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Colleagues, I think that we should all meet this afternoon as soon as Ken Merten lands. It could be here at LogBase, if you wish. Please let me know of your availability. We are also analyzing the data, [redacted]

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Colleagues,

It looks like our friends in the CEP may have made another misstep. I am on my way back to Haiti, but if I understand this correctly, the CEP would have had to overturn 17 races to give Inite the absolute majority in the Chamber, which is what seems to have happened. Is that correct? If so, I think that at a minimum we should not issue any statements congratulating the Haitian government on the result. I also wonder what recourse candidates may have at this stage. For our part, the U.S. is trying to get the facts and will then consider what options we have at our disposal. I hope we can talk about this soon. I should be back in Haiti around 14h00 today.

Best regards,

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