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After further back and forth, we've come up with a way to mention Ramat Shlomo and incitement to violence that should be acceptable to both sides. The additional paragraph would read:

We have urged the parties to help create an atmosphere that is conducive to successful talks, and they are responding, including President Abbas' statement that he will work against incitement of any sort and Prime Minister Netanyahu's statement that there will be no construction at the Ramat Shlomo project for two years. They are both trying to move forward in difficult circumstances and we commend them for that.