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**From:** Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 3:41 PM  
**To:** H  
**Subject:** Fw: Syria committee mtg

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~ Reason: 1.4(B), 1.4(D) ~ Declassify on: 01/21/2032

A flavor of the day - with the latest from Jeff on top.

**From:** Feltman, Jeffrey D  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 03:37 PM  
**To:** Connelly, Maura; Jeffrey, James F (Baghdad); Ford, Robert S; Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon'; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R; Corbin, Michael H; Nuland, Victoria J; Posner, Michael H; Ensher, Henry S (Algiers)  
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Obviously, I'm trying to call folks now.  
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**From:** Connelly, Maura  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 03:35 PM  
**To:** Jeffrey, James F (Baghdad); Feltman, Jeffrey D; Ford, Robert S; Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon'; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R; Corbin, Michael H; Nuland, Victoria J; Posner, Michael H; Ensher, Henry S (Algiers)  
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**From:** Jeffrey, James F (Baghdad)  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 10:34 PM  
**To:** Feltman, Jeffrey D; Ford, Robert S; Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon'; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R; Corbin, Michael H; Nuland, Victoria J;

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Posner, Michael H; Ensher, Henry S (Algiers); Connelly, Maura  
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[Redacted] Jim

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\*\*\* Sent from my BlackBerry Wireless Handheld \*\*\*

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**From:** Feltman, Jeffrey D  
**To:** Ford, Robert S; Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [Redacted]; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R; Corbin, Michael H; Nuland, Victoria J; Posner, Michael H; Ensher, Henry S (Algiers); Connelly, Maura; Jeffrey, James F (Baghdad)  
**Sent:** Sun Jan 22 22:23:41 2012  
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Suspense: meeting now paused for a break, for private conversations.  
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**From:** Feltman, Jeffrey D  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 02:18 PM  
**To:** Ford, Robert S; Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [Redacted]; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R; Corbin, Michael H; Nuland, Victoria J; Posner, Michael H; Ensher, Henry S (Algiers); Connelly, Maura; Jeffrey, James F (Baghdad)  
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+Maura Connelly in Beirut and Jim Jeffrey in Baghdad.

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**From:** Feltman, Jeffrey D  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 11:43 AM  
**To:** Ford, Robert S; Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [Redacted]; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R; Corbin, Michael H; Nuland, Victoria J; Posner, Michael H; [Redacted]

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**From:** Feltman, Jeffrey D

**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 11:04 AM

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[redacted]; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L

**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R

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**From:** Ford, Robert S

**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 10:56 AM

**To:** Hof, Frederic C; Conlon, Steven M; Feltman, Jeffrey D; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [redacted]

[redacted]; Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L

**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN); Asnes, Miriam R

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**Ambassador**  
U.S. Embassy  
Damascus, Syria

tel: 963 11 3391 - 4872  
email: fordr@state.gov

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

**From:** Hof, Frederic C  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 5:03 PM  
**To:** Conlon, Steven M; Feltman, Jeffrey D; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [redacted] Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Ford, Robert S; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN)  
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That is correct. [redacted]

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**From:** Conlon, Steven M  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 22, 2012 09:54 AM  
**To:** Hof, Frederic C; Feltman, Jeffrey D; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [redacted] Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L  
**Cc:** Djerassi, Alexander M; Ford, Robert S; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN)

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From: Hof, Frederic C

Sent: Sunday, January 22, 2012 09:31 AM

To: Feltman, Jeffrey D; Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [Redacted] Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L

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Cc: Djerassi, Alexander M; Conlon, Steven M; Ford, Robert S; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN)

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

From: Feltman, Jeffrey D

Sent: Sunday, January 22, 2012 09:19 AM

To: Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; Hof, Frederic C; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [Redacted] Sullivan, Jacob J; Wells, Alice G; Zeya, Uzra S; Lakhdir, Kamala S; Ziadeh, Susan L

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Cc: Djerassi, Alexander M; Conlon, Steven M; Ford, Robert S; Irwin, Matthew T; Carle, Lisa M; Schedlbauer, Amy W; Sievers, Marc J; Blome, Donald A; Hallett, Stephanie L; Ryu, Rexon Y; DiCarlo, Rosemary A (USUN)

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+Jake Sullivan, Alice Wells, Uzra Zeya, Kamala Lakhdir, Amb Susan Ziadeh, Robert Ford, ELA staff, USUN.

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Jeffrey Feltman

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

From: Feltman, Jeffrey D

Sent: Sunday, January 22, 2012 08:25 AM

To: Dibble, Elizabeth L; Seche, Stephen A; Smith, James B; Williams, Thomas E; Bondy, Steven C; Walles, Jacob; Patterson, Anne W; Hof, Frederic C; 'Steven\_N\_Simon' [Redacted]

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Cc: Djerassi, Alexander M

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