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Sent: Tuesday, May 05, 2009 6:02 AM
To: H
Cc: Mills, Cheryl D; Abedin, Huma
Subject: Fw: Global health
Attachments:

Importance: High

See traffic below - copying huma to print.

I have expressed concerns re process and will again with denis.

Ann gavaghn was looped into the call last night and is doing q/a for jack for today's announcement.

If you knew this was coming b/c of your conv with wh or neera, I'll stand down but I did not and jack had not, as dana thought, had a chance to advise me re this so need to know your state of knowledge on this b/f I raise with wh but either way - this is no way to run a process.

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

From: Hyde, Dana
To: Mills, Cheryl D; Sullivan, Jacob J
Sent: Mon May 04 19:32:35 2009
Subject: FW: Global health

Cheryl\Jake --

Looping you in on a WH request this afternoon (!) for Jack to announce the Global Health Initiative, which the over the weekend I believe Jack alerted you to this issue last week, and I know he spoke to the Secretary about it.

The last-minute nature of this is a bit absurd -- even by WH standards -- but Jack has agreed to be the good soldier and do it. The layout of the announcement is below; we're having a conference call at 8:30 pm to discuss. Philippe is looped in.

Let me know if you have thoughts\concerns.

Thanks - D.

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

From: Hyde, Dana
Sent: Monday, May 04, 2009 3:41 PM
To: Lew, Jacob J
Subject: RE: Global health

Just got off the phone with Kosiak and Tom Gavin (OMB press). Yes, they are pulling together a conference call this evening circa 7:30pm with Kosiak, Gavin, Zeke, Gayle, and possibly others.

They envision the following, subject to approval by Gibbs et al:

1) OMB, NSC, STATE briefing with NGOs in OEOB (around noon) - lay out initiative and answer q&a;

2) Move over to WH briefing room where Gibbs would read statement from President, followed by 1-2 minutes of remarks from you and POSSIBLY Gayle. On camera, and you would take brief q&a. Your remarks would be high level -- eg this is start of a process, building on the success of PEPFAR, integration and development of our global health systems important to our security objectives, etc. They should have drafts of the Presidential statement and one-pager in the next couple of hours.

3) Secretary Clinton would release statement in tandem with announcement, and

Thoughts? I will reach out to Philippe, and bring him in on this as well.

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From: Lew, Jacob J

Sent: Monday, May 04, 2009 3:27 PM

To: Hyde, Dana

Subject: Global health

Does it look like there is a time to get together today or tomrw am?