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From: Justin Cooper [redacted] on behalf of Justin Cooper **B6**
Sent: Tuesday, March 8, 2011 6:43 PM
To: H
Subject: Re: Bahrain

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Will do

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

From: H
Sent: Tuesday, March 08, 2011 06:42 PM
To: Justin Cooper
Subject: Fw: Bahrain

Pls show to Bill from the bottom up. It responds to a question he just asked me.

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

From: Feltman, Jeffrey D [mailto:FeltmanJD@state.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, March 08, 2011 06:38 PM
To: H; Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>
Subject: RE: Bahrain

A breakaway part of the opposition did a sit-in outside the embassy and presented a petition. A political officer (not #2) received the petition, as is customary, and urged the opposition to begin the dialogue. The petitioners then gave a false story about what our person said. The Embassy immediately went out on twitter, Facebook, the Embassy website, and via an Embassy press release and corrected the record. The petitioners later apologized on Bahraini TV.

[redacted] Certainly

in Bahrain, the Embassy blanked the media with the correct story.

1.4(B)
1.4(D)
B1

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

From: H [mailto:HDR22@clintonemail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 08, 2011 6:36 PM
To: Feltman, Jeffrey D; Sullivan, Jacob J
Subject: Bahrain

just told my husband that the oppo in Bahrain posted on their website that they met w the #2 in our embassy who told them that the US supported them and their demands which was very upsetting to everyone. What's the story?