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As the conversation with these two ministers unfold, you might make the point that we have come a LONG way on Cuba so far -- and it would be really unfortunate to jam or embarrass President Obama after all the steps he's taken, especially since what we are seeking is an entirely reasonable result.

Agreeing to lift the 1962 sanction is a BIG step.