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Leadership Learning Retreat
 Department of State
 Blair House
 October 2, 2009

Notional Timeline

- 8:00am: Continental Breakfast
- 8:30am: Overview and Strategic Objectives for Retreat [CDM]
- 8:35am: Foreign Policy in the Obama Administration [HRC]
- Priorities
 - Our Accomplishments To Date
- 8:50am The Next 6 Months
- On the Horizon (including Iraq/Iran) [Jim Steinberg] [10 min]
 - The 2011 Budget Challenge [Jack Lew] [10 min]
 - QDDR: Restoring Diplomacy/Elevating Dev [10 min]
 - Presentation by Anne Marie Slaughter/Alonzo Fulgham
 - USUN – The Future and Multilateralism [TBC]
- 9:25am: Ask the Secretary: Questions and Answers [30 minutes]
- 10:00am: Urgent Threats Panel
- Middle East – George Mitchell [7 min]
 - Af/Pak – Richard Holbrooke [7 min]
 - North Korea – Steve Bosworth [7 min]
 - Q & A [20 min]
- 10:45am Coffee Break
- 11:00am Around the World, Department, and USAID Priorities
- Top 3 Priorities for Each Bureau/Dept – List Style
 - 3 minutes each
 - [USAID, USUN, SES(Gratation), E, PM, ECA, IIP, PA, M, CA, DS, FSI, HR, G, DRL, OES, PRM, G/TIP]
- 12:00: Lunch
- Lunch Presentation at 12:20pm
 - Presenter: Alec Ross – 21st Century Statecraft [10 min]
- 1:00pm: Partnering for Success – Paradigms and Pitfalls

- Overview by Maria Otera
- Breakout into 4 Groups of 15 with facilitator and note-taker [40 min]
 - Whole of State/USAID/MCC Approach – How Should this Occur
 - Partnering and Leading Through the Interagency
 - Regional and Functional Bureaus – How Can They Connect
 - In-Country USG Coordination – What is the Paradigm?

2:00pm

Presentation of Working Group Findings .

- Presentation by Group Facilitator (or Other) of Lessons and Best Practices [5 min per group]
 - Whole of State/USAID/MCC
 - Partnering and Leading Through the Interagency
 - Regional and Functional Bureaus – Ensuring Connections
 - In-Country USG Coordination – the Art of the Possible?
- Q/A to each group [25 min]

2:45pm

Coffee Break

3:00pm

Transnational Challenges:

- Non-Proliferation – Ellen Tauscher [5 min]
- Climate Change – Todd Stern [5 min]
- Global Health – Dana/Gloria [5 min]
- Global Hunger & Food Security – Moore [5 min]
- Questions and Answers [20 min]

3:45pm:

Around the World, Department, and USAID Priorities

- Top 3 Priorities for Each Bureau/Dept – List Style
- 3 Minute presentations
- [AF, EUR, EAP, NEA, SCA, WHA, IO, INL, SR/PPP, SR/ME, INR, H, CPR, OCR, CT, GAC, GWI, IEC, CRS, WCI]

5:15pm:

The Challenges on the Horizon [HRC]

- HRC expresses appreciation for work done today
- Outlines the Challenges Ahead
- Seeks Investment and Commits to Follow-Up

5:30pm

Retreat Concludes