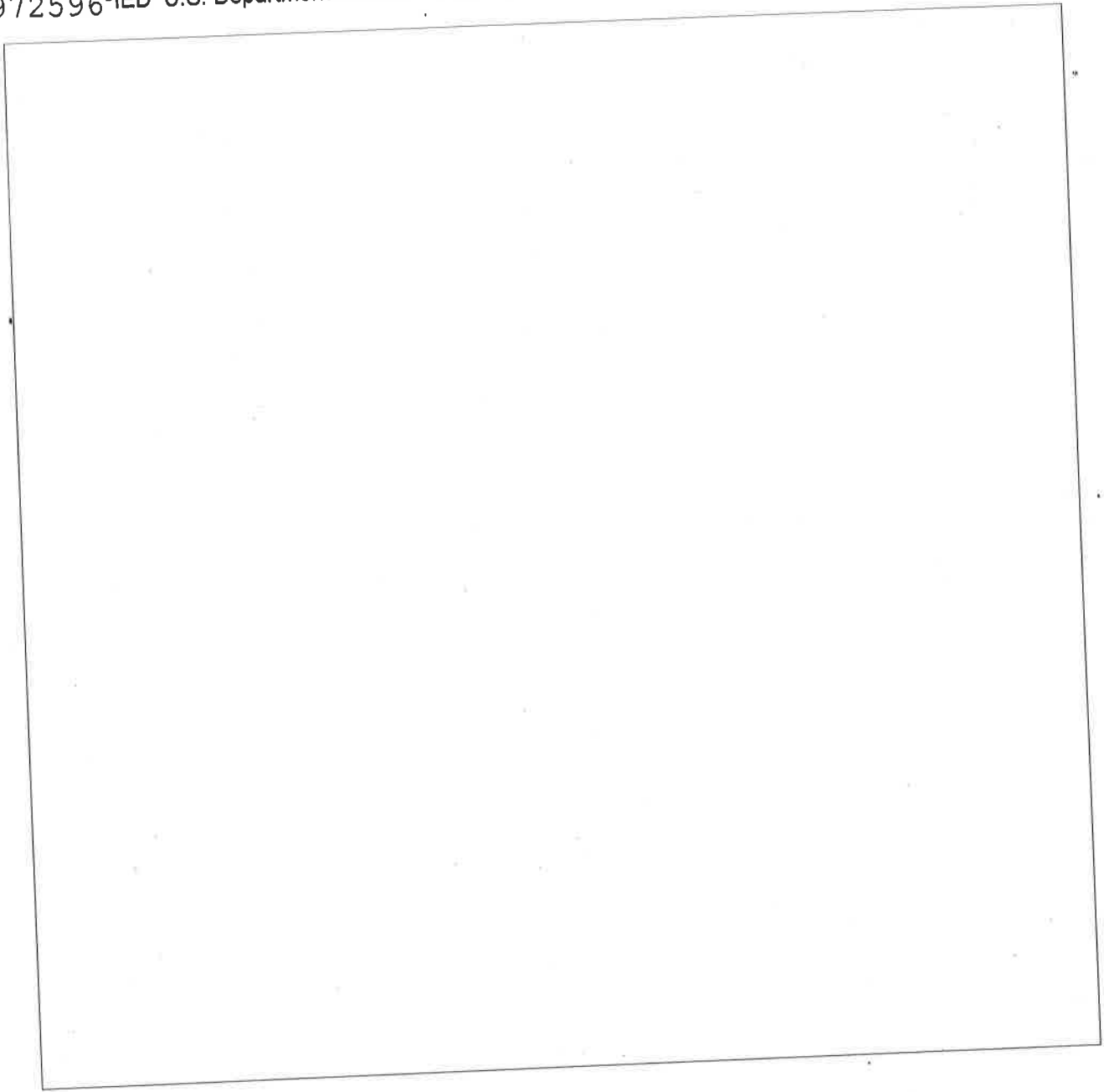
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needed.

On Tuesday, September 29, 2009, staff for Senator Menendez contacted DAS Williams and Legislative Affairs staff regarding an article he read that reported on Ms. Williams' trip to Cuba. He relayed Senator Menendez's anger that he had not been briefed on the entire trip.

**SUGGESTED POINTS FOR SENATOR MENENDEZ**

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**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: for S  
**Attach:** Thoughts on Afghanistan 10.1.09.docx

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**From:** Slaughter, Anne-Marie  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Thu Oct 01 19:17:24 2009  
**Subject:** for S

I will not be at the 3 hour session on Afghanistan tomorrow. It kills me not to be there, but this is exactly what I gave up when I volunteered to take on the QDDR. And indeed I have meetings with all the QDDR co-chairs tomorrow. Still, like all of us, I have been wrestling with what we should do in Afghanistan for the past month. This morning I finally figured out what I thought, and wrote it up in the attached 2 pages. [REDACTED]

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rate, I want to make sure that this perspective is heard.  
AM

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To: S

From: Anne-Marie

Re: Thoughts on what we should do in Afghanistan

Date: 10/1/09

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**Sent:** Sunday, October 4, 2009 7:07 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: U.S. interests in Pak Paper 10-04  
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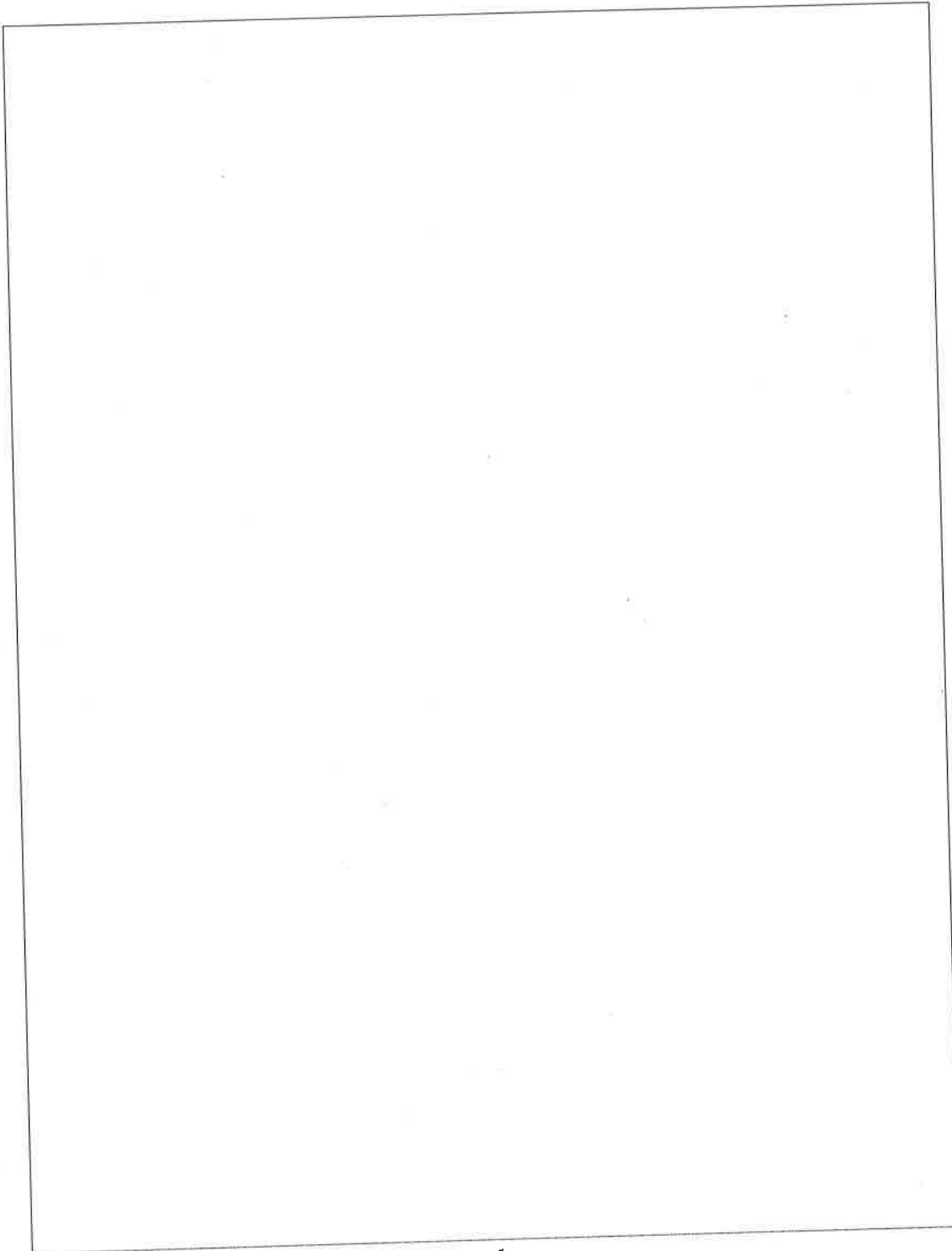
**From:** Jones, Paul W  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Sun Oct 04 19:01:02 2009  
**Subject:** FW: U.S. interests in Pak Paper 10-04

Huma  
Pls find attached the full, main Pakistan memo. Best, Paul

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 14, 2009 3:30 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** Print Fw. Health Care Update

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**From:** Rodriguez, Miguel E  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Sullivan, Jacob J; Abedin, Huma; Toiv, Nora F  
**Cc:** Verma, Richard R  
**Sent:** Wed Oct 14 08:32:43 2009  
**Subject:** Health Care Update

With the Finance Committee approving its health care overhaul legislation yesterday, the hard work of merging the Senate Finance and HELP Committee bills begins in earnest. The public option is the best-known, and probably the most difficult, of the issues Majority Leader Reid, Finance Chair Baucus and former Acting HELP Chairman Dodd must tackle. The Finance bill does not include a public option; the HELP bill does. If Reid leaves the public option out, he will anger the party's liberal base and face an amendment on the floor to include it. But if he includes the public option, he will likely lose Senator Snowe's support along with that of a few centrist Democrats.

But there are other potential stumbling blocks, not least of which are provisions regarding employers. The HELP bill would require most employers, except for those with fewer than 25 workers, to provide insurance to their employees and pay 60 percent of premiums or face a penalty of up to \$750 per worker. The Finance bill does not explicitly require employers to provide insurance, but it would require employers who do not provide insurance to pay a portion of any subsidy their workers receive to buy insurance. The U.S. Chamber of Commerce and other business groups frown on both approaches. And liberals worry that the Finance measure would cause employers to avoid hiring low-income people who would be eligible for insurance subsidies.

Other differences between the two bills could also emerge as major obstacles during negotiations. The HELP bill would give the Food and Drug Administration authority to approve generic competitors to biologics. The policy enjoys bipartisan support, but many liberals would like to give biologics manufacturers less protection against competitors than the HELP bill would afford them.

The HELP bill also includes a proposal to create a new government insurance program for long-term care. Democrats say that the program would be funded from its own premiums, and the CBO says that it would save the government about \$58 billion over its first 10 years, because it would pay out less in benefits than it would receive in premiums. But Republicans say the program would eventually become unaffordable while providing only a modest benefit.

Reid, Dodd and Baucus also will have to negotiate a more obscure issue: how much insurers should be allowed to charge older customers. The HELP bill allows insurers to charge older people only twice as much as they charge their youngest customers; the Finance bill limits "age rating" to four times what the young pay. AARP prefers the HELP approach. But lowering the maximum age rating would likely lead insurers to charge young customers more – increasing concerns about the affordability of insurance.

Dodd said he was optimistic the merger discussions would "go well" but declined to comment on how long he expected them to take or on what he expected the outcome to be, other than to say, "It's going to be a merger, not an acquisition, so we're in good shape."

Below please find the President's remarks following yesterday's vote by the Finance Committee:

#### REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT

#### ON THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE'S VOTE

#### TO APPROVE HEALTH INSURANCE REFORM

Rose Garden

5:11 P.M. EDT

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THE PRESIDENT: Good afternoon. Today we reached a critical milestone in our effort to reform our health care system. After many months of thoughtful deliberation, the fifth and final committee responsible for health care reform has passed a proposal that has both Democratic and Republican support. This effort was made possible by the tireless efforts of Chairman Max Baucus and the other members of the Senate Finance Committee. It's a product of vigorous debate and difficult negotiations:

After the consideration of hundreds of amendments, it includes ideas from both Democrats and Republicans, which is why it enjoys the support of people from both parties. And I want to particularly thank Senator Olympia Snowe for both the political courage and the seriousness of purpose that she's demonstrated throughout this process.

Now, this bill is not perfect and we have a lot of difficult work ahead of us. There are still significant details and disagreements to be worked out over the next several weeks as the five separate bills from the Senate and the House are merged into one proposal. But I do believe the work of the Senate Finance Committee has brought us significantly closer to achieving the core objectives I laid out early in September.

Most importantly, this bill goes a long way towards offering security to those who have insurance, and affordable options for those who don't. It reins in some of the worst practices of the insurance industry, like the denial of coverage due to preexisting conditions. It also sets up an insurance exchange that will make coverage affordable for those who don't currently have it. And as the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office has certified, it will slow the growth of health care costs in the long term and it will not add a penny to our deficit.

The committee's progress over the past several weeks is the culmination of work by all five committees and numerous members of Congress over the better part of this year. We've reached out to stakeholders across the spectrum -- doctors and nurses, businesses and workers, hospitals and even drug companies. And we've considered a wide variety of ideas and proposals in an effort to find common ground.

As a result of these efforts, we are now closer than ever before to passing health reform. But we're not there yet. Now is not the time to pat ourselves on the back. Now is not the time to offer ourselves congratulations. Now is the time to dig in and work even harder to get this done. And in this final phase, I hope that we will continue to engage each other with the spirit of civility and seriousness that has brought us this far and that this subject deserves.

I commend the Chairman and the committee's members for their achievement and the example that they've set, and I look forward to continue to work with Congress in the weeks ahead. We are going to get this done.

Thank you very much, everybody.

END 5:15 P.M. EDT

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 11, 2009 10:12 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: Letter from Senator Baucus  
**Attach:** 2009\_11\_09\_17\_07\_26.pdf

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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**To:** 'H' <HDR22@clintonemail.com>  
**Cc:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Wed Nov 11 09:17:57 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Senator Baucus

HRC:

Here is background on the letter from Baucus and the anticipated response prepared by H.

Take a look and see if you want to go in a different direction.

Including the background below so you have the context for the letter.

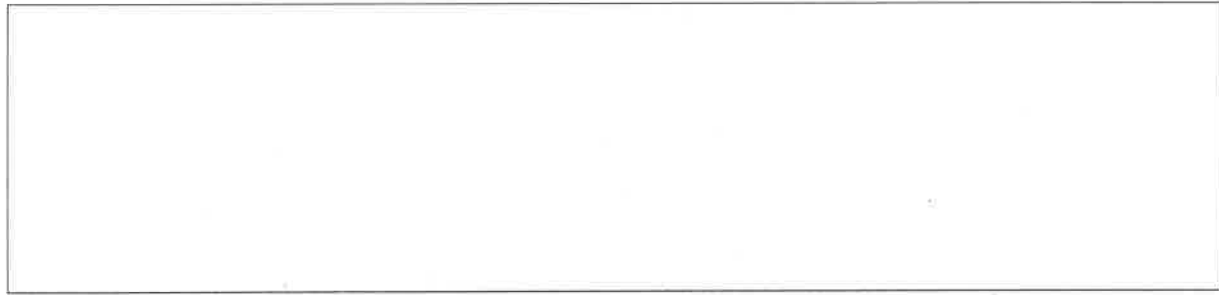
**From:** Jacobson, Roberta S  
**To:** Toiv, Nora F  
**Cc:** Sheaffer, Gary L; Nolan, Edwin R  
**Sent:** Tue Nov 10 13:12:52 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Letter from Senator Baucus

Nora: I'm responding on Tom's behalf. We've drafted up a letter in response, and I believe it's with H right now.

We've had a near-constant dialogue with Baucus' office on this, and I'm afraid we haven't been able to, and aren't likely in the near future, to satisfy them.

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I hope that helps, and sorry for slightly long-winded explanation. The draft response to Baucus is on the high side, and please let me know if you have any further questions or concerns. Many thanks, Roberta

*Roberta S. Jacobson  
Deputy Assistant Secretary  
Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs  
Department of State  
(202)-647-8387*

SBU  
This email is UNCLASSIFIED.

**From:** Tolv, Nora F  
**Sent:** Monday, November 09, 2009 5:09 PM  
**To:** Shannon, Thomas A  
**Subject:** Letter from Senator Baucus

Hi Tom. I don't think you ever followed back up on this. Can you let me know how we can address his concerns? Thanks.

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MAX BAUCUS  
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WASHINGTON, DC 20510-2002

October 22, 2009

The Honorable Hillary Rodham Clinton  
Secretary  
Department of State  
2201 C Street NW  
Washington, District of Columbia 20520

Dear Secretary Clinton:

I write to request your help with bi-lateral negotiations with Canada on a significant environmental issue in Montana. During your confirmation process we spoke about the need to engage with Canada to find a permanent way to protect the natural resources in the North Fork of the Flathead River which drains into northwestern Montana.

I appreciate your mentioning the need to address this issue to Canadian Foreign Minister Cannon at the June 2009 commemoration of the International Boundary Waters Treaty. I know that your team met on September 11<sup>th</sup> with the Canadian government but that the scope of the meeting was focused solely on the environmental review process for mining proposals in British Columbia and Canada and that no next steps were identified.

Following Interior Secretary Salazar's visit to Montana in August—a trip I hope you will make soon—we are working together on a plan to engage Canada in negotiations on this topic over the next five months. I hope this can be a joint effort with Interior and the State Department, but I need your leadership to make this a priority, assign one of your senior staff to take on this task, and work together to get bi-lateral talks started this year.

Sincerely,





**From:** Abedin, Huma [AbedinH@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 29, 2009 4:47:11 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** FW: S call to UNSYG

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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 29, 2009 7:34 PM  
**To:** Jones, Paul W; 'HolbrookeR@state.gov'; Nasr, S Vall R; Wohlers, Paul; Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** SSRAP\_StaffAssistants  
**Subject:** Re: S call to UNSYG

Adding Huma. She has agreed to do the call. Holbrooke should review points.

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**From:** Jones, Paul W  
**To:** Sullivan, Jacob J; Holbrooke, Richard; Nasr, S Vall R; Wohlers, Paul  
**Cc:** SSRAP\_StaffAssistants  
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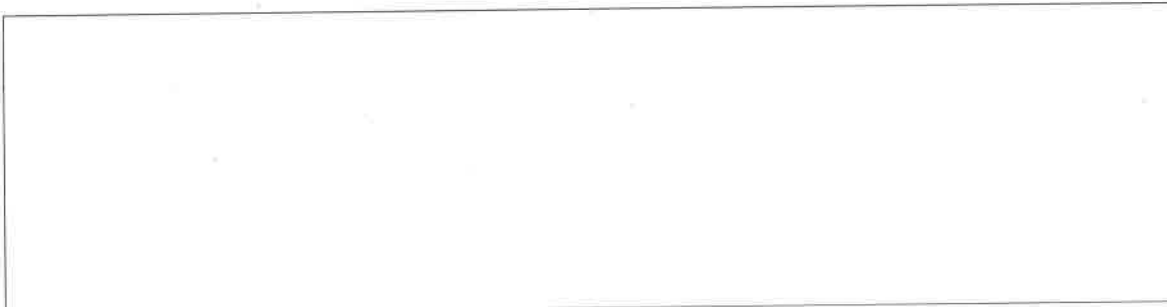
Richard, Jake,

Attached, as well as pasted below, are points for a call we recommend the Secretary make to UNSYG on yesterday's bombing. The President is sending a letter. Amb Ricciardone, USUN and IO concur.

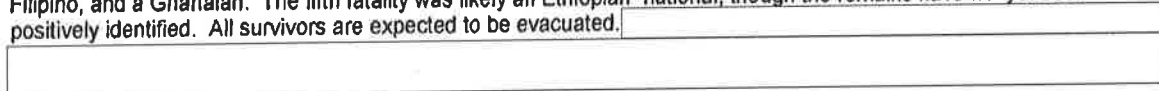
Staff team - pls also put this in normal channels. Best, Paul

The Secretary's Call Sheet for UN Secretary General Ban Ki-Moon  
Thursday, October 29, 2009

Purpose of Call: to offer condolences in the wake of the attack on a Guest House used by UN staff in Kabul that killed five UN employees and wounded nine.



Background: 17 of the 25 UN residents at the Guest House attacked October 28 worked for UNDP. Two of the five killed worked for UNDP-ELECT. An American was among those killed. The confirmed deceased also included a Liberian, a Filipino, and a Ghanaian. The fifth fatality was likely an Ethiopian national, though the remains have not yet been positively identified. All survivors are expected to be evacuated.



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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY

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From: Philippe & Caroline

Date: December 22, 2009

Re: NYT/Mark Landler Interview re: Shanghai Expo

Madame Secretary,

A Hong Kong based reporter with *The New York Times* is writing a piece about the Shanghai Pavilion and would like to include your efforts on its behalf. So on Wednesday, you will speak with Mark Landler for this story. We connected Kris Balderston with Landler, and here are Kris's notes:

Mark Landler spoke to Jose Villarreal (the Commissioner General), Elizabeth and me in the last two days. Mark seems to be going down the same road with all three of us. At first he knew very little about the actual Expo but now he seems focused on the Secretary's role in bringing the USA Pavilion back to life. We all agreed that he seems to be writing a favorable story.

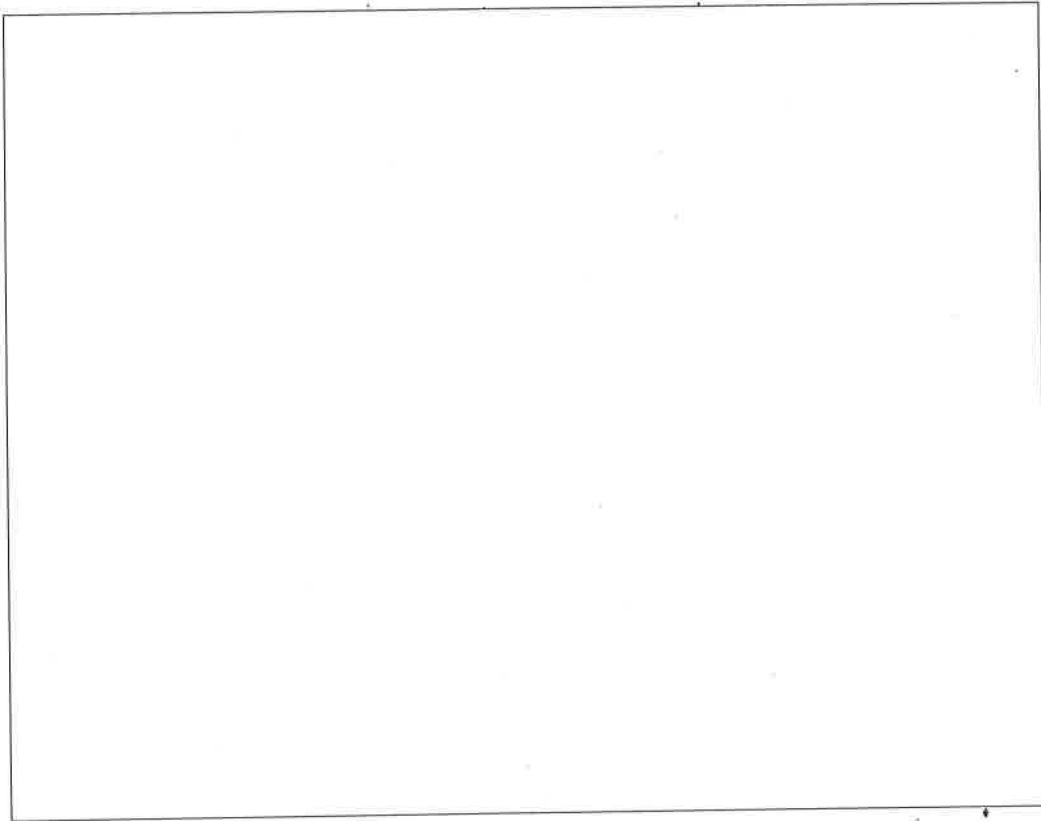
He specifically wanted to know about her role and whether her "political" background helped her get there (as opposed to a more traditional foreign affairs "career" Secretary). We thought that her political side helped her immediately recognize that she had a real problem with the Chinese that needed to be fixed immediately. As a problem-solving politico, she immediately went to work to fix it.

He also wanted to know if she used the WJC/HRC rolodex to raise money. We said no and noted that all of the money is being raised in the business community and not by individuals. She did not go to her political fund-raising base. We did not mention it but it is interesting that many of the early big sponsors were NY based companies like GE (\$5M), Pepsi (\$5M), Corning, Cummins, Deloitte, NYSE, and Pfizer.

He asked if S made individual calls to CEO's and we noted (as recommended by L), the only general "asks" were done on conference calls or in large groups. We also noted that she never really "asked" for sponsorships, instead she stressed the importance of getting a formidable USA presence at the Shanghai Expo that is so important to the Chinese and will attract 70 million people. This could be the largest event in human history and will go from May 1 to October 31, 2010.

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Here are your remarks from last month:

Remarks at USA Pavilion at Shanghai Expo  
Shanghai, China  
November 16, 2009

Thank you. Thank you so much. Well, good morning, and let me tell you how pleased I am to be here with all of you in the rain, which means good fortune. I thank the vice mayor for his very kind words. And to all of our Chinese friends who are here today, we are very grateful for your support of this pavilion.

I want to thank Ken Jarrett and the USA Pavilion Board of Directors. I wish to thank Mr. Yang Xiong, our executive vice mayor. I want to thank Ms. Zhong Yanqun, vice chair. Mr. Hong Hao, director general, Ms. Wu, deputy director general, and our friend who is the Chinese ambassador to the United States, Ambassador Zhou Wenzhong. Thanks also to U.S. Commissioner General Jose Villarreal, to our Consul General Beatrice Camp, to Ambassador Elizabeth Bagley and Kris Balderston from our Global Partnerships in the State Department, and to Ellen Eliasoph and the U.S. Pavilion team. Thanks to all of you.

And there are a number of corporate representatives here who I would like to acknowledge, because without your financial support, this magnificent USA Pavilion behind me would not be possible. Our global sponsors, PepsiCo, General Electric Corporation, and Chevron; our newest sponsors, Proctor and Gamble,

Yum! Brands, Honeywell, Intel, Pfizer, and Qualcomm, and I want to note a special sponsor, Boeing, which has just agreed to double its contribution to \$2 million to support this effort. We're grateful for your generosity and your steadfast belief in the importance of the expo, the American role here, and what this USA Pavilion can do to strengthen cooperation and partnership between the American people and the people of China.

It is very fitting that this expo will be here in Shanghai, one of the most dynamic and cosmopolitan cities in the world. I'm pleased to be here with President Obama and to be back in China after my first trip here as Secretary of State earlier this year. This USA Pavilion will showcase American innovation, it will demonstrate the kind of values that America holds dear – freedom, diversity, teamwork, creativity – and it will be built around the theme "Better Cities and Better Lives."

I understand there will even be a story told in 4-D. I know there are some in the audience who are still contemplating sponsorship or who may be in negotiations with the USA Pavilion team. Now is the time to join this effort. We want to assemble the strongest team of partners possible. I look forward to returning next summer to see for myself what our pavilion looks like and to tour the magnificent Expo grounds.

There's a famous American movie called Field of Dreams. And in it, the hero, played by Kevin Costner, builds a baseball field at his remote farm. A lot of people tell him what he's doing doesn't make any sense, they think it's a big risk, but he loves baseball, and he has faith that he can build something that will be meaningful. And during his project which so many people criticize, he keeps hearing "If you build it, they will come."

Well, ladies and gentlemen, we believe the same. **We are building it, and we believe that when the Expo opens in 166 days, 70 million people will come.** And with this rain today, maybe 100 million people, with even greater good fortune, will come. Thank you all very much. (Applause.) Thank you.

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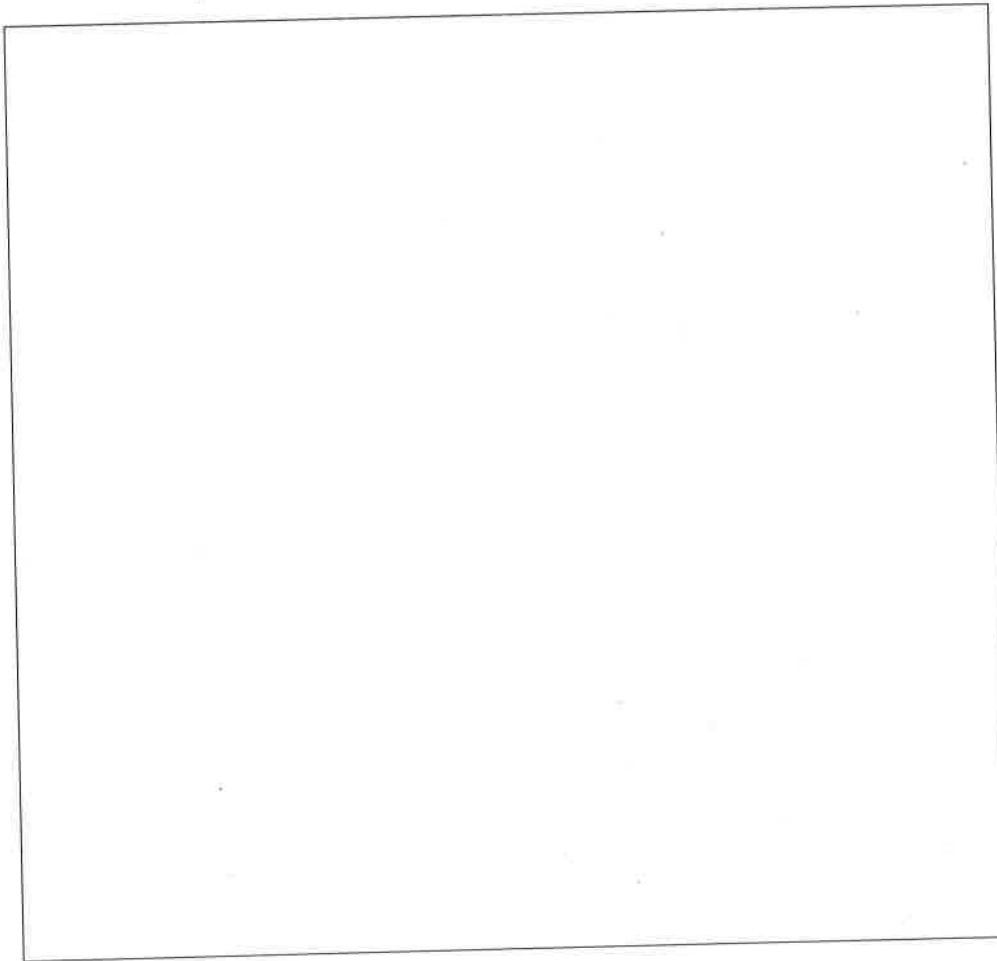
Date: December 22, 2009

Re: Time Magazine/Liz Rubin Interview re: SecDef Gates

Madame Secretary,

On Wednesday - at the request of Secretary Gates's office - you will be interviewed by Liz Rubin of the NYT Magazine for a 5,000 cover story she is writing about him for Time Magazine (she was contracted by Time for this specific project).

Secretary Gates's office has no specific guidance for you, so best to echo the points you have often expressed about Secretary Gates:



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Note: Liz Rubin, the reporter, is Jamie Rubin's sister.

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As a reminder, here is the NYT story about your relationship with Secretary Gates

**Clinton and Gates Join Forces in Debate on Afghanistan Buildup**  
**By Mark Landler and Thom Shanker**  
**The New York Times**  
**October 13, 2009**

WASHINGTON — The last time the Obama administration arrived at a moment of truth in the debate over what to do about Afghanistan, Hillary Rodham Clinton and Robert M. Gates delivered a one-two punch in favor of a more ambitious approach.

Now, as President Obama leads yet another debate on whether to deploy tens of thousands of additional troops there, the secretary of state and the secretary of defense will once again constitute a critical voting bloc, the likely leaders of an argument for a middle ground between a huge influx of soldiers and a narrow focus aimed at killing terrorists from Al Qaeda, according to several administration officials.

That swing vote would put them at odds with the bare-bones approach still being pushed by Vice President Joseph R. Biden Jr., as well as the most aggressive military buildup recommended by the American commander in Afghanistan, Gen. Stanley A. McChrystal.

All of them have chosen to play their cards close to the vest, even holding back in the marathon meetings of recent weeks of the National Security Council, according to officials who attended the sessions.

But as the Afghanistan assessment moves from a broad strategy review to a detailed and potentially contentious debate on how exactly to proceed, the two secretaries are expected to carry great weight as they begin to express specific advice.

In fact, given that the president puts particular stock in Mr. Gates's view on military matters, the alliance between Mrs. Clinton and Mr. Gates, two moderate pragmatists, may be the deciding factor in a remarkably public debate that will determine the future course of the war.

It is a surprising evolution for two very different — and effective — bureaucratic players who started out wary of each other.

Their most visible public encounter came in July 2007 when, as a senator, Mrs. Clinton lashed out over what she viewed as a dismissive letter sent to her by one of Mr. Gates's deputies; she had asked whether the Pentagon planned to brief Congress about its plans to withdraw troops from Iraq. Mr. Gates's effort to mollify Mrs. Clinton came in a letter rushed by messenger to her office, and the defense



secretary later said to aides that he regarded Mrs. Clinton as very tough. But their relationship had already warmed up by the time of the Obama administration's first debate over sending troops to Afghanistan.

At a White House meeting in mid-March, in which the counterinsurgency policy was initially presented, Mr. Biden famously began to stake out his position that a larger military presence in Afghanistan could breed resentment among Afghans and would be politically untenable at home.

Mrs. Clinton, who weighed in next, disagreed, according to people who took part in the session. She threw her support behind the counterinsurgency policy and more troops, saying she believed the American people could be won over. Mr. Gates, immediately following her, also endorsed it, though he granted Mr. Biden's point that there were risks of a backlash among the Afghan people.

"There is a very close meeting of minds between them," said Bruce Riedel, now a senior fellow at the Brookings Institution, who led the policy review on Afghanistan and Pakistan. "They both believe there is a threat, the threat is serious, and that we need to take the appropriate steps to respond."

Though their backgrounds are very different — Mrs. Clinton a product of electoral politics who is still looking to her future, and Mr. Gates from the world of intelligence at the end of a long government career — they have found common cause on issues well beyond Afghanistan.

Last spring, several administration officials said, Mrs. Clinton backed Mr. Gates when he appealed to the president to fight the release of a trove of photographs documenting the abuse of prisoners in Iraq and Afghanistan by military personnel.

The White House initially did not oppose the release of the photos. But after top military commanders and local leaders in Iraq and Afghanistan objected, Mr. Gates asked Mr. Obama to reconsider. Mrs. Clinton added her voice to the effort, these officials said, having just returned from a visit to Baghdad, during which the commander in Iraq, Gen. Ray Odierno, warned her that a fresh uproar over photos would subject the troops to reprisal and endanger the mission.

Mr. Obama changed his mind and has appealed to the Supreme Court to keep the photos from being released.

Mrs. Clinton and Mr. Gates are also in tune on Iran, sometimes to an uncanny degree. On Sept. 27, they appeared on rival Sunday morning talk shows, both warning Tehran that if it did not negotiate over its nuclear program, it would face harsh sanctions. In their hard line toward Iran, Mrs. Clinton and Mr. Gates differed from senior National Security Council officials, who were initially more optimistic about the prospects for engagement, according to a senior official.

Richard L. Armitage, a former deputy secretary of state who witnessed the caustic relations between his boss, Colin L. Powell, and the former Pentagon chief, Donald H. Rumsfeld, during the Bush administration, said Mr. Gates had told him he found Mrs. Clinton "tough-minded, clear and focused."

"I wouldn't suggest that they agree on every issue," Mr. Armitage said. "But what it does do is eliminate some of the intramural tensions between the secretary of defense and the secretary of state."

Those tensions have often been epic, whether it was the feuding between Caspar W. Weinberger and George P. Shultz during the Reagan administration or the sniping between Mr. Rumsfeld and Condoleezza Rice in the latter part of the Bush administration.

For all the solidarity, the partnership between Mrs. Clinton and Mr. Gates is based on pragmatism rather than personal affection. "Secretary Gates is very businesslike and in Secretary Clinton he has found someone he can do business with," said Geoff Morrell, the Pentagon press secretary.

Mr. Gates has called for a reinvigorated, better-financed State Department, so that diplomats can pick up some of the nation-building tasks that have fallen to soldiers in Iraq and Afghanistan. That is consistent with Mrs. Clinton's vision of a more muscular American diplomacy, not to mention her own ambitions as the chief diplomat.

Mr. Gates, officials note, is in a position to be magnanimous with little left to prove. And he is the indispensable man, since his department controls so much money and so many troops. Mrs. Clinton, by contrast, runs a department that is fighting to regain its stature after years in eclipse. She may also hope for a political future.

Seated next to each other on a stage at George Washington University last week, the two looked like comrades-in-arms as they discussed the Iranian nuclear threat, the war in Afghanistan and the blossoming ties between the State Department and the Pentagon.

"Bob has a lot of experience, which I certainly appreciate, and also a good sense of humor, which makes everything a little bit better," Mrs. Clinton said of their frequent meetings.

Nobody seemed more pleased than Mr. Gates, a survivor of decades of Washington's bureaucratic battling. "Most of my career, secretaries of state and defense weren't speaking to each other," he said. "And it could get pretty ugly, actually."

After their very public joint appearance, the two decamped secretly to the Blue Duck Tavern, a sleek restaurant nearby, where, according to people close to both, they kicked around policy options on Afghanistan over a long private dinner.

From: PIR [redacted]  
 Sent: Wednesday, December 30, 2009 1:12:54 PM  
 To: Huma Abedin  
 CC: CDM; Jake Sullivan  
 Subject: Re: CIA

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They were already having a terrible week, John Brennan has been reading them the riot act about this memo that wasn't properly disseminated through the IC

-----Original Message-----

From: Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com>  
 Date: Wed, 30 Dec 2009 13:10:54  
 To: 'preines' [redacted]  
 Cc: 'cheryl.mills' [redacted]; 'jake.sullivan' [redacted]  
 Subject: Re: CIA

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Horrible  
 And didn't know it was single worst time.

----- Original Message -----

From: PIR [redacted]  
 To: Huma Abedin  
 Cc: CDM [redacted]; Jake Sullivan [redacted]  
 Sent: Wed Dec 30 13:09:36 2009  
 Subject: Re: CIA

Sorry for the redundancy, had no idea.

Just tell her Leon wanted her and Gates to know.

The problems they're having now are logistical, trying to figure out how to get the bodies back. They'll come through Dover 3-5 days from now. They seem really shaken up over there, nothing like this has ever happened to them.

-----Original Message-----

From: Huma Abedin  
 To: PIR  
 Cc: CDM  
 Cc: Jake Sullivan  
 Subject: Re: CIA  
 Sent: Dec 30, 2009 1:06 PM

Thx pir  
 Cdm did call with details for hrc earlier.  
 So any further info as u get would be great

----- Original Message -----

From: PIR [redacted]  
 To: H  
 Cc: CDM [redacted]; Huma Abedin; Jake Sullivan [redacted]  
 Sent: Wed Dec 30 12:52:04 2009  
 Subject: CIA

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Separate from what's happening in regards to the Christmas attack, Jeremy Bash just called me because Director Panetta wanted him to relay through me that the CIA suffered a terrible incident yesterday in Afghanistan.

Seven of their agents were meeting with a contact when an explosion killed them all. To the extent it's currently being reported, they are being identified as DoD personnel, not Agency.

The details are thin and he couldn't get into more detail on an open line, but they believe the contact they met with set them up and was either carrying the explosive or detonated it.

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They believe this is the greatest loss of life to a single incident in the Agency's history, and the first time that Agency personnel have been so deliberately targeted in Afghanistan.

Director Panetta's at home in Monterey, CA, and likely returning to DC in the coming days.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 6, 2010 9:41 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** Fw: Townerview event -- moderators, etc.

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**From:** Adler, Caroline E  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Reines, Philippe I; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Cc:** Yehl, Ashley C; Merrill, Nicholas S; Moy, Kin W  
**Sent:** Wed Jan 06 21:29:09 2010  
**Subject:** Fw: Townerview event -- moderators, etc.

Hi guys -

Here is the proposed townerview lineup for Australia - Australia Broadcasting Corporation will be the partner outlet. With your ok, post will approach ABC about the event.

As usual, there will be 2 interviewers on stage and a moderator in the audience.

We would also like to partner with a morning radio duo who will promote the event on their radio show and solicit a question for the actual event. (They would also like a 5-minute pull aside after the event)

Post is also onboard for Waleed Aly to ask a question.

Thanks!  
Caroline

**From:** Moon, Judith A  
**To:** Adler, Caroline E  
**Cc:** McKellogg, Kelly E; Miller, David E; Doll, Anita K; Reid, Penina D; Lucas, Laura D; McNeil, Patrick C; Schwan, Aric R; Kral, Alexei T; Narain, Paul F; Merrill, Nicholas S; Yehl, Ashley C  
**Sent:** Wed Jan 06 21:03:55 2010  
**Subject:** Townerview event -- moderators, etc.

Colleagues --

Great to talk with you all. Per our discussion today, here is the line-up we propose for the Townerview along with the info on Hamish and Andy.

We will be in touch with further requested info and follow-up questions as needed.

Judy

Moderators



In the usual broadcast season, Ms. Leigh Sales is *Lateline's* anchor from Wednesday to Friday. During the summer, she will be hosting the 7:30 *Report* from January 18 until *Lateline's* return to air. She has formerly been the ABC's National Security Correspondent and Washington Correspondent. She won a Walkley Award (Australia's Pulitzer Prize equivalent) for her radio reporting on Guantanamo Bay and wrote the award-winning *Detainee 002: The Case of David Hicks*. Her writing appears in *The Monthly*, *ThePunch.com.au* (where she blogs a column called *Well-Readhead*) and Twitter (@leighsales). She is highly regarded, with a following amongst both 'high-brow' and populist audiences and she has experience in more dynamic engagements like media panels and event moderating.

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**Steve Cannane** is a well-known youth current affairs presenter, producer and journalist in Australia. Mr Cannane is a mature journalist commended for his ability to give prominence to youth issues and staying true to youth voices. It can be argued that he is politically aligned (with family in the Australian Labor Party and as a candidate himself some years ago) and if given leeway, may seek discussion on the US image/reputation in the world and US responsibility for certain major global issues. While he doesn't have as much experience with these types of events, he would probably have a more serious tone as moderator for a Towntview event. In 2007 he traveled to the US as an Edward R. Murrow Fellow. He rose to prominence in 2004 with the Australian Broadcasting Corporation's youth radio current affairs show *Hack* and went on to host their digital television offering *The Hack Half Hour*.

#### Working the Audience

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**Adam Spencer** is a young, well-known Australian radio and television presenter. Mr Spencer has the most relevant experience in moderating an event like a Towntview for such a high profile speaker. He is also well-recognized as a likeable personality across a range of different audiences. In 1996, he won a stand-up comedy competition and became host of the *Breakfast* timeslot for the Australian Broadcasting Corporation's youth radio network Triple J. He has since become a popular media personality – appearing on and hosting radio and television programs about everything from math and science (he has a first class honors degree in pure mathematics and a keen interest in science) to popular culture and poker competitions. He currently presents the *Breakfast* program for ABC Local Radio for Sydney, makes television appearances, hosts charity events etc.

#### Question from the audience with possible after-show 5-minute interview

The **Hamish and Andy** duo is made up of Andy Lee and Hamish Blake. After meeting whilst studying commerce, the two made their way through student and community radio to become Australia's most popular radio personalities. Their drive time show (weekdays 4 - 6pm) enjoys national dominance via the Austereo/Today Network, with 1.5 million listeners nationwide, including throughout rural areas. The program is also broadcast in New Zealand. The duo cultivates a collegiate and familial air in their presentation style that ensures their work is humorous, but it is also respectful and clever. In 2009 they travelled throughout America to highlight similarities between Australia and America, telling "feel good stories" of the United States to an Australian audience.

Anita Knopp Doll



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**INFORMATION MEMO FOR THE SECRETARY**

FROM: Janice L. Jacobs – CA  
Richard R. Verma – H

SUBJECT: State and CA Handling of Passport and Visa Functions

During a January 3 appearance on ABC's Sunday morning interview program, "This Week," Senator Joseph Lieberman stated:

"I believe, incidentally, that we ought to take a look at taking that visa application and admission responsibility function from the State Department. It doesn't really fit with foreign policy anymore. And in an age of terrorism, I think the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) ought to be handling visas abroad."

This echoes comments from some quarters in 2002, prior to passage of the Homeland Security Act. That legislation left the visa processing function with State but shifted authority with regard to visa policy to DHS.

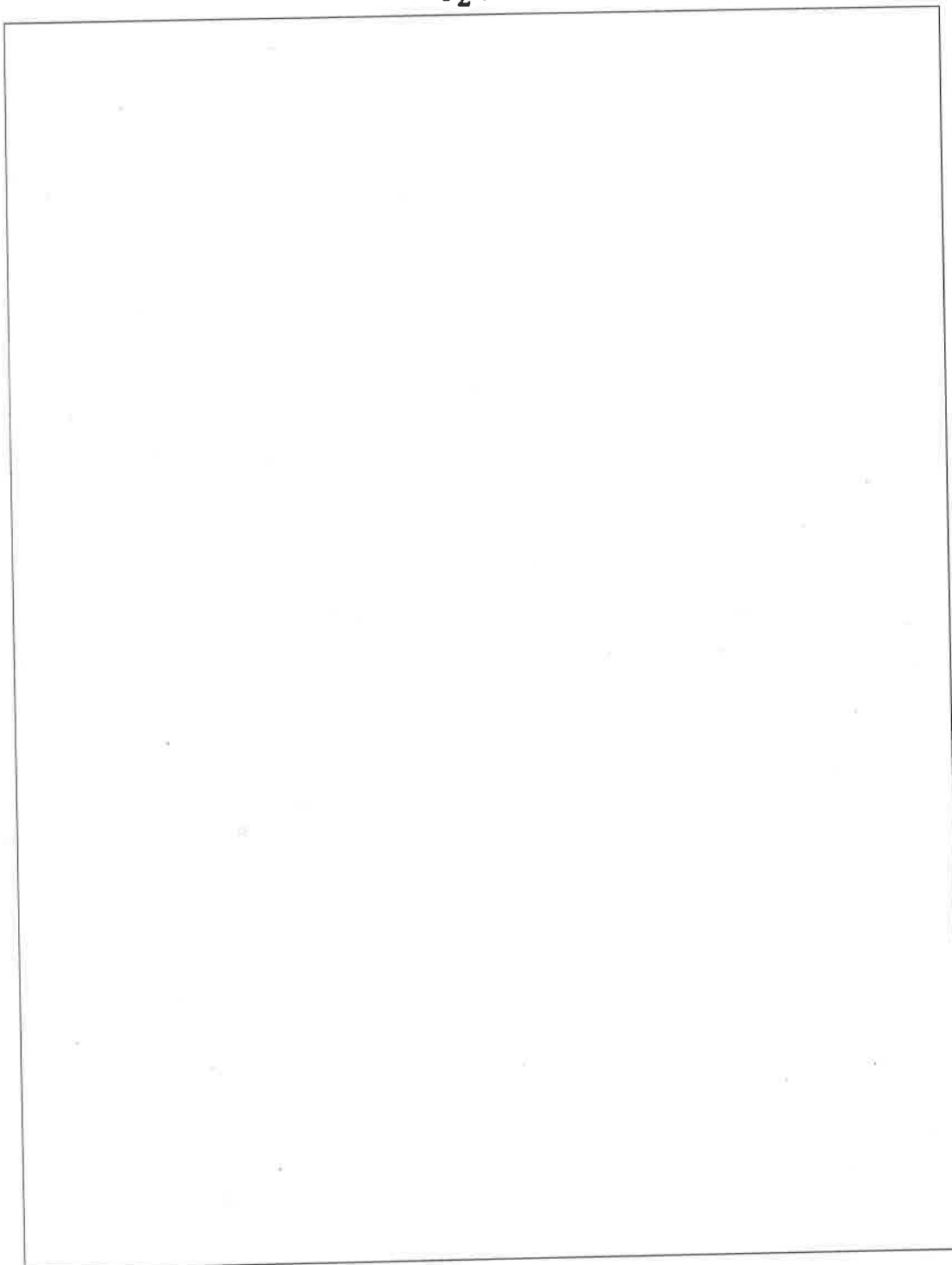
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Tab 1 – Proposed Congressional Talking Points

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**Tab 2 – Secretary Powell Testimony before the House Select Committee on  
Homeland Security, July 11, 2002**

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Drafted: CA/VO – Vincent Beirne, ext. 3-1152

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CA/VO – DDonahue	ok
CA/OCS – MTBond	ok
D(S) – AScanlon	info
D(L) – NShepherd	ok
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P – PAguilera	info on request
S/P – MPatel	info
H – NManring	ok
L/CA – KHooke	ok
L – JThessin	ok

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PART B5, B6**Tab 1: Outreach Talking Points: Keeping the Visa Function**

Members of Congress debated whether the visa issuance function should remain with State or move to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) in 2002 when, in the aftermath of the 9/11 attacks, DHS was being formed. Senator Lieberman's televised comments on January 3, 2010 may open this debate once again. [REDACTED]

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**A. Interagency Review**

- I share your concerns over the failures that led to the attempted December 25 terrorist attack, and I want to assure you that the President does, as well.
- As part of the comprehensive interagency review the President has called for, the State Department – along with other U.S. government agencies – is providing the White House with all relevant information.

**B. Review of Visa Viper**

- Pursuant to the review ordered by the President, the State Department is currently conducting an internal review of visa processes and procedures, including the inter-agency developed "Visas Viper" reporting mechanism, to ensure that it efficiently and effectively secures the safety of our nation's borders and citizens.
- We also are reviewing whether we can improve communication between all agencies engaged in our shared security mission. We already provide our database of visa issuances to relevant agencies. In addition, we have instructed all our posts worldwide that Visa Vipers cables should include information from the sending post on the subject's visa status.

**C. Retention of State Visa Functions**

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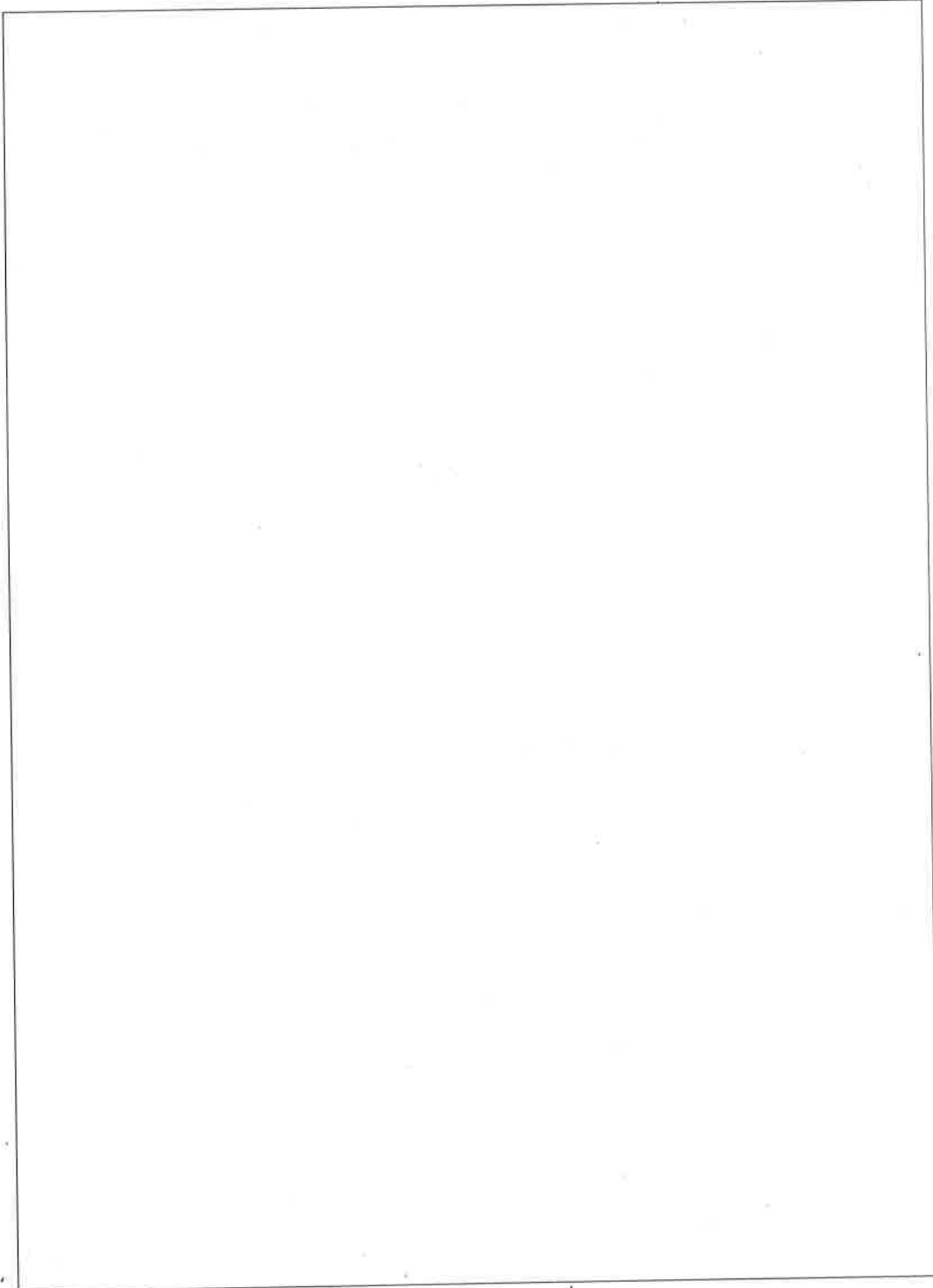
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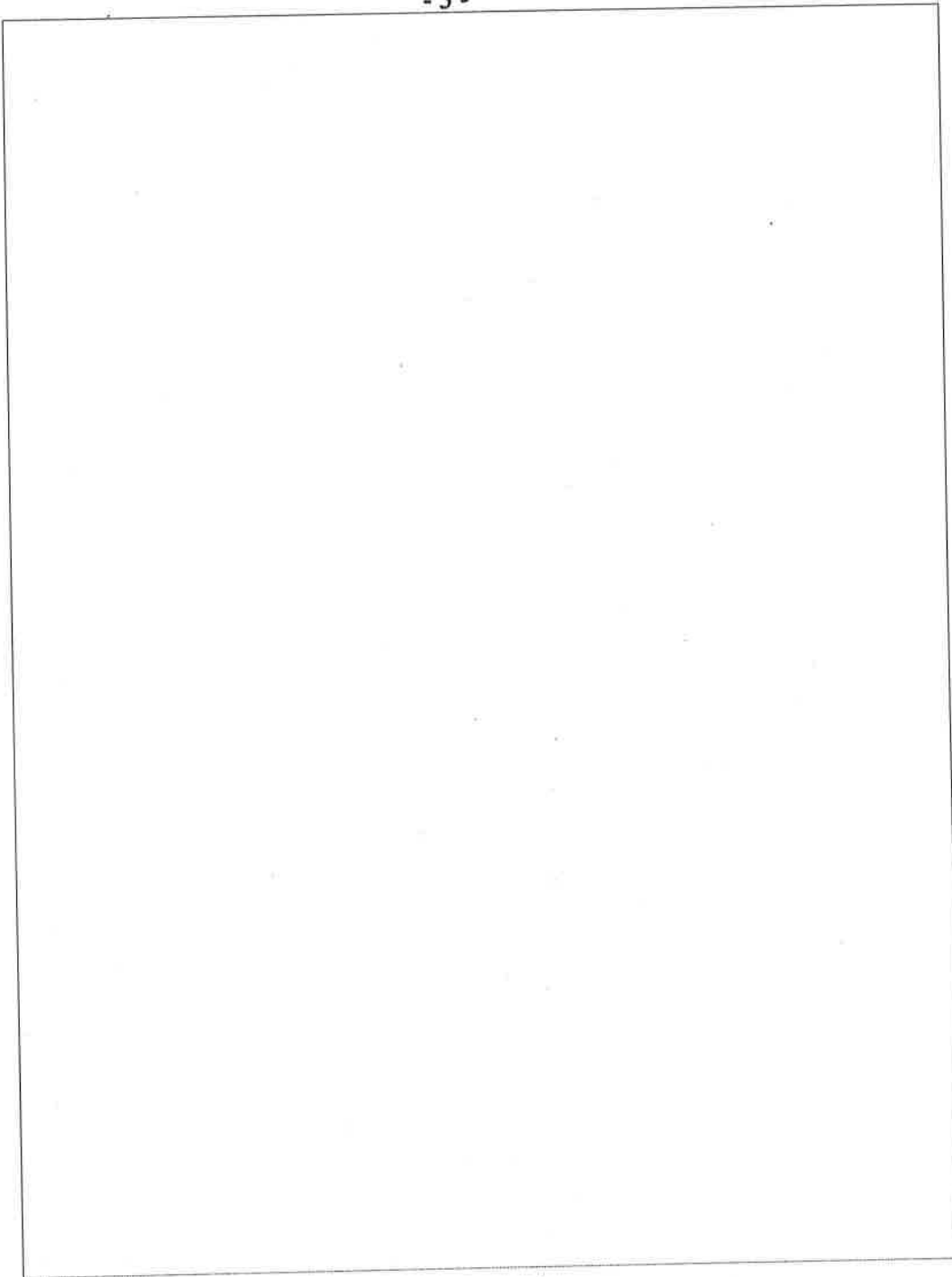


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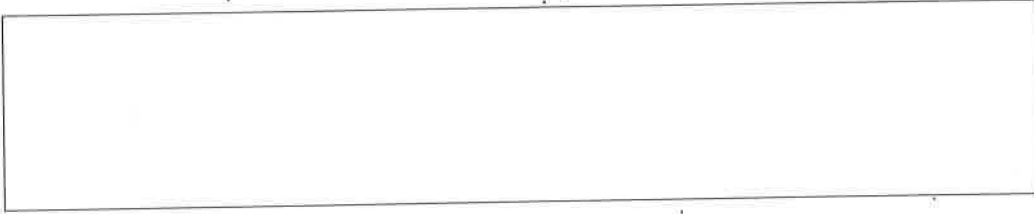


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**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: CA White Paper  
**Attach:** ca white paper 1-11-10.docx

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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Mon Jan 11 22:01:35 2010  
**Subject:** FW: CA White Paper

Huma

Would you print and give to her – she is looking for this and one more document I will forward shortly.

Thanks

cdm

**From:** Verma, Richard R  
**Sent:** Monday, January 11, 2010 6:59 PM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Lew, Jacob J  
**Cc:** Campbell, Piper; Toiv, Nora F  
**Subject:** FW: CA White Paper

Here is the paper we provided to Lieberman's staff on the importance of the consular function staying with State. Jack was also planning to call Lieberman to convey the same points. We also prepared a memo, with CA, which outlines some congressional steps for the Secretary to take at a time of her choosing. Sent that on the high-side earlier, but will also send unclass version separately.

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## **The State Department and the Visa Function**

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- The Department of State is at the forefront of interagency cooperation and data-sharing to improve border security. We make all of our visa information available to other responsible agencies, and we have specifically designed our systems to facilitate comprehensive data sharing with relevant agencies in the USG.
- The Department has developed visa procedures, policies and systems with full recognition that we are a vital part of a multi-agency team supporting border security. We work closely and effectively with DHS. Reorganizing this team would be disruptive and inefficient.
- The current authorities and responsibilities of the Department make it the only agency in the U.S. government that can take a comprehensive view of the visa process and its impact on the full range of U.S. national interests.
- The global presence and personnel structure of the Department give it unique advantages in supporting the visa function with highly-trained and dedicated personnel available for worldwide service.
- There would be enormous practical problems with personnel and revenue involved in shifting the visa function to another agency. Time and resources would be taken away from core border security matters by such a move.
- The Department of State has specific strengths in the tools required to administer visa policy. Among the important considerations is the judicial doctrine of "consular non-reviewability," which protects consular visa adjudication decisions from challenge by aliens for reasons including the foreign policy implications of those decisions. Removing the visa function from State would suggest that foreign policy is not an important consideration, thereby putting the doctrine at risk.

## **The Role of Visas in Foreign Policy**

- Issuance and refusal of visas have a direct impact on foreign relations. Visa policy is a critical tool in diplomacy, and visa-related concerns – sometimes even concerns related to a particular visa application – can quickly become a significant bilateral problem that harms U.S. interests if handled without consideration of foreign policy implications.
- Adjudication of visas for controversial figures, including leaders of problematic regimes, prominent individuals with checkered pasts, and delegates to international bodies, requires a full review of U.S. government equities, including foreign policy equities, and the Secretary of State needs to retain the authority to make those determinations.
- The conduct of U.S. visa policy has a direct and significant impact on the treatment of U.S. citizens abroad. State is in a position to anticipate and weigh those consequences.
- Consular officers are the public face of American diplomacy. They understand that serving the U.S. national interest starts with border security, but includes facilitation of legitimate travel, trade promotion, and educational exchange. A review of the categories of nonimmigrant visas, such as diplomats and other foreign officials and investors, highlights the extent to which visa issues are tied to foreign policy and bilateral relations.
- Officers devoted to visa adjudication are highly qualified, highly trained, and highly motivated professionals committed to a career of serving the U.S. overseas. Even those beginning foreign affairs careers are fully-prepared and closely supervised by experienced officers who review adjudications every day.
- Department of State personnel bring a unique mix of local knowledge and objectivity to the visa function. Visa adjudicating officers generally rotate after a tour of duty of two years or less, allowing them to maintain professional distance from and remain fully committed to their duties.
- The U.S. is still struggling with a perception abroad that we do not welcome foreign visitors. We must enforce border security without sacrificing U.S. strategic interests in promoting economic activity, attracting professional talent, and furthering academic and cultural exchange.



## **Global Presence: State Uniquely Resourced to Provide Visa Services**

- The U.S. visa process requires personal interviews and biometric collection; both of which require direct interaction between the applicant and consular officers. The State Department is uniquely, globally positioned to meet this need.
- No other U.S. foreign affairs agency has a comparable global presence, and even those agencies with a presence abroad do not have a work force committed by law and regulation to serving anywhere in the world.
- Our 246 consular sections, in 167 countries, are staffed by 1,545 officers, 3,953 locally engaged staff and 75 full-time Diplomatic Security agents devoted to anti-fraud efforts. These employees have the foreign language skills necessary to stay abreast of local trends and conduct visa interviews; 1,067 of our consular officer positions require fluency in one of 65 local languages.
- Our highly qualified and well-trained staff understands foreign cultures and follows overseas political, legal, and economic developments in a way that gives us special expertise over matters directly relevant to the full range of visa ineligibilities. We are also on the ground to coordinate data sharing with foreign governments, and we communicate with them directly on a regular basis.
- Training gives our officers particular expertise in identifying individuals who possess fraudulent documents; are imposters, or are otherwise attempting to enter the United States improperly. In FY09, the Consular Training Division at the Foreign Service Institute provided 694 officers with basic consular training – a 31-day course that includes two weeks of security-related training, including subjects such as recognizing and combating fraud, terrorist mobility and alien smuggling. Since FY02, 3,907 officers have completed this training at a cost of \$13 million.
- Officers who have chosen consular work as their career path receive continuing education, including courses in fraud prevention and advanced security namechecking. In FY09, 2,482 employees attended advanced consular training courses that address border security in whole or in part.

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- No other foreign country has a comparable global presence, none matches our requirements for personal interviews or our procedures for oversight and control of biometric collection. There are no apt analogies to a foreign government as a model for reorganizing the U.S. visa process.

### **Integrity of the Visa Process**

- In FY 2009, the Department of State issued 5,804,180 visas and refused 1,885,017 visas. We are prepared to make the hard decisions of denying visas and ready to stand by our determinations.
- Interagency cooperation, application screening and the visa process as a whole are considerably stronger than they were in 2001. Entries in the Consular Lookout and Support System database have grown by more than 400 percent since 2001. We have incorporated fingerprint and facial recognition checks into the screening process, and have made additional fraud detection tools available to consular officers.
- We are in the vanguard of efforts to increase interagency connectivity and communication, and our record in utilizing shared data and making data available to other agencies is outstanding. Visa revocation and lookout data is shared in real time with DHS in a manner that is accessible to other agencies.
- We give other agencies immediate access to over thirteen years of visa data, and they use this access extensively. In November 2009, more than 16,000 employees of DHS, Defense, the FBI and Commerce made 920,000 queries on visa records.
- The Department and its consular officers extensively use information from other agencies to ensure visas are not granted to those who pose a threat to our national security. Biographic data is checked against more than 11 million FBI records, 5 million DHS lookouts, 260,000 DEA records, and 430,000 lookouts from the Terrorist Screening Center. Fingerprints are checked against tens of millions of records in the DHS IDENT and FBI IAFIS databases. Facial recognition checks are run against 83 million records, including 110,000 from the Terrorist Screening Center. A pilot project is underway to include screening against DOD iris scan records.
- We are continually upgrading and enhancing our procedures. We have already instructed consular officers to include any visa issuance information in Visas Viper reports, and are deploying an all-electronic nonimmigrant visa application system to all posts this year. We are working with our interagency partners to further improve information sharing, visa applicant screening, and revocation procedures.

### **Practical and Structural Concerns**

- Multiple agencies play roles in administering our immigration laws, but the most significant are the Departments of State and Homeland Security. This division of responsibility not only recognizes the differing expertise and capacities of these two agencies, but also creates a checks and balances system. Consolidation into a single entity would remove the critical safeguards and benefits of the current system.
- The deliberative process resulting from these checks and balances ensures that both State and DHS evaluate applications for admission to the United States, bringing the expertise of both agencies to bear in making assessments and providing for a valuable twofold review of admissibility.
- Recognizing that the visa adjudication function is performed by thousands of officers who have received extensive training specific to that work, it is difficult to fathom how the visa function could be moved out of State without a massive reorganization of both agencies that would take years and untold costs to accomplish. It would divert resources from securing the border to bureaucratic turf building and reorganization.
- Visa fee revenue was approximately \$927 million in FY09. Those revenues are the major funding source for a broad range of consular services (including protecting the welfare of U.S. citizens abroad) and help support the activities of Diplomatic Security, State's IT operations, and the Foreign Service Institute. Loss of this revenue would severely and adversely affect State.
- With Congressional approval to retain visa fees, State has been able to build state-of-the-art computerized databases, training and fraud prevention programs, and information collection and analysis programs directed at detecting terrorists and other mala fide visa and passport applicants. Our robust databases are shared with a number of U.S. government agencies.
- Officers entering the Foreign Service are given consular assignments in their first and/or second tours. These assignments include service in visa adjudication. This practice assures that all Foreign Service Officers (FSOs) understand State's critical consular mission and gives officers valuable experience interacting with the foreign public.



### **The State-DHS Relationship**

- The Departments of State and Homeland Security have a close and cooperative relationship, the legal framework for which was established in a 2003 MOU following enactment of the Homeland Security Act. DHS has responsibility for visa policy and the State administers the visa process.
- There is extensive information sharing on numerous levels, including the largest cooperative arrangement on biometric data sharing in the U.S. Government.
- The two Departments share information on document security and fraud prevention, and each has unique expertise in this area. This cooperation has facilitated the introduction of e-passports and the production of a new generation of secure travel documents under the Western Hemisphere Travel Initiative.
- Visa processing involves interwoven layers of screening performed by both State and Homeland Security. DHS reviews and adjudicates petitions required for immigrants and certain categories of nonimmigrants, prior to their applications for visas. State interviews and adjudicates the eligibility of individual visa applicants. The Department of Homeland Security's National Targeting Center and overseas Visa Security Units further examine travelers bound for the United States. Our Departments have cooperated fully to make these collaborative efforts succeed.
- Collapsing the current multi-layered approach to visa issuance down to a single-agency responsibility would diminish the U.S. response to border security challenges. It would also eliminate the opportunity for the Department to bring its expertise to bear on the process of identifying mala fide travelers.
- The Department of State has proven itself agile, adaptive, and proactive in implementing new biometric technology and establishing new information technology, new adjudication procedures, new fraud detection programs and new oversight mechanisms to stay ahead of evolving border security threats.
- State designs its visa procedures and records to give DHS maximum operational access to all biometric and other data collected in the visa process. DHS personnel at U.S. ports-of-entry have real time access to notes our officers have made on every visa case, and can see all processing State has performed.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 10, 2010 11:38 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Marina pls print in the morning for her.  
**Attach:** 01-26 Arab World--Momentum from Cairo Speech Lost pdf; Changing Cairo Follow-up Note.doc

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**From:** Syed, Zia S  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Sullivan, Jacob J; S\_SpecialAssistants  
**Sent:** Wed Feb 10 22:35:01 2010  
**Subject:** Paper for Doha Call Tomorrow

Huma, NEA is asking that we please pass this note and attachment to the Secretary in advance of her speech prep conference call tomorrow. Thanks.





**United States Department of State**

*Washington, D.C. 20520*

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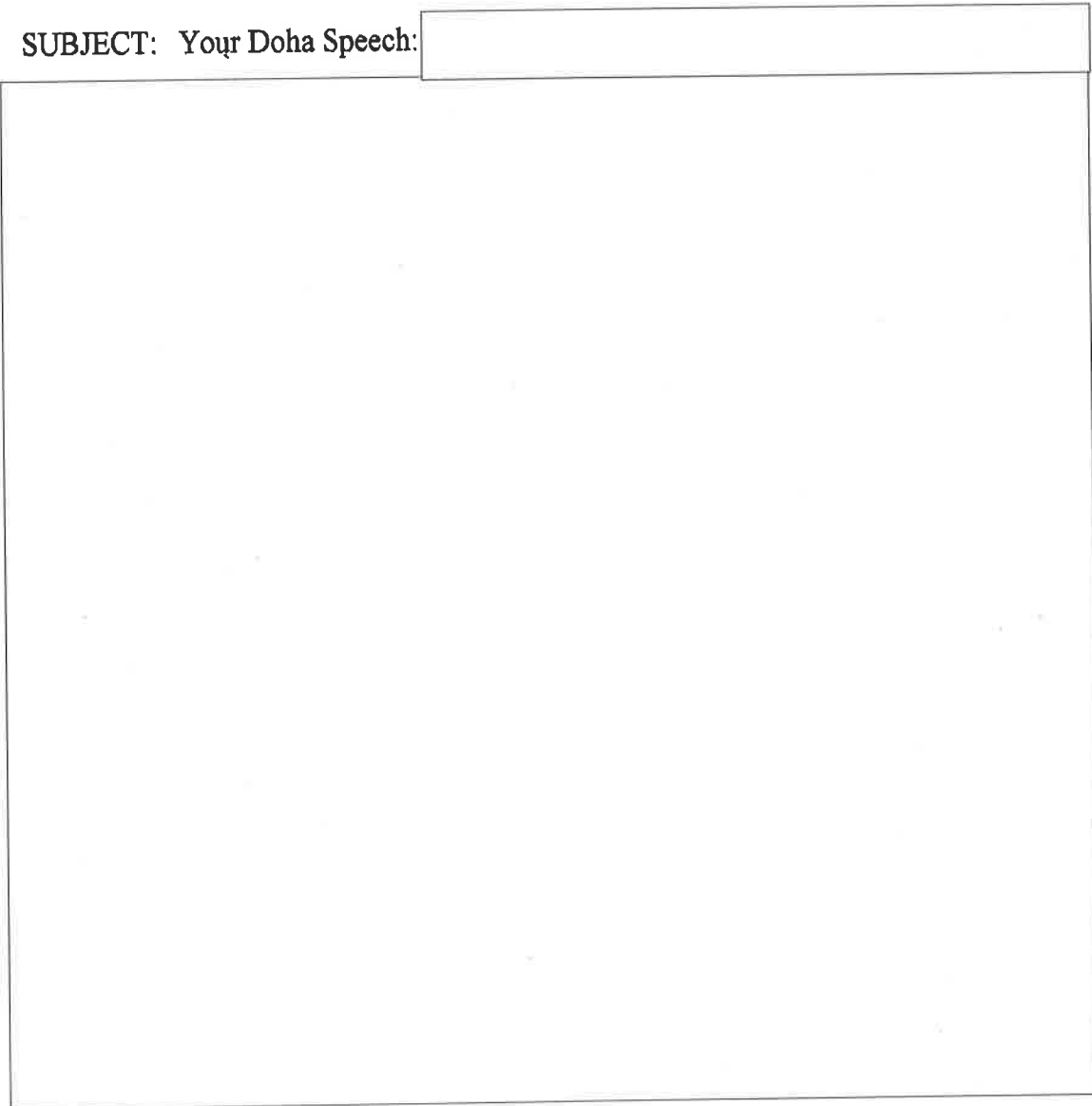
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**NOTE FOR THE SECRETARY**

FROM: NEA – Jeffrey D. Feltman

SUBJECT: Your Doha Speech:

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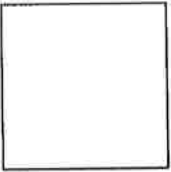
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Approved: NEA – Jeffrey Feltman

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, February 12, 2010 7:43 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Our Voice - Pakistan  
**Attach:** OurVoice One Page.pdf

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**From:** Bommer, Ashley F  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Cc:** Singh, Vikram J; Gandhi, Sajit J  
**Sent:** Fri Feb 12 16:02:10 2010  
**Subject:** Our Voice - Pakistan

Cheryl/Huma/Jake: RCH thought that Secretary Clinton might like to see the map showing the growth and spread of Humar! Awaz, the SMS service she launched in Pakistan last October, and asked that we email this to you. We are now at over half a million users, with no marketing campaign, and just shy of one hundred million messages sent amongst Pakistanis. As a result of Humar!'s success, on January 15<sup>th</sup>, the telecom sector came together to pledge their support; and we are now working with the GOP/private sector in a formal working group setting to spin off additional socio-economic services such as telemedicine, e-learning, mobile micro credit, and banking; as well as video. Best, Ashley



## Snapshot

Traffic: (msgs) 98,917,874  
Followers: 538,068  
Contributors: 26,915  
Updates: 966,816  
Days Live: 106

Data Pulled: 2/12/2010

On October 29, 2009, Secretary Clinton launched **Humari Awaz**, or **OurVoice**, the world's first SMS based social network system in Pakistan connecting over 95 million Pakistanis through leading wireless carriers nationwide for free. **OurVoice** users harness the reach and immediacy provided by SMS Messages to instantly share news and provide real time information with their network of friends and followers.

### Balochistan

Followers: 9,108  
Contributors: 456  
Updates: 14,500  
Growth: 13%

### Unknown

Followers: 204,149  
Contributors: 9,869  
Updates: 355,188  
Growth: 45%

### N.W.F.P

Followers: 52,442  
Contributors: 2,675  
Updates: 71,450  
Growth: 23%

### Tribal Areas

Followers: 1,132  
Contributors: 52  
Updates: 1,504  
Growth: 22%

### Gilgit-Baltistan

Followers: 640  
Contributors: 43  
Updates: 381  
Growth: 21%

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### Azad Kashmir

Followers: 1,268  
Contributors: 69  
Updates: 1,086  
Growth: 25%

### Islamabad

Followers: 28,481  
Contributors: 1,485  
Updates: 39,060  
Growth: 12%

### Punjab

Followers: 154,286  
Contributors: 7,806  
Updates: 334,017  
Growth: 19%

### Sindh

Followers: 85,707  
Contributors: 4,425  
Updates: 149,146  
Growth: 15%

## Content

The top 5 content categories on OurVoice are:

1. Religion- 18%
2. Business- 18%
3. Technology- 10%
4. Relationships- 8%
5. Government- 8%

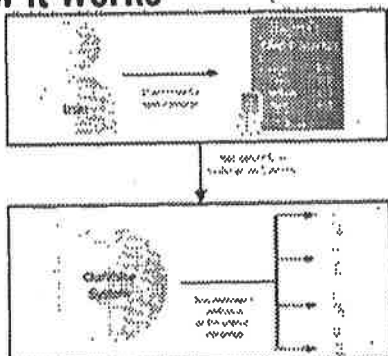
### Incident: Lower Dir Terrorist Explosion

February 3, 2010 a terrorist bomb exploded in the Lower Dir District of Pakistan's F.A.T.A.

- First Report: 45 minutes after incident
- 60 mentions on Our Voice
- Over 8,500 followers informed of incident
- 70% of mentions were unique
- 25% of contributors sent a follow-up msg
- Conversations about incident lasted for 5 days

\*Growth is over previous month

## How it Works



## Sample Messages

**Jobs:** Carrier Alert: Vancancy (Motorway Police) Junior Petrol Officer (BPS-5) App closing Dt:30/11/2009 For online Application visit; <http://www.nhmp.gov.pk>

**Prayer:** Beautiful Prayer O Allah! Enlighten what is Dark in Me! Strengthen what is Weak in Me! Mend what is Broken in Me! Bind what is Bruised in Me! Heal

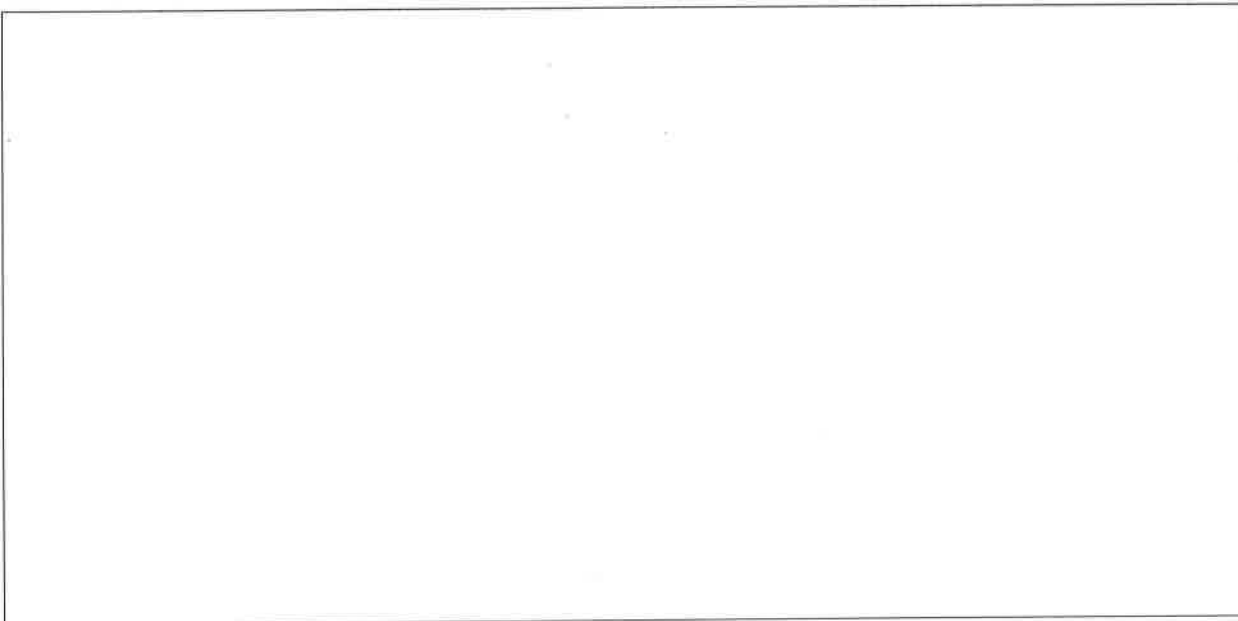
**Market:** Weekly Rates: Gold 38480, Sugar 60 per Kg. Meat 160 per KG. Tea 420 and 400 Per kg. Flour 540 per 20kg. Ghee 100, 110 and 120 per Kg. Petrol 71 per ltr

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**From:** Huma Abedin [Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, February 14, 2010 11:33:21 AM  
**To:** 'abedinh@state.gov'  
**Subject:**

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, February 22, 2010 7:49 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Final Schedule, Tuesday February 23rd  
**Attach:** February.23.10.final.doc

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**From:** Valmoro, Lona J  
**To:** Valmoro, Lona J; S\_S-FinalSchedule  
**Cc:** 'tkrinvic' [REDACTED] <tkrinvic@state.gov>; 'justin' [REDACTED]  
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<jzimmerebner@state.gov>; 'oscar' [REDACTED] <oscar@state.gov>; [REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Mon Feb 22 18:08:27 2010  
**Subject:** Final Schedule, Tuesday February 23rd

**PREV RON** Washington, DC

7:40 am **DEPART** Private Residence  
En route The Vice President's Residence  
[drive time: 5 minutes]

7:45 am **ARRIVE** The Vice President's Residence

7:45 am [REDACTED]  
8:30 am [REDACTED]

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8:30 am **DEPART** The Vice President's Residence  
En route State Department  
[drive time: 10 minutes]

8:40 am **ARRIVE** State Department

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8:45 am Secretary's Office

8:45 am **DAILY SENIOR STAFF MEETING**  
9:15 am Secretary's Conference Room  
Participants: Cheryl Mills, Jack Lew, Bill Burns, Pat Kennedy, P.J. Crowley,  
Dan Smith, Harold Koh, Anne-Marie Slaughter, Rich Verma and Joe Macmanus

9:45 am **VIDEOS (6)**  
10:05 am George Marshall Room, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Staff/Contact: Dan Schwerin

- 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Reestablishment of Lithuanian Independence.
- CERA Event
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10:10 am **INTERVIEW w/TOM JUNOD, ESQUIRE MAGAZINE**  
10:30 am Secretary's Outer Office  
Staff/Contact: Philippe

10:30 am **OFFICE TIME**  
11:00 am Secretary's Office

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11:30 am **STATE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND**  
Secretary's Office  
Contact: Desk Jason Hackworth x76585, cell [REDACTED]  
**CAMERA SPRAY (in Treaty Room preceding bilateral)**

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Contact: Desk Bridget McGovern x72129, [REDACTED]  
**OFFICIAL PHOTO (in Monroe Room preceding lunch)**

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5:40 pm Secretary's Office

6:50 pm (t) **DEPART** State Department  
En route Tbd

[drive time: 10 minutes]

7:00 pm (t) **ARRIVE Tbd**

7:00 pm (t) **PRIVATE DINNER**  
Location: Tbd

**HRC RON** Washington, DC

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Washington, DC: Mostly cloudy, 50/34.

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**WASHINGTON, DC**

**SPECIAL ASSISTANT: LONA VALMORO**  
**OFFICE (202) 647-9071**  
**CELL** [REDACTED]

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**STAFF ASSISTANT: LINDA DEWAN**  
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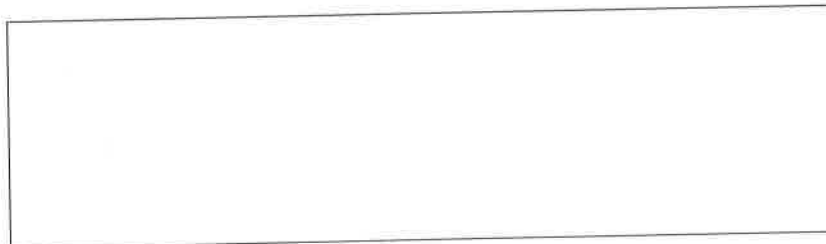
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**Sent:** Thursday, February 25, 2010 8:24 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** Fw: February 25, 2010 Heads Up: A quick look at the Brazilian media

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**From:** Kelly, Craig A  
**To:** Valenzuela, Arturo A; 'Daniel\_A.\_Restrepo' [redacted] <Daniel\_A.\_Restrepo [redacted]>; Sullivan, Jacob J; Reynoso, Julissa; McMullen, Christopher J; Webster, Christopher W; Whitaker, Kevin M; Sullivan, Jacob J; McIlhenny, William W; Gonzalez, Francisco J; Abedin, Huma; Jacobson, Roberta S  
**Cc:** Gonzalez, Juan S  
**Sent:** Thu Feb 25 08:18:55 2010  
**Subject:** Fw: February 25, 2010 Heads Up: A quick look at the Brazilian media

See piece on Chavez and Honduras. If you click on the link, the story says Chavez will line up behind Centrals, further validating our Honduras strategy and the excellent timing of S trip to Guatemala. ck

**From:** BrazilNews  
**Sent:** Thu Feb 25 06:59:28 2010  
**Subject:** February 25, 2010 Heads Up: A quick look at the Brazilian media

You may also find the **Heads-up** on the SharePoint Team Site, by clicking on the following links:  
<http://wha.p.state.sbu/sites/brasilia/teamsites/news/Brazil%20News%20%20Heads%20Up/2010-02-25.aspx?PageView=Shared>



## PUBLIC AFFAIRS PRESS SUMMARY - HEADS-UP

A Quick Look at the Brazilian Press  
 Wednesday, February 25, 2010

### Today's top stories:

**Brazilian Senate increases visa validity to 10 years** - *O Estado de S. Paulo* C3: Full floor vote happened late last night. Press expects that reciprocity agreement should result soon in the extension of 10-year visas for Brazilians. <http://migre.me/lg4w>

### **Secretary Clinton visits Brazil**

Hillary to meet with Lula in Brasilia: Iran, Haiti and Honduras on the agenda - *Folha de S. Paulo* A10. <http://bit.ly/bQ2tkX>  
 Hillary confirms trip to Brazil on March 3 - *Folha de S. Paulo* A10. <http://migre.me/lg5R>  
 Hillary Clinton confirms visit to Brazil in early March - *Estadao.com.br*: <http://bit.ly/cDUyVW>  
 Hillary expected to address Iran during visit to Brazil - *OGlobo.com* (Reuters): <http://bit.ly/bkGzPM>  
 Lula welcomes Hillary Clinton on March 3 in Brasilia - *CorreioBraziliense.com.br* (Ag. Brasil): <http://bit.ly/aeSkm8>

Initial reports about Sec. Hillary Clinton's visit to Brazil speculate that the visit aims to "assuage several disagreements both governments have accumulated in the international arena," especially in regard to the controversy over sanctions against Iran. However, stories based on unnamed Itamaraty sources also indicate that the visit also aims to build "a more constructive relationship." It is being reported that MOUs will be signed during the visit regarding third-country cooperation, namely in Haiti and Mozambique, gender equality, trade facilitation, and consultation mechanisms to foster trade and investment. Stories indicate that, in regard to trade,

"controversial" issues such as ethanol and orange juice should be part of the agreements.

### Secretary Holder urges Brazil to lead piracy fight

Holder acknowledges not being sure about civilian trial for terrorists – *O Globo*: <http://migre.me/lg2k> and <http://migre.me/lg15>  
 U.S. calls on Brazil to lead fight against piracy – *Folha de S. Paulo* A10.  
 Eric Holder sees Brazil as an ally against piracy – *Jornal do Brasil* <http://migre.me/lg00>

General Eric Holder, who attended an event in Rio on Wednesday, asked Brazil to increase the collaboration with the U.S. against piracy and cyber crimes, what he called a "priority concern" of President Obama's administration. "We can and we need to do more.... It is up to the U.S. and to Brazil to take the lead in this region, if not in the world. We try to develop mechanisms for Brazil to take the lead in this effort." Paper quotes Ambassador Shannon as saying Holder's visit shows the quality of the dialogue between Brazil and the U.S. and the interest in "deepening the collaboration." *Folha* says Holder meets today with the new minister of Justice, Luiz Paulo Barreto, in Brasilia.

### Lula criticizes hunger strike, laments Zapata, denies receiving Cuban dissidents letter

Lula participates in Cuban port construction launch, offers partnerships, financing – *O Estado de S. Paulo* A12: <http://migre.me/lg6u>  
 Lula criticizes hunger strike, laments Zapata, denies receiving Cuban dissidents letter - *Globo* com: <http://bit.ly/aB6lhj>  
 An irritated, embarrassed Lula laments the death of Cuban dissident - *Estadao.com* br: <http://bit.ly/dy3GWZ> and <http://bit.ly/abeHHe>  
 Lula denies receiving letter from Cuban dissidents asking for help - *G1* com (BBC): <http://bit.ly/dsTARd>  
 Lula: Cubans did not ask him to prevent death of political prisoner - *Terra.com* br: <http://bit.ly/9o3BMH>  
 Former Brazilian Foreign Minister Lampraia says GOB ignores human rights violations by friendly regimes – *Folha de S. Paulo* A15.  
<http://migre.me/lg37>  
 Cuban government quashes protests during Lula's visit – *O Estado de S. Paulo* A14: <http://migre.me/lg5R>

President Lula met for over two hours with Fidel and Raul Castro yesterday. According to reports, an "embarrassed" Lula denied reports that he received a letter from Cuban dissidents asking for help. Lula reportedly lamented the death of Cuban political prisoner Orlando Zapata after an 80-day hunger strike and said that he would have met with the dissidents and tried to avoid the prisoner's death, had he been invited to do so. According to *O Globo*, Lula became "irritated" when asked about the criticism he has received from the dissidents, and was quoted (here: <http://bit.ly/aB6lhj>) as saying that, "If they are already Cuban dissidents and now want to be Lula dissidents, I have no problem about that."

**President Chavez says he would be willing to recognize Honduran government - Agencia Estado:**  
<http://bit.ly/bDDZew>

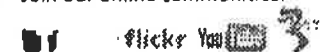
### Opinion

**Editorial – Rhetorical struggle – *Folha de S. Paulo* A2:** Argentina has its reasons to claim Falklands/Malvinas, but it would stand to gain if it abandoned intransigence for pragmatism:

**Op-ed – GOB's intimacy with Teheran becomes increasingly dangerous, unfathomable – *O Estado de S. Paulo* A2:** Op-ed by former Brazilian Foreign Relations Minister Luiz Felipe Lampraia (Cardoso administration)

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From: Monica Hanley [redacted]  
Sent: Thursday, March 18, 2010 3:53:06 PM  
To: Huma Abedin  
Subject: Fwd: Request from Tony Rodham

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Attachments: EXTRACT from the Part IV - about STOPPED US CITIZENSHIP.pdf; VP06\_US10\_Permanent Residence Card - Green Card Aug 11,1999 to Feb 07,2010.pdf

Hi Huma - Tony Rodham called again looking for an update with this greencard issue. Let me know if this is something I should follow up on.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Monica Hanley [redacted]  
Date: Fri, Jan 29, 2010 at 3:07 PM  
Subject: Request from Tony Rodham  
To: Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com>

Hi Huma - Tony Rodham emailed and called me, looking for help with [redacted] green card renewal. DHS handles green cards. Do you want me to tell Mr. Rodham that the State Department doesn't handle Green Card matters or do you want me to tell him something else?

Also - he asked for follow up on two other issues:

- [redacted] visit which Lona said that you wanted to regret
- CV for [redacted]. He forwarded it to me but I'm not sure why. If this doesn't sound familiar to you I can ask him what it's for.

Thanks

----- Forwarded message -----

From: anthony rodham [redacted]  
Date: Thu, Jan 28, 2010 at 2:22 PM  
Subject: FW: My naturalization process  
To: monicahanley [redacted]

From: [redacted]  
To: a rodham [redacted]  
Subject: My naturalization process  
Date: Thu, 28 Jan 2010 02:51:27 +0300



Dear Tony,

Attached you can find copy of my US Green Card and EXTRACT from the Part IV of the Accusatory Complaint against Micheil Saakashvili about:

- a) Stopped process of my US Citizenship / Naturalization
- b) Exchange of letters with Interpol
- c) My arrest in Moscow, denial of extradition to Georgia and granting of political refugee status

Please see attached files:

<<EXTRACT from the Part IV - about STOPPED US CITIZENSHIP.pdf>>

<<VP06\_US10\_Permanent Residence Card - Green Card Aug 11,1999 to Feb 07,2010.pdf>>

Thanks in advance for your help.

Best regards,





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# Accusatory Complaint

As of June 2009

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UNLAWFUL AND CRIMINAL ACTIONS COMMITTED  
BY GEORGIAN OFFICIALS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF

**Mikheil Saakashvili**

Part IV-B Continuation of the fourth part

EXTRACT from the Part IV about:

- a) STOPPED PROCESS OF US NATURALIZATION
- b) EXCHANGE OF LETTERS WITH INTERPOL &
- c) ARREST IN MOSCOW & REFUGE STATUS

Saakashvili's confession statement:

«We have integrated into  
U.S. internal politics»

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Threats of Temuri Alasania (see chapter 4.16.) began to come true and their first display was halting of the process of acquiring the US citizenship by [redacted]. He and his then wife, [redacted] and their daughter – [redacted] have submitted documents to citizenship together, have passed all stages of naturalization together and, for 30 March 2006 they have been invited together to the final interview for knowledge of the English language and U.S. history, after which they should have taken an oath for citizenship. [redacted] has successfully passed this stage as well, but nobody has granted him citizenship so far. Eventually, on 30 March 2006 his ex-wife acquired Certificate of Naturalization, and the same day instead of Certificate of Naturalization [redacted] received «required security check – pending». And this "security check" lasts since 30 March 2006 until now – now is already 2009, but this "security check" is still in the "pending" mode.

As a matter of fact, the background checking process of [redacted] was finished by 06 January 2006, otherwise he would not have been admitted to the following stage of naturalization – to interview and exams. Thus, by 06 January 2006, i.e. by the moment, when the US Immigration and Naturalization Service sent [redacted] notification with an appointed date of interview, the checking process of [redacted] background has been finished and positive answer of checking of the criminal background has already been received from FBI.

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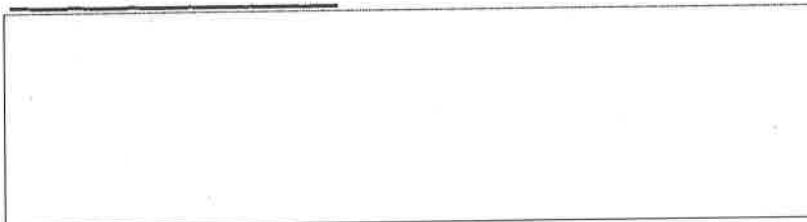
So, what happened on 06 January 2006, for these 3.5 months, that has so cardinally changed the status of the case of naturalization of [redacted] [redacted] As long as, something peculiar happened exactly during this period – since 06 January 2006 till 30 March 2006, which so dramatically changed course of events. However, it's better to give detailed account about it and to start from the beginning.

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Here is general chronology of events of stay in the USA and the process of naturalization:

**A. Before acquiring status of the U.S. Permanent Resident «Green Card»**

- 05 December 1990, from the company [redacted] received business visa B-1/Mult. (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted]) for a term of 6 months valid until 04 June 1991;
- 13 February 1991, from the company [redacted] received business visa B-1/Mult. (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted]) for a term of 6 months valid until 12 August 1991;
- 13 June 1991, from the company [redacted] received business visa B-1/Mult. (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted]) for a term of 1 year valid until 12 June 1992;
- 01 July 1992, from the company [redacted] received business visa B-1/Mult. (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted]) for a term of 1 year valid until 30 June 1993;
- 01 October 1992, moved the whole family to the USA – wife and two children and settled in [redacted];
- 01 October 1993, from the company [redacted] received business visa H-1/Mult. P# [redacted] for a term of 3 years until 14 August 1996 (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted] valid until Sep 30, 1994 and control # [redacted] valid until Apr 24, 1996);
- 23 May 1996, from the company [redacted] received business visa H-1/Mult. P# [redacted] for a term of 2 years until 30 November 1998 (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted] valid until Nov 30 1998)
- 01 January 1998, from the company [redacted] received business visa H-1/Mult. P# [redacted] for a term of 2 years until 01 [redacted]



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January 2000 (Issuing: Moscow, control # [redacted] valid until Jun 03 1999);

- 09 February 1999, successfully passed the last step – interview in the US Immigration and Naturalization Service and was granted temporary evidence of lawful admission for permanent residence<sup>107</sup> until 10 August 2000;

**B. After acquiring status of the U.S. Permanent Resident «Green Card» and submission of application for naturalization in the USA**

- 11 August 1999 received the status of the US Permanent Resident and was granted the so-called "green card"<sup>108</sup>, valid until 07 February 2010;
- 01 August 2005, submitted Application for Naturalization to the U.S. Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Form N-400<sup>109</sup>;
- 15 September 2005, the Immigration and Naturalization Service informed about taking of application to consideration and assigning to the case number INS A# [redacted];
- 20 October 2005, the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service informed that on 04 November of the current year was appointed the procedure of taking fingerprints<sup>111</sup>, which would be passed to the US FBI for checking of the criminal background of [redacted];
- 04 November 2005, were taken fingerprints of [redacted] (see stamp in the form INC I-797C, Notice of Action 10-20-2005 Fingerprint Notification);
- 06 January 2006, the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service sent a notice<sup>112</sup> of appointment of interview on 30 March 2006. In accordance with the «A Guide to Naturalization» U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Form M-476 (Rev 2/04)Y, this notice meant that [redacted] has successfully passed the criminal background check in the U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation;
- 09 February 2006, Tax return transcripts for 1999<sup>113</sup>, 2000<sup>114</sup>, 2001<sup>115</sup>, 2002<sup>116</sup>, 2003<sup>117</sup> и 2004<sup>118</sup> were received from the US IRS - Internal



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Revenue Service for submission to the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service. For information: to that moment [redacted] was the U.S. taxpayer since 1992 till 2005, but the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service was not interested in previous years, it required only information for the last 6 years, since 1999 – i.e. from the moment of granting the "Green Card":

- 30 March 2006, in the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service was an interview and examination for knowledge of the English language and history of America (see details below).

As a result, the same day ex-wife of [redacted] at the Oath Ceremony took an oath for citizenship and received the Certificate of Naturalization # [redacted] and [redacted] was issued the document N-652, «Naturalization Interview Results»<sup>120</sup>, reading:

- (a) «You passed the tests of English and U.S. History and government»,
- (b) «A decision cannot yet be made about your application» and ibidem by hand was added «required security check – pending»,
- (c) «It is very important that you: Notify USCIS if you change your address»;
- 24 April 2006, the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service sent confirmation note<sup>121</sup>, that they have received and entered change of the home address of [redacted] into their files. The day before he changed his place of residence and, as assigned, officially notified about it the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service;
- 13 May 2006, [redacted] directly addressed David M. Hardy, Chief Record / Information Dissemination Section Federal Bureau of Investigation<sup>122</sup>, informed him all necessary identification and contact information and on the basis of the existing U.S. legislation asked to provide him with all records FBI had on him (see details below);
- 26 June 2006, the lawyer of [redacted] sent a letter<sup>123</sup> to the officer of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service, Mrs. J. Choi, where he notified her that on 28 July 2006 a 120-day term from the day of interview was expiring, after which, according to the law, he had a right to

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<sup>122</sup> Exhibit # VP06\_US24\_2006-05-13 FBI - PRIVACY ACT REQUEST

<sup>123</sup> Exhibit # VP06\_US25\_2006\_06-26\_Letter to USCIS DAO J.Choi



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appeal the halted process of naturalization in the U.S. District court (see details below);

- Despite taken measures, as of 01 June 2009 there was no answer nor from the FBI, neither from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service officer J. Choi.

Thus, after on 30 March 2006 [redacted] successfully passed an interview and the English language, U.S. history and government tests, the process of his naturalization in the United States was suspended and such situation lasts more than 3 years.

It should be said that delay of the U.S. naturalization process is not unusual fact – such things must be frequent if American practice and it would not surprise anyone if not several inexplicable factors:

First: time of suspension of this process is too long. We do not know statistics, but venture to say that halting of naturalization process for more than 3 years must be kind of "record" among other similar cases;

Second: this is ignoring of sent requests and absolute silence for all this long period of time from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service as well as from the U.S. FBI;

Third and the main: as it was mentioned before, after successful interview and exams on 30 March 2006 the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service officer, Mrs. J. Choi said that an official reason of the naturalization process delay was that «background check has not been completed yet».

During the interview this reason sounded so unnatural that even the officer J. Choi herself could not hide her discontent and surprise. When before starting an interview she opened in her computer the file of [redacted] naturalization very dissatisfied and surprised grimace appeared on her face. Then it became clear to [redacted] that something extraordinary had happened and asked her if everything was OK. It was exactly when she answered: «background check has not been completed yet»

She had a reason for discontent and surprise. As it was said before, the background check of [redacted] has already been completed, and FBI has given positive answer for checking of his criminal background, otherwise nobody would send him an interview appointment notice on 06 January 2006.

It is written even in «A Guide to Naturalization» published by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services for help of naturalization applicants.

Below are given a little extracts from the Form M-476<sup>124</sup> (Rev 2/04)Y - «A Guide to Naturalization», unambiguously showing and proving that first are taken fingerprints, after that FBI makes criminal background check of an applicant, and only after completion of this process the date of an interview is appointed:

[redacted]

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**3. Get your fingerprints taken**

Eventually, every fingerprinting site will use electronic technology to take fingerprints without ink.

In order to do a criminal background check, USCIS will send your fingerprints to the FBI. In some cases, the FBI may reject your fingerprints because of the quality of the prints.

If the FBI rejects your fingerprints twice, you may be asked to provide police clearances for each place you have lived in the past 5 years.

You will need to contact the police departments in the places you have lived to get these clearances

**4. Mail additional documents if USCIS requests them**

While the FBI is checking your background, USCIS will be locating your immigration file.

Sometimes USCIS may need additional documents from you before we can schedule your interview. If USCIS needs more information from you, we will send you a letter telling you what we need and where to send it.

Thus, it was absolutely obvious that by 06 January, 2006, i.e. by the moment when the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service sent [redacted] the notice of interview appointment date, the background check of [redacted] [redacted] has already been completed and positive answer of criminal background check have been received from the FBI. But on 30 March 2006 it "suddenly" turned out that «required security check – pending».

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It was clear that exactly during this period of time – since 06 January until 30 March, for these 3.5 months something extraordinary had happened which so dramatically changed the course of that process.

It very suspiciously concurred with events, about which threateningly warned [redacted] and which took place after meeting with the then Prime-minister of Georgia Zurab Nougaideli. It will be recalled that not long before – on December 12 [redacted] threateningly warned about possible problems (see details in the Chapter 4.16). And on 02 March 2006, i.e. 4 weeks before this interview Anthony Rodham met with the then Prime-minister of Georgia Zurab Nougaideli in New York and had very unpleasant conversation (see Chapter 4.21), who reported about this meeting to the President Saakashvili in person.

So, [redacted] had quite well-grounded suspicions that these problems could come from their political top of Georgia.

[redacted] had to find out what was happening and that's why on 13 May 2006 he addressed David M. Hardy, Chief Record / Information

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Dissemination Section Federal Bureau of Investigation<sup>125</sup>, informed him all necessary identification and contact information and, on the basis of the existing U.S. legislation, asked to provide him with all records FBI had on him.

Below is given the full text of the privacy act request:

**PRIVACY ACT REQUEST**

To: David M. Hardy, Chief  
Record/Information Dissemination Section  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

935 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20535

Fax: (202) 324-3752  
Sub: PRIVACY ACT REQUEST

Dear Mr. Hardy:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. section 552 and the Privacy Act, 5 U.S.C. section 552a, please furnish me with copies of all records about me indexed to my name or my identifying information, maintained in the Central Records System (CRS).

To help identify information about me in your records systems and/or programs, I am providing the following identifying information:

Full Name:  
Date of Birth:  
Place of Birth:  
Social Security Number  
Current Address  
Home Phone Number

If you have any questions about handling this request, you may phone me at 201-941-3808 (day or evenings). Please respond to:

Sincerely,

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<sup>125</sup> Exhibit # VP06\_US24\_2006-05-13 To FBI - PRIVACY ACT REQUEST

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Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 1746, I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that I am requesting release of my records to myself.

Executed on 05-13-2006.

Signature

More than 3 years have passed, but, unfortunately this request to FBI has not given any result so far, already till the middle of 2009, and probably will not give.

Then, in 2006 [redacted] continued take legal actions. On 26 June 2006, after about 6 weeks of wait for response from FBI the lawyer of [redacted] addressed the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service officer, Mrs. J. Choi with the following letter<sup>126</sup>:

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Via Certified Mail RRR

RE: Application for Naturalization of [redacted]

Dear Officer Choi:

I represent [redacted] in the above matter. My Form G-28 is attached hereto. [redacted] had his interview on March 30, 2006. He has passed the test of US history and civics. In the end of the interview you informed him that his background check has not been completed yet.

INA Section 336(b), 8 U.S.C. #1447(b), specifically provides for judicial review for a stalled naturalization petition in these circumstances. It states as follows:

*If there is a failure to make a determination under (INA) # 335 (8 U.S.C. #144b) before the end of the 120-day period after the date on which the examination is conducted under such section, the applicant may apply to the United States District Court for the District in which the applicant resides for a hearing on the matter. Such court has jurisdiction over the matter and may either determine the matter or remand the matter, with appropriate instructions to the Service to determine the matter.*

The statute provides that if more than 120 days have passed since the naturalization interview, the applicant can seek judicial relief.

Please be advised that of this matter is not adjudicated within the prescribed 120 days (on or about July 28, 2006), I have been authorized to exercise the applicant's right to seek judicial review of this application for naturalization.

But this letter also didn't work. Absolutely nothing has followed this letter. Since then the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service has not undertaken any actions. The naturalization process of [redacted] was stopped and was stopped completely and for a long time. Most probably American "friends" of Mikheil Saakashvili took care of that. Precisely those American "friends", of whom so often used to boast [redacted] who every now and then used to

<sup>126</sup> Exhibit # VP06\_US25\_2006\_06-26\_Letter to USCIS DAO J.Choi



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repeat: «our guys from Department of State», «our friends from the White House», «our friends senators». Otherwise, it's very difficult to give other explanation to this fact.

One way or another, it's hard to judge, but the fact remains that more than 3 years have passed, but NOBODY has promised a single word [redacted] so far – it seems as if everybody has "forgotten" about him: no one has sent any message to his home address. The U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service as well as the U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation are still keep silence. As the saying goes, time of deathly silence has come.

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But the question put in the beginning of this chapter still remains open. There is no answer to the question what had happened since 06 January to 30 March 2006, what had happened that dramatically has changed the course of naturalization process of [redacted]? As long as, something peculiar happened exactly during this period – since 06 January 2006 till 30 March 2006, which so dramatically changed the course of events and so dramatically affected the fate of [redacted].

**4.26. Red Notice of Interpol and Short-term detention of [redacted]  
 [redacted] in New York JFK Airport**

As it was mentioned before, the lawyer of [redacted] sent a letter to the a letter to the officer of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service, Mrs. J. Choi, where he notified her that on 28 July 2006 a 120-day term from the day of interview was expiring, after which, according to the law, he had a right to appeal the halted process of naturalization in the U.S. District court.

Maybe this letter played a fatal role. It's hard to judge if it was accidental coincidence, but the fact remains that 3 days before expiry date indicated in the lawyer's letter, on 25 July 2006 Interpol declared [redacted] in international retrieval by request of Georgia, i.e. of Mikheil Saakashvili and issued circular notification Red Notice for his arrest and extradition to Georgia.

**(a) Short-term detention of [redacted] in New York JFK Airport**

As it was mentioned above, on May 18, 2004 [redacted] returned to his permanent place of residence in America, where he has been staying without quitting the place for more than 2 years.

On July 21 2006 he arrived to Turkey for short-time visit. He had no problem nor at the exit from the USA, neither at the entrance to Turkey<sup>127</sup>. He had no problem also 10 days later at the exit from Turkey. Unexpectedly for [redacted] the problem arose at the entrance to the United States.

On July 31, 2006 at the entrance to the USA [redacted] was detained in the New York JFK Airport by the officers of the US Customs and Border Protection of Department of Homeland Security. But after 4 hours of

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detailed questioning and inquiries of his status and the background of his stay in the USA, as well as other details of his life, they let [redacted] to cross the border of the United States<sup>129</sup> and let him to go home. When he asked an officer what was wrong, the later answered that the problem came from the government of Georgia. The officer didn't make any other comment.

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As soon as [redacted] came home from the JFK Airport he entered the Interpol web-site and discovered that he was declared in the international retrieval – that Interpol had issued circular notification Red Notice<sup>129</sup> for him and that 187 countries of the world – the member countries of this organization were already "hunting" for him. In the document there was written that it was «last modified on July 25, 2006». This is how [redacted] learned that he was in international retrieval of Interpol.

Exact date of announcement through Interpol is unknown, but judging from the fact that he had no problems during exit from the United States and entrance to Turkey on 20 and 21 July, and at his entry to the USA on 31 July this problem arose, the Red Notice was issued exactly during this period. And as this document had mark "Last modified on 25 Jul 2006", we can suggest with confidence that the date of issue of the Red Notice was exactly that date.

In general the Red Notice is the highest level among 7 types of Notices<sup>130</sup> of Interpol, which are distributed to all member countries of this organization.

The Red Notice is a circular notice according to which based on an arrest warrant the wanted person shall be arrested with a view to extradition to the country which has issued his arrest warrant.

But despite the Interpol Red Notice the boarder security officers didn't see fit to arrest [redacted] and, as it was already mentioned before, after inquiries of some interesting to them questions they let [redacted] to cross the border of the United States.

One can only imagine hysterical reaction of Mikheil Saakashvili when he learned that after declaration in the international retrieval of [redacted] by Interpol he has been detained in the New York JFK Airport, but the officers of the US Customs and Border Protection of Department of Homeland Security didn't see fit to arrest [redacted] and after short questioning let him go home. Such news could easily knock out impulsive and inclined to the emotional hyperexcitability Mikheil Saakashvili.

**(b) Use of Interpol as a retribution weapon of Mikheil Saakashvili against his political and personal opponents**

It should be mentioned right away that after coming to power Mikheil Saakashvili started mass repressions in the country, during which he used

[redacted]

<sup>130</sup> Exhibit # VP05\_IP04\_2006-07-25 Interpol - Types of notices



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Interpol for his personal and political purposes. In his hands Interpol became a kind of retribution weapon. Saakashvili used potential of this international organization for settling personal scores with people for whom he did not even hide his personal hatred and animosity.

Among 51 cases regarding which currently exist circular notifications Red Notice of Interpol, in at least 8 cases international retrieval has been declared exclusively for political reasons and / or for settling personal scores of Mikheil Saakashvili with these people. Among them we can list:

- Abashidze Aslan  
 The ex-head of the Georgian Autonomous Republic of Adjara  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – CRIMES INVOLVING THE USE OF WEAPONS/EXPLOSIVES, FRAUD, KIDNAPPING, ORGANIZED CRIME /TRANSNATIONAL CRIME, TERRORISM
- Basilia Temuri  
 The former primal councilor of the President of Georgia, Eduard Shevardnadze in economic issues  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – FRAUD
- Giorgobiani Bidzina  
 During Shevardnadze era the former political emigrant (for 9 years), and the chairman of the Forestry Department of Georgia after "Rose Revolution"  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – FRAUD
- Gogitidze Jemal  
 The ex-leader of the bloc "Renaissance" of the parliamentary oppositional party – the primary political opponent of Mikheil Saakashvili, and later, the minister of Internal Affairs of the Autonomous Republic of Adjara.  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – FRAUD, KIDNAPPING, TERRORISM, THEFTS
- Gotsiridze Alexandre  
 The ex-president of Georgian international gas corporation  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – FRAUD
- Iakobidze Sergo  
 the former director general of the Post bank of Georgia and the former winner of elections of majoritarian deputy of the Parliament of Georgia from Chiatura, which were conducted simultaneously with presidential elections of January 4, 2004, in which the victory was gained by Mikheil Saakashvili.  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – FRAUD
- Mamaladze Levan  
 The former attorney of the president of Georgia in Kvemo Kartli region and the ex-governor of this region  
 Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – FRAUD

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■  Incriminated crimes according to the Red Notice – **FRAUD**

There are strong reasons to suggest that apart from the above listed 8 cases, in at least 5 cases people have been declared in international retrieval of Interpol for political and / or personal reasons.

Probably, the most attractive example of usage of Interpol for his political goals, and also illustrative example of immorality of Mikheil Saakashvili is his personal enmity and hate towards his former political opponent Aslan Abashidze, who is currently in fictitious retrieval of Interpol, as everyone on this earth know where and why Aslan Abashidze is.

It will be recalled that after the so-called Tbilisi "Rose Revolution", after seizure of power in Georgia in 2003 and accession to the throne of the "President" of the country in January 2004, Mikheil Saakashvili by analogical methods arranged in Batumi "Adjarian Revolution" and overthrown Aslan Abashidze from his post of the leader of the Autonomous Republic of Adjara. At that time Georgia was on the verge of civil war and only resignation of Aslan Abashidze from his post saved the country from bloodshed. And then Mikheil Saakashvili as the president of the state publicly, from the TV screens gave Aslan Abashidze political guarantee from possible criminal prosecution. Such guarantee of the president Mikheil Saakashvili reaffirmed to the government of Russia, where presumably could have emigrated then Aslan Abashidze. Having received the guarantee of inviolability, on May 6, 2004 Aslan Abashidze left the country and went to Moscow together with his family.

As soon as Aslan Abashidze left the country and Mikheil Saakashvili laid his hands on power in this autonomous republic he barefacedly retracted his presidential guarantees<sup>131</sup> and forgot his public promises. On December 05, 2005 the Office of Prosecutor General of Georgia instituted legal proceedings against Aslan Abashidze and later on declared him wanted. Mikheil Saakashvili began to demand from Russia extradition of Aslan Abashidze. Concerning this issue during one of press conferences Mikheil Saakashvili and the then president of the Russian Federation Vladimir Putin even had high words<sup>132</sup>.

But despite such deep international resonance Interpol didn't react to this commonly known fact and violating the Article 3 of its own Constitutions forbidding usage of Interpol for political purposes still fictitiously retrieves Aslan Abashidze. Fictitiously because, as it was already said, everybody knows where and why Aslan Abashidze is, and because, except Interpol everybody knows where to find him.

This is concerning political aspects of this fictitious international retrieval declared by Interpol. And now about moral aspects, personal enmity and hatred of Mikheil Saakashvili towards "wanted" person.

<sup>131</sup> Exhibit # VP02\_AA01\_2005-12-05 Saakashvili Comments on Ex-Adjarian Leader

<sup>132</sup> Exhibit # VP02\_AA02\_2006-06-14 Putin-Saakashvili Meeting Reveals Disagreements

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Personal hatred towards Aslan Abashidze was such strong that when Saakashvili became a president of Georgia and Aslan Abashidze still was the head of the Autonomous Republic of Adjara, during political aggravation Mikheil Saakashvili publicly, from the TV screens contemptuously called him "dwarf" and "little man", despicably and humiliatingly indicating at his low stature.

And when Aslan Abashidze was banished from the country his children, Giorgi and Diana were barred from entry to Georgia even for visiting grave of their mother. In contravention of all universal values Georgian authorities still do not allow them to mourn over the grave of their untimely passed away mother. When on June 20, 2004 Diana Abashidze came to Batumi to the obit of her mother, for 3 days she has been taken to the police for interrogation. Even the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation had to step in and express its protest<sup>133</sup> concerning these frequent questionings of daughter of the former head of the republic Adjara, Aslan Abashidze. But, according to the then minister of the Internal Affairs of Georgia, Irakli Okruashvili, guarantees to Aslan Abashidze and members of his family do not apply to the territory of Georgia. Eventually, after Diana Abashidze was released she was warned that neither she nor her brother or any other member of their family should ever come to Georgia.

Enmity and hatred of Mikheil Saakashvili did not amount to nothing more than these bans. On May 06, 2007 he came to Batumi to celebrate 3<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of banishment of Aslan Abashidze from Georgia and seizure of full power in this autonomous republic. Visit of Saakashvili of these celebrations in Batumi was "marked" by two barbaric events: practically at one and the same time door of Abashidze's apartment in Batumi was burned up and the tomb and the last shelter of his wife Maguli Gogitidze in the village Gantiadi was unearthed and violated. Here is a short and dry report made by Georgian press about these vandal and outrageous acts<sup>134</sup>:

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**Grave of Ex-leader's wife vandalized**

Grave of Maguli Gogitidze, wife of the ex-leader of Adjarian autonomous republic, Aslan Abashidze has been vandalized on 6 May. The locals of the village Gantiadi have confirmed the incident. They said the vandals dug the grave but failed to take out the coffin as it was covered with a heavy concrete stone.

On the same days someone also tried to burn the house of the ex-renegade leader on Gogebashvili Street, but the house was saved.

People responsible for this disgraceful vandalism have not even been looked for, let alone found. And nobody was going to look for them; on the contrary, they congratulated each other, gloated and celebrated 3<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of their victory.

<sup>133</sup> Exhibit # VP02\_AA03\_2004-06-24 Ex-Adjarian Leader's Daughter Interrogated

<sup>134</sup> Exhibit # VP02\_AA04\_2007-05-07 Grave of Ex-leader's wife vandalized



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As it was mentioned above, Mikheil Saakashvili has used Interpol for settling his personal scores with people, towards whom he didn't even try to hide his enmity and hatred. This international organization - Interpol became a kind of retribution weapon and instrument for settling personal scores in Mikheil Saakashvili's hands.

And Interpol without proper check and recheck obediently fulfils any requests of the revolutionary regime of Saakashvili. Like in case of Aslan Abashidze, when Interpol did not express interest and did not checked commonly known scandalous case about political guarantees given to him by Saakashvili, it did not check other requests of the post-revolutionary country, where the process of reprisal and persecution of the former ruling classes and certain layers of the society, characteristic for revolutions in general, was in process. And in accordance with the article 3 of the Interpol Constitution, exactly in such cases this organization is forbidden to undertake any actions of a political character:

"It is strictly forbidden for the Organization to undertake any intervention or activities of a political, military, religious or racial character".

Despite these strict restrictions Interpol satisfies all received requests from Georgia without proper check and recheck, indifferently declares all these people in international retrieval and issues circular notification Red Notice for their arrest and extradition to Georgia - to the very country, the president of which is a personal enemy of these people and is personally longing for their retribution.

Interpol did exactly the same in case of [redacted] who unsuccessfully tried to establish contact with Interpol and to sort out this concrete case.

If Interpol paid proper attention to materials presented from Georgia, it would see that many of them are not criminals, but victims of personal revenge of Mikheil Saakashvili, of the man, who having occupied the chair of the president of Georgia from the TV screens, publicly, openly and impudently calls and insults citizens of "his own" country calling them

- «pigs»,
- «scoundrels»,
- «rogues»,
- «dwarf» (small men),
- «washed off» (in toilet sink) people,
- «red intelligentsia»

and other insulting and other man-hating expressions. The same publicly insulted people the President of the state, Mikheil Saakashvili contemptuously calls from TV screens "elements", who should be arrested and destroyed no matter what it takes. Yes, exactly "to kill on the spot" - exactly such criminal orders gives from the TV screens the president of the country, who should be the guarantor of the Constitution of this country, of constitution, which prohibits death penalty in the country. See details on these issues below, in the Chapter # 4.31 "Exchange of letters between [redacted] and Interpol".

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**(c) Change of existing status quo and intentions to hire high-class American lawyers**

Thus, status quo, existing on January 2005 was violated on July 25 2006 and from that moment Mikheil Saakashvili began to achieve arrest of [redacted] and his extradition to Georgia.

The fact remains that since January 2005 up to July 2006, i.e. for 1.5 years Georgia authorities have been aware very well of location of [redacted] but did not take any necessary in such cases measures and his status of "wanted" had pure fictitious character.

But since July 25, 2006 very dangerous period of [redacted] life has begun – it was crucial point in his life. Merciless struggle not for property or some material values and rights, but for freedom and, after all, for life of [redacted] has begun.

Immediate measures should have been taken for legal protection of his freedom. He had to immediately hire lawyers and not just lawyers, but lawyers of the highest qualification, who could have not only really cope with arisen problems of Interpol and suspended process of naturalization, but they also, and the main, should have filed claims and sue in the U.S. court against all those current and former Georgian officials, who have caused material and moral damage to [redacted] and his property.

Besides, these lawyers should have cope with those possible problems, which subsequently could have been created by American friends and Washington protectors of Mikheil Saakashvili.

After some consultations with his friends and partners [redacted] met in Washington DC with founder and partner of the American law firm ZUCKERMAN SPAEDER LLP, with Mr. Roger E. Zuckerman, who before setting up of this firm has been working Assistant U.S. Attorney for 5 years. Founded by him firm unites 100 professional lawyers in his offices in Washington DC, New York, Tampa, Baltimore and Wilmington, DE.

Founded by Mr. Zuckerman and based in the nation's capital, this law firm established a nationally focused complex litigation practice based in the nation's capital and for almost 35 years successfully defends the interests of its clients in many fields, including the so-called field of "White Collar & Government Investigations». This firm successfully defends interests of its clients on the state and federal level, as well as on international level.

Meeting of [redacted] and Roger Zuckerman took place in the first days of August 2006 in the headquarter of his firm in Washington. They have discussed many aspects of this case. It became clear that in the given case simple actions were not enough for solving of the set task. Versatile and large-scale legal acts requiring significant efforts and, naturally, financial means were necessary. But by that time [redacted] did not have such means anymore – due to the above listed damages and losses he has been financially

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totally exhausted. The formula "no money, no justice" has worked. And if there is no justice, naturally there is no fairness. So, the circle closed up – if there is no money, no justice can be found in this world.



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**4.28. Arisen danger, forced temporary leave from the USA of [redacted]**

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Only blind could not see and only fool could not understand that terrible clouds have gathered over [redacted] the situation was very dangerous.

Firstly: it was not a big secret that in America itself there were powerful political forces, which could readily respond to any call of their favourite Mikheil Saakashvili or his high-ranking officials. Furthermore, these powerful political forces of America by various internal political reasons could be quite interested in arrest and deportation of [redacted] to Georgia, where by fabricated

<sup>145</sup> Exhibit # VP13\_MC12\_2008-09-15 Saakashvili introduced McCain as 'the next president of the United States'

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accusations would arrange a mock trial and a noisy show over a friend and business partner of Anthony Rodham. There are no doubts that political opponents of Hillary Clinton would derive benefit from it for themselves.

The fact of suspension of [redacted] naturalization – when after the first approval of FBI of his background somebody meddled in this process and at the last minute stopped his accession to the US citizenship, could mean that it could have been made intentionally and with far-reaching plans;

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Secondly, threats of Temuri Alasania (see the Chapter # 4.16) assumed quite realistic contours and began to come true with dangerous exactness and sequence. Let us remind you some of them:

- «... They will begin real struggle with you not here (in the USA), where you have friends and support, but there (in Georgia), - at home, where they have absolute power, strength and where they control absolutely everything...»;
- «... they will declare you in retrieval through Interpol, and our friends here (in the USA) will throw you out in double-quick time, you won't have time to come around when you'll find yourself in Georgian prison...»;
- «... and nobody will be able to help you, nor your family, neither your friends here...»
- «... he (Mikheil Saakashvili) does not give a damn about Hillary, he and McCain are friends and he believes that he becomes the next US President ...»
- «... there (in Georgia) absolute power is in their hands, and they can do to you anything they want, they will hustle you into a cell and break your bones...they have subdued guys tougher than you... you'll say and sign everything they will tell you, you'll take upon yourself even murder of John Kennedy...»

Thirdly, the lack of financial means for hiring of lawyers made [redacted] absolutely unprotected and vulnerable.

Fourthly, if during the whole 2005 a sort of status quo was established and no active actions were taken for arrest of [redacted] in 2006 events began to develop rapidly and the "spiral" of forcing of situation acquired growing dynamic. So:

- on 14 January Temur Alasania talked over the phone to Kote Kemularia, during which surprised Alasania told Kote Kemularia: «Are you nuts? What will you do if Hillary becomes the president of America?», to which Kemularia replied with abuse and swearing towards Hillary and all democrats together;
- in response, the next morning after the extraordinary meeting at Kote Kemularia, the Head (gamgebeli) of administration of Senaki district,

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Guram Misabishvili called residing in Tbilisi sister of [redacted] and attacked her with abuse and threats;

- on 02 March an unpleasant meeting of Anthony Rodham and the Prime-minister of Georgia, Zurab Nogaideli took place in New York, who reported about this meeting and unpleasant conversation to Mikheil Saakashvili;
- in response, on 30 of March, in incomprehensible circumstances the process of naturalization of [redacted] was unexpectedly stopped and at the last moment his accession to the US citizenship was suspended;
- on 21 of April by the chancellery of the Prime-Minister of Georgia was received an official letter of Anthony Rodham with request to stop illegal process of robbery and misappropriation of the private property – hazel plantations of Argo Holdings;
- in response, the Prime-Minister Zurab Nogaideli left the letter of Anthony Rodham unanswered and, as the saying is, threw this complaint away to the "trashcan";

**For information:** on 29 April 2006, Mikheil Saakashvili and the Senator John McCain met in Brussels;

- in response, threats, including written, rained again against sister of [redacted]
- 26 June 2006, the lawyer of [redacted] sent a letter to the officer of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service, Mrs. J. Choi, where he notified her that on 28 July 2006 a 120-day term from the day of interview was expiring, after which, according to the law, he had a right to appeal the halted process of naturalization in the U.S. District court (see details below);
- in response, on 25 June Georgian authorities through Interpol declared [redacted] in the international retrieval.

**For information:** a day before, on 24 July 2006, Mikheil Saakashvili and the Senator John McCain met in New York;

- on July 31, on entrance to the USA, in the New York JFK Airport [redacted] was detained by the officers of the US Customs and Border Protection of Department of Homeland Security. But after 4 hours of detailed questioning and inquiries of his status and the background in the USA, as well as other details of his life, they let [redacted] to go home. They didn't see fit to arrest [redacted] It was how [redacted] learned about international retrieval of Interpol;

One can only imagine hysterical reaction of Mikheil Saakashvili when he learned that after declaration in the international retrieval of [redacted] by Interpol he has been detained in the New York JFK Airport, but the officers of the US Customs and Border Protection of Department of Homeland Security

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didn't see fit to arrest [redacted] and after short questioning let him go home. Such news could easily knock out impulsive and inclined to the emotional hyperexcitability Mikheil Saakashvili.

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Several weeks have passed after events in the FJK Airport and it became known that since 26 to 29 August 2006 the Senator McCain was on a visit to Mikheil Saakashvili in Georgia. It was not a simple visit; he celebrated his birthday in the old Georgian village Gonio. On August 29 John McCain turned 70.

When, speaking by words of George Bush: "a man who deeply loves his family", and nobody doubts it, on his 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary for some reason found himself "in arms" of Saakashvili, 10 thousand kilometers away from his beloved family, there must surely be very serious reason. The fact of the "secret celebration" of the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of McCain the old Georgian village Gonio, these participants of Georgian "Rose Revolution", i.e. of coup d'état of 2003 (it will be recalled that before the "Rose Revolution" McCain has personally brought to Georgia a bullet-proof vest for Saakashvili), clearly demonstrated the extent of their relationships and depth of political interests between Mikheil Saakashvili and John McCain – probable contender of Hillary Clinton in future presidential elections of 2008.

Thus, it became clear to [redacted] that it was dangerous for him to stay on the United States. It was impossible to divine intentions of this tandem. Knowing well moral inclinations of Saakashvili everything was expected – he was ready for absolutely EVERYTHING that could be most effective. So, a threat hovered over [redacted] then was very realistic and very dangerous. And then [redacted] took final decision to temporarily leave the territory of the USA, which already was growing very dangerous for him.

He had to leave the United States for a while and to safeguard him against possible insidious strike. to try to find sources of finance, to hire first-class lawyers and to start struggle not only for his rights and property, but, and the main, also for his freedom, life and his future.

In search of security on 11 September 2006 [redacted] temporarily left the United States and went to Moscow. The real catastrophe has happened in his life: everything he has been building and creating during all his life has been taken away from him, destroyed and destructed. He has lost EVERYTHING: all businesses, all his property, house, money, family and in his 50s, just with 1 000 dollars in his pocket and two suitcases in his hands he found himself in the street. And not simply in the street, but in the street of foreign city of the foreign country and, the most terrible and unbearable, with the "attached" stigma of a criminal - by the letter of his caption and by international retrieval declared by the Interpol. That was the real "Ground Zero" point in his life.



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As stated above, [redacted] has suffered the real catastrophe – in the end of June, 2006 he was declared wanted by Interpol, and in the end of August it became clear that his safety can be in serious danger in America and it was vital for him to find necessary financing for hiring high-professional lawyers as soon as possible and to protect his rights – basic human rights specified by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and which are necessary for life protection, dignity and freedom of person. That's why, being concerned about his life and freedom he was forced to temporarily leave the USA on September 11 2006 and go to Russia in search of financial support.

[redacted] has suffered the real catastrophe then and in his 50s he found himself in a state of «Ground Zero» – at the point of catastrophic destruction of his life. His life was razed to the ground and it was a real catastrophe: everything he has been building and creating during all his life has been taken away from him, destroyed and destructed. He has lost EVERYTHING: all businesses, all his property, house, money, family and in his

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**(a) Unsuccessful fund-raising for institution of legal suit against criminal deeds of Mikheil Saakashvili regime**

After [redacted] has left the territory of the USA and arrived in Russia, he began to act - he had to find source of finance and to begin putting up of resistance to that injustice and illegality, he had to protect himself and at the same time to try criminal regime of Saakashvili. Such sources he could find only at Georgian immigrants living in Russia and who, like [redacted] were victims of Saakashvili regime and had to live outside Georgia. But, unfortunately, all efforts of [redacted] were vain, none of his old acquaintances expressed desire to help him.

It has two reasons: first of all, no one wished to get involved with "this mad" Saakashvili and create new problems, even those, who had already nothing to lose. Everyone had reasons to beware of new round of confrontation with a man capable of any lowdown act. And the second, nobody on earth believed it was possible to find somewhere justice and restrain unlawful and impudent deeds of Mikheil Saakashvili. Everybody knew very well that Mikheil Saakashvili was patronized by his "God father", the US President George Bush, who in about 3 months after death of the Prime-minister of Georgia Zurab Zhvania<sup>152</sup> has hurriedly arrive in Georgia<sup>153</sup> to demonstrate his unconditional support to the prime suspected of Zhvania's murder in view of Georgian people. Thus, no one believed in possibility to find justice over Saakashvili. They did not believe that and that's why did not want to finance a priori lost cases. So, even those, who, from an outsider's viewpoint, looked like sworn enemies of Saakashvili, also rejected to take part in financing legal actions against Mikheil Saakashvili.

Thus, despite persistent attempts and undertaken efforts [redacted] failed to attract necessary financing for institution of active legal actions against Saakashvili regime and protection of his personal rights, civil rights -rights necessary for safety of life, dignity and freedom of a person.

**(b) Inquiries of [redacted] to Interpol with request to provide with information about him**

As long as [redacted] did not have his own money, and others could not finance lawyers' service, he decided to act independently and to do everything possible in that situation.

<sup>152</sup> Exhibit # VP16\_ZZ02\_2005-02-04 Rice talks to Saakashvili - U.S. believes that Zhvania's death was an accident

<sup>153</sup> Exhibit # VP12\_GB02\_2005-05-09 George Bush arrives to Georgia with an official visit



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Circumstances required action and in any case he had to take actions – he could not sit and wait for what would happen. So, first thing he did was to send to the Interpol official inquiry and required to give him access to files of his case.

Then [redacted] filled in an official form of Interpol by himself, called: **FORM FOR REQUESTING ACCESS TO INTERPOL'S FILES**<sup>154</sup>, where he provided data about him, including his home address, date and place of birth, passport number and even attached copy of his passport. Here is an extract from that request form:

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**Identity details of the person concerned by the request**

Family name  
Forename  
Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY)  
Place of birth (Country/town)

**Identity document:**

Type  
(Passport, Identity card, driving licence, other(specify)  
Number

**Additional information concerning the requested:**

Essential if amendment or deletion of information is requested

Dear Sir/Madam:

I would like to request access to personal information pertaining to my file on record. Enclosed for your consideration, please find a copy of my Identity document. Please forward all information to the following address:

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Date: 12/02/2007

Signature: [redacted]

As one can see from the request form, besides inquiry of his file from Interpol [redacted] has also provided his identity information, date and place of birth, his passport number, his home address and also has attached copy of his passport.

Thus, [redacted] who has been declared by the Interpol in international retrieval, instead of hiding from the Interpol he has established contact with this organization and provided them with his home address. This fact itself spoke volumes. Offenders do not act like that – real criminals, fugitives, and also people hiding from justice do not run to Interpol and do not inform them

<sup>154</sup> Exhibit # VP05\_IP05\_2007-02-12 Letter to Interpol - Request to access files

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about their place of residence. No one can deny it. Undoubtedly it was very brave step, which could have been made only by a person convinced of his innocence.

Not long after [redacted] has received the first letter from Interpol as of March 09, 2007<sup>155</sup>, and then the second letter as of March 30, 2007<sup>156</sup>.

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The first letter reads that:

Our ref.: CCF/67/R18.07/C43.07

Subject: Your request dated 12 February 2007,

Dear [redacted]

We acknowledge receipt of your requesting from dated 12 February 2007 requesting access to an eventual record at Interpol in your name.

Insofar as you have provided a copy of your passport, your request is admissible. We would like to inform you that you are subject of information available on the Interpol website. A copy of which is attached.

Your request will be processed in the following manner:

- The Commission verifies whether the information concerning you has been processed in conformity with Interpol's rules. To do this, the CCF may approach the various Interpol National Central Bureaus concerned by your request.
- The Commission then informs the General Secretariat of the results of the checks it has made. If any irregularity has been found, the CCF will make any appropriate recommendations as to the action which needs to be taken to ensure the information is processed in conformity with the applicable rules.
- Lastly, the Commission may request to the Interpol Central Bureau(s) concerned by your request the authorization to inform you about items of information concerning you recorded in Interpol's files.

The Commission will keep you informed of developments in this matter as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Secretariat to the Commission  
 for the Control of Interpol's Files

Apparently, the first letter clearly showed that the Commission has not just accepted request of [redacted] but began to act – started to check if information concerning [redacted] has been processed correctly and if it corresponded to existing rules of Interpol. The Commission also promised to inform the General Secretariat about inspection results and in case of revealing violations the Commission "would worked out necessary corresponding

<sup>155</sup> Exhibit # VP05\_IP06\_2007-03-09 1st Letter from Commission for the Control of Interpol's Files

<sup>156</sup> Exhibit # VP05\_IP07\_2007-03-30 2nd Letter from Commission for the Control of Interpol's Files

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recommendations concerning actions to be taken to guarantee data processing in accordance with applicable rules". For a start it was great. Such answer completely satisfied [redacted] as well as inspired and gave him hope.

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Soon after this letter [redacted] has received the second letter. But, alas, this time, as it seemed something has changed for these 3 weeks in the Commission for the Control of Interpol's Files, as that letter absolutely differed from the previous one by its spirit and character. Here is this letter:

Our ref.: CCF/67/R18.07/C101.07

Subject: Your request dated 12 February 2007,

Dear [redacted]

Following our letter dated 9 March 2007, we would like to inform you that, in application of the principles of national sovereignty and of indirect access to information held by Interpol, the Commission is not empowered to inform you of the existence or not of information concerning you in the Organization's files, nor to give you access to such information should it exist.

The Commission can only inform you that, at your request, it has carried out the verifications, except when it has obtained authorization from the competent authorities of the country(s) concerned to disclose to you the existence or not of information concerning you in the Interpol General Secretariat's files.

In accordance with its mission, we wish to inform you that the Commission has carried out the appropriate checks, but that it has not been authorized by the Interpol National Central Bureau (NCB) in Georgia to disclose to you additional information concerning you in the Interpol General Secretariat's files.

Furthermore, please note that the Commission is not empowered to deal with national files. This can only be done by the appropriate judicial authorities or national police. You can therefore contact the competent authorities in Georgia.

Yours sincerely,

Secretariat to the Commission  
for the Control of Interpol's Files

Such was the letter [redacted] received then from the Secretariat to the Commission for the Control of Interpol's Files. Respectful in form and splendid masterpiece of classical bureaucracy in content. After reading this letter a number of serious questions arise. But wording of these questions is applies to the competence of qualified lawyers knowing specificity of Interpol and international law, consequently our aim is not consideration of these legal bearings. Here we would like to put a question from absolutely different angle of view and focus attention on other, no less important aspects of that letter.

**(c) Basic human rights and legal framework of Interpol's activity**

By that letter the Interpol Commission communicates to a person, whom Interpol has declared in international retrieval and has issued circular notification Red Notice for his caption and extradition, that:



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Firstly: Interpol's Commission "is not authorized to inform" him if in Interpol's files there is any information concerning him. I.e. they do not say if they possess such information. And according to the essence of that juridically tangled letter the impression is that Interpol has no such information at all or has, but in minimal or insufficient quantity to issue circular notification Red Notice for arrest and extradition of that person. And "the principle of national sovereignty and indirect data access" indicated in that letter is one of circumstantial evidences of that, and in general, the whole content of that letter indicates to that.

Thus, judging by that letter it looks as if Interpol has issued circular notification Red Notice) of his caption only on the basis of that "...indirect data access".

Secondly: In that letter it is told that even if Interpol had any information concerning [redacted], the Commission was not able to give him access to such information. And it is written by the Secretariat of Commission, which is engaged in control of Interpol's files and which is usually provides people with requested information. In principle, this is one of fundamental function of work of the mentioned Commission. Thus, the conclusion is that on the basis of standard requests this commission provides other people with information, but it was not able to satisfy request of [redacted] concerning provision him with such information "even if Interpol had any". But then what about individual rights of [redacted] ensuing from basic human rights, specified by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, adopted by the United Nations General Assembly 10 December 1948 at the Palais de Chaillot, Paris.

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Basic human rights specified by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights is a basic foundation and main principle of Interpol's activity, the Constitution of which is directly obliges it to act in the spirit of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and places an obligation on Interpol to guarantee observance and respect of human rights in its activities<sup>157</sup>. And Interpol openly proclaims this norm at its web page, where we read the following:

"In application of Article 2 of its Constitution, the Organization acts 'in the spirit of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights'. This provision places an obligation on Interpol to ensure that, in the conduct of its activities, human rights are observed and respect for them encouraged.

Sounds great, but one question appears: and where are individual or civil rights of [redacted]? He has no rights, has he? As long as individual rights, which are often called civil rights, are rights of each human being and are considered as inherent and inalienable for every person. And these rights are necessary for safety of life, dignity and freedom of a person.

Interpol criminales a man through the world and starts "hunting" for him in 187 countries. Besides, this organization does not even want to provide him

<sup>157</sup> VP05\_IP08\_INTERPOL's Constitution and Regulation

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information so that he would be able to protect himself and present documents in his defence. The question is: what about universally recognized right of the Article 10 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, which reads that everyone is entitled in full equality to a fair and public hearing by an independent and impartial tribunal, in the determination of his rights and obligations and of any criminal charge against him? Does not this regulation concern Interpol at all? Organization, which is the international law enforcement agency – Interpol.

A person addressed them with request to give him information, and they do not give even that information, which will help him to avoid threat to his individual rights. Do not give and declare that would not give "even if Interpol had" it. I don't know what would say human rights advocates, but for ordinary citizen it sounds cynically and wildly. It appears that there is an evident contradiction between basic human rights and legal framework of Interpol's activity. But we are not to judge it – it's up to qualified specialists.

Thirdly: in that letter the Secretariat of the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files persistently sends [redacted] there, where request of his arrest comes from.

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We would remind several quotations from that letter:

- ... in application of the principles of national sovereignty and of indirect access to information held by Interpol....
- ... except when it has obtained authorization from the competent authorities of the country(s) concerned to disclose to you the existence or not of information concerning you in the Interpol General Secretariat's files.
- ... but that it has not been authorized by the Interpol National Central Bureau (NCB) in Georgia to disclose to you additional information concerning you in the Interpol General Secretariat's files.
- ... Commission is not empowered to deal with national files. This can only be done by the appropriate judicial authorities or national police. You can therefore contact the competent authorities in Georgia.

So, the Commission of Interpol has "passed the buck" of information inquiry of [redacted] to Georgia, from where request of his arrest has come.

**(d) What should Commission for Control of Interpol's Files have known**

Such behaviour of the Interpol's Commission can be understood and justified only in four cases:

- (1) If the Secretariat of the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files does not remember that the Article 3 of the Interpol's Constitution has established strict limitation, which reads that:

"It is strictly forbidden for the Organization to undertake any intervention or activities of a political, military, religious or racial character."

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- (2) If the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files does not know that there were cases, when these or those national countries have misused Interpol to suit their own ends; if it does not know that there were cases when these countries, due to political motives with help of Interpol declared innocent people in international retrieval and issued circular notification Red Notice for their arrest and extradition to those countries, where they were so "eagerly" awaited.

If the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files does not remember such cases, we can remind them one, for example, right now:

• EURASIA INSIGHT

• INTERPOL DROPS ARREST WARRANT AGAINST KAZAKHSTANI  
• OPPOSITION LEADER<sup>158</sup>

June 26, 2002

• The international law enforcement agency Interpol has dropped an arrest warrant against Akezhan Kazhegeldin, a leading opponent of Kazakhstani President Nursultan Nazarbayev, after deciding the available evidence did not support the charges against him and were politically motivated.

• In a June 11 letter to Kazhegeldin's lawyers, Interpol Secretary General Ronald K. Noble said the agency has deleted the arrest order, or "Red Notice" from its files, and had notified member countries of its decision. Noble wrote that the decision was based on Article 3 of Interpol's Constitution, under which "it is strictly forbidden for the organization to undertake any intervention or activities of a political, military, religious or racial character."

• "The illegal misuse of Interpol to harass exiled political opponents [of Nazarbayev] cannot be tolerated," Both continued. "It is therefore most significant that the secretary general has now determined that the Kazakh activities violated Article 3 and that they will be precluded from continuing to misuse the process."

• Noble noted in his Interpol letter that the Kazakhstani government can appeal his decision either to Interpol's Executive Committee or to the agency's General Assembly. Noble added that an individual Interpol member state with a bilateral extradition treaty with Kazakhstan could detain and send Kazhegeldin back to Almaty for trial, if it wishes to do so.

- (3) Such behaviour can be understood and justified if the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files does not know that eastern and Caucasian countries of the former Soviet Union are distinguished for application of illegal and fabricated criminal cases against their opponents and adversaries, and that Georgia is a "leading" country among these countries in recent years. And that after the so-called "Rose Revolution" cases of misuse by that country of Interpol against people representing former political and business circles became frequent. In other words, Interpol should at least be cautious to such kinds of requests after any revolution – be it in Cuba, in Georgia or somewhere else.

<sup>158</sup> Exhibit # VP05\_IP09\_2002-06-26 INTERPOL DROPS ARREST WARRANT



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After all, it is characteristic for all revolutionaries to settle political scores with representatives of old regime.

- (4) And the last, such behaviour of the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files can be understood and justified if it did not know that the National Central Bureau of Interpol in Georgia is under direct authority of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia and that this ministry is not just a police establishment, as uninformed people may think, that behind this deceptive and slyly "disguised" name is hidden a real repressive-punitive monster, which was established in 2004 as a result of the so-called "reforms" of Georgian revolutionary-president Saakashvili. Then, under this ministry with ordinary and harmless title, were united:

(a) MIA – Ministry of Internal Affairs under subordination of which were all police stations of the country, traffic police, patrol service, special mission units and other security, defence and law enforcement agencies;

(b) former KGB, and during Shevardnadze MNS – Ministry of National Security with its infrastructure including special mission units and subversive, the so-called "partisan" detachments.

And also with developed functions of counter-intelligence, with widely ramified system of wiretapping, radio engineering surveillance and the whole network of informers and spies;

(c) sub-units of Internal Forces of Georgia dislocated in Tbilisi and Zugdidi with its heavy armoured military equipment and combat units;

(d) frontier police of Georgia controlling land frontier and maritime boundaries of the country affiliating special task sub-units and etc.

So, as a result of "reforms" absolutely all security, defence and law enforcement agencies, except army, have become a part of this ministry. After gathering of all these security, defence and law enforcement agencies in one single ministry it was necessary to disguise the real character of that repressive-punitive monster and to disguise it so that it would be associated with something quite peace-loving – as ordinary police. That's why this hybrid of all security, defence and law enforcement agencies has an ordinary title – Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia.

Such "reform" was carried out in revolutionary Georgia in the 21<sup>st</sup> century, a "reform" which gave birth to the real repressive-punitive monster, and an ordinary police assume clear aspect of real political police.

Thus, the decision of the Interpol Commission to "pass the buck" of [redacted] [redacted]'s request and to "send" it back where his arrest warrant has come from – back to the repressive and punitive monster named the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia, can be understood and justified if this Interpol Commission did not know all that listed above.

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And also, if that Interpol Commission did not know that the above mentioned "reform" carried out in the law enforcement agencies of Georgia in 2004 is exactly like the "reform" carried out in 1939 by Reichsführer SS and chief of German police Heinrich Himmler, when he created a governing body of political intelligence and security police of the Third Reich – RSHA – (Germ. *Reichssicherheitshauptamt*) Reich Main Security Office or Reich Security Main Office, which then consolidated:

- SD - (Germ. *Sicherheitsdienst Reichsführer-SS* Eng.. SD, or Security Service)
- Gestapo - (contraction of *Geheime Staatspolizei*: "Secret State Police") and
- Kripo - (contraction of *Kriminalpolizei*: "Criminal Police")

Perhaps we can add only that the international military tribunal in Nuremberg, SS and GESTAPO are recognized criminal organization.

Thus, the Interpol Commission could be understood and forgive if it did not know that in the 21<sup>st</sup> century Saakashvili "reformed" Georgian law enforcement system according to the Nazi SS with its RSHA and GESTAPO, when he consolidated in one organization structures of national security and criminal police.

If it didn't know then it can be understood. But in principle it should have known. Should have know at least because this country is a member of Interpol and on the basis of its requests Interpol declares people in international retrieval and sends circular notification Red Notice to 187 countries for arrest and extradition of these people. That's why it was obliged to know what ALL Georgia knew – that once they came to power, young revolutionaries of Mikheil Saakashvili began to carry out mass arrests and mass repressions. That arrests and repressions of people were carried out according to a priori drawn up "black lists" and by the personal "order" of Mikheil Saakashvili.

The commission for Control of Interpol's Files should have known that, as it was stated in the beginning of the document, nobody in Georgia recognizes presumption of innocence for a long time and that the man called today the President of the state publicly, openly and impudently, with deep contempt abuses and insults citizens of "his own" country from TV screens, and calls them:

- Pigs
- Scoundrels
- Rogues
- Negligent
- Little men
- Washed off
- Red intelligentsia

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and other insulting and man-hating expressions. The same publicly insulted people the President of the state, Mikheil Saakashvili contemptuously calls from TV screens "elements" – i.e. in his mentality there is total and complete segregation of residents of that country into categories of "human" and "subhuman".

The Interpol's Commission should have also known that with no investigation or trial, the President Mikheil Saakashvili gives from TV screens unlawful orders and direct criminal instructions: "to kill on the spot", "to get no matter what it takes" and "to arrest", "to banish from the country", "to prevent to freely gad about Georgia" these, according to him, "pigs", "scoundrels", "little men" and other "elements" and "subhuman" living in today's Georgia

The Interpol Commission should have known also that at his annual public speech in the Parliament of Georgia on 14 February, 2006 Mikheil Saakashvili officially proclaimed "zero tolerance" as the state and political doctrine of the country. The Interpol Commission should have known also that like Adolph Hitler during his rancorous speeches, Mikheil Saakashvili during proclamation of this declaration on inhuman policy of the state has driven into ecstasy and started to yell from the tribune of the Parliament as half-crazy to the whole country "ALL TO PRISON!!! ALL TO PRISON!!!!". Maybe after seeing of the video of that evil yell – public speech of the modern Führer the Interpol Commission could have understood what regime is raging in today's Georgia and where and whom they have "passed the buck" request of [redacted]

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**(e) They should have been extremely cautious and attentive**

Thus, ideally Interpol and its Commission should have known about all that and should have been extremely cautious and attentive to each inquiry of that country – Georgia, with request to find, arrest and extradite someone to that country. The Commission for Control of Interpol's Files should have been more cautious and extremely attentive to those inquiries received from people, whose search and arrest have been requested by Georgia.

We do not possess Interpol statistics data about how many people have been declared in international retrieval by this organization and how many of these wanted people have addressed at their own will Interpol and let them know their home address. We have no such statistics, but common sense suggests that such fact of voluntary cooperation of wanted people with Interpol should not have mass character. Such cases must be rare, if not a one-off. At least, as far as we know, as of today, from 49 persons declared in international retrieval of Interpol from Georgia, NONE has even tried to contact Interpol, not to speak of revealing information about their place of residence and in addition, of sending copy of a passport.

And now, by example of [redacted] let us see and think over the moral side of actions of the Commission for Control of Interpol's Files: they have



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been addresses by wanted by Interpol person and by all his behaviour – by his openness and readiness of full cooperation with Interpol, demonstrated his confidence in his innocence and his rightness. I.e. it was that rare, or a one-off case from enormous mass of ordinary cases, in which that Interpol Commission was engaged every day. And in general, from "Georgian cases" it must have been the first and the only case. But despite that the Interpol Commission did not even deign to find out if there were any ground to suppose that the case of that man may fall under the Article 3 of the Constitution of Interpol. No, it took no actions – it "passed the buck" of [redacted] back to "the competent authorities of Georgia". And who should check if these "competent authorities in Georgia" violate the mentioned Article 3 of the Constitution of Interpol? These "competent authorities in Georgia" themselves? Authorities of the country, the president of which not only does not recognize presumption of innocence of these people, but also calls these people abusive epithets, such as: "pigs", "bustards", "scoundrels" and other insulting man-hating expressions. By the way, one of those, whom Saakashvili has publicly called "pig" from the TV screen, was Aleksandre Gotsiridze, declared by Interpol in international retrieval. Furthermore, on April 21, 2004, at the briefing in the State Chancellery in Tbilisi the President of the country in presence of journalists publicly declared<sup>159</sup>:

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"I have requested from the Prosecutor General to institute criminal proceedings against Aleko Gotsiridze, who owns the company "Tbilgas",

- then the head of the state added:

"Aleko Gotsiridze is a real bandit",

and emphasized:

"tomorrow is a deadline when I should be informed about his dismissal and confiscation of his shares in the company "Tbilgas", which he owns absolutely illegally".

Even this one example demonstrates completely illegal action of the president Mikheil Saakashvili and shows how he gives direct orders: (1) to institute criminal proceedings and to arrest one of citizens of his country and (2) to confiscate shares of this man and (3) without no investigation or trial proclaims this man "real bandit" and criminal. When a man, who holds the post of the President of the country and who should be a guarantor of observance of the Constitution of the state, so openly and impudently violates all laws of the country and in the first place, the basic law – the Constitution of the state, every sensible person can imagine what illegality reigns in that country. Here is whom and in what helps Interpol so recklessly – we repeat that exactly that man – Aleksandre Gotsiridze have been declared by Interpol in international retrieval. And the question is not if he is declared wanted correctly or not. The question is that as it is seen from example of [redacted] Interpol does not care at all that this international organization can become a weapon in hands of such ruler as

<sup>159</sup> Exhibit # VP05\_IP10\_2004-04-261 Saakashvili vs Aleko Gotsiridze

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Mikheil Saakashvili. And on the basis of requirements of Saakashvili regime Interpol declares people in international retrieval without checking and confirmation of justice of such inquiry, and sends circular notification Red Notice to 187 countries for arrest and extradition of these people to Georgia, there where rages regime of Saakashvili. That is why among 49 men declared by Interpol in international retrieval there are many, persecuted by Saakashvili by political and personal motives. Exactly, like he persecutes [redacted]

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So, [redacted] turned out to be very naïve and trustful person, when he believed in hypothetical possibility that he could try to protect his universally recognized civil rights in Interpol – in that international organization, which should and obliged to act on the basis of principles specified by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

As a rule, naivety and trustfulness costs such people a lot. The same happened to [redacted]

As you can see from the letter, the Interpol Commission has informed Georgian side about attempts of [redacted] to receive access to information of his file in Interpol and to protect his rights, i.e. to try to prove his innocence and illegality of declaration of his international retrieval. But that for Mikheil Saakashvili and his assistants could have meant only one thing – that sooner or later [redacted] could get what he wanted and annul that Red Notice. But that represented danger to Saakashvili's regime – it could create precedent and as a result Red Notice could have been annulled by other people, persecuted by revolutionary regime of Saakashvili by political motives. Justification of even some of them could have caused serious political loss to his regime. Consequently, Saakashvili's people had to act, and to act as soon as it possible. Thus, emergency measures should have been taken and, as Saakashvili loves to say, they had to "get and arrest [redacted] no matter what it takes".

In 17 days after the date of the last letter sent from Interpol (March 30, 2007) from the French city Leon [redacted] was arrested in Moscow.

#### **4.32. Arrest in Moscow**

On April 17, 2007 in Moscow, at the Byelorussian railway station was arrested [redacted]. He was arrested by officers of Moscow Criminal Investigation Department with participation of an officer of the local Bureau of Interpol.

For [redacted] the fact of arrest, by place and time, as well as by form of his implementation, was absolutely unexpected and shocking. Illogicality of all that was evident and gave rise to many questions and doubts.

Firstly, how could it happen that a man being in search was suddenly arrested in city, at ordinary railway station? As, usually, information of Interpol about wanted people is in central data bases and they usually work at crossing of state borders and nobody from Interpol runs in the streets of different cities of the

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world. This is absolute nonsense, it is not their work. Consequently, the fact of arrest itself, as well as the fact of presence of representative of the local bureau of Interpol during the arrest is unintelligible.

Primary functions of Interpol do not include operational work – Interpol officers do not run in the streets and railway stations and do not arrest wanted people. Primary functions of Interpol include processing and transfer for the police of data base, containing information about surnames and photos, and also information about fingerprints, DNA profiles and other data on wanted. So, what representative of Interpol did at the Moscow railway station, and why he was there and took part in arrest of [redacted] was obscure.

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Secondly: the most principal question was why officers of Interpol have been looking for [redacted] in streets of Moscow whereas they had his home address. Furthermore, they had official exchange of letters by his home address in America and several days before [redacted] has received to that address the last letter from Interpol dated March 30, 2007 sent from a French city Leon. And the main thing, apart from that business correspondence Interpol has not undertaken any other actions with respect to [redacted] – nobody came to that American home address, which they knew well, nobody asked about him, or even called him or asked to contact anyone or to come somewhere. Thus, arrest carried out in absolutely different city and absolutely different country, literally at the other end of the earth and in addition, with participation of representative of local bureau of Interpol, was very strange and gave rise to many questions and doubts.

Thirdly: these questions and doubts grew more by the fact that the representative of National Bureau of Interpol in Russia during arrest of [redacted] held translated into Russian and notarized copy of an order of Georgian judge Mamuka Songhulashvili, who more than two years before, on January 12, 2005 decreed to arrest [redacted]. This fact proved that detention was not spontaneous, on the basis of some operative information, but it was prepared beforehand – someone from Tbilisi has sent ruling of a judge Songhulashvili, someone has translated it into Russian and someone has notarized it. Thus, it was evident that these people have been preparing and in the process of preparation they had direct contact with Georgian authorities. With those, who has sent them ruling of the judge Songhulashvili.

[redacted] had natural sharp reaction – from the first minute he began to protest and put these sharp questions to persons arresting him.

Once he learned that [redacted] have not been hiding, but himself has contacted Interpol and himself has informed Interpol his home address, and also that [redacted] has official exchange of letters with headquarter of Interpol in Leon in France, and that he has received their last letter about several days before, the representative of the National Bureau of Interpol in Russia was taken aback and got nervous.



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Russian detectives, who have arrested [redacted] also were taken aback and became vexed. They frankly said that they though they have caught an international criminal and were glad beforehand in expectation of commendations from the higher-ups or step-up, but instead they turned out to be participators of some intrigue with trace of special services of Georgia – a trace of Mikheil Saakashvili, who was already well-known for his merciless repressions and unlawful deeds. Thus, these Moscow detectives instead of praises and awards could have received completely different.

The representative of the National Bureau of Interpol in Russia, also Russian by origin and native resident of Moscow, who held translated into Russian and notarized copy of ruling of Georgian judge Mamuka Songhulashvili, has found himself in unenviable situation. He began to mumble something not quite clear and tell a fairy-tale about how the local bureau of Interpol had received operating data "from Krasnodar" about probable location of [redacted] – Krasnodar is the southern region of Russia bordering on Abkhazia and Georgia, with which [redacted] had never nothing to do at all.

Somehow or other [redacted] has been arrested and he once again found himself in the pre-trial prison of Department of Internal Affairs of Moscow, and afterwards in prison, where are kept all foreign prisoners in expectation of their extradition.

**4.33. Denial of extradition to Georgia and granting of political refugee status**

On the basis of the decision of Tver inter-district public prosecutor's office of Moscow, [redacted] was in detention until solution of a question about his extradition to Georgia.

General Prosecutor's office of Russian Federation denied extraditing [redacted] to Georgia, and on 27 December, 2007 he was granted refugee status. Fact of persecution of [redacted] were so convincing, incontrovertible and documented that [redacted] his wife and their daughter born in the meantime in Moscow have been recognized as political refugees.

**4.34. Loss of mother – personal tragedy and moral tortures of his inhuman situation**

On April 13, 2009 mother of [redacted] died. She has left this world so that [redacted] could not even say goodbye to her. The last 5 years of her life (2004-2009) mother of [redacted] has spent in expectation of return of her son, whom she could not live to see. She departed this life never meeting and hugging her son again after 5 years of forced separation. It's impossible to imagine full profundity and severity of his emotions. Avalanche of horror fell on him from two sides: from one side, the horror of what all normal people experience in such cases, when they are facing terrible reality – loss of

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mother. From the other side he felt guilty because he could not manage to be with his mother due to independent of me circumstances, because she died not seeing him and because he could not say goodbye to her and give her the last honours. This sense of enormous guilt and pain will stay in his heart forever.

Unlawful and criminal actions of Georgian officials under the direction of Mikheil Saakashvili have finally put [redacted] in such inhuman situation and have caused him such a severe moral laceration, which will make him uneasy and torture him for the rest of his life. Georgian authorities have not only financially robbed and morally destroyed [redacted] and many others; but also have taken away from them the most valuable – motherland and family, possibility to meet and communicate with members of his family, possibility to go and to bow to the grave of his father, his brother and his mother, who has left this world so that he could not say goodbye to her.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE Immigration and Naturalization Service

**PERMANENT RESIDENT CARD**

The person identified on this card is authorized to work and reside in the U.S.

**From:** Hanley, Monica R (HanleyMR@state.gov)  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 20, 2010 11:40:11 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Re: Fyi

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Yep but how much earlier varies. 90 minutes is the longest they've asked for. Usually its 30-45minutes.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com>  
**To:** Hanley, Monica R  
**Sent:** Sat Mar 20 11:36:40 2010  
**Subject:** Re: Fyi

Is that what they always do?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Hanley, Monica R <HanleyMR@state.gov>  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Sat Mar 20 10:38:26 2010  
**Subject:** Re: Fyi

Usss wanted them there 90 minutes before you landed so I asked him to be there at 1:30 for a 3am arrival. It seems like the dispatcher didn't relay any information to the driver. We were expecting a \$75 fee total for wait and fare so the \$150 is way above what we agreed to. I will call them. Sorry about that!

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com>  
**To:** Valmoro, Lona J; Hanley, Monica R  
**Sent:** Sat Mar 20 04:23:24 2010  
**Subject:** Fyi

Thanks so much for taking care of car tonite, was a lifesaver.  
Fyi - they didn't get revised departure. So the driver came at 12:45 for a 1:15am wheels down. We didn't land till 3:15am so they charged an additional \$150 waiting fee.

HA 09/01/2015

**From:** Valmoro, Lona J [ValmoroLJ@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 21, 2010 11:24:18 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin; Hanley, Monica R  
**Subject:** RE: Fyl

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☐ asked that the car arrive at 1:30am so he could clear -- I am not sure why he was there at 12:45am!

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Huma Abedin [mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 20, 2010 4:23 AM  
**To:** Valmoro, Lona J; Hanley, Monica R  
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**From:** Valmoro, Lona J [ValmoroLJ@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 23, 2010 4:29:35 PM  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** very close to final for tomorrow -- below and attached

**Attachments:** March.24.10.final.doc

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## PREV RON Washington, DC

**NOTE: NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC WILL BE TAPING B-ROLL FOOTAGE  
THROUGHOUT THE DAY.**

7:50 am **DEPART** Private Residence  
En route State Department  
[drive time: 10 minutes]

8:00 am **ARRIVE** State Department

8:00 am **OPENING SESSION OF US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE**

9:15 am Benjamin Franklin Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Contact: John Spykerman Office 202-647-9242  
**OPEN PRESS (for first 30 minutes)**

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9:15 am **OFFICE TIME**

9:35 am Secretary's Office

9:40 am **MCC BOARD PREP**

9:55 am Secretary's Office

Participants: MCC CEO Daniel Yohannes and Jack Lew

Note: Michael Gross will be taking photos at the top of meeting.

10:00 am **CHAIR MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION**

12:00 pm **(MCC) BOARD MEETING**

Principals Conference Room 7516

Contacts: MCC Romell Cummings  EEB Karen Enstrom

x62474,

EEB Justin Underwood x79239

**CLOSED PRESS**

State Participants:

Deputy Secretary Jack Lew

MCC Board Members: Treasury Deputy Secretary Neal Wolin

Deputy Asst. Sec. Scott Morris

Dep. U.S. Trade Rep. Amb. Demetrios

Asst. U.S. Trade Rep. Mary Ryckman

US AID Administrator Dr. Rajiv Shah

Carol Grigsby, Deputy Director, USAID

Office of Development Partners

Alan Patricof, Managing Director of

Greycroft Partners, LLC

Assistant Julie Sunderland

Bill Frist, former U.S. Senator

Marantis

Advisor

f/Development

Inter. Rels.

Implementation

Counsel

f/Compact

Dev.

Michael Casella, Acting MCC VP f/Administration

And.Finance

12:00 pm

**OFFICE TIME**

1:00 pm

Secretary's Office

1:00 pm

**VIDEOS**

John Jay Room, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

Assistant Mauro De Lorenzo

Lorne Craner, President of International

Republican Institute

Assistant Gretchen Birkle

Michael Froman, Deputy Nat. Security

Gayle Smith, NSC Senior Director

Daniel Yohannes, CEO, MCC

Sheila Herrling, MCC VP f/Policy and

Patrick Fine, MCC VP f/Compact

Henry Pitney, Acting MCC General

Jonathan Bloom, MCC Dep. VP

Implementation

Frances Reid, MCC Dep. VP f/Compact

Implementation

Darius Teter, MCC Dep. VP f/Compact

Contact/Staff: Dan Schwerin

Tribute to Liz Carpenter

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1:10 pm **CONFERENCE CALL w/SENATORS SHAHEEN AND VOINOVICH**

1:25 pm Secretary's Office

Contact:

Staff: Rich Verma

1:30 pm **PRE-BRIEF MEETING**

1:45 pm Secretary's Office

Participants: Jack Lew, Richard Holbrooke, Huma Abedin, Jake Sullivan, Bob Einhorn,

1:45 pm **PREP CALL w/DEFENSE SECRETARY GATES**

2:15 pm Secretary's Office

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2:30 pm **BILATERAL w/PAKISTANI FOREIGN MINISTER MAKHDOOM**

3:00 pm **SHAH MEHMOOD QURESHI**

Secretary's Conference Room

Contact: Desk Oni Blair x67921, 202-736-7921, Cell

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Desk John Spykerman x79242

**OFFICIAL PHOTO (in East Hall preceding bilateral)**

Note: No interpretation requirements.

