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1. SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. ADMIN NOTES

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(A) A THIRD DAY IN BRUSSELS?: BOB BEECROFT, USNATO  
POLAD, CALLED TO ASK IF THERE WAS ANY TRUTH TO RUMORS  
THAT YOU MAY STAY IN BRUSSELS UNTIL THE 15TH. THEY WANT  
TO MAKE SURE THEY DO THE RIGHT THING FOR YOU.

(B) JOHN HOLTZMAN IS DOING A BRIEFING PAPER FOR THE  
AFGHAN MEETING WHICH WILL BE CABLED BY OOB YOUR TIME TO  
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(C) CLEARANCE ON WAHEED REPORTING CABLES: IN ADDITION TO MARTIN INDYK'S MEMCON OF THE SMALL WAHEED-ST APRIL 1 MEETING THAT THE WHITE HOUSE SENT YOU FOR CLEARANCE BY NODIS YESTERDAY, SA WANTS TO GET OUT ITS REPORTING CABLE ON THE LARGE WAHEED MEETING THAT DAY. MARK CLEARED ON

THE DRAFT OF THE LETTER, WHICH WENT IN TO TORIA FOR APPROVAL ON APRIL 4. WE CANNOT TELL WHAT HAPPENED TO IT. MARK RECOMMENDS THAT IT GO OUT, WITH A LINE ADDED NOTING THAT IT SUMMARIZES ONLY THE DISCUSSION IN THE LARGER GROUP.

(D) FURTHER TO YESTERDAY'S NOTE ABOUT YOUR CABLES NEEDING NODIS CAPTIONS, S/S-O INFORMS US THAT ANOTHER WAY TO ENSURE THAT THEY ARE NOT DISTRIBUTED ELSEWHERE IN THE BUILDING IS TO MARK THEM FOR S/S-O ONLY. BECAUSE RIYADH 1874 DID NOT SAY "ONLY," IT WAS AUTOMATICALLY DISTRIBUTED (BY MACHINE) TO NEA BEFORE IT EVEN WENT TO S/S-O.

(E) WE RELAYED TO FRANK WISNER'S OFFICE YOUR GRATITUDE  
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AT GETTING THE AGREEMENT CABLE IN TIME AND GOOD RECEPTION THERE. OUR FRIENDS IN FRANK'S OFFICE SHARED OUR PLEASURE. THEY SAID, BY THE WAY, THAT ST SHOULD FEEL FREE TO SHARE WITH AMB. MONJO AND OTHERS THE LETTER THAT WISNER SENT OVER ON APRIL 4.

(F) THE SECRETARY HAS AGREED TO MEET WITH SLOVAK FORMIN KUKAN ON APRIL 18, WITH THE CAVEAT THAT SHORT-NOTICE TRAVEL MAY INTERFERE. MARSHA MOOSE WILL BE CARRYING OUT TO WARSAW A BM FOR STROBE'S USE WITH KUKAN. THE MEMO INCLUDES BACKGROUND AND TALKING POINTS ON THE STATUS OF SEVERAL JEWISH CEMETARIES, INCLUDING THE ONE RECENTLY VANDALIZED. ALSO, EMBASSY BRATISLAVA IS INVITING KEY RELIGIOUS LEADERS TO ITS RECEPTION. IF HE CHOOSES, ST CAN TALK WITH JEWISH LEADERS THERE TO LET THEM KNOW HE RAISED THE ISSUE WITH SLOVAK LEADERS.

(G) TALKING POINTS FOR THE NAC: EUR/RPM IS VOLUNTEERING A MORE COMPREHENSIVE SET OF TALKERS (2 PAGES) ON THE NATO/RUSSIAN RELATIONSHIP FOR YOUR POSSIBLE USE, TO BE CARRIED BY A/S OXMAN.

3. ACTION ITEMS

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(A) INVITE FROM AMERICAN-ARAB ANTI-DISCRIMINATION COMMITTEE TO SPEAK AT NATIONAL CONVENTION AT NOON ON APRIL 16 OR 17: THERE IS GENERAL CONSENSUS WITHIN THE BUILDING THAT, FOR A VARIETY OF REASONS, YