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**From:** Toiv, Nora F <ToivNF@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, November 13, 2009 10:40 AM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** RE: 11/13 Senior Staff Meeting

Ops is building the call, now.

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

**From:** H [mailto:HDR22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, November 13, 2009 10:35 AM  
**To:** Toiv, Nora F  
**Subject:** Re: 11/13 Senior Staff Meeting

Ok. Have ops call the black phone in my living room--STEA30 100886 VER: 2.6

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

**From:** Toiv, Nora F <ToivNF@state.gov>  
**To:** H; Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Fri Nov 13 10:15:57 2009  
**Subject:** RE: 11/13 Senior Staff Meeting

Cheryl can do in 15 minutes at 10:30 ET. Is that okay? I'll have ops connect her to you, secure.

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

**From:** H [mailto:HDR22@clintonemail.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, November 13, 2009 10:13 AM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Cc:** Toiv, Nora F  
**Subject:** Re: 11/13 Senior Staff Meeting

Can you talk in next 1-2 hours? I have several matters and would call you secure if you give me time. Thx.

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

**From:** Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov>  
**To:** H  
**Sent:** Fri Nov 13 10:08:19 2009  
**Subject:** FW: 11/13 Senior Staff Meeting

FYI

**From:** Smith, Daniel B  
**Sent:** Friday, November 13, 2009 10:02 AM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D; Abedin, Huma; Sullivan, Jacob J  
**Subject:** 11/13 Senior Staff Meeting

SENSITIVE BUT UNCLASSIFIED

Somalia

· Jack reported briefly on results of meeting with OFAC on Somalia humanitarian assistance. He expressed concern that no definite limits were being discussed for amounts that could be paid.

Afghanistan

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Not much input expected from State for this.

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Secretary's Meetings with Russians and Chinese

· Bill said he had been in touch with Jake and would send updated points on START and Iran for the Secretary's meetings with Lavrov and Yang tomorrow. (Note: I have forwarded these to Jake via the Line Team on the high side.)

Legal Issues

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· Harold also flagged an action memo coming to the Secretary recommending that [Redacted]

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Public Affairs

- Anticipate questions on Afghanistan and Honduras.

#### Congressional Issues

- Rich noted that preparations are proceeding for Raj Shah's confirmation. He will start a round of Hill calls next Tuesday, and there will be a couple murder boards before his tentative hearing date on December 1.
- Today is in essence the drop dead date for getting nominations to the Hill in time for possible confirmation this year.
- Jack will send another letter to Senator Lugar that should result in his lifting the hold on agricultural assistance to Afghanistan.
- The timing of the Afghanistan/Pakistan rollout and hearings remains in flux.
- H is still waiting for the QFRs from Senator LeMieux with respect to Tom Shannon's nomination.

#### Afghanistan and Pakistan Bombings

- I noted that we still do not know the nationality of the 11 KBR contractors wounded along with 6 U.S. military in a suicide attack near Camp Phoenix (near Kabul) today. One foreign national was killed in the attack.
- Meanwhile, there were no reported U.S. casualties in the bombing of the ISI building in Peshawar, though the U.S. Consulate did sustain minor damage.