US Participants: S Staff Jake Sullivan or Huma Abedin  
U.S. Ambassador Anne Patterson  
Special Representative Richard Holbrooke  
PA Assistant Secretary P.J. Crowley  
Vali Nasr  
Brent Hartley, Notetaker

Pakistani Participants: Foreign Minister Qureshi  
Ambassador Hussain Haqqani

Others Tbd

3:00 pm **PRESS PRE-BRIEF**

3:05 pm Secretary's Office

3:05 pm **JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE w/PAKISTANI FM QURESHI**

3:25 pm Treaty Room, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

Note: No interpretation requirements.

- HRC makes brief remarks.
- Foreign Minister Qureshi makes brief remarks.
- Two questions will be taken from each side.



3:45 pm **HEARING PREP w/RICH VERMA AND TEAM**

4:30 pm Secretary's Office

Note: Michael Gross will be taking photos at the top of meeting.

4:30 pm **DROP-BY AT THE RECEPTION FOR THE US-PAKISTAN**

4:45 pm **STRATEGIC DIALOGUE**

Benjamin Franklin Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

Contact: Shamila Chaudry Office 202-647-

Call Time: 4:00-6:00 pm

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Note: Approximately 270 guests attending.

- SR Richard Holbrooke opens the program and introduces HRC.
- HRC gives remarks (5-7 minutes).
- Pakistani Foreign Minister Qureshi gives brief remarks.
- HRC departs.

4:55 pm **DEPART State Department**

En route Admiral Mullen's Residence

[drive/walk time: 5 minutes]

5:00 pm **ARRIVE** Mullen Residence

5:00 pm **US-PAKISTAN SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION**

7:00 pm Admiral Mullen's Residence



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Note: No interpretation requirements.

US Participants: HRC

Defense Secretary Bob Gates

Admiral Mike Mullen, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

Special Representative Richard Holbrooke

NSC General Jim Jones

Pakistani Participants:

Foreign Minister Qureshi

Defense Minister Chaudhry Ahmed

Mukhtar

Finance Minister Hafeez

General Kayani

7:00 pm **US-PAKISTAN WORKING DINNER**

9:00 pm Admiral Mullen's Residence



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Note: Guests same as for small group discussion.

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Weather:

Washington, DC: Mostly sunny, 65/42.

FYI:

7:30 am **US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE BREAKFAST**

8:00 am Thomas Jefferson Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

12:30 pm **US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE LUNCH**

2:00 pm Benjamin Franklin Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

Note: Hosted by Deputy Secretary Jack Lew and SR Richard Holbrooke.

1:30 pm **US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE MEETING**

3:30 pm

Henry Clay Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

Lona Valmoro

Special Assistant to the Secretary of State

202-647-9071 (direct)

**SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2010**

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**FINAL DRAFT**

**WASHINGTON, DC**

**SPECIAL ASSISTANT: LONA VALMORO**  
**OFFICE (202) 647-9071**  
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**STAFF ASSISTANT: LINDA DEWAN**  
**OFFICE (202) 647-5733**  
**CELL**

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9:15 am **OFFICE TIME**  
9:35 am Secretary's Office

9:40 am **MCC BOARD PREP**  
9:55 am Secretary's Office  
Participants: MCC CEO Daniel Yohannes and Jack Lew

Note: Michael Gross will be taking photos at the top of meeting.

10:00 am **CHAIR MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION**  
12:00 pm **(MCC) BOARD MEETING**  
Principals Conference Room 7516  
Contacts: MCC Romell Cummings  EEB Karen Enstrom x62474,  
EEB Justin Underwood x79239  
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State Participants: Deputy Secretary Jack Lew



**SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2010**

**MCC Board Members:**

Treasury Deputy Secretary Neal Wolin  
Deputy Asst. Sec. Scott Morris  
Dep. U.S. Trade Rep. Amb. Demetrios Marantis  
Asst. U.S. Trade Rep. Mary Ryckman  
US AID Administrator Dr. Rajiv Shah  
Carol Grigsby, Deputy Director, USAID  
Office of Development Partners  
Alan Patricof, Managing Director of  
Greycroft Partners, LLC  
Assistant Julie Sunderland  
Bill Frist, former U.S. Senator  
Assistant Mauro De Lorenzo  
Lorne Craner, President of International  
Republican Institute  
Assistant Gretchen Birkle  
Michael Froman, Deputy Nat. Security Advisor  
Gayle Smith, NSC Senior Director f/Development  
Daniel Yohannes, CEO, MCC  
Sheila Herrling, MCC VP f/Policy and Inter. Rels.  
Patrick Fine, MCC VP f/Compact Implementation  
Henry Pitney, Acting MCC General Counsel  
Jonathan Bloom, MCC Dep. VP f/Compact  
Implementation  
Frances Reid, MCC Dep. VP f/Compact  
Implementation  
Darius Teter, MCC Dep. VP f/Compact Dev.  
Michael Casella, Acting MCC VP f/Administration  
And Finance

12:00 pm **OFFICE TIME**  
1:00 pm Secretary's Office  
  
1:00 pm **VIDEOS**  
John Jay Room, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Contact/Staff: Dan Schwerin  
  
- Tribute to Liz Carpenter  
  
- Tbd

**SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON  
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1:10 pm **CONFERENCE CALL w/SENATORS SHAHEEN AND VOINOVICH**  
1:25 pm Secretary's Office  
Contact:  
Staff: Rich Verma

1:30 pm **PRE-BRIEF MEETING**  
1:45 pm Secretary's Office  
Participants: Jack Lew, Richard Holbrooke, Huma Abedin, Jake Sullivan, Bob Einhorn,

1:45 pm **PREP CALL w/DEFENSE SECRETARY GATES**  
2:15 pm Secretary's Office  
Contact: Delonnie Henry Office

2:30 pm **BILATERAL w/PAKISTANI FOREIGN MINISTER MAKHDOOM**  
3:00 pm **SHAH MEHMOOD QURESHI**  
Secretary's Conference Room  
Contact: Desk Oni Blair x67921, 202-736-7921, Cell   
Desk John Spykerman x79242  
**OFFICIAL PHOTO (in East Hall preceding bilateral)**

Note: No interpretation requirements.

US Participants: S Staff Jake Sullivan or Huma Abedin  
U.S. Ambassador Anne Patterson  
Special Representative Richard Holbrooke  
PA Assistant Secretary P.J. Crowley  
Vali Nasr  
Brent Hartley, Notetaker

Pakistani Participants: Foreign Minister Qureshi  
Ambassador Hussain Haqqani  
Others Tbd

3:00 pm **PRESS PRE-BRIEF**  
3:05 pm Secretary's Office

3:05 pm **JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE w/PAKISTANI FM QURESHI**  
3:25 pm Treaty Room, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

Note: No interpretation requirements.

- HRC makes brief remarks.
- Foreign Minister Qureshi makes brief remarks.

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- Two questions will be taken from each side.

3:45 pm **HEARING PREP w/RICH VERMA AND TEAM**  
4:30 pm Secretary's Office

Note: Michael Gross will be taking photos at the top of meeting.

4:30 pm **DROP-BY AT THE RECEPTION FOR THE US-PAKISTAN**  
4:45 pm **STRATEGIC DIALOGUE**  
Benjamin Franklin Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Contact: Shamila Chaudry Office 202-647-  
Call Time: 4:00-6:00 pm  
**OPEN PRESS**

Note: Approximately 270 guests attending.

- SR Richard Holbrooke opens the program and introduces HRC.
- HRC gives remarks (5-7 minutes).
- Pakistani Foreign Minister Qureshi gives brief remarks.
- HRC departs.

4:55 pm **DEPART** State Department  
En route Admiral Mullen's Residence  
[drive/walk time: 5 minutes]

5:00 pm **ARRIVE** Mullen Residence

5:00 pm **US-PAKISTAN SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION**  
7:00 pm Admiral Mullen's Residence

Contact: [REDACTED]

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Note: No interpretation requirements.

**US Participants:** HRC  
Defense Secretary Bob Gates  
Admiral Mike Mullen, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff  
Special Representative Richard Holbrooke  
NSC General Jim Jones

**Pakistani Participants:** Foreign Minister Qureshi

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Defense Minister Chaudhry Ahmed Mukhtar.  
Finance Minister Hafeez  
General Kayani

7:00 pm **US-PAKISTAN WORKING DINNER**  
9:00 pm Admiral Mullen's Residence



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Note: Guests same as for small group discussion.

9:05 pm (t) **DEPART** Mullen's Residence  
En route Private Residence  
[drive time: 10 minutes]

9:15 pm (t) **ARRIVE** Private Residence

**HRC RON** Washington, DC

Weather:  
Washington, DC: Mostly sunny, 65/42.

**FYI:**

7:30 am **US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE BREAKFAST**  
8:00 am Thomas Jefferson Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

12:30 pm **US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE LUNCH**  
2:00 pm Benjamin Franklin Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

Note: Hosted by Deputy Secretary Jack Lew and SR Richard Holbrooke.

1:30 pm **US-PAKISTAN STRATEGIC DIALOGUE MEETING**  
3:30 pm Henry Clay Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor

**From:** Huma Abedin [Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 23, 2010 7:19:45 PM  
**To:** 'aflewis826'; 'JilotyLC@state.gov'  
**Subject:** Re: Messages for HRC from AIPAC

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So so nice  
We will print for her  
We have heard so much positive stuff

----- Original Message -----

**From:** ann lewis <[REDACTED]>  
**To:** Huma Abedin; Jiloty, Lauren C <jilotyLC@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Tue Mar 23 19:17:55 2010  
**Subject:** Messages for HRC from AIPAC

Sissy Swig: (I sent her a copy of the speech, at her request):

" Ann thank you for the copy.... It was a memorable presentation and I am thrilled to have a copy and refer to it....please tell hillary that I was indeed touched by its content and the compassionate and respectful way her message was presented...as always I look forward to seeing you soon again! "

I heard many similar comments : from old friends -Susie Stern said it was "pitch-perfect" ; 2 young men from LA who had been big supporters (one Iranian-American) , women at my afternoon panel who proudly reported they had campaigned for you --to someone I met for first time - a man who had lived in California and Israel -who thought the speech was "masterful"

There were also some concerns: Factually, that the square dedication was not by Hamas ("This was not Gaza but Ramallah"); and of course several on the theme of wishing disagreements should be expressed privately.

However, I also heard from fairly senior AIPAC senior staff that they consider this a WH problem -not State -some in very personal terms.

And to repeat my own reaction -- I'll go with masterful.

Ann F. Lewis  
No Limits Foundation  
NoLimits.org  
# [REDACTED]



**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, March 26, 2010 8:06 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Iraq Election Update  
**Attach:** 10.03.26 IM to S Iraq Election March 26.docx

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**From:** Syed, Zia S  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** S\_SpecialAssistants  
**Sent:** Fri Mar 26 19:58:31 2010  
**Subject:** Iraq Election Update

Hi Huma, Not super important, but if there is an easy way to pass this to the Secretary, please do so. It's a timely update on the Iraqi elections and will be somewhat OBE by Monday. Thanks.



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*Washington, D.C. 20520*

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**INFORMATION MEMO FOR THE SECRETARY**

**FROM:** NEA- Jeffrey Feltman

**SUBJECT:** Allawi Wins Two-Seat Plurality in Iraqi Elections

- **Former Prime Minister Allawi's coalition wins a two-seat plurality with 91 seats in parliament:** In results released today, former Prime Minister Allawi's Iraqiya coalition edged Prime Minister Maliki's State of Law coalition by two seats, 91 to 89. The Iraq National Alliance, which includes the pro-Iranian Sadrists and the Islamic Supreme Council of Iraq, finished third with 70 seats. The Kurdish Alliance finished fourth with 43 seats. The governing coalition will need 163 seats in the 325 person Council of Representatives (COR). Allawi almost certainly will get the first chance to form a government, but will have to ally with others to reach the 163-seat threshold.
- **Maliki alleges irregularities but urges calm:** In his speech following the announcement of results, Maliki applauded the participation of Iraqis in the election, and explicitly dismissed any talk of a coup as a relic of the past. Yet he continued to question the integrity of the Independent High Electoral Commission (IHEC), repeated his demand for a recount in some provinces, and underlined that results were not final and that he would pursue his challenge to the results before the Electoral Judicial Panel. IHEC has determined that a recount is not warranted. We share the assessment of the UN Assistance Mission for Iraq, and both international and domestic monitors, that there is no evidence of widespread or serious fraud. UN Special Representative Melkert announced, "In the considered opinion of the UN these elections were credible."
- **Approximately two weeks until certified results:** Parties, including Maliki, who filed complaints that were dismissed by IHEC, now have three days to appeal those dismissals to the Electoral Judicial Panel, which then has ten days to rule on the appeal. After all complaints have been addressed, the Federal Supreme Court will certify the final results. Following certification, the COR will be seated and begin the process of selecting the next president and prime minister. This process will likely take several months, and the close results will make it more complicated.

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Approved: NEA: A/S Jeffrey Feltman

Drafted: NEA/I/POL – Justin Reynolds, ext 75281 cell

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Cleared: NEA/FO: RSchlicher ok  
NEA/FO: MCorbin ok  
NEA/SA: WGrant ok  
NEA/I: PDelly ok  
NEA/I/POL: LKenna ok  
D(S): GRana ok  
D(L): CRunyan ok  
P: RWaller ok  
S/P: QMecham ok  
DRL: KMayfield ok  
IO: WHaldeman ok

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, April 2, 2010 10:32 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: Karzai  
**Attach:** Note to S on Karzai 1 Apr Press Conf to send.docx; Tab A Karzai 1 April Press Conference Summary - Rough.docx

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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**To:** 'H' <HDR22@clintonemail.com>  
**Cc:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 02 10:30:46 2010  
**Subject:** Karzai

Attached are materials on Karzai that RCH has discussed with you.

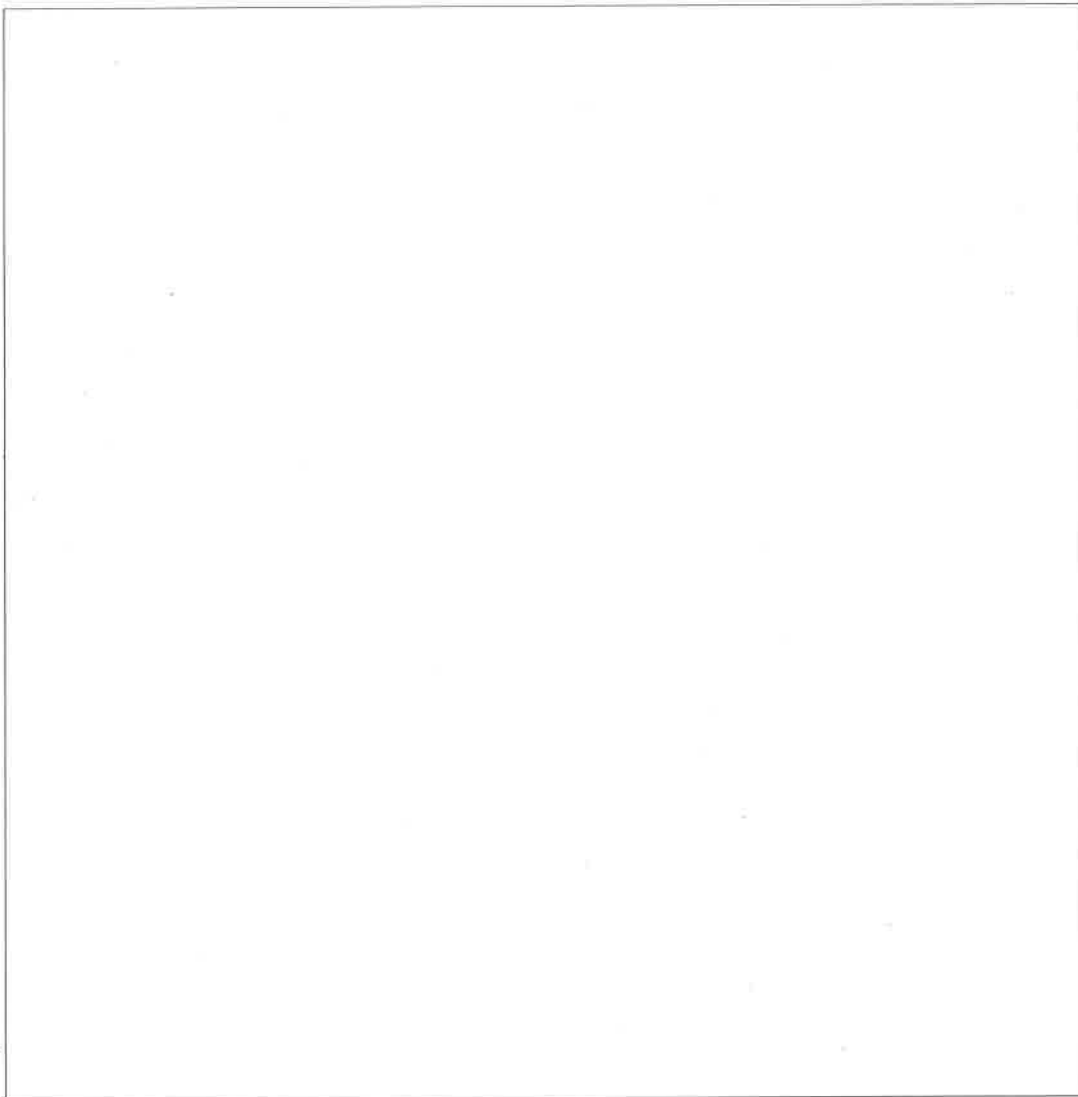
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From: Richard Holbrooke

Subject: President Karzai's 1 April Press Conference

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**Karzai 1 April Press Conference Summary - Rough****RELEASE IN FULL**

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His key points included the following:

- **I and the country are constantly under attack by foreigners:** The honor of the country, and my personal dignity as a President, are trampled upon on a regular basis. Whoever stands against the foreigners comes under attack and falls into disrepute.
- **Foreigners are using their resources to exert control:** Foreigners, through their 120,000 troops, guns, bombs and money have power and are using this power to exert control.
- **Election reform means foreigners imposing their will. They want me to get rid of the IEC members and they want to impose internationals in the ECC:**
  - When the foreigners say they want reform, what they really mean is that they want me to get rid of IEC Chair Ludin and IEC Director Najafi. If I don't comply, they will use this as an excuse to ensure that elections don't happen (by withholding their financial support).
  - They will then blame Afghans for the country moving in a directionless and insecure path.
  - We shouldn't give them this excuse. Next week I will sit down with Ludin and Najafi. They have both carried out their jobs without any mistakes. They have served their country. They have submitted their resignation twice. I have refused to accept it. But we cannot give the international community an excuse to not hold elections.
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**New Electoral Decree Being Voted Down**

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**Sent:** Friday, April 2, 2010 10:38 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Two docs -- first one

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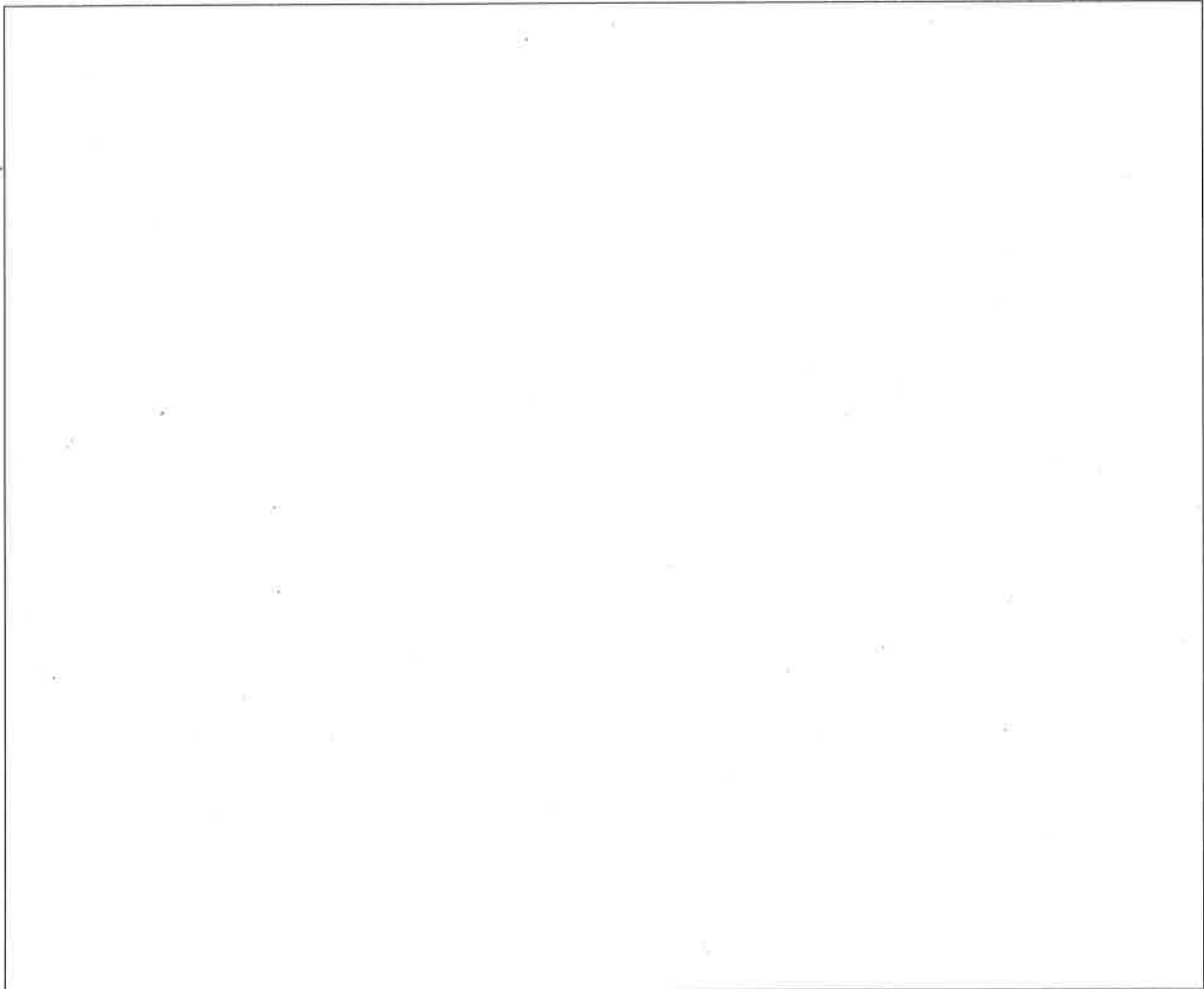
**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 02 10:37:57 2010  
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**Sent:** Friday, April 2, 2010 10:39 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Second doc

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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Fri Apr 02 10:38:28 2010  
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**From:** H  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 6:19 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Re: Paris

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It is really important to me that I get back so I will fly commercial to JFK if needed so I can have as much time on my vacation as possible. Also, I have in the past flown into W'hampton at night.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 06:15 PM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Re: Paris

Depends. We can do 6 hours on ground and come right back. Or we can ask for a second crew (which is what I'm working on). If we get second crew and you come home after the dinner, could be wheels down Andrews 1am. I'm sure you can't land in Westhampton in middle of night so either Islip or elsewhere. I'll report back when I know more. Convenient to be in Paris..embassy relays that French propose 5pm Sarkozy bilat, 6pm CG meeting, 8pm dinner..

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 04:10 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Re: Paris

Ok. What time would I get back to Hampton?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Friday, August 26, 2011 03:47 PM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Paris

This is what it could look like.

Wed, the 31st:

Depart West Hampton at 9:30pm (I need to confirm there are no night restrictions) 10:15pm arrive Andrews

10:45 wheels up Andrews (no re-fuel)

12pm wheels down

1-4pm Down at residence. Meet with Blair. You could do Rasmussen as pull-aside and play by ear.

5-9pm Libya Meetings. timing not locked, may start at 4pm. We won't know till Monday realistically.

**From:** H  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 15, 2012 4:47 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Re: Odds and ends

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Any word on time for King call?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 15, 2012 04:25 PM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Re: Odds and ends

Yes on unga call tonight.

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----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 15, 2012 04:20 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Re: Odds and ends

[REDACTED]

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And, can you talk later tonight about UNGA?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 15, 2012 04:01 PM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Re: Odds and ends

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[REDACTED]

Can discuss bilats anytime. I gave you latest unga schedule in anticipation of it coming up on calls and have gotten all the call readouts which seemed to have no surprises but I can talk anytime. [REDACTED]

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I will be in DC Tuesday and Friday. Maybe thurs as well. I can of course come to house.

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For [REDACTED] you will have 1 or 2 unga meetings (including [REDACTED] on oct 1st. [REDACTED] We are confirming if there's a time in afternoon you are both free.

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[REDACTED]

----- Original Message -----

From: H

Sent: Saturday, September 15, 2012 03:25 PM

To: Huma Abedin

Subject: Odds and ends

[REDACTED]

After my calls today, I have more bilats to do. When can you discuss w me?

When will you be in DC next week? Can you come by the house as well as office?

[REDACTED]

**Mills, Cheryl D**

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**From:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 03, 2009 6:23 PM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Subject:** Plane Manifests

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**This is what I prepared for hrc early on when she was unclear on manifests. Happy to discuss.**

**S Staff**

**Chief/Deputy Chief of Staff:**

Executes overall trip management.

**Executive Assistant/Policy Staffer:**

Manages all substantive interface between hrc and the building. Serves as notetaker in all meetings and gives direction to building/bureau as needed.

**Personal Assistant/Secretary:**

Assists hrc with all administrative needs and any other personal needs.

**S/S**

**Deputy Executive Secretary:**

Executes the basic trip plan. Is responsible for both the substantive and logistical interface with our embassies at each stop.

**Line Officer:**

Handles all paper on the trip, both related to the trip and other issues around the world. Prepares the briefing book every night, ensures hrc has final schedules, speeches. All paper going to and coming from HRC is generated by and/passed through the Line officer

**Line Assistant:**

Support staff for the senior team above. Researches, types, copies all relevant paper.

**S/S-EX**

**Executive Director:**

Makes all logistical and administrative arrangements for the entire trip: books hotel rooms, orders cars for motorcade, sets up staff offices at every hotel, installs secure phones, manages luggage.

**Public Affairs**

**Department Spokesman**

Manages overall press message for the.

trip, is HRC's chief press advisor and spokesperson.

**Press Officer:**

Assists spokesperson with carrying out the message of the trip, helps with management of the press, and writes talking points for the press as directed by the spokesman. Assists in ensuring all open press event sites are set up properly.

**Press Assistant:**

Manages the press, wrangles them as necessary, is the main plane press contact with embassy press offices.

**Speechwriter**

Regional Bureau

**Assistant Secretary**

DODJCS

**General Officer:**

HRC's military adviser

NSC Representative

Represents the White House

They ask to go on every foreign trip

Security

Typically 7 security travel on all legs

Press

We are aiming for 15 press to take care of as many as possible. That would be on the high side based on the general number in the past. Albright took 10-13. Condi did in the 15 range at beginning of travel, then went down to about 13.



<b>Office of the Secretary (S)</b>				
Mills	Cheryl	Counselor/Chief of Staff	NC-SES	
Abedin	Huma	Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations	NC-SES	
		Deputy Chief of Staff for Policy/Director of Policy Planning	NC-SES	
Sullivan	Jake			
Valmoro	Lona	Special Assistant to S (Scheduler)	Sked C	
Russo	Robert	Special Assistant to S (Correspondance)	Sked C	
Hanley	Monica	Special Assistant to S (Personal Assistant)	Sked C	
Davis	Jennifer	Executive Assistant	FSO	
Coleman	Claire	Office Manager	FSO	
Dewan	Linda	Staff Assistant	CS	
Sand	Maria	Special Assistant to S	FSO	
Randolph	Lawrence	Special Assistant to S	FSO	
Larkin	Neal	Staff Assistant	CS	
Laszczych	Joanne	Special Assistant to Counselor/Chief of Staff	Sked C	
Johnson	Brock	Special Assistant to Counselor/Chief of Staff	Sked C	
Smith	Jeannemarie	Senior Advisor to S & Counselor/Chief of Staff	NC-SES	

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From: newmyer [redacted] on behalf of Jackie Newmyer [redacted]  
Sent: Thursday, February 5, 2009 8:31 AM  
To: hdr22@clintonemail.com  
Subject: Re: congratulations

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Secretary Clinton, Yes; you will have my thoughts by the end of the day All best, Jackie

On Wed, Feb 4, 2009 at 10:36 PM, H <hdr22@clintonemail.com> wrote  
As you may know, I am going to China the end of next week, can you send me your thoughts? Thx  
-----Original Message-----  
From: Jackie Newmyer [redacted]  
Date: Sat, 24 Jan 2009 16:42:49  
To: <hr15@att.blackberry.net>  
Subject: Re: congratulations

Secretary Clinton, Congratulations on a successful first week! If you have 3 mins to discuss China's economy and implications for relations, would be great to chat. (Saw Andy and CIA and ODNI folks about this Thurs-Fri.) All best, Jackie

On 1/19/09, Jackie Newmyer [redacted] wrote:  
> Secretary Clinton,  
>  
> Am very much looking forward to your being confirmed for the same reason!  
> Hope the inaugural celebrations go splendidly, and if it would be  
> convenient  
> to chat in person, I will be in Washington from Wed through the end of the  
> week. All best, Jackie  
>  
> On Sun, Jan 18, 2009 at 7:47 PM, <hr15@att.blackberry.net> wrote  
>  
>> Jackie,  
>> Thanks so much for the kind words. I am looking forward to being  
>> confirmed so we can get to work! I will be getting back to you with  
>> specific  
>> options in the next week. All the best.  
>> -----Original Message-----  
>> From: Jackie Newmyer  
>> Sender: Jackie Newmyer  
>> To: Hillary Clinton  
>> Sent: Jan 15, 2009 9:14 AM  
>> Subject: congratulations  
>>  
>> Dear Secretary-designee Clinton,  
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>>  
>> Just wanted to say that your performance on Tuesday was masterful, and I  
>> especially admired your handling of Iran and China, as well as your  
>> moving  
>> remarks about the need to attend to the plight of women and girls in  
>> Asia,  
>> the Middle East, and Africa. Jefferson would have been proud!  
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>> Yours sincerely, jackie  
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>>  
>> Jacqueline Newmyer  
>> President, Long Term Strategy Group  
>> [redacted]  
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> Jacqueline Newmyer

> President, Long Term Strategy Group

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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 7, 2009 5:59 PM  
**To:** hdr22@clintonemail.com  
**Subject:** Steinberg report from Munich

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Steinberg checked in from Munich. Jones, Petraeus, Holbrooke, and he had a meeting with Pakistani FM Qureshi. They discussed the court-ordered release of AQ Khan. Bottom line: our guys were very stern and direct, and Qureshi indicated that the government was surprised by the ruling and would consider a range of options to respond to it and to address our concerns. I can give you a full report by phone.

**From:** H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, February 8, 2009 3:06 PM  
**To:** Bill Burns [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Follow up

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Thanks, Bill.

**From:** wburns [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Sun, 08 Feb 2009 14:13:47 -0500  
**To:** <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
**Subject:** Re: Follow up

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Madam Secretary,

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Thanks. A few quick points to follow up, with more tomorrow:

[REDACTED]

2. Lavrov: Pinning down March 6 would be great.

[REDACTED]

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Bill

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From: H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>

To: Bill Burns [REDACTED]

Sent: Sun, 8 Feb 2009 1:37 pm

Subject: Re: Follow up

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Bill--

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Thanks for the report. [REDACTED]

Also, I believe I will be able to=2 0lock in a time for the Lavrov mtg on the 6th this week.

I have a few follow up matters for you.

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Hope you're finding time to enjoy this warmer weather. See you tomorrow. HRC

From: wburns [REDACTED]

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Date: Sun, 08 Feb 2009 12:23:20 -0500

To: <hdr22@clintonemail.com>

Subject: Re: Follow up

Madam Secretary,

Hope you're having a good weekend. A couple brief items:

1. Holbrooke: [REDACTED]

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2. Russia. Their ambassador here was very pleased when I told him late Friday that you were looking seriously at a meeting with FM Lavrov on about March 6, maybe in Geneva. Told him we'd confirm early this week. My short trip to Moscow (this coming Thursday-Friday) is falling into place well, and will be useful preparation for your first meeting.

Best regards,

Bill

-----Original Message-----

From: H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>

To: Bill Burns [REDACTED]

Sent: Sun, 25 Jan 2009 8:13 pm

Subject: Re: Follow up

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Dear Bill,

Neither OPs nor I were successful in tracking down [REDACTED] over the weekend. As you foretold, the home number is not his, but we will try at [REDACTED] tomorrow. Stay tuned! HRC

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From: wburns [REDACTED]

Date: Sat, 24 Jan 2009 16:29:37 -0500

To: <hr15@att.blackberry.net>

Subject: Re: Follow up

Madam Secretary,

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Attached is some bio info on [REDACTED]

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The contact numbers I have for [REDACTED] (e-mail)

[REDACTED] Those numbers may be outdated, since I have not talked to [REDACTED] in a couple years.

The Ops Center is good at tracking people down if necessary.

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[REDACTED] WHA has done a good memo, and I'll review it with Jim Steinberg before the meeting. (I'll sub for Jim, until he is confirmed.)

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Also sent you via Joe Macmanus a short note for your Lavrov call on Monday, and some thoughts on Iran, as

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you requested.

Rest of the world seems relatively quiet, at least for the moment. Have a good weekend.

Bill

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From: hr15@att.blackberry.net

To: Bill Burns [REDACTED]

Sent: Wed, 21 Jan 2009 10:12 pm

Subject: Re: Follow up

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Dear Bill,

Thanks so much for the kind words, but even more for your service and the assistance you have given me and the team we are putting together. I look forward to being on board tomorrow.

All the best, Hillary

From: wburns [REDACTED]

Date: Wed, 21 Jan 2009 18:57:57 -0500

To: <hr15@att.blackberry.net>

Subject: Re: Follow up

Madam Secretary,

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Congratulations ! It's an honor to work for you, and you're going to do a wonderful job as Secretary.

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Look forward to seeing you tomorrow. Not too much to report from today. I took part on your behalf in the [REDACTED] Straightforward discussion, which I can20brief you on in more detail tomorrow.

[REDACTED] and I know he will look forward to talking to you as well. Relations with Egypt are due for i mprovement.

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[REDACTED]

All best,

Bill

-----Original Message-----

From: hr15@att.blackberry.net

To: Bill Burns [REDACTED]

Sent: Mon, 19 Jan 2009 5:22 pm

Subject: Follow up

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Is there a number where I can call you and a time that works for you?

**A Good Credit Score is 700 or Above. See yours in just 2 easy steps!**

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From: Neera Tanden [REDACTED]  
Sent: Sunday, February 8, 2009 4:45 PM  
To: hdr22@clintonemail.com  
Subject: Re: What happens now?

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sorry just got this  
cell is [REDACTED]  
phone is [REDACTED]

--- On Sun, 2/8/09, H <hdr22@clintonemail.com> wrote:

From: H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
Subject: Re: What happens now?  
To: "Neera Tanden" [REDACTED]  
Date: Sunday, February 8, 2009, 4:10 PM

Can you talk now? What number?

From: Neera Tanden  
Date: Sun, 8 Feb 2009 07:37:40 -0800 (PST)  
To: <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
Subject: Re: What happens now?

In all honesty, things are a bit grim, though in a lot of flux. The machinations are a bit intense, and too long for email, but the short synopsis is. They are thinking of separating out the office of health reform from HHS and the names in circulation in the press for HHS are the real names - I've seen their list and there's no one, really, who is going to give this issue the oomph it needs. And there are people they are thinking of that would be counterproductive. But more importantly, the economic team, which has been trying to undermine health care, is now more free to take it over, and has been moving to do so over the last few days. That may be blocked, but I'm not optimistic. The fight around the budget was pretty intense and a bit dire, even before the Daschle fiasco.

So, as you can imagine, I've been better. I've been meaning to email you to get your advice. I know how busy you are, but please let me know if you have any time to talk. I'd really appreciate your guidance.

Neera

--- On Sun, 2/8/09, H <hdr22@clintonemail.com> wrote:

From: H <hdr22@clintonemail.com>  
Subject: What happens now?  
To: "Neera Tanden" [REDACTED]  
Date: Sunday, February 8, 2009, 7:09 AM

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What are the plans for replacing Daschle and getting momentum again? Are you doing ok? Let me know. HRC

**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 8:16 PM  
**To:** hr15@att.blackberry.net; hdr22@clintonemail.com  
**Subject:** Fw: Kucinich to Gaza

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Fyi

**From:** Kennedy, Patrick F  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Cc:** Sullivan, Jacob J; Polt, Michael C; Crocker, Bathsheba N  
**Sent:** Tue Feb 10 19:18:37 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Kucinich to Gaza

Cheryl

Despite personal briefing to Rep. Kucinich by a senior DS official he has decided to proceed to Gaza (with spouse we think).

Not clear how he is getting to Gaza

Private trip sponsored by a Cleveland-based NGO called Access Ohio. Egyptian MFA is handling the logistics and is expecting an arrival in Cairo on the afternoon of Saturday, Feb 14, possible mtgs that day (Mubarak, Aboul-Gheit, Soliman, Aboulnaga and former AMBs Al-Reedy and Shaker have been requested; no confirmations except no from Aboul-Gheit), overnight in Cairo, and then travel to Rafah and into Gaza on Sunday, Feb 15. Rep Kucinich would like to exit Gaza into Israel through Erez, but it's unclear when. Egyptian MFA has asked MOD to provide transport from Cairo to Rafah. MFA is also coordinating airport pick-up, transport within Cairo and hotel accommodations for the night of Feb 14.

POC at the Cleveland-based NGO said that the purpose of the trip to the region is to enter Gaza, and that Ohio constituents have asked Rep Kucinich to do this. Dates could get pushed back a few days because of the stimulus vote. Rep Kucinich's staffer Amy Vossbrinck told me she thinks Kucinich may want to travel from Israel to Doha.

**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 11, 2009 3:02 AM  
**To:** hr15@att.blackberry.net  
**Subject:** Fw: OMB Appeal

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Fyi

----- Original Message -----

From: Lew, Jacob J  
To: Mills, Cheryl D  
Sent: Wed Feb 11 00:16:35 2009  
Subject: Fw: OMB Appeal

Don't know if this will work but we should at least see what the real appeal would be fighting over if we say we need more.

----- Original Message -----

From: Lew, Jacob J  
To: Kennedy, Patrick F, Greene, Richard L.  
Cc: Campbell, Piper, Bennett, Virginia L  
Sent: Wed Feb 11 00:12:48 2009  
Subject: OMB Appeal

Just got off the phone with Peter. He does not think we can get all the way to [redacted] (which is where our list would leave us). [redacted] worth taking back. He is prepared to go [redacted] which is higher than he is authorized to go this is half of our original appeal).

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I told him that taking another [redacted]

I told him that [redacted]

He asked me to run the [redacted] up the flagpole and if we can live with it he will take it [redacted] They will be together on stimulus most of the day tomrw. [redacted]

First thing in the am I would like to look at [redacted]

I will be in around 730 but feel free to call any time if you need clarification

Thanks.

Jack



**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 11, 2009 3:34 AM  
**To:** hr15@att.blackberry.net  
**Subject:** Fw: OMB and DC Questions

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See below.

I am going to be meeting with Jack and Jim today (or Fri if they can't b/c of budget)

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There have been a number of [redacted] (including this one [redacted] below which I advised [redacted]

I have advised [redacted]

We should discuss that b/f hand

[redacted] fairly as he has made all the accommodations against what he had been promised (e.g., [redacted])

I will advise on meeting once we have it but will get with you on OES b/f I meet with them.

See below

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**From:** Lew, Jacob J  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Tue Feb 10 20:41:43 2009  
**Subject:** FW: OMB and DC Questions

**From:** Lew, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 8:34 PM  
**To:** 'Donilon, Thomas E.'  
**Cc:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Subject:** RE: OMB and DC Questions

Peter got stuck on the Hill in stimulus meetings and I will either meet with him late tonight or early tomorrow. Will let you know where things stand after that. Appreciate you raising the issue at the [redacted]

I am not sure how to resolve the issue about [redacted]

**From:** Donilon, Thomas E. [mailto:[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 8:24 PM  
**To:** Lew, Jacob J  
**Subject:** RE: OMB and DC Questions

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Jack—I am just back at my office and available to talk. I raised the [redacted]

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On the [REDACTED] --as I said to Cheryl, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Lew, Jacob J [mailto:LewJJ@state.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 10, 2009 4:37 PM

**To:** Donilon, Thomas E.

**Subject:** OMB and DC Questions

Tom

Peter Orszag has asked me to come over for a one on one tonight at 745. Do you still want to pull a group together prior?

[REDACTED] I am inclined to attend and just want to  
confirm with you so that [REDACTED]

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Regards,

Jack

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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 11, 2009 4:35 AM  
**To:** hdr22@clintonemail.com  
**Cc:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>, Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
**Subject:** Fw: Outline paper of Holbrooke's goals for visit to Pak

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----- Original Message -----

**From:** Smith, Daniel B  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Mon Feb 09 17:42:06 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Outline paper of Holbrooke's goals for visit to Pak

You asked about what happened with the document that the Secretary had signed. Here is the e-mail chain by which it was given to the Operations Center for transmittal to the Communications folks in New York for the Secretary. As I noted, the Communications folks apparently did not understand, when the Secretary handed the approved document back, that it was urgent and decided it could wait until the next day. We are reviewing all of our SOPs, and I have made clear that anything the Secretary signs or acts on is, by definition, urgent. I've also underscored to Ops that they should have followed up with Commo folks to find out what happened. I'm very sorry about what happened and that we all let the Secretary down

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Walker, Peggy J  
**Sent:** Sunday, February 08, 2009 3:05 PM  
**To:** Macmanus, Joseph E; Abedin, Huma; SES-O\_SWO-Only  
**Subject:** RE: Outline paper of Holbrooke's goals for visit to Pak

Commo in Chappaqua has confirmed receipt of the document, they are taking it to the Secretary's residence now.

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**From:** Macmanus, Joseph E  
**Sent:** Sunday, February 08, 2009 2:57 PM  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; SES-O\_SWO-Only  
**Subject:** Re: Outline paper of Holbrooke's goals for visit to Pak

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This is on it's way now to commo. The draft paper is classified so it cannot go by blackberry email. We attached a draft transmittal note [redacted] Ops can make any changes; you can phone or email them or give the edits to commo and they will coordinate with Ops, which will send the completed package [redacted]

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Macmanus, Joseph E  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; SES-O\_SWO-Only  
**Sent:** Sun Feb 08 14:07:30 2009  
**Subject:** Outline paper of Holbrooke's goals for visit to Pak

Bill and the Secretary discussed this, and she asked to see this draft paper. It is on the classified system. I have asked ops to forward it to commo and bring over it to the Residence. I'll email you when this takes place.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 10, 2009 6:20 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: List for S Staff S&ED Weekend Call  
**Attach:** Reagan Floorplan and Room Designation.ppt; Overall Agenda\_Logistics.pdf

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**From:** Lee, Jeanny L  
**To:** Thomas, Erica K.; 'nick.s.merrill' [REDACTED] <nick.s.merrill [REDACTED]>; Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J; Adler, Caroline E; Reines, Philippe I; Jones, Natalie R; Longstreth, Miranda L; Chollet, Derek H; Andrews, Brian J; Bae, Eugene; Stein, Eric F; Drewes, Birgitta D.; Edelkamp, Fredrick S; Wood, Liz; Thornton, Susan A; Bloomer, James V; Boggs, Gladys D (PACE); Habjan, Jonathan A; Hutto, Julie N; Guice, April J; Mazelka, Paul F  
**Cc:** Hanley, Monica R; Gent, Stephanie R; 'Erica and Greg Thomas' <greganderica [REDACTED]>; 'jeanny' [REDACTED] <jeanny [REDACTED]> Shear, David B  
**Sent:** Fri Jul 10 18:10:44 2009  
**Subject:** RE: List for S Staff S&ED Weekend Call

Dear all,

Please find attached two documents for reference during the conference call.  
Please note that in the agenda, we currently have down Hemisphere A for the P-lunch – but this will change to the Rotunda if it is available.

Have a great weekend,  
Jeanny

**From:** Thomas, Erica K.  
**Sent:** Friday, July 10, 2009 4:48 PM  
**To:** SES-O; 'nick.s.merrill' [REDACTED]; Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J; Adler, Caroline E; Reines, Philippe I; Thomas, Erica K.; Lee, Jeanny L; Jones, Natalie R; Longstreth, Miranda L; Chollet, Derek H; Andrews, Brian J; Bae, Eugene; Stein, Eric F; Drewes, Birgitta D.; Edelkamp, Fredrick S; Wood, Liz; Thornton, Susan A; Bloomer, James V; Boggs, Gladys D (PACE)  
**Cc:** Hanley, Monica R; Gent, Stephanie R; 'Erica and Greg Thomas'; 'jeanny' [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FW: List for S Staff S&ED Weekend Call

To All:  
Ops will arrange for a conference call to discuss S&ED logistics and substance matters tomorrow (Saturday) at 5 pm. It is important to have this call prior to Monday because we need to make some decisions prior to when we meet with the Chinese advance team beginning on Monday at 9:00am. Call in information to follow from Ops. If anyone has any questions, please don't hesitate to call me (contact info below).

*Erica Thomas - 钟怡瑞*  
*State S&ED Coordinator*  
*Office of Chinese and Mongolian Affairs*  
202-647-8880  
Cell phone: [REDACTED]  
ThomasEK@state.gov

Call list:

Huma Abedin  
Jake Sullivan  
Caroline Adler (PA)  
Philippe Reines (PA)  
Nick Merrill (PA) - ([REDACTED] Not on the GAL)  
Erica Thomas (EAP)

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Jeanny Lee (EAP) [REDACTED] doesn't have a bb)

Natalie Jones (Protocol)

Miranda Longstreth (M)

Derek Chollet (S/P)

Brian Andrews (EAP)

Eugene Bae (S/ES-S)

Eric Stein (Transportation)

Birgitta Drewes (Interpretation)

Fred Edelkamp (AV/Interpretation Tech)

Liz Wood (DS)

Susan Thornton (EAP)

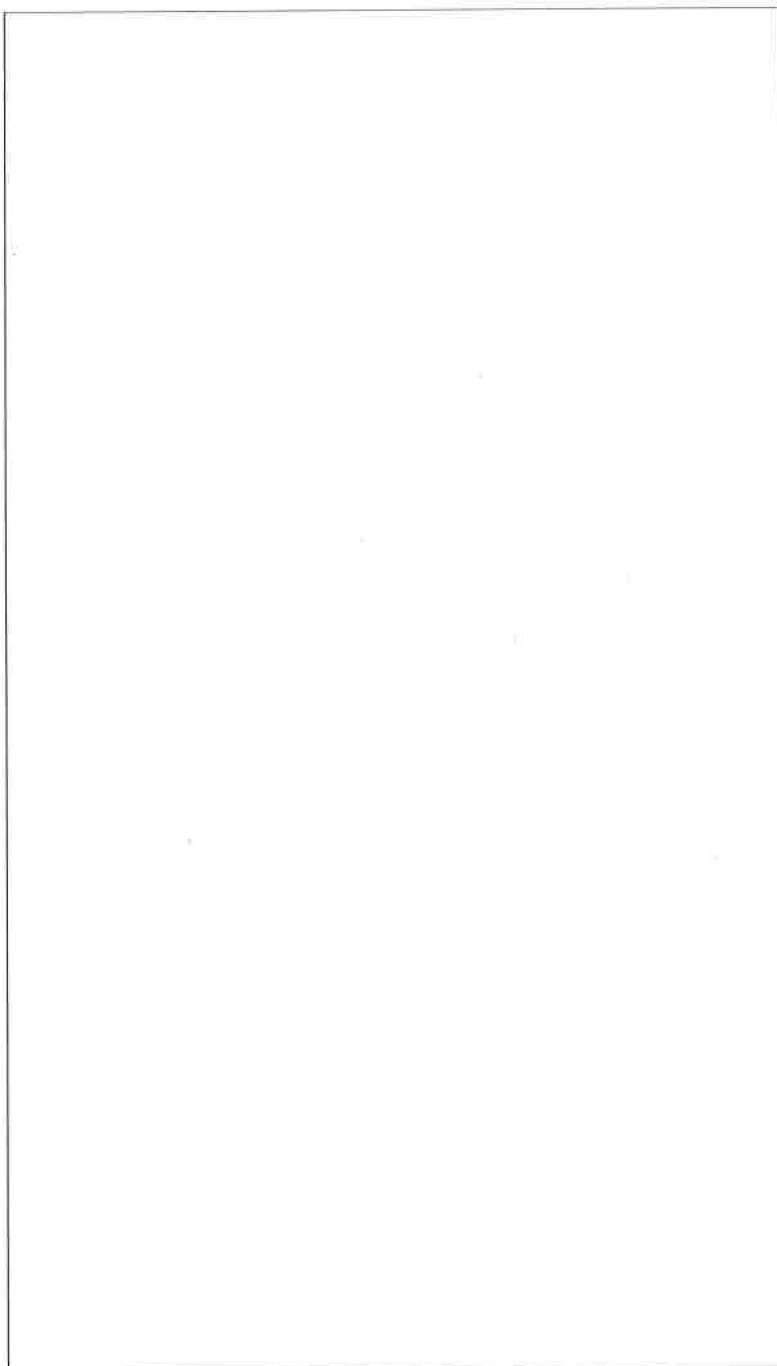
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Jim Bloomer (DS)

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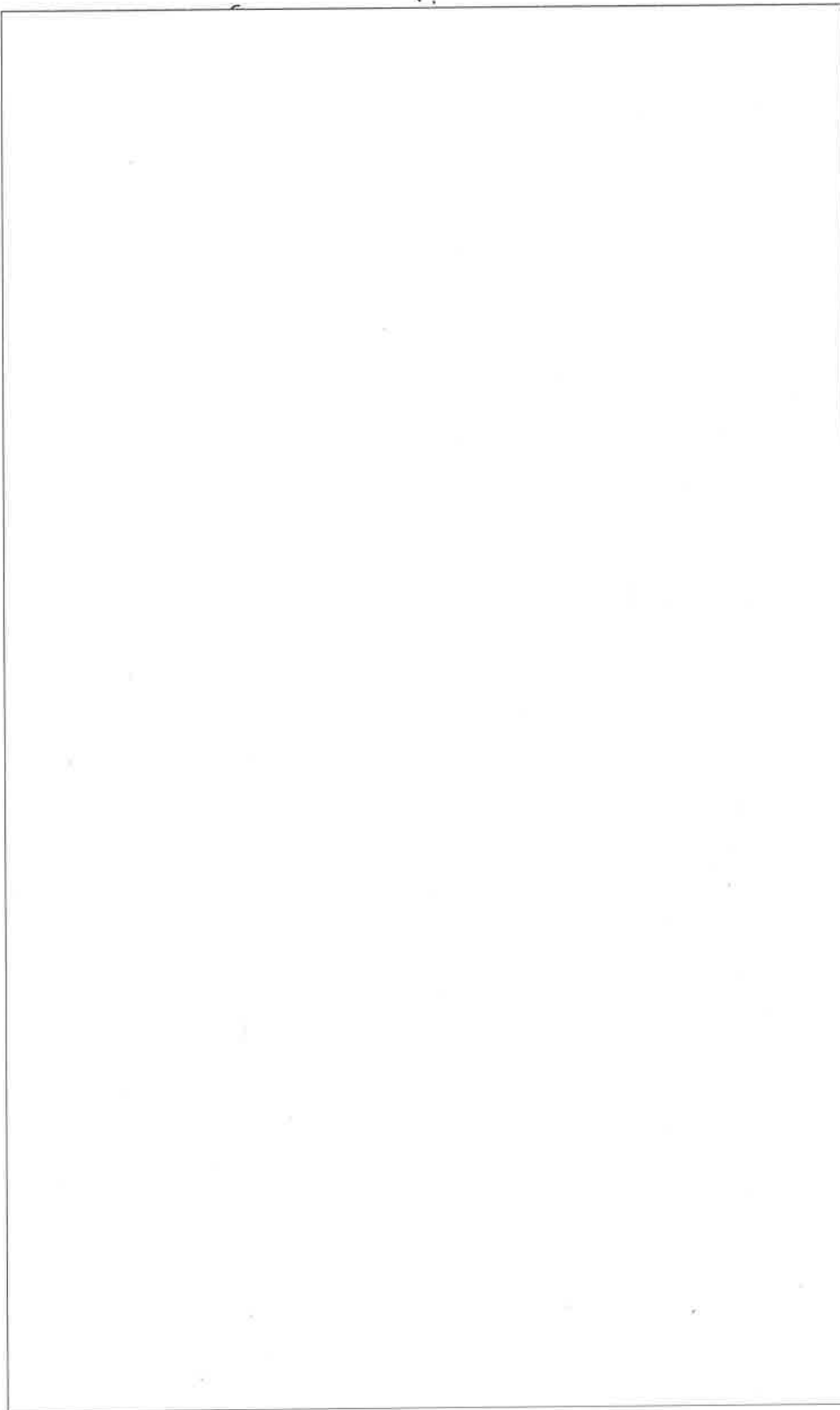


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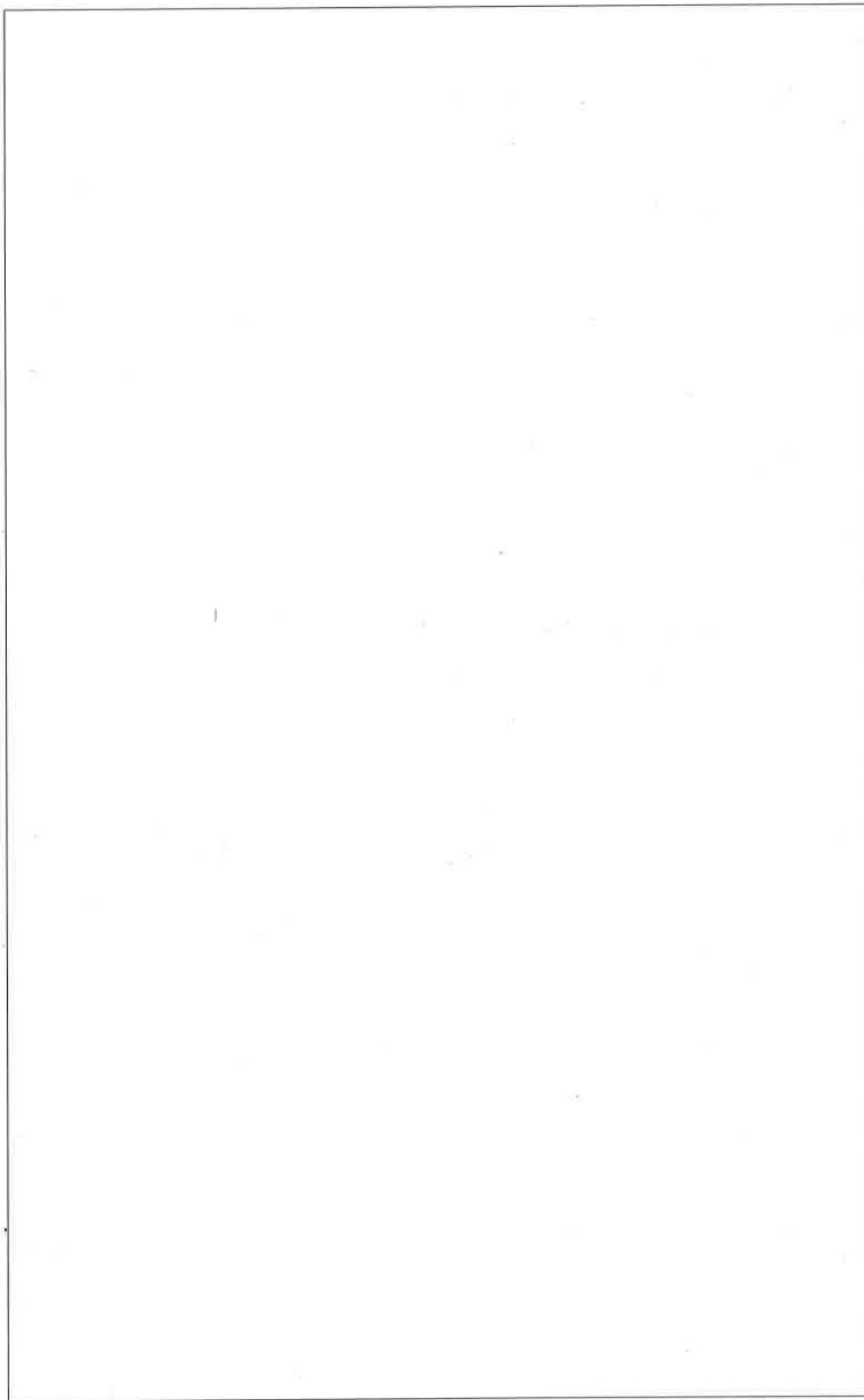


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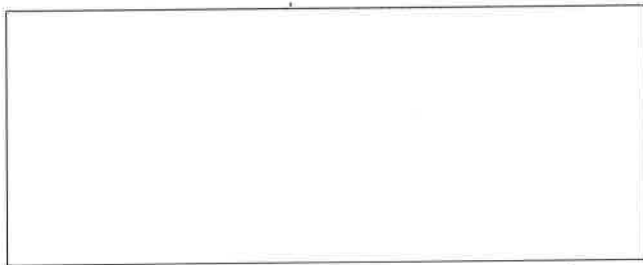


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Hillary Rodham Clinton, Secretary of State  
US Department of State  
2201 C Street NW  
Washington, DC 20520

Dear Madam Secretary:

Congratulations on your very successful and productive visit to Pakistan. You have won the hearts and minds of the common man of Pakistan.

This is the first time in the 60 year history of US-Pakistan relations that a high ranking US official has made contact with the mainstream of Pakistan. You have really opened a new chapter in US-Pakistan relations. The feedback I have received from Pakistan's common people is excellent and encouraging with only a couple of minor negative comments by a very small number of the legislators of Pakistan. I cannot speak of the view of the present government of Pakistan, but the general Pakistan public view you as a leader who sincerely wants to rebuild the relations between the US and Pakistan. I believe that in your capacity as Secretary of State, the world will be safer and truly a more peaceful place. You will be known as a Peacemaker in the world.

My only suggestion would be that on your next visit, you should meet with the legal community and Pakistani-Americans who have gone back and settled in Pakistan. If you need any help in this regard and I can play a role, I would be happy to assist you. If you need to reach me, my contact numbers are [redacted] or my cell number [redacted]

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I am proud of your leadership. Keep up the good work.

Regards,

Rashid A. Chaudary

**From:** Huma Abedin [Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, December 11, 2009 5:56:53 AM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Re: Tonight

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- they will be able to speak as long as they want, timeline is a general guide timewise but not totally accurate.
- you are going to speak during dinner. Basically, sit for a little while, then start speaking program. Obviously the longer you stay, the happier they will be. Collin powell will stay for the whole dinner so you can speak and leave if you'd like.
- nafis sadik, chair of the board was going to introduce board members after you left since you are close to beginning of program but since there has been so much controversy over the membership, its been an on and off plan.
- I asked philippe if we can set up joint interviews with them before event.
- not clear that IRC money can be announced publicly tonight but we have encouraged them to do it.
- the irish american comparison should be in remarks, that's just an oversight.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Fri Dec 11 05:45:00 2009  
**Subject:** Tonight

I just read the briefing for the Foundation dinner. A few questions:

There's not enough time for Powell and Quereshi to speak. Three or four minutes is insulting for Powell (I don't know Quereshi).

Do I speak before , during or after dinner? I'm willing to do either.

When are the board members introduced?

Will there be press interviews for Powell to do?

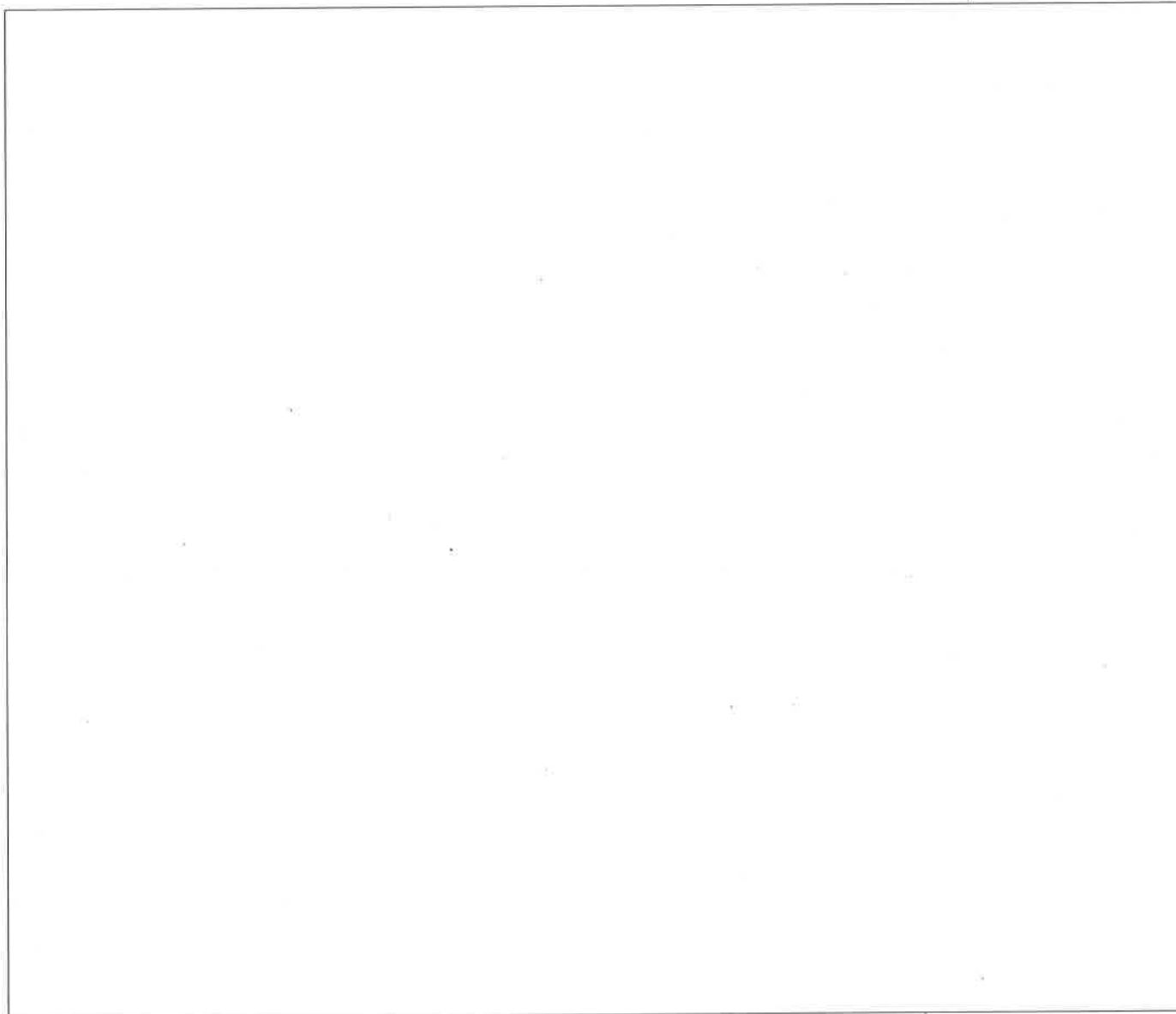
Who will announce donation to IRC? Will George Rupp accept and say something?

There's nothing in the remarks comparing this fledgling effort to the Irish-American efforts which I thought was going to be in there. Is that deliberate or an oversight?

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Kinshasa, Abuja, and Monrovia

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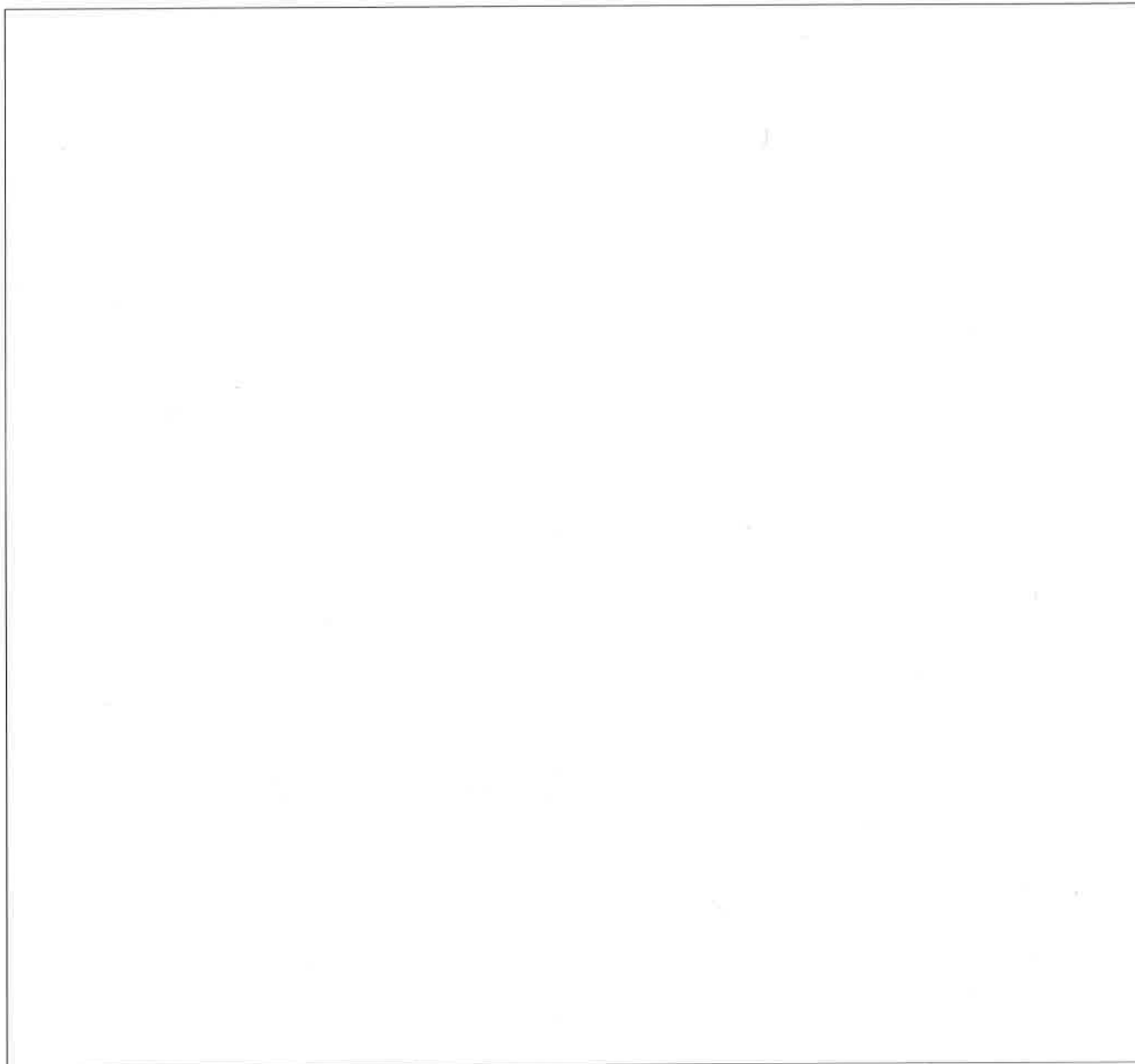
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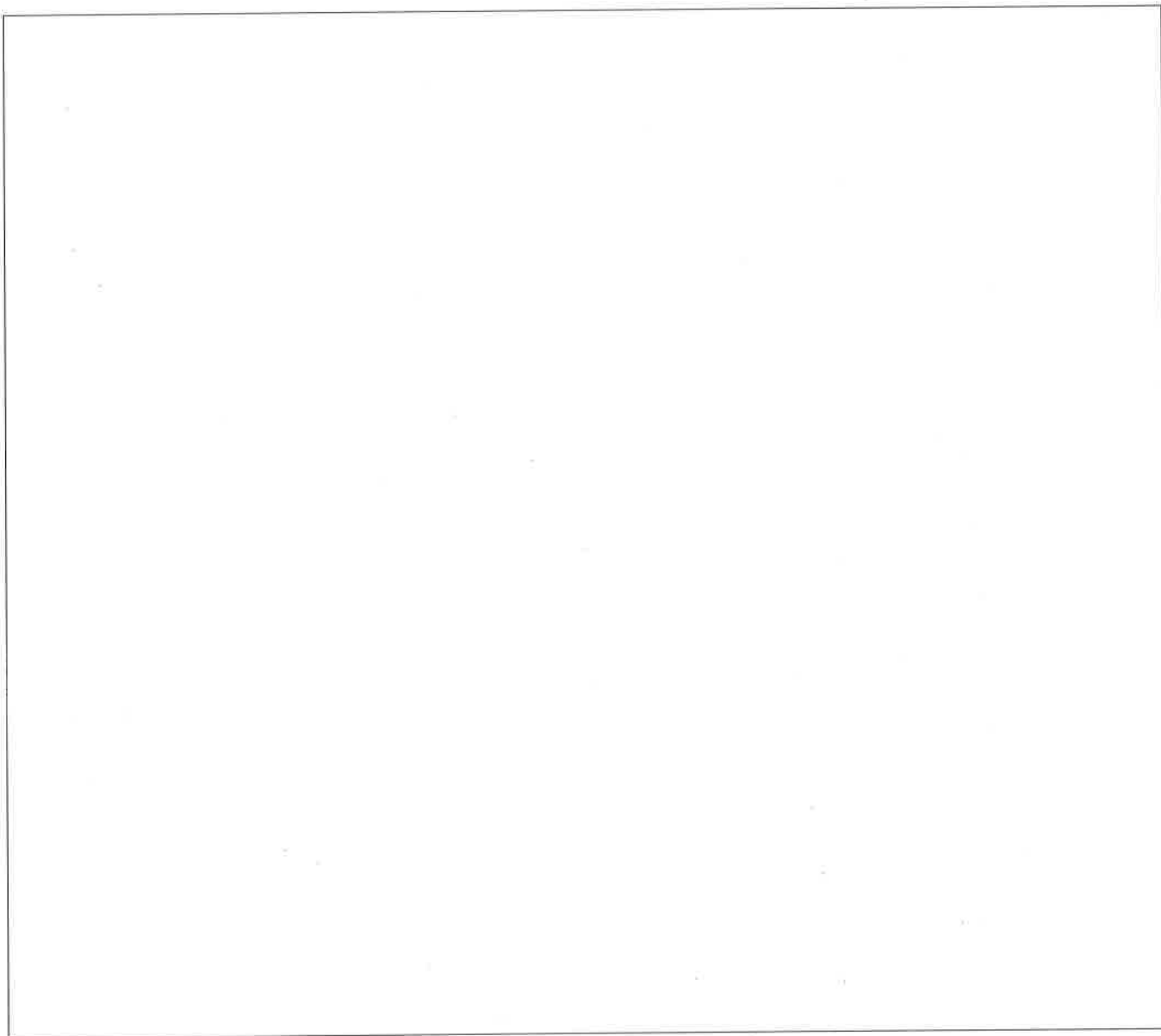
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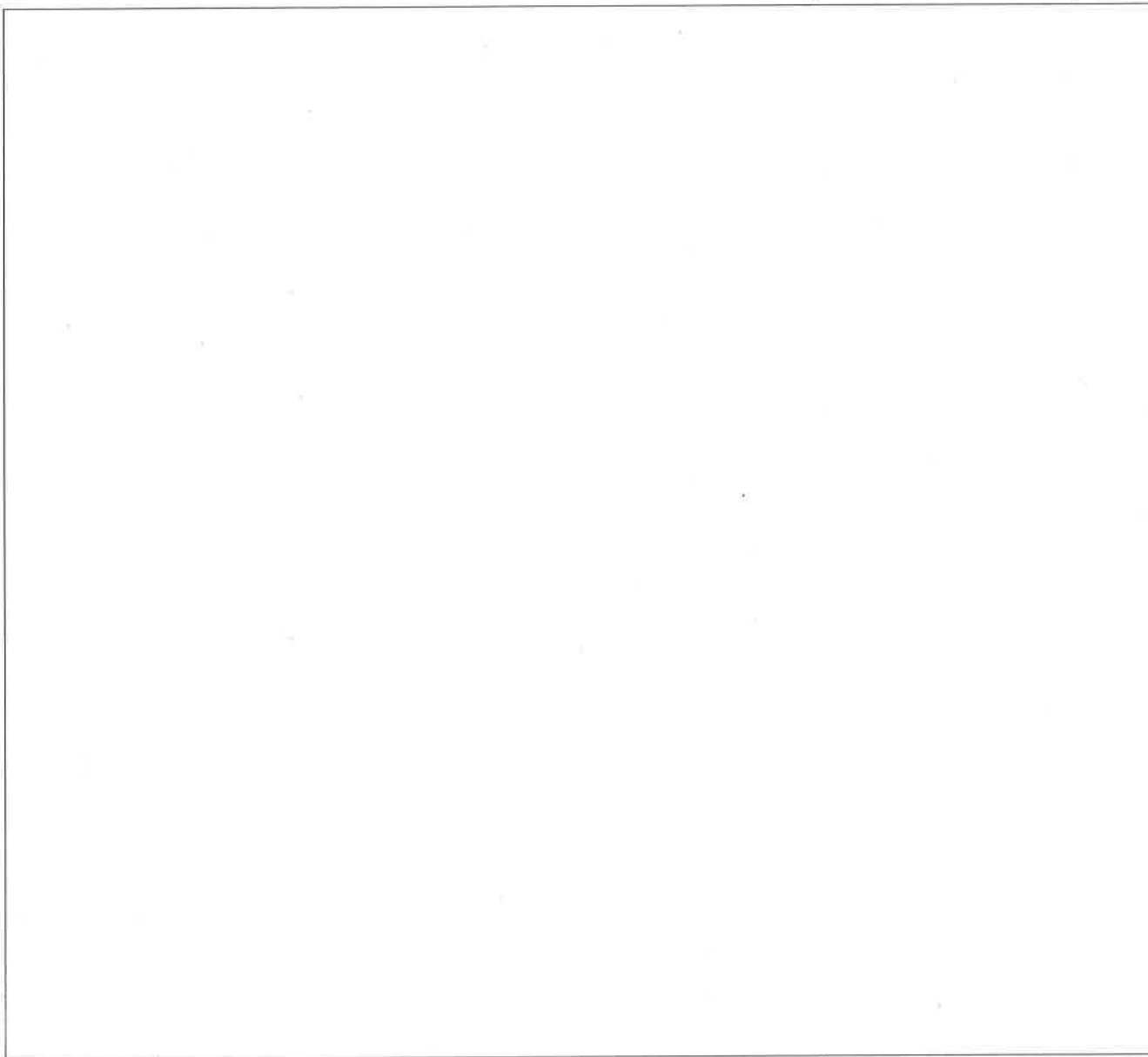
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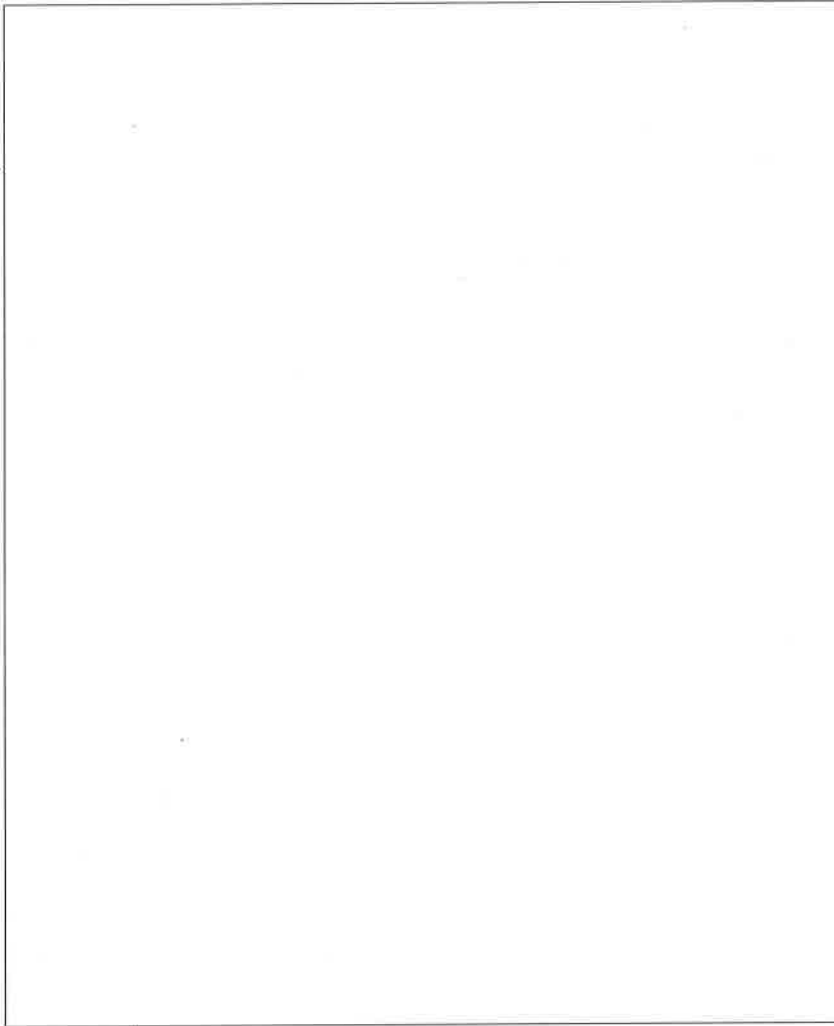
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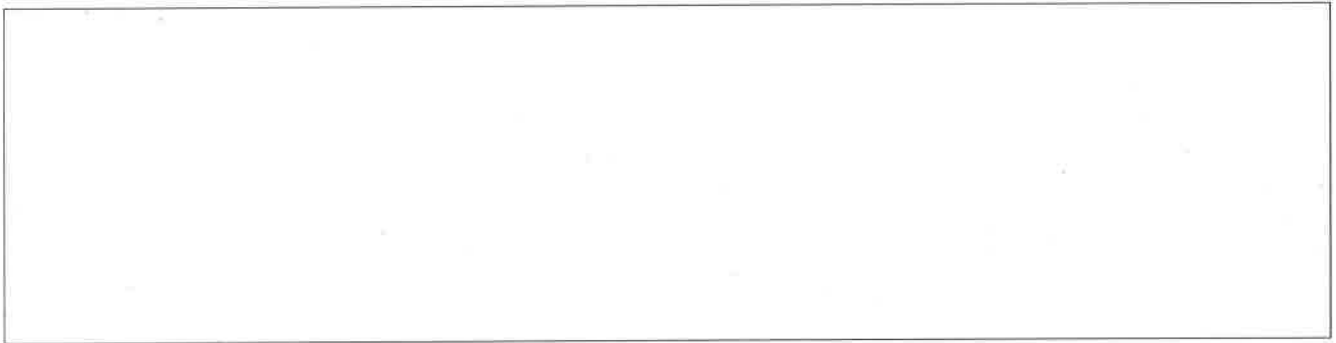
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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 6, 2009 12:04 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw Updated UNGA/G-20 Bilats  
**Attach:** UNGA Bilats8 5.09 doc

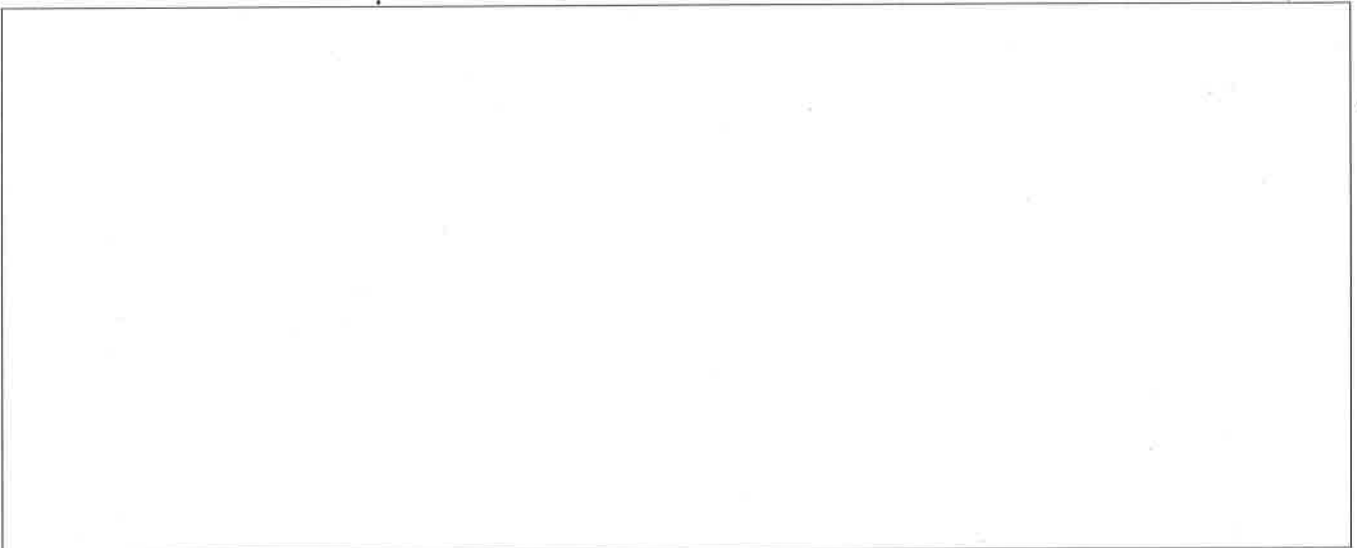
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**From:** Lippert, Mark W. [REDACTED]  
**To:** Lippert, Mark W. [REDACTED]; Anderson, Brooke D (USUN); Power, Samantha J. [REDACTED]  
 McDonough, Denis R. [REDACTED]; Froman, Michael B. [REDACTED]; Donilon, Thomas E.  
 [REDACTED]; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M. [REDACTED]; Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Wed Aug 05 22:29:31 2009  
**Subject:** Updated: UNGA/G-20 Bilats

All - updated UNGA bi/multi-lat list is attached and embedded in the email below.

