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Subject: Re: Haiti Major Developments Report (MDR) - 1400

Are you on way to NY? Given these developments, will you all have security on way to hospital tomorrow?

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See highlighted below.

Major Developments Report

Media Reports: Rioter Shot and Killed by Haitian Police – The Daily Telegraph reports Haitian police have opened fire on a group of looters, killing at least one of them as hundreds of rioters ransacked a market in quake-hit Port-au-Prince. Elsewhere there were reports of officers stepping aside to allow vigilantes to deal with looters. (1100, 1/17 Telegraph)

Conflicting Reports on Security: While JTF-H reported relative calm in PAP during the morning IA Concall, mounting USG reports show the security situation deteriorating. National Security Agency (NSA) reports looting turned violent in PAP on Saturday, when a mob of around 1,000 people fought for goods in a central commercial street. Men with stones, knives, ice-picks and hammers battled to grab t-shirts, bags, and other items. Also, Embassy PAP reports escapees from the National Prison are re-forming gangs and re-arming to start kidnappings and other activities. Gunfire was heard in some neighborhoods overnight. More National Police were out yesterday, but too few to maintain order. MINUSTAH MIL and UNPOL have been patrolling as well. Both DG of Police and MINUSTAH appear to be traumatized by their losses. Embassy PAP INL Officer: Command and Control is urgently needed to maintain order. (1210, 1/17, Embassy INL email)

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Water Remains Key Concern: The GoH has identified safe drinking water as the most urgent need among affected populations. Significant capability to produce potable water exists in Haiti through several private sector companies according to the USAID DART. The JTF-H is distributing water at 9 locations around the city and OFDA has identified and additional 5 for use today. GoH and UN are planning on placing additional sites online today. The capacity to produce water is estimated to be at least 1 million gallons per day. (0900, 1/17, IA Concall/internal sources)

Shortage of Trucks and Fuel: The limiting factor for aid distribution is transport capacity. This fact, exacerbated by the airport's limited capacity to receive, warehouse, and dispatch relief supplies. The road to DR is reported as open

I wanted to make sure you were connected to Amb Lewis Lucke who is leading our disaster response effort in Haiti. Nishant Roy (also cc'd) is his special assistance there for now.

We want to make sure that 1) medical supply priorities are communicated to us and others, 2) the health sector plan for Haiti is informed by your thinking (Carlene Dai is our mission director and has been working on that topic), and 3) any security needs are communicated to Gen. Keen through Lewis so we are offering protection to key health sector facilities.

You can reach Lewis and Nishant by text in addition to email.

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Best of luck with your work Paul we are standing with you to support you at this critical time!

Raj