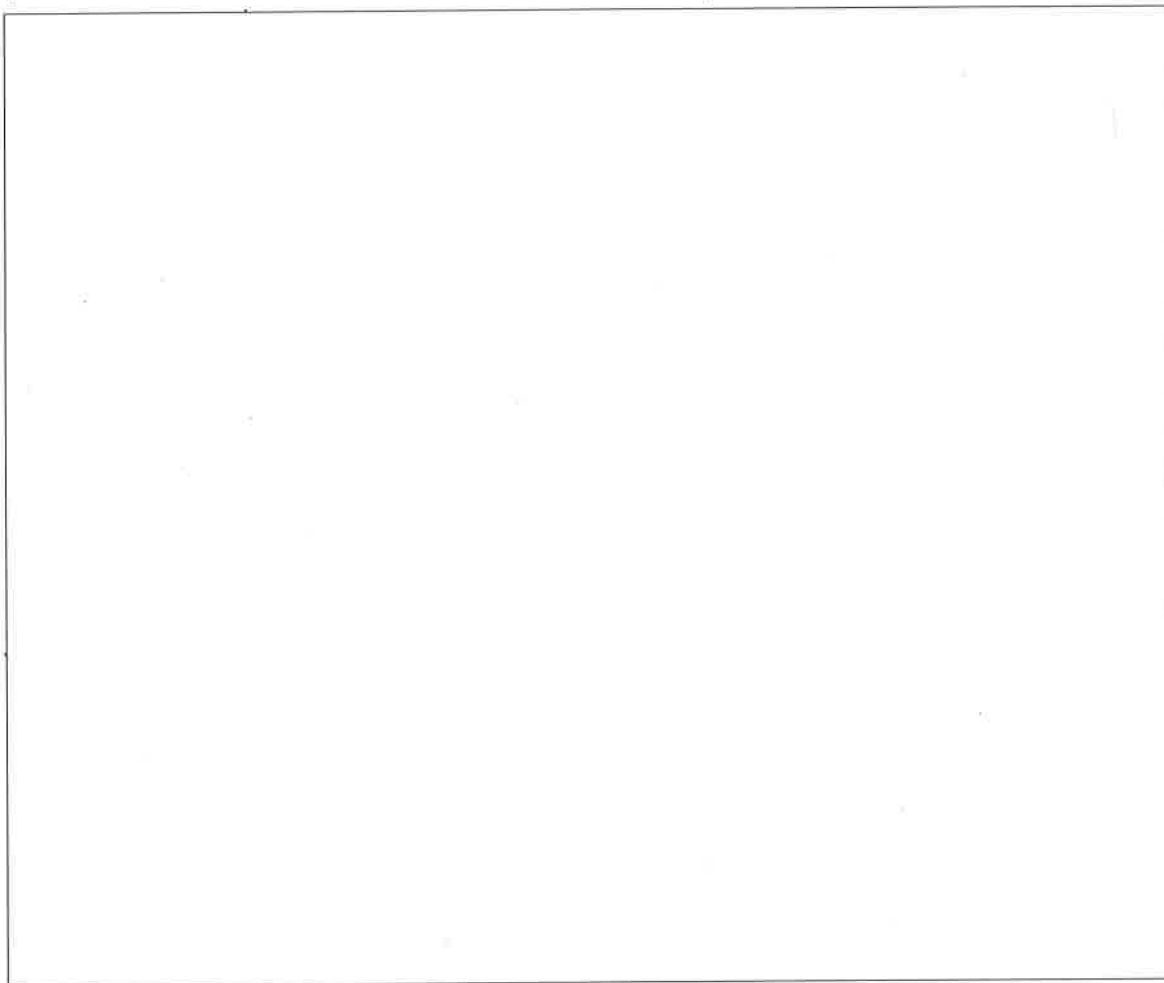


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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 6, 2009 7:18 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Multilateral theme meeting proposal

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**From:** Power, Samantha J. [REDACTED]  
**To:** Lippert, Mark W. [REDACTED]; Anderson, Brooke D (USUN); McDonough, Denis R. [REDACTED]  
Froman, Michael B. [REDACTED]; Donilon, Thomas E. [REDACTED]; Mastromonaco; Alyssa M.  
[REDACTED]; Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Thu Aug 06 16:22:40 2009  
**Subject:** Multilateral theme meeting proposal

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**From:** Lippert, Mark W.

**To:** Power, Samantha J.; 'AndersonBD@state.gov'; McDonough, Denis R.; Froman, Michael B.; Donilon, Thomas E.; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M.; 'AbedinH@state.gov'

**Sent:** Thu Aug 06 14:16:18 2009

**Subject:** RE: Updated: UNGA/G-20 Bilats

Excellent.

**From:** Power, Samantha J.

**Sent:** Thursday, August 06, 2009 2:14 PM

**To:** Lippert, Mark W.; 'AndersonBD@state.gov'; McDonough, Denis R.; Froman, Michael B.; Donilon, Thomas E.; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M.; 'AbedinH@state.gov'

**Subject:** Re: Updated: UNGA/G-20 Bilats

Agreed. Content to follow

**From:** Lippert, Mark W.

**To:** Power, Samantha J.; 'AndersonBD@state.gov'; McDonough, Denis R.; Froman, Michael B.; Donilon, Thomas E.; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M.; 'AbedinH@state.gov'

**Sent:** Thu Aug 06 13:52:24 2009

**Subject:** RE: Updated: UNGA/G-20 Bilats

I see no problem with this. I think the question, though, is to figure out content first and then work back on the precise duration.

**From:** Power, Samantha J.

**Sent:** Thursday, August 06, 2009 9:08 AM

**To:** Lippert, Mark W.; 'AndersonBD@state.gov'; McDonough, Denis R.; Froman, Michael B.; Donilon, Thomas E.; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M.; 'AbedinH@state.gov'

**Subject:** Re: Updated: UNGA/G-20 Bilats

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**From:** Lippert, Mark W.

**To:** Lippert, Mark W.; 'Anderson, Brooke D (USUN)'; Power, Samantha J.; McDonough, Denis R.; Froman, Michael B.; Donilon, Thomas E.; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M.; 'Abedin, Huma'

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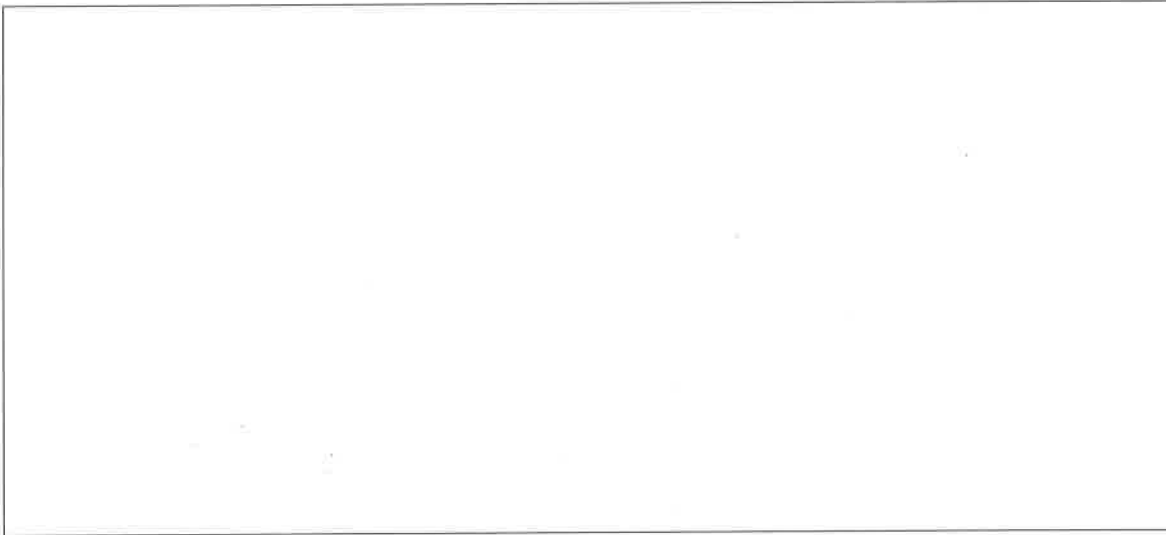
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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 8, 2009 2:26 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Latest Crack at UNGA  
**Attach:** UNGA001.PDF

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Lippert, Mark W [REDACTED]  
**To:** Anderson, Brooke D (USUN); Power, Samantha J [REDACTED]; Donilon, Thomas F.  
[REDACTED]; Spence, Matthew J [REDACTED]; McDonough, Denis R  
[REDACTED]; Froman, Michael B [REDACTED]; Chang, Cindy [REDACTED]  
Gugliotta, Brian C [REDACTED]; Abedin, Huma; Mastromonaco, Alyssa M. [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Fri Aug 07 12:04:26 2009  
**Subject:** Latest Crack at UNGA

. See attached.

[REDACTED]

Best,  
Mark

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 26, 2009 2:25 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** PrintFw. LEGAL-#152421-v1-[REDACTED] - \_JD\_version.DOC  
**Attach:** LEGAL-#152421-v1-[REDACTED] - \_JD\_version.doc

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**From:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Fri Jun 26 14:18:50 2009  
**Subject:** Fw: LEGAL-#152421-v1-[REDACTED] - \_JD\_version.DOC

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**From:** Schwartz, Jonathan B  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Sullivan, Jacob J; Crocker, Bathsheba N  
**Cc:** Steinberg, James B; S\_SpecialAssistants; Toiv, Nora F; Donoghue, Joan E; Koh, Harold Hongju; Dolan, JoAnn; Goldberger, Thomas H  
**Sent:** Fri Jun 26 11:28:10 2009  
**Subject:** LEGAL-#152421-v1-[REDACTED] - \_JD\_version.DOC

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Cheryl/Jake/Sheba – Joan Donoghue asked me to pass along this initial discussion paper on options for addressing the

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Thanks. Jon Schwartz.

Informal Discussion Paper: Potential Options

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# SENIOR TRAVELERS 90-DAY REPORT

May 22, 2009 – August 21, 2009

<u>Bur</u>	<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Acting</u>	<u>Starting</u>	<u>Ending</u>
<i>Senior Team</i>					
D(S)	Steinberg, James	Singapore, Tokyo		5/28/2009	6/3/2009
	Steinberg, James	(T) EAP Trip		Mid June	
	Steinberg, James	(T) Aspen (Conference)		Early July	
D(L)	Lew, Jack	Toronto		6/3/2009	6/5/2009
P	Burns, William	(T) Cairo, Rome & India		6/5/2009	6/13/2009
	Burns, William	Trieste (G-8 Foreign Ministers)		6/20/2009	6/27/2009
C	Mills, Cheryl	No planned travel			
M	Kennedy, Patrick	No planned travel			
S/P	Slaughter, Anne Marie	China, Korea, Rome		5/27/2009	6/6/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	London		6/10/2009	6/12/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	Rhode Island, Brussels		6/16/2009	6/19/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	(T) Turkey (+Trieste??)		6/23/2009	6/25/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	Berlin, Brussels		6/29/2009	7/5/2009
PA	Crowley, PJ	Accompany S trip (possible)		5/31/2009	6/3/2009

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PA	Kelly, Ian	Accompany S trip		5/31/2009	6/3/2009
L	Donoghue, Joan	A/L		5/20/2009	6/1/2009
	Donoghue, Joan	Amsterdam		6/16/2009	6/20/2009
	Donoghue, Joan	(T) Moscow		7/4/2009	7/8/2009
H	A/S Verma, Richard	No planned travel			

<u>Bur</u>	<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Acting</u>	<u>Starting</u>	<u>Ending</u>
<i>Under Secretaries</i>					
P	Burns, William	(T) Cairo, Rome & India		6/5/2009	6/13/2009
	Burns, William	Trieste (G-8 Foreign Ministers)		6/20/2009	6/27/2009
M	Kennedy, Patrick	No planned travel			
R	McHale, Judith	No planned travel			

<u>Bur</u>	<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Acting</u>	<u>Starting</u>	<u>Ending</u>
<i>Assistant Secretaries</i>					
AF	Carson, Johnnie	A/L		5/22/2009	5/26/2009
	Carson, Johnnie	Uganda, Kenya		First week of June	
	Carson, Johnnie	(T) AU Summit		Mid July	
	Carson, Johnnie	(T) AGOA Forum		August	
EAP	Davies, Glyn	D(S) Trip to Singapore & Tokyo		5/28/2009	6/2/2009
EUR	Gordon, Phil	No travel planned			
NEA	Feltman, Jeffrey	Paris, London		5/19/2009	5/23/2009
SCA	Blake, Robert	No planned travel			
WHA	Shannon, Thomas	WHA Trip (Brazil, El Salvador)	DAS Chris McMullen	5/25/2009	6/3/2009
	Shannon, Thomas	Miami		6/8/2009	6/9/2009
EEB	Nelson, David	New York (UN Conference on Global Crisis)		6/1/2009	6/3/2009
	Nelson, David	Paris (OECD ECSS)		6/4/2009	6/5/2009
	Nelson, David	Italy (FASS IV)		6/22/2009	6/23/2009
	Nelson, David	G8		7/9/2009	7/10/2009
VCI	Gottmoeller, Rose	Geneva ("START")		5/30/2009	6/4/2009
	Gottmoeller, Rose	Berlin		6/8/2009	6/11/2009
	Gottmoeller, Rose	Geneva ("START")		6/13/2009	6/20/2009
	Gottmoeller, Rose	London		9/1/2009	9/4/2009

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<i>Special Envoys</i>					
SSRAP	Holbrooke, Richard	New York		5/21/2009	5/25/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	New York		5/28/2009	5/29/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	New York		6/4/2009	6/4/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	New York		6/5/2009	6/8/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	New York		6/16/2009	6/16/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	G8 (Trieste) + Annual Leave (Europe)		6/25/2009	7/5/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	Afghanistan, Afghan Elections		8/17/2009	8/21/2009
SSECC	Stern, Todd	Paris		5/23/2009	5/27/2009
	Stern, Todd	China		6/6/2009	6/10/2009
SUSSES	Gratton, Scott	Chicago-Beijing-Doha-London-Paris		5/22/2009	5/30/2009
SSEMEP	Mitchell, George	London		5/25/2009	5/27/2009
SSRNKP	Bosworth, Stephen	Europe: Geneva + Vienna (University & Official DoS Business)		5/29/2009	6/8/2009
	Bosworth, Stephen	NYC		6/9/2009	6/10/2009
S/GC	Dan Fried	No planned travel			

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**From:** Ben Schwerin [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 10, 2009 10:36:47 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** Re: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremmler re food security

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great!! what shld i tell him to do?

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On Wed, Jun 10, 2009 at 5:45 AM, Huma Abedin<Huma@clintonemail.com> wrote:  
> we will take care of this

>  
>

> From: Ben Schwerin [REDACTED]  
> Sent: Monday, June 08, 2009 10:55 PM  
> To: Huma Abedin  
> Subject: Re: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremmler re food security

> Ok thanks:)  
> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com>

>  
> Date: Mon, 8 Jun 2009 22:46:13  
> To: 'bschwerin' [REDACTED]  
> Subject: Re: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremmler re food security

>  
> Let me get back to u

>  
> ----- Original Message -----  
> From: Ben Schwerin [REDACTED]  
> To: Huma Abedin [REDACTED]  
> Sent: Mon Jun 08 20:26:47 2009  
> Subject: Re: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremmler re food security

>  
> Hey just wanted to follow up on this... He will be at State 10am on June 18th.

> -----Original Message-----  
> From: "Ben Schwerin" [REDACTED]  
>  
> Date: Fri, 5 Jun 2009 02:04:32  
> To: Huma Abedin [REDACTED]  
> Subject: Fw: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremmler re food security

>  
> Hi. Hope you're doing well in Egypt. Howard Buffett (Susie's brother) has meetings at State on the morning of June 18th to discuss food security in Africa. He has a research reserve in South Africa and has a partnership with the Gates Foundation. He has never met HRC and would love to if she is available. Any chance of a brief meeting?? Thanks and safe travels,

>  
> Ben

>  
> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Howard W Buffett [REDACTED]  
>  
> Date: Thu, 4 Jun 2009 20:29:22  
> To: bschwerin [REDACTED]  
> Subject: Fw: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremmler re food security

>  
> Ben,

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>  
> I started setting up this meeting for HGB (without any mandate for him), and he said that I should touch base with you about it.  
>  
> Let me know if you have any advice.  
>  
> Hope you're well man,  
>  
> hwb  
>  
>  
> From: Stremlau, Matthew H <StremlauMH@state.gov>  
> To: Howard W Buffett; Ross, Alec J <RossAJ@state.gov>  
> Sent: Thu Jun 04 18:40:16 2009  
> Subject: RE: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremlau re food security  
>  
> Howard,  
>  
> Thanks for your email. We would like to meet your father and hear about his work on food security. We are happy to host him at the State Department or meet with him elsewhere. Please keep me updated on your plans.  
>  
> Best,  
> Matt  
>  
>  
> Matthew Stremlau, Ph.D.  
> Policy Planning Staff  
> Office of the Secretary of State  
> U.S. Department of State  
> Phone: 202-736-7308  
>  
> [REDACTED]  
> Email: StremlauMH@state.gov  
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>  
> From: Howard W Buffett [REDACTED]  
> Sent: Thursday, June 04, 2009 11:21 AM  
> To: Ross, Alec J  
> Cc: Stremlau, Matthew H  
> Subject: Re: Howard Buffett meet Matt Stremlau re food security  
>  
> Alec,  
>  
> Many thanks for your follow-up, and was great to catch up since our time on the Transition Team together.  
>  
> Matt,  
>  
> My father (Howard Sr.), manages a research reserve in South Africa that is developing, in partnership with universities here in the US and in SA, and in partnership with the Gates Foundation, a number of crop varieties in order to strengthen food security in Africa and beyond. I believe both a drought resistant variety of maize, and a pest resistant sweet potato. Alec mentioned that food security is a priority for the Secretary.  
>  
> If you have any interest in meeting my father, he will be in town and has availability the morning of June 18th, or during the day on the 19th, either in the morning or the early afternoon (pending a meeting that has yet to be set). If you have interest in meeting with us, and have time, please let me know.  
>  
> My best regards,

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>  
> Howard  
>  
> 217-433-1575  
> On Thu, Jun 4, 2009 at 11:01 AM, Ross, Alec J <RossAJ@state.gov<mailto:RossAJ@state.gov>> wrote:  
>  
> Howard,  
>  
> Great seeing you @ lunch yesterday. As follow-up to our conversation, please meet Matt Stremlau, the Department of  
State's go-to guy on Food Security. He will be very pleased to meet with you and your Dad to dig in on the topic...  
>  
>  
>  
> My best,  
>  
> Alec  
>  
>  
>  
> Alec Ross  
>  
> Senior Advisor for Innovation  
>  
> Office of the Secretary of State  
>  
> (202) 647-6315  
>  
> RossAJ@State.gov

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**CONCEPT PAPER FOR U.S.-INDIA BUSINESS COUNCIL SPEECH**  
**U.S.-INDIA 3.0: WELCOMING A NEW ERA IN U.S.-INDIAN RELATIONS**

Date: June 17, 2009

Venue: USIBC "Synergy Summit"

Target length: 2,200 words (18 minutes)

Audience: business leaders, open press

**OVERVIEW**

Your speech to the U.S.-India Business Council will present a new framework for U.S.-India cooperation ahead of your visit to the country in July. The speech will argue that

Bill Burns, Derek Chollet, and Robert Blake will be returning from India this weekend following a series of high-level meetings with the new government. We may modify this framework on Monday based on their post-travel recommendations.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2009 10:37 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** HumaFw: revised press avail  
**Attach:** 061209avail w canadian FM.doc

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----- Original Message -----

From: Beale, Courtney A Kramer  
To: Abedin, Huma  
Cc: Rooney, Megan; S\_SpecialAssistants; Inzerillo, Suzanne M  
Sent: Fri Jun 12 22:17:21 2009  
Subject: FW: revised press avail

Hi Huma,

We haven't received any changes from Jake tonight, so I've formatted the press avail statement for you to print

Megan - if there are any other changes, can you please also send them to Huma to print before they leave tomorrow.

Thanks,  
Courtney

----- Original Message -----

From: Megan Rooney [REDACTED]  
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2009 7:58 PM  
To: S\_SpecialAssistants, Sullivan, Jacob J  
Subject: revised press avail

Hey Jake -- I've added a sentence about [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] his seemed to me as much as needed to be said.

I'm sending to the Specials as well. I'm sorry that I will be in a cramped car for the next few hours and unable to do any further revisions to this until midnight or so. But I'm happy to edit then, so if you have additional changes, hit me.

Thanks,  
Megan  
[REDACTED]

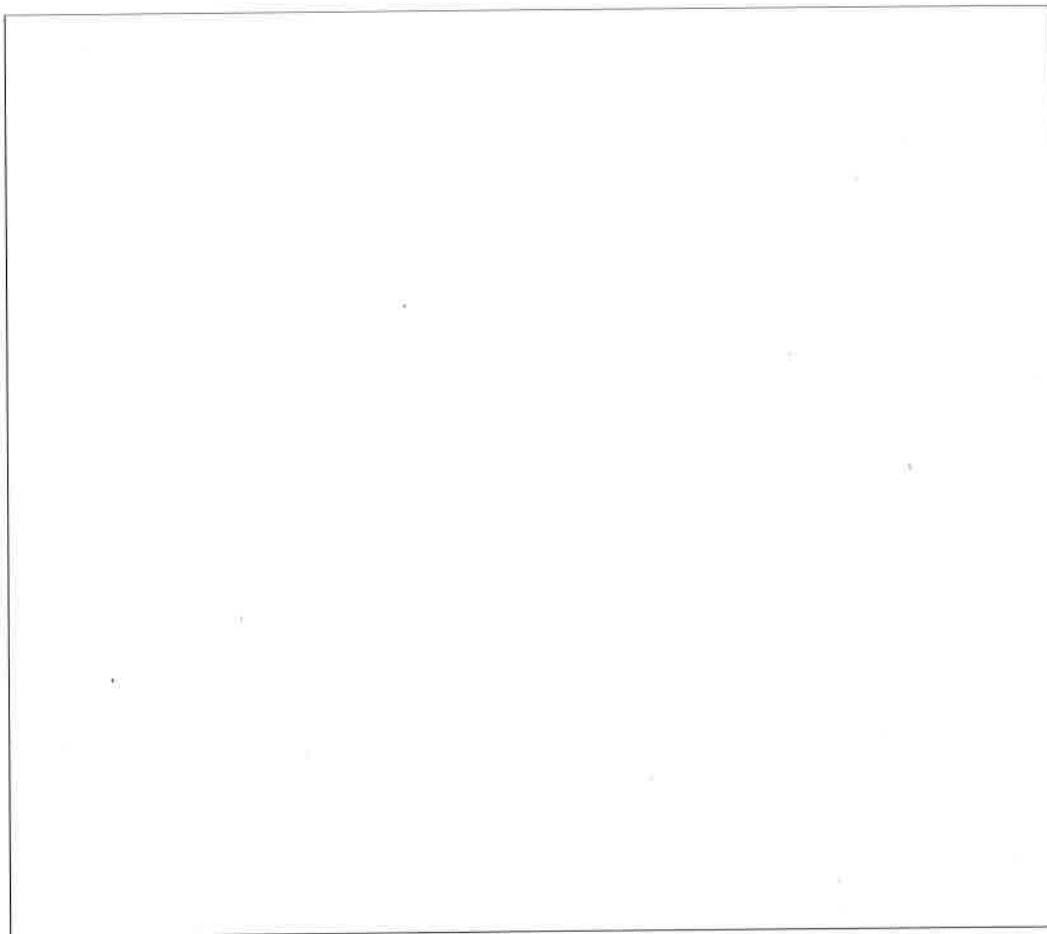
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June 12, 2009 8pm  
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**SECRETARY OF STATE HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON  
REMARKS AT PRESS AVAIL WITH CANADIAN  
FOREIGN MINISTER  
NIAGARA FALLS, CANADA  
SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 2009**



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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2009 12:32 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** PrintFw: Shanghai Expo Question

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**From:** Marciel, Scot A  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Thu Jun 18 10:25:48 2009  
**Subject:** Fw: Shanghai Expo Question

Huma/Jake,

Here's a longish answer to the Secretary's question on Pepsico. Apologies for the length. Let me know if you need any more info

I understand you're otherwise preoccupied today, but wanted to answer the mail

Scot

**From:** Emmons, Nida A  
**To:** Bagley, Elizabeth F; Balderston, Kris M  
**Cc:** Stoltz, Karl E; Norris, John J; Shear, David B; Marciel, Scot A  
**Sent:** Thu Jun 18 10:20:42 2009  
**Subject:** RE: Shanghai

Sorry, adding L input from yesterday, in blue.  
Nida

Scot: Here's a brief summary for S staff. Please let me know if you need anything further on this. - Nida x79956

**Pepsico participation in US Pavilion at Shanghai Expo:**

Key point: Regarding the USA Pavilion, Pepsico is free to market its products within the USA Pavilion, offer any level of financial support it wishes, and use the USA Pavilion logo. Outside the USA Pavilion, however, Pepsico would not be allowed to market its products or use the official Expo logo, since Coca-Cola is an official Expo sponsor.

Background: Consulate Shanghai checked yesterday with the Chinese Expo Bureau and the Chinese confirmed that Coca-Cola only has exclusive industry-category rights in the public areas of the Expo grounds. National pavilions are free to do what they want in their 6000 square meters. We know of no instances in which the Expo Bureau has interfered in the content or financial support for individual national pavilions. In fact, in November 2008 Shanghai officials personally lobbied Pepsico's CEO Indra Nooyi to support the USA Pavilion during her visit.

L view: [REDACTED]

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Special Note: The Chinese Expo Bureau is still actively pushing for Coca-Cola to support the USA Pavilion, in response to our earlier requests to the Bureau to help steer U.S. companies to the USA Pavilion. The Bureau knows they are about to get caught in the middle of the coke wars, so if Pepsico is to come in as a large supporter of the USA Pavilion, we should let that be known asap. The U.S. private sector team is also in the midst of negotiations with Coca-Cola for support of the USA Pavilion.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Marciel, Scot A  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2009 9:21 AM



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To: Emmons, Nida A; Shear, David B; Norris, John J; Stoltz, Karl E  
Cc: Balderston, Kris M  
Subject: Re: Shanghai

Someone needs to draft a paragraph with an answer for S that I can send ASAP top Huma and Jake. Scot

----- Original Message -----

From: Emmons, Nida A  
To: Davies, Glyn T; Shear, David B; Norris, John J; Stoltz, Karl E  
Cc: Marciel, Scot A; Balderston, Kris M  
Sent: Wed Jun 17 22:46:04 2009  
Subject: Re: Shanghai

Great, glad to hear that.

----- Original Message -----

From: Davies, Glyn T  
To: Shear, David B; Emmons, Nida A; Norris, John J; Stoltz, Karl E  
Cc: Marciel, Scot A; Balderston, Kris M  
Sent: Wed Jun 17 22:36:19 2009  
Subject: Re: Shanghai

Bea called me. She said we should be alright with Pepsi as a pavillion sponsor.

----- Original Message -----

From: Shear, David B  
To: Emmons, Nida A; Davies, Glyn T; Norris, John J; Stoltz, Karl E  
Cc: Marciel, Scot A; Balderston, Kris M  
Sent: Wed Jun 17 19:06:27 2009  
Subject: RE: Shanghai

Thanks Nida!

-----Original Message-----

From: Emmons, Nida A  
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2009 5:57 PM  
To: Davies, Glyn T; Norris, John J; Stoltz, Karl E; Shear, David B  
Cc: Marciel, Scot A; Balderston, Kris M  
Subject: RE: Shanghai

I sent an email out to CG Bea Camp requesting an overnight response.

I spoke to

To date the Chinese Expo Authority has not mentioned interfering in other country's sponsors, but we've asked Bea to check, without mentioning Pepsi specifically.

Nida

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From: Davies, Glyn T  
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2009 5:53 PM  
To: Norris, John J; Emmons, Nida A; Stoltz, Karl E; Shear, David B

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Cc: Marciel, Scot A; Balderston, Kris M  
Subject: Shanghai

Colleagues: What is latest on steps to answer S's question on Pepsico's participation in U.S. Pavillion?

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90-DAY REPORT****June 19, 2009 – September 18, 2009**

<u>Bur</u>	<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Acting</u>	<u>Starting</u>	<u>Ending</u>
<i>Senior Team</i>					
D (S)	Steinberg, James	(T) Aspen (Conference)		7/3/2009	7/5/2009
	Steinberg, James	(T) Croatia-Portugal		7/9/2009	7/11/2009
	Steinberg, James	(T) Aspen (Conference)		8/2/2009	8/4/2009
	Steinberg, James	(T) Ottawa		10/21/2009	10/23/2009
D (L)	Lew, Jacob	Paris, Africa		6/22/2009	7/3/2009
P	Burns, William	(T) Paris, Trieste (G-8 Foreign Ministers)		6/24/2009	6/26/2009
	Burns, William	Moscow, L'Aquila		7/6/2009	7/10/2009
C	Mills, Cheryl	Annual leave		6/18/2009	6/26/2009
M	Kennedy, Patrick	No planned travel			
S/P	Slaughter, Anne Marie	Rhode Island, Brussels	Derek Chollet	6/16/2009	6/22/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	Turkey	Derek Chollet	6/23/2009	6/26/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	(T) Berlin, Brussels	Derek Chollet	6/28/2009	7/5/2009
	Slaughter, Anne Marie	(T) AL	Derek Chollet	8/3/2009	8/7/2009
PA	Crowley, PJ	Accompany S trips			

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PA	Kelly, Ian	Accompany S trips			
L	Donoghue, Joan	Amsterdam	James Thessin	6/16/2009	6/20/2009
	Donoghue, Joan	Moscow	James Thessin	7/4/2009	7/8/2009
H	A/S Verma, Richard	No planned travel			

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<i>Under Secretaries</i>					
P	Burns, William	Trieste (G-8 Foreign Ministers)		6/24/2009	6/26/2009
	Burns, William	Moscow, L'Aquila		7/6/2009	7/10/2009
M	Kennedy, Patrick	No planned travel			
R	McHale, Judith	No travel planned			

<u>Bur</u>	<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Acting</u>	<u>Starting</u>	<u>Ending</u>
<i>Assistant Secretaries</i>					
AF	Carson, Johnnie	(T) AU Summit	Philip Carter	6/29/2009	7/14/2009
	Carson, Johnnie	(T) AGOA Forum	Philip Carter	8/4/2009	8/7/2009
EAP	Scot Marciel	(T) Asia/ASEAN		Mid July	
EUR	Gordon, Phil	Trieste, Corfu	Stuart Jones	6/25/2009	6/29/2009
	Gordon, Phil	(T) Europe	Stuart Jones	7/2/2009	7/11/2009
	Gordon, Phil	(T) Annual Leave	Stuart Jones	7/13/2009	7/17/2009
NEA	Feltman, Jeffrey	(T) Annual Leave		August	
SCA	Blake, Robert	No travel planned			
WHA	Shannon, Thomas	New York		6/30/2009	6/30/2009
EEB	Nelson, David	Rome		6/16/2009	6/20/2009
	Nelson, David	G-8; Rome, Trieste		6/23/2009	6/28/2009
	Nelson, David	AL		7/29/2009	8/7/2009
VCI	Gottmoeller, Rose	Geneva	Karin Look	6/20/2009	6/27/2009
	Gottmoeller, Rose	(T) Moscow	Karin Look	7/5/2009	7/10/2009
	Gottmoeller, Rose	AL (Personal travel)	Karin Look	7/25/2009	8/1/2009
	Gottmoeller, Rose	London	Karin Look	9/1/2009	9/4/2009

<u>Bur</u>	<u>Traveler</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Acting</u>	<u>Starting</u>	<u>Ending</u>
<i>Special Envoys</i>					
SSRAP	Holbrooke, Richard	G8 (Trieste) + Annual Leave (Europe)		6/25/2009	7/5/2009
	Holbrooke, Richard	Afghanistan, Afghan Elections		8/17/2009	8/21/2009
SSECC	Stern, Todd	(T) Mexico		6/22/02009	6/23/2009
SUSSES	Gratton, Scott	(T) Libya		6/29/2009	7/3/2009
	Gratton, Scott	(T) Sudan		7/13/2009	7/17/2009
SSEMEP	Mitchell, George	Paris, Trieste		7/24/2009	7/27/2009
SSRNKP	Bosworth, Stephen	No travel planned			
S/GC	Fried, Dan	Philadelphia, Lisbon, Madrid, Budapest, Zurich	Anthony Ricci	6/15/2009	6/20/2009
S/EEE	Morningstar, Richard	Stockholm, Moscow, Kyiv		6/14/2009	6/20/2009
S/EEE	Morningstar, Richard	AL		7/29/2009	8/7/2009
S/GWI	Verveer, Melanne	Poland, Afghanistan		6/19/2009	6/27/2009
S/SAGSWA	Ross, Dennis	Kuwait, Regional Visit, Jordan, Israel, Brussels		6/25/2009	7/3/2009

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Friday, June 19, 2009

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## **MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

**FROM:** Liza W. Ballantine, Sr. Gifts Officer

**SUBJECT:** Official Gift Selection for His Excellency Grigol Vashadze  
Minister of Foreign Affairs of Georgia

On the occasion of his Working Visit to Washington, D.C.: June 22, 2009

### **GIFT NOTES FOR THIS VISIT:**

**Previous gifts given:** Secretary of State Sterling Silver Cufflinks – 4/14/2009

### **Proposed Gift Selection:**

**GIFT OPTION 1: Book: "Building Democracy, The Architecture of American Embassies"**  
**by Elizabeth Gill Lui**

This book is a comprehensive photographic documentary featuring the architecture of U.S. embassies. Photographed from November 2000 through November 2003, this body of work is a vivid portrait of America's international diplomatic presence.

**GIFT OPTION 2: Book: "Liberty for All" by Peter B. Kaplan**

This handsome volume, resplendent with magnificent photographs and lively text, brings to life the world-famous monument, from it's humble birth in France, where it was conceived as a gift to America for the country's hundredth birthday, to it's role as a welcoming beacon for immigrants, and finally to present day, as a symbol of freedom for peoples everywhere.

**From:** Abedin. Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 24, 2009 7:16 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** PrintFw: Kerry-Lugar will pass tonight

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**From:** Beale, Courtney A Kramer  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** S\_SpecialAssistants; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Sent:** Wed Jun 24 19:14:42 2009  
**Subject:** FW: Kerry-Lugar will pass tonight

Hi Huma,

Please see the note below from Holbrooke's office requesting the Secretary call Senator Kerry. Jake asked that we pass this to you.

Courtney

**From:** McClure, Kimberly M  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 24, 2009 6:21 PM  
**To:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Cc:** S\_SpecialAssistants; SSRAP\_StaffAssistants  
**Subject:** Kerry-Lugar will pass tonight

Jake,

Amb. Holbrooke asked that I forward you the email below from Senator Kyl's staff immediately. He asked that you pass to the Secretary and suggests she call Sen. Kerry to congratulate him. This is huge. We just heard this morning that they were trying to fast track/hot line the legislation this week. Now they are saying it will go through tonight.

Best,  
 Kim

Kim McClure  
 Special Assistant  
 Office of the Special Representative for Afghanistan and Pakistan  
 202-647-4134

**From:** Morrison, Tim (Kyl) [mailto:Tim\_Morrison@kyl.senate.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 24, 2009 6:11 PM  
**To:** Verma, Richard R; McClure, Kimberly M  
**Subject:** Kerry-Lugar will pass tonight

It has cleared both sides of the aisle.

Thank You,

Tim Morrison  
 National Security Policy Advisor  
 Office of U.S. Senator Jon Kyl

202-224-4521  
 202-224-2207 (fax)

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbcdinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2009 3:23 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** PruntFw: Can you print this for HRC

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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Thu Jun 25 15:22:14 2009  
**Subject:** Can you print this for HRC

QDDR:

The QDDR will provide [REDACTED]

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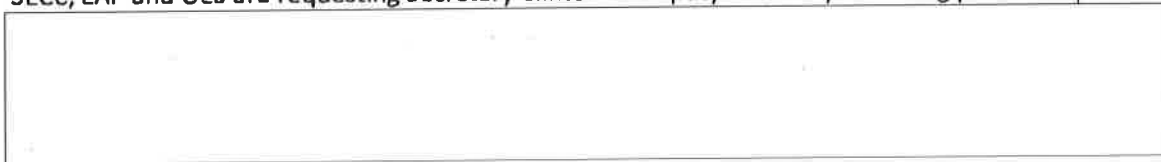
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Date: July 21, 2009  
From: Office of the US Special Envoy for Climate Change  
To: Secretary Clinton and Deputy Secretary Steinberg  
Re: Clean Energy and Climate Partnership

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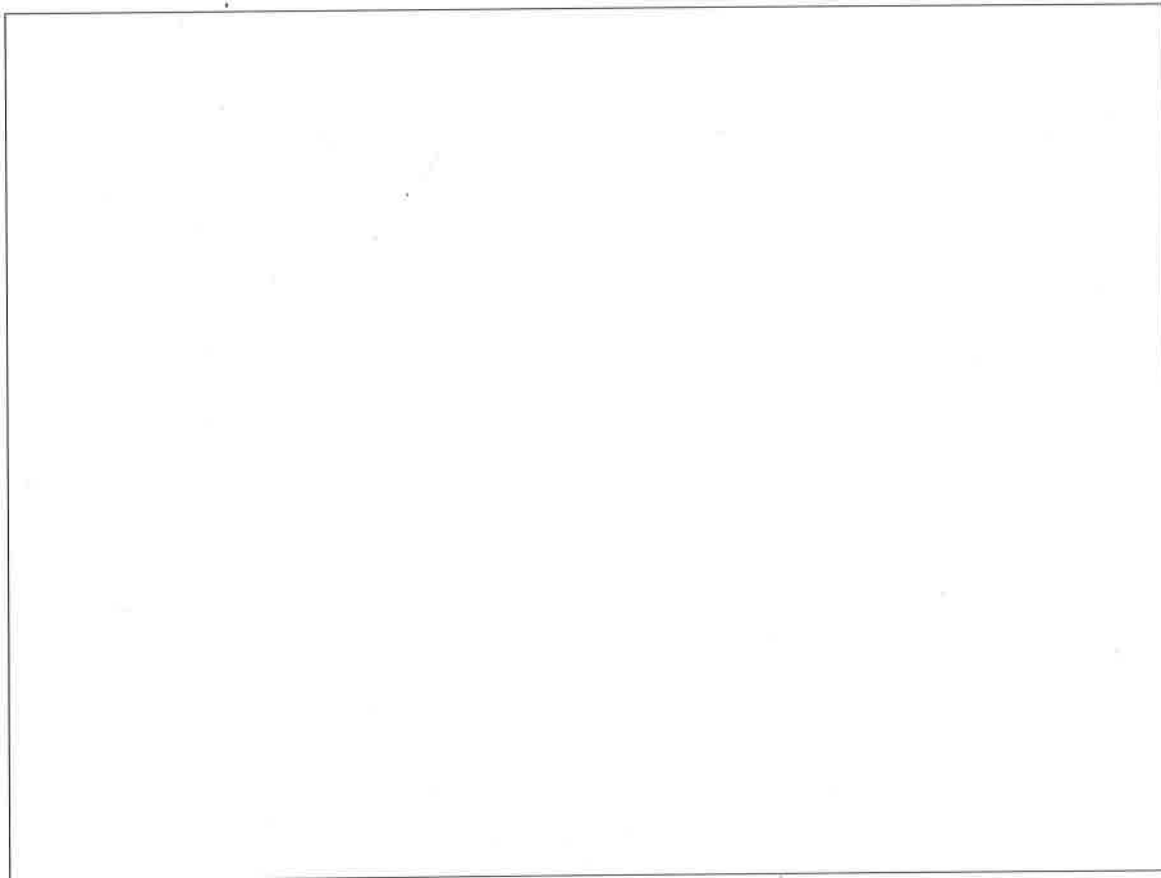
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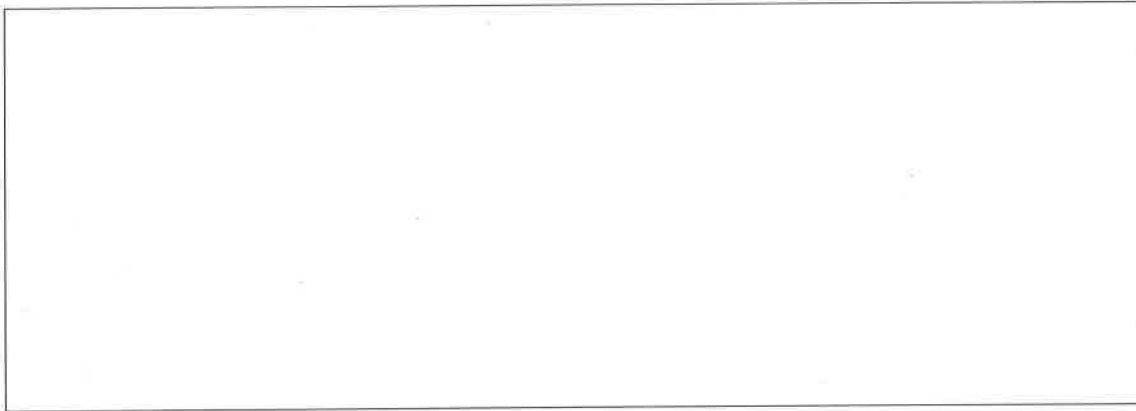
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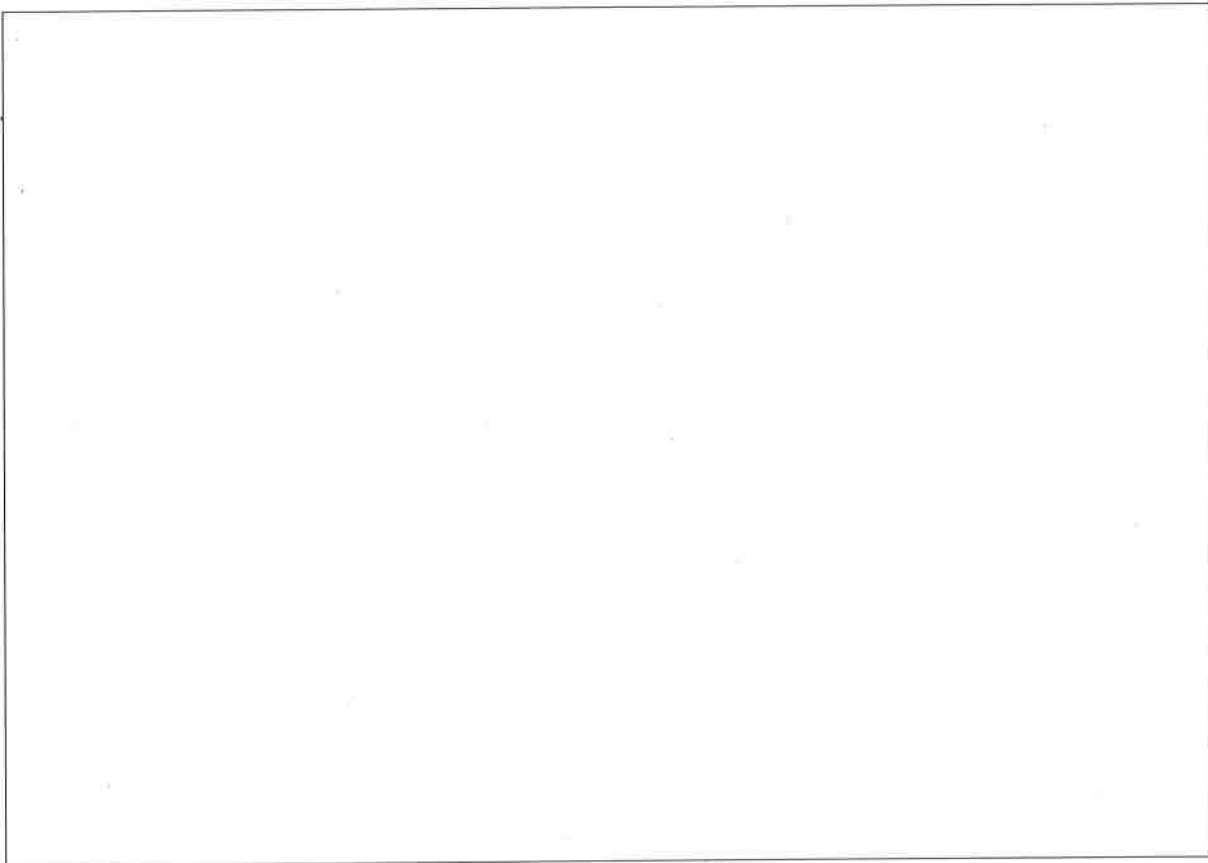
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To: HRC  
From: Anne-Marie  
Date: August 9, 2009  
Re: Following Up on CFR Speech

Your CFR speech was the first step toward establishing you as both the intellectual architect and pragmatic implementer of the Administration's foreign policy. The WH is laying out the vision of the world we want and giving people moving and powerful narratives and images, but State is the place where these visions translate into strategies and actual policies for getting things done. But to

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[REDACTED] I propose a

strategy [REDACTED]

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 16, 2009 6:54 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Next (final?) Round Education Dinner. Framing Questions from AMS  
**Attach:** 2009-08-16 Education Framing Questions - REVISEDams8.16.doc

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----- Original Message -----

**From:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Cc:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Sun Aug 16 16:15:50 2009  
**Subject:** Fw: Next (final?) Round Education Dinner: Framing Questions from AMS

This one pls print for her - it frames the discussion for tomorrow's education dinner

Thanks dear

Cdm

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Caitlin Klevorick [REDACTED]  
**To:** Slaughter, Anne-Marie  
**Cc:** John Sexton [REDACTED]; cheryl mills [REDACTED]; Mills, Cheryl D; Jeanne Smith <jeanne.smith [REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Sun Aug 16 15:47:53 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Next (final?) Round Education Dinner: Framing Questions from AMS

See attached. Formatted with arrows

Thanks

On Sun, Aug 16, 2009 at 1:41 PM, Slaughter, Anne-Marie <SlaughterA@state.gov> wrote:  
> Dear all,

> I have built on the doc Cheryl sent earlier. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

> -----Original Message-----

> **From:** John Sexton [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
> **Sent:** Sunday, August 16, 2009 10:00 AM  
> **To:** cheryl.mills [REDACTED]  
> **Cc:** cklevorick [REDACTED]; Mills, Cheryl D; Jeanne Smith; Klevorick, Caitlin B; Slaughter, Anne-Marie  
> **Subject:** Re: Education Dinner Framing Questions

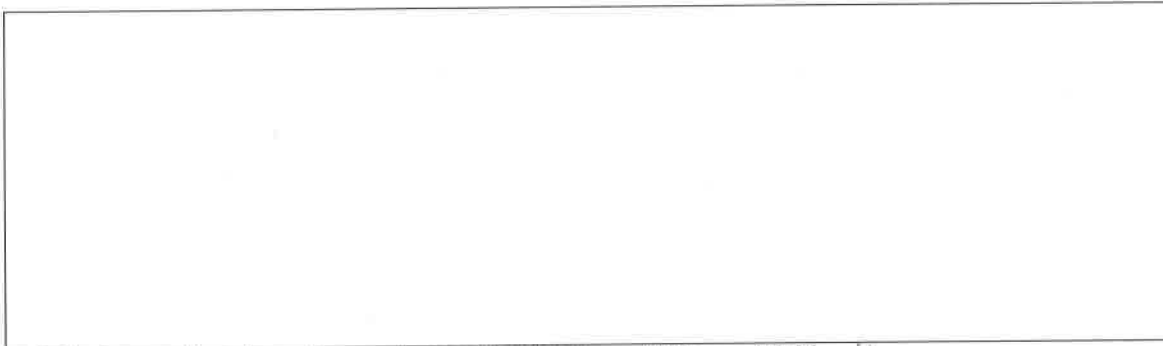
> Caitlin's points are [REDACTED]

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> I offer these two illustrations only to sound a general cautionary note. I hope this is helpful.

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> John

> ----- Original Message -----

> From: Cheryl Mills

> Date: Sunday, August 16, 2009 9:05 am

> Subject: Re: Education Dinner: Framing Questions

> To: cklevorick; Cheryl Mills <millscd@state.gov>, John Sexton <>, Jeanne Smith

> Cc: "Klevorick, Caitlin B" <klevorickcb@state.gov>, slaughter@state.gov

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>> Adding ams.

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>> Per my previous email - ams has pen on next iteration - these are all.

>> great points to include

>> Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Caitlin Klevorick

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>> Date: Sun, 16 Aug 2009 08:39:00

>> To: Cheryl Mills, Mills, Cheryl

>> D<millscd@state.gov>, John Sexton <> <jeanne.smith@>

>> Cc: Klevorick, Caitlin B<klevorickcb@state.gov>

>> Subject: Fw: Education Dinner: Framing Questions

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>> Cheryl/John/Jeanne.

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>> Not sure if the following points warranted recirculating the

>> document...but wanted to bring them to your attention. Some are

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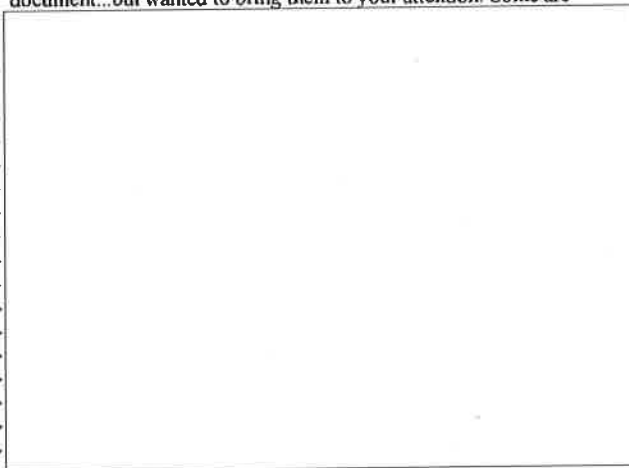
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>> cdm

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>> On Fri, Aug 14, 2009 at 4:32 PM, Slaughter, Anne-Marie

>> <SlaughterA@state.gov> wrote.

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>> > Per my previous email, attached is the broader set of framing

>> questions for Monday's Education dinner.

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>> > AMS

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>> > Anne-Marie Slaughter

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>> > Director of Policy Planning

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>> > U S. Department of State

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**From:** Susan McCue [redacted]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 17, 2009 5:29 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** FW: Hillary/Dennis Ross

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Hi Huma –  
I hope this finds you well. It has been a long time and it would be great to catch up. Below is from Lawrence Bender, whom I'm sure you know. Can you advise how best he should proceed?  
Warmly,  
Susan McCue

----- Forwarded Message

**From:** Lawrence Bender [redacted]  
**Date:** Mon, 17 Aug 2009 14:07:54 -0700  
**To:** Susan McCue [redacted] Susan McCue [redacted]  
**Cc:** Geno Tazoli [redacted]  
**Subject:** Re: Hillary/Dennis Ross

Hi Susan, here is a letter that you could forward. Thank you so much  
all my best  
lawrence

Secretary of State, Hillary Clinton

Dear Mrs. Clinton,

You may not recall, but you and I have met many times – the first time was at a screening of my film, Good Will Hunting, which was held in Camp David in 1998 and later when I hosted a fundraiser for your Senate run at my home in LA. I'm writing you now to request an interview with you for my upcoming documentary on the dangers of the proliferation of nuclear weapons that I am producing with Jeff Skoll. By way of introduction, Mr. Skoll is the co-founder of Ebay, founder and chairman of Participant Media, which financed "An Inconvenient Truth," and many other films. A board member of the Elders, which was launched by Nelson Mandela, Richard Branson and Peter Gabriel, Skoll is also a prominent member on several other advisory boards.

My company, Lawrence Bender Productions, recently produced An Inconvenient Truth, an Academy Award-winning documentary film with Al Gore which raised awareness about climate change. This new major documentary film is set for worldwide theatrical release on the other danger that threatens civilization - the spread of nuclear weapons and the risk that they fall into the hands of terrorists. I am writing to request an interview with you regarding your views of the current nuclear weapons situation worldwide, the United States' security concerns, and the idea of eliminating all nuclear weapons globally.

This new film will provide a balanced and analytical view of the history and current status of nuclear programs globally and will include interviews with heads of state, military leaders and experts. The list of international leaders who have already conducted an interview for our film includes Prime Minister Tony Blair, President Musharraf, President Carter, President Gorbachev, President de Klerk, Secretary General Kofi Annan, Dr. Henry Kissinger and Secretary James Baker. Those who have committed to an interview in the near future includes such leaders as Prime Minister Singh, Colonel Qaddafi and President Nazarbayev. We are also seeking Interviews with President Peres, President Sarkozy, Prime Minister Putin and

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Chancellor Merkel.

The nuclear danger is not seen as an urgent priority for many citizens around the world. As with climate change, in order to make political progress possible on this issue, we must raise public awareness. As a prominent leader in international policy, an inspiration for a new generation, and a visionary for a new 21st century global security, your views on America's security concerns and on nuclear weapons would be tremendously enlightening for the film's worldwide audience. I bring to this project two decades of experience producing highly successful films, (including such hits as Good Will Hunting and Pulp Fiction) which have been honored with twenty-one Academy Award nominations, including two for Best Picture, and have won five.

The film is scheduled for release in 2009. If this preliminary request is met with approval, we would work with your office on the details of the interview, including providing an outline of the questions in advance.

Thank you for giving this your consideration. Please see below more background on my previous work.

Sincerely,

Lawrence Bender  
Producer

Lawrence Bender brings to the project two decades of experience producing highly successful films. His films to date, including such hits as Good Will Hunting and Pulp Fiction, have been honored with 21 Academy Award nominations, including two for Best Picture, and have won five. Bender just returned from Berlin where he spent six months producing Quentin Tarantino's new movie Inglourious Basterds, starring Brad Pitt. The Documentary that he produced, An Inconvenient Truth, a film which raised unprecedented awareness about climate change won the Academy Award for Best Documentary Feature and Bender was nominated for a Producer's Guild Award for Good Will Hunting. Other films include From Dusk Till Dawn (1996), Anna and the King (1999), The Mexican (2001), and all of the movies written and directed by Quentin Tarantino: Reservoir Dogs (1992), Pulp Fiction (1994), Jackie Brown (1997), Kill Bill: Vol. 1 (2003), and Kill Bill: Vol. 2 (2004). Bender also serves on the advisory board to the Dean at Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 18, 2009 7:01 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw. Revised Call Sheet for S to UNSYG Ban Ki-moon  
**Attach:** Call Sheet S UNSYG UNGA docx

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**From:** Toliv, Nora F  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Tue Aug 18 18:41:40 2009  
**Subject:** Revised Call Sheet for S to UNSYG Ban Ki-moon

Hi Huma. Here is a call sheet for S for the Ban Ki Moon call. CHERYL- this line is still in—do you want it out?

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**From:** Plowden, Marisa L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 18, 2009 11:19 AM  
**To:** Toliv, Nora F  
**Cc:** Laszczych, Joanne; Stremiau, Matthew H; Lurie, Mike D; Klevorick, Caitlin B  
**Subject:** for Secretary's call: Revised Call Sheet for S to UNSYG Ban Ki-moon

Hi Nora,

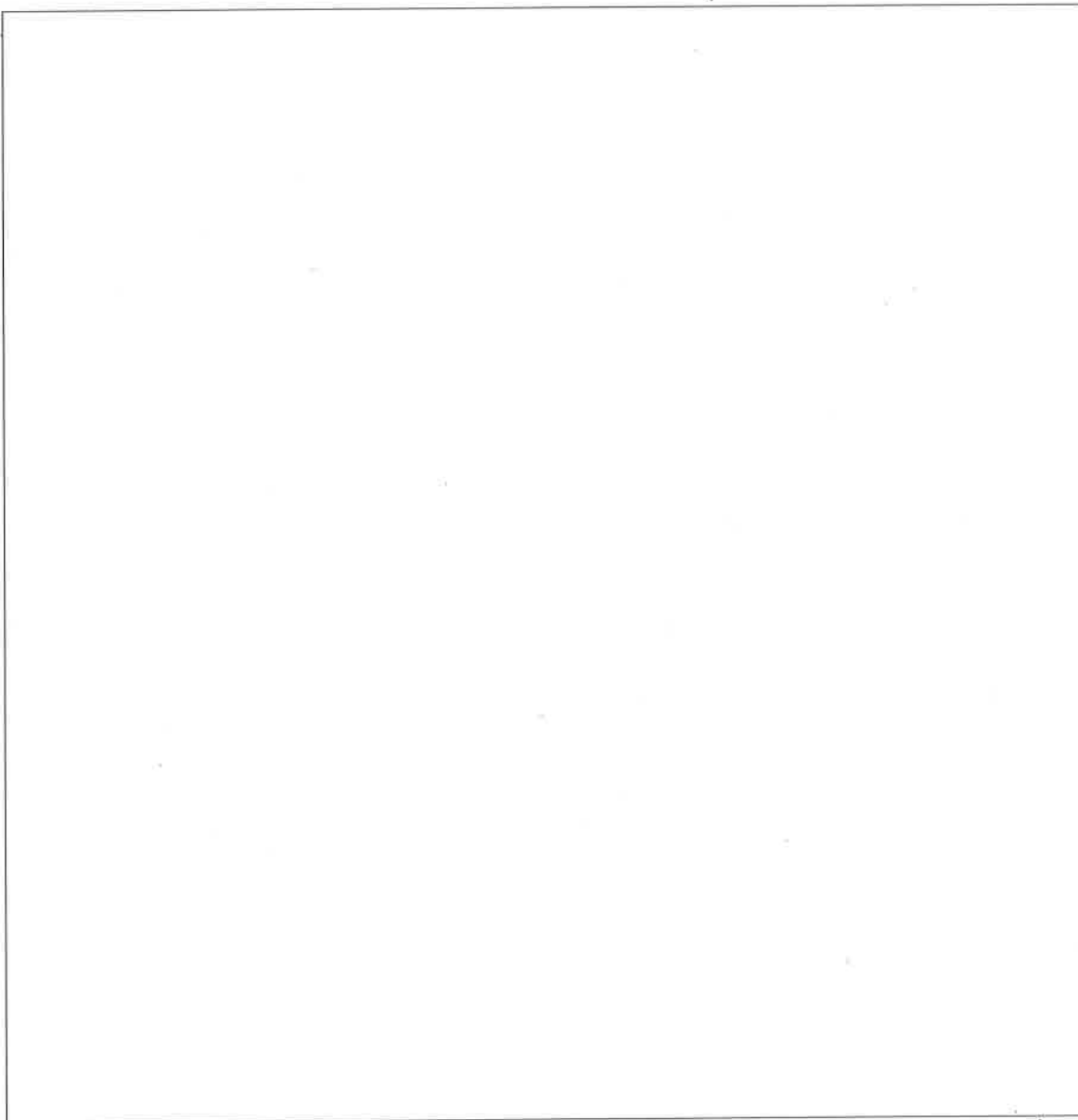
Here's the new call sheet incorporating Cheryl's suggested changes.

Thanks,  
Marisa

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The Secretary's Call Sheet for  
UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon  
August 18, 2009



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**Dr. Michael Haltzel****RELEASE IN PART  
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Michael Haltzel is Senior Advisor at the international strategic advisory firm McLarty Associates and Senior Fellow at the Center for Transatlantic Relations of Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies. Dr. Haltzel capped a distinguished career in public service from 1994 to 2005 as senior foreign policy advisor to then-Senator, now U.S. Vice President Joseph R. Biden, Jr., and Staff Director of the Subcommittee on European Affairs of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. He was the lead Democratic Senate staffer on NATO and Balkan policy and, as such, co-led the bipartisan ratification of two rounds of NATO enlargement (1998; 2004) and was deeply involved in the Bosnia and Kosovo campaigns. In September/October 2009, Dr. Haltzel will return temporarily to government service as Head of the U.S. Delegation to the annual two-week, 56-nation OSCE Human Rights Conference in Warsaw.

Dr. Haltzel's other previous positions include Principal of DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary LLP, a business law firm; Chief of the European Division of the Library of Congress; Director of West European Studies of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars at the Smithsonian Institution; Vice President for Academic Affairs of Longwood University (Virginia); Deputy Director of the Aspen Institute Berlin; and Assistant Professor of Russian and German History at Hamilton College (New York). The author of *Der Abbau der deutschen ständischen Selbstverwaltung in den Ostseeprovinzen Russlands 1855-1905* (Marburg, 1977), he is also coauthor, editor, or coeditor of nine other books and is a frequent contributor to American and European newspapers, journals, and the electronic media.

In 1990, Dr. Haltzel was a member of the U.S. delegation to the Copenhagen CSCE Conference; in 1991 a Guest Professor at the *Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik* (Ebenhausen); in September 1996 an OSCE monitor for the first post-war elections in Bosnia; and in July 2004 a member of the U.S. delegation to the inauguration of Serbian President Boris Tadić. In May 2000 he spoke on trans-Atlantic security affairs at the *Assemblée Nationale* in Paris; in November 2005 he addressed the NATO Parliamentary Assembly in Copenhagen; in October 2006 he spoke to CDU Members of the Bundestag in Berlin; in March 2008 he testified before the U.S. Congress on NATO enlargement; and in May 2009 he spoke to the OSCE Permanent Council in Vienna on European security. A member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees of the World Affairs Council of Washington, DC and of the Boards of Advisors of the European Institute, the American Institute for Contemporary German Studies, and Our Military Kids, Dr. Haltzel is also a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and the Council's Board Committee on Washington Programs. In 1992-93 he chaired the Council's study group on nationalities and ethnic conflict in Europe. He is a member of the Cosmos Club and of the Washington Institute of Foreign Affairs.

Dr. Haltzel has been decorated by seven countries of the European Union: the Grand Cross of Commander of the Order of Grand Duke Gediminas (Lithuania); the Star of Romania; the Knighthood of the Royal Order of the Polar Star (Sweden); the Officer's Cross Order of Merit (Hungary); the Grand Decoration of Honor in Silver (Austria); the Order of the Three Stars (Latvia); and the Knighthood of the Order of the Lion of Finland. His biographic listings have included *Who's Who in America*. Dr. Haltzel received a B.A. *magna cum laude* with honors in history from Yale, an M.A. in Soviet Studies and a Ph.D. in history, both from Harvard, and also studied in Berlin, Marburg, and Helsinki. He speaks German and Russian.

Dr. Haltzel is married to the former Helen Scull Hitchman. They have two married children and three grandchildren.

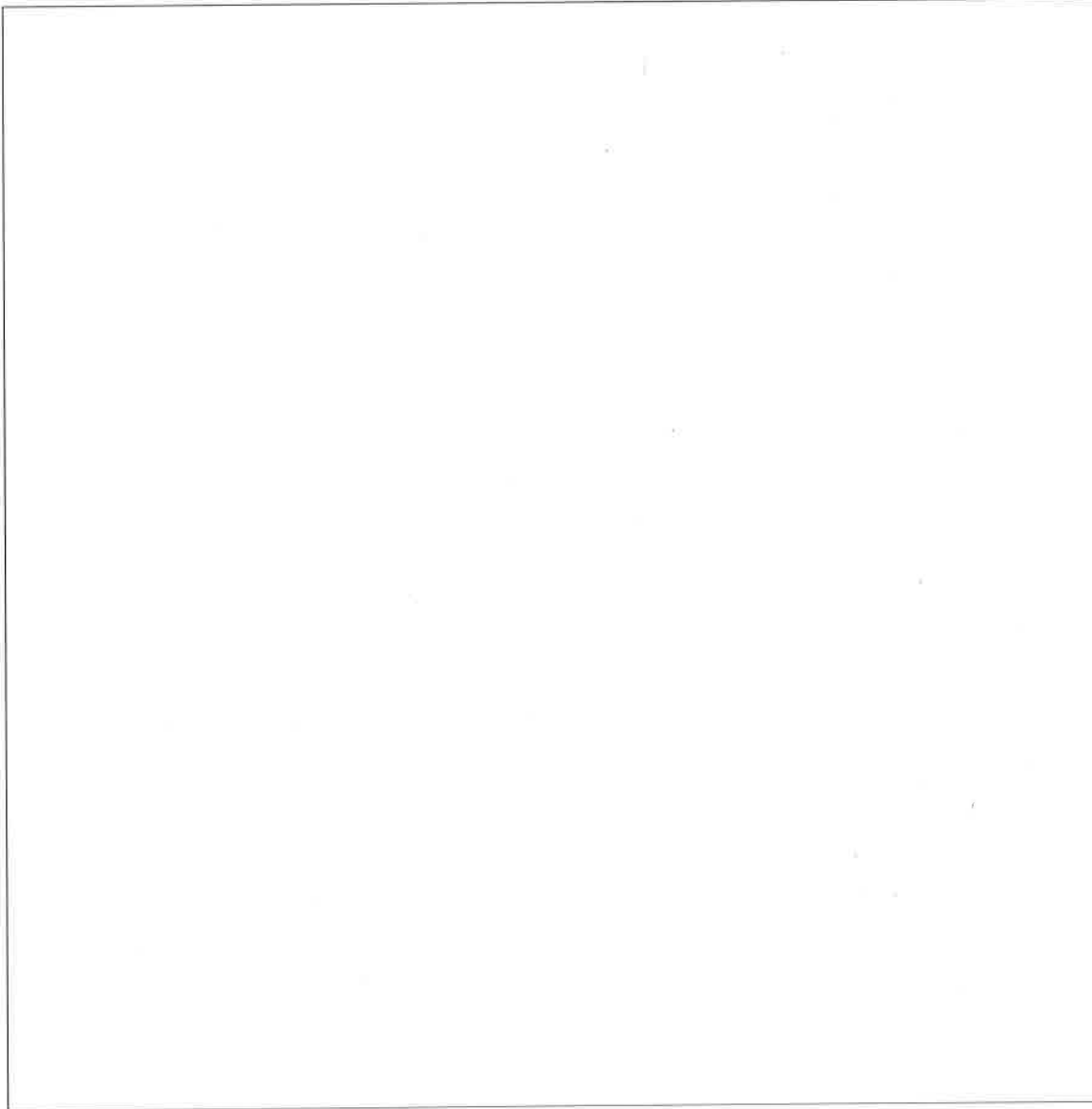
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The Secretary's Call Sheet for  
UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon  
August 20, 2009



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Call Notes:

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**From:** H [HDR22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 22, 2009 10:17:48 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**CC:** 'cheryl.mills'  
**Subject:** Re: UN FOOD EVENT

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I would prefer to do Friday before the CGI speech so I can reference it. And I believe w the G-20 in P'burg that day it will help us explain why big name leaders are not there.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** H  
**Cc:** 'cheryl.mills'  
**Sent:** Sat Aug 22 09:49:51 2009  
**Subject:** Re: UN FOOD EVENT

A few reasons the 21st and early in the week aren't ideal:

- Ban can't do the 21st or the 22nd. - most of the ministers cannot do the 21st either. A lot aren't in town yet and the ones from muslim countries won't do on eid which is monday.
- The rest of the week is eaten up by potus and then the g20.
- doing it saturday gives us a clean news day, there's nothing competing with it so press team actually thinks its a good day for us to do it.
- if not, we can do the next monday which ban can do.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Cc:** 'cheryl.mills'  
**Sent:** Sat Aug 22 06:31:54 2009  
**Subject:** UN FOOD EVENT

Can you give me some background info on the dates--why can't we do it sometime btw Monday the 21st and Friday 25th? If we do it on Sat we will lose leaders and press. So let's try to push during the week whether or not Ban can be there. He can be the co- host w/out being there and send an asst SG.



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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 28, 2009 6:41 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Print Fw: Private Final Schedule, Saturday August 29th  
**Attach:** August.29.09.final.private.doc

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**From:** Valmoro, Lona J  
**To:** Abedin, Huma; Mills, Cheryl D; [REDACTED]; Cooke, Brian P  
**Sent:** Fri Aug 28 18:17:58 2009  
**Subject:** Private Final Schedule, Saturday August 29th

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PREV RON OTR

8:00 am DEPART OTR

En route Westhampton Beach/Francis Gabreski Airport

[drive time: 45 minutes]

8:45 am ARRIVE Westhampton Beach/Francis Gabreski Airport

FBO Shelt Air Aviation Office [REDACTED]

Note: FBO is located three buildings north of the control tower; two buildings north of the terminal.

8:55 am DEPART Westhampton Beach/Francis Gabreski Airport via Air Force Aircraft G-5 Tail #60500

En route Boston Logan Airport

[flight time: 35 minutes]

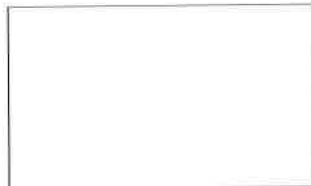
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WJC

Huma Abedin <<August.29.09 final private doc>>

Justin Cooper

Doug Band (t)



S/ES-EX Wayne McDuffy

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9:30 am ARRIVE Boston Logan Airport

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Note: FBO located north of the cargo terminal.

9:40 am **DEPART** Logan Airport

En route Our Lady of Perpetual Help Basilica

[drive time: 30 minutes]

10:10 am **ARRIVE** Our Lady of Perpetual Help Basilica

10:30 am **MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR SENATOR TED KENNEDY**

12:30 pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help Basilica

1545 Tremont Street

Boston, MA

Advance: Roger Lau Cell

**OPEN PRESS**

Note: 1500 guests expected.

12:45 pm **DEPART** Our Lady of Perpetual Help Basilica

En route Boston Logan Airport

[drive time: 30 minutes]

1:15 pm **ARRIVE** Boston Logan Airport

1:25 pm **DEPART** Boston Logan Airport via G-5 Air Force Aircraft Tail #60500

En route Westhampton Beach/Francis Gabreski Airport

[flight time: 35 minutes]

Manifest: HRC

Huma Abedin

Wayne McDuffy

2:00 pm **ARRIVE** Westhampton Beach/Francis Gabreski Airport

2:10 pm **DEPART** Westhampton Beach/Francis Gabreski Airport

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[drive time: 45 minutes]

2:55 pm ARRIVE OTR

HRC RON OTR

Weather:

Boston, MA: Rain, 70/62.

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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 31, 2009 9:50 AM  
**To:** humamabedin [redacted]  
**Subject:** Fw: SECSTATE: Save the date High Level Breakfast Meeting Wednesday 23 September  
**Attach:** Save the Date.doc

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**From:** Wohlers, Paul  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Mon Aug 31 09:45:38 2009  
**Subject:** FW: SECSTATE: Save the date High Level Breakfast Meeting Wednesday 23 September

You asked about updates on a separate email. Not much since Friday but this email came in this morning – first I had heard about it and I wondered if you had.  
 Also, I understand from C staff that they would like to move the food security event to Sat at 4pm, but have not yet found an available venue. We're working with USUN on that. This would open up Thursday afternoon for other events but obviously gives us less time on Sat.  
 Do you still want to do the bilat conf call today, and if so, when? I've lined up a list of bureau coordinators who will be prepared to discuss their respective bilat requests.  
 pw

Paul D. Wohlers  
 Deputy Executive Secretary, S/ES  
 202-647-5302

**From:** Wolf, Eric  
**Sent:** Monday, August 31, 2009 8:14 AM  
**To:** Wohlers, Paul  
**Cc:** Sun, Douglas L; Beale, Courtney A Kramer; Reneau, Jeffrey K (USUN)  
**Subject:** FW: SECSTATE: Save the date High Level Breakfast Meeting Wednesday 23 September  
**Importance:** High

FYI

Eric

**From:** Fulton, Billie A  
**Sent:** Friday, August 28, 2009 3:50 PM  
**To:** USUN-Invitations-to-Secy-DL  
**Subject:** FW: SECSTATE: Save the date High Level Breakfast Meeting Wednesday 23 September  
**Importance:** High

Attention Barbara Hambrick: Please log and process the attached invitation for the Secretary of State. Original invitation will follow via pouch.


Thank you,

**From:** Riofrio, Maria C (USUN)  
**Sent:** Friday, August 28, 2009 2:39 PM  
**To:** Fulton, Billie A  
**Subject:** SECSTATE: Save the date High Level Breakfast Meeting Wednesday 23 September  
**Importance:** High

Bille: Invite for SecState

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**From:** GARDIN Carine (RELEX-NEW YORK) [mailto:   
**Sent:** Friday, August 28, 2009 2:22 PM  
**To:** Riofrio, Maria C (USUN)  
**Cc:** SANCHEZ RICO Amador (RELEX-NEW YORK); GIAUFRET Emanuele (RELEX-NEW YORK)  
**Subject:** Save the date High Level Breakfast Meeting Wednesday 23 September

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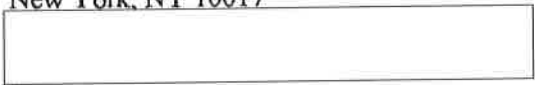
<<Save the Date.doc>>

Hi Maria,

As discussed, please find attached a Save the Date to be forwarded to your Secretary of State, H.E. Mrs Hillary Rodham Clinton

Thank you for confirming receipt of this email.

Kind regards,

Carine Gardin  
On behalf of Emanuele Giaufret  
Counsellor at Delegation of the European Commission  
to the United Nations  
222 East 41 Street, 22nd Floor  
New York, NY 10017  


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[muscatine1@state.gov](mailto:muscatine1@state.gov)

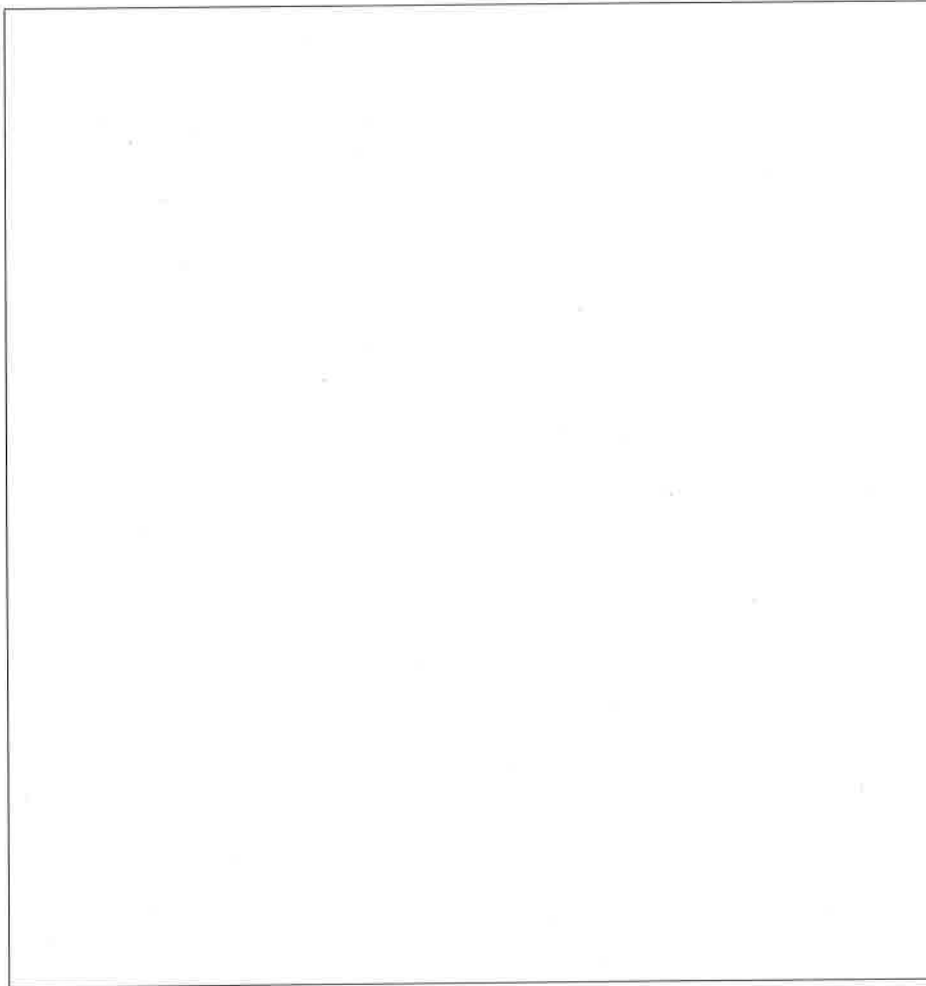
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**From:** Abedin, Huma <AbedinH@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 31, 2009 5:25 PM  
**To:** humamabedin [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: The complement between Islam and science

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----- Original Message -----

**From:** Yousef Al Otaiba [REDACTED]  
**To:** Abedin, Huma  
**Sent:** Mon Aug 31 16:15:32 2009  
**Subject:** Fw: The complement between Islam and science

You'll enjoy this article.  
Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Yousef [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tue, 1 Sep 2009 04:08:07  
**To:** <otaiba7 [REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** The complement between Islam and science

Yousef thought you would be interested in this story.

The complement between Islam and science

Read the story <<http://www.thenational.ae/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20090830/OPINION/708299925>>

Message from Yousef:

For all the latest National <<http://www.thenational.ae/section/NATIONAL/1010>> and Foreign  
<<http://www.thenational.ae/section/FORIEGN/1002>> News, Business <<http://www.thenational.ae/section/BUSINESS/1005>> and  
Sport <<http://www.thenational.ae/section/SPORT/1004>> visit thenational.ae <<http://www.thenational.ae/>>

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**From:** Huma Abedin [Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 03, 2009 10:15:01 PM  
**To:** Doug Band  
**Subject:** Re: Hu declines CGI

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----- Original Message -----

**From:** Doug Band  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Thu Sep 03 22:06:30 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Hu declines CGI

Vice premier not the fm  
Correct?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** Doug Band  
**Sent:** Thu Sep 03 20:49:26 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Hu declines CGI

Yeah sort of  
If you can't get hu, you want wang.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Doug Band  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Thu Sep 03 20:47:23 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Hu declines CGI

But vice premier is big deal?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** Doug Band  
**Sent:** Thu Sep 03 20:46:54 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Hu declines CGI

Wang and dai were the 2 main people who came to china dialogue.  
Wang was gelthner counterpart, does all their economic stuff.  
Dai was hrcs counterpart on foreign policy stuff.  
Wang outranks dai and some argue is a more effective leader, doer etc. But both are heavy hitters.  
I don't know madame li well. Hrc may have met her briefly.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Doug Band  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Sep 3, 2009 5:43 PM  
**Subject:** Fw: Hu declines CGI

Wjc wants to know if these are the ones hrc met with when here recently

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Nancy Hernreich Bowen [redacted]  
**To:** Doug Band  
**Cc:** adesai [redacted]  
**Sent:** Wed Sep 02 22:57:59 2009

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Subject: Re: Hu declines CGI

Of the alternates, Wang Qishan is very articulate, quite powerful and very well known. He would be good. Madame Li had tried to get him to come to HK. he was my choice above Yang. He is higher up the latter. I don't know how good Dai Bingou is but he is quite well known as well and very powerful.

Nancy

On Thu, Sep 3, 2009 at 10:33 AM, Doug Band [REDACTED] wrote:

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Sucks

Maybe try again saying this is very important to wjc and can anything be done

Truth be told, vice premier is a big deal as well

Agree nh?

----- Original Message -----

From: Amitabh Desai [REDACTED]

To: Doug Band [REDACTED]

Sent: Wed Sep 02 19:10:32 2009

Subject: Hu declines CGI

Dear Doug, Chinese Ambassador Zhou called today to say Hu appreciates WJC's invitation but cannot attend CGI on Weds, Sep 23 because Hu's schedule is "very crowded" on that day with bilats (we had offered 9am, 10:30am, 1pm, or 2:30pm). I explained the new G20 session that we recently added on Tuesday, Sep 22, and asked Zhou to check if Hu could re-consider Tuesday, to deliver remarks at the beginning or end of the CGI G20 plenary at 6pm or 7pm.

-----Original Message Truncated-----

From: H [HDR22@clintonemail.com]  
Sent: Sunday, September 06, 2009 3:55:18 PM  
To: Huma Abedin  
Subject: Re: Eikenberry

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How about early tomorrow—7 or 8 am.

----- Original Message -----

From: Huma Abedin  
To: H  
Sent: Sun Sep 06 15:11:47 2009  
Subject: Eikenberry

Eikenberry has asked to talk to you secure. Anytime today, tomorrow. Wants to talk before early tuesday morning. When would you like to do it?



**From:** Huma Abedin [Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 07, 2009 7:17:17 AM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

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Eikenberry confirmed for 8am secure. They will call secure phone.  
Holbrooke also called. He's in china and available till 10am.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Mon Sep 07 07:10:50 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

Any word on when this will be?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** H  
**Sent:** Mon Sep 07 00:54:07 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

Its almost 1am but we still haven't gotten 100 percent confirmation on eikenberry call fyi.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Sun Sep 06 22:22:18 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

Ok. Thx. Are you still out on Long Island? Any luck w a venue yet?

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** H  
**Sent:** Sun Sep 06 22:16:41 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

8am.  
Waiting for final confirmation.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Sun Sep 06 21:41:31 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

Do we have a time yet for Eikenberry?

----- Original Message -----

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**To:** H  
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**From:** Huma Abedin [Huma@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 07, 2009 9:03:35 AM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

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Ok. Calling at 10.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** H  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Sent:** Mon Sep 07 07:57:07 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

10-10:30 ok.

----- Original Message -----

**From:** Huma Abedin  
**To:** H  
**Sent:** Mon Sep 07 07:55:46 2009  
**Subject:** Re: Eikenberry

Eikenberry can no longer do 8. He's not going to be near secure phone. Says he can do between 10 and 10:30  
Or after 12:30.

----- Original Message -----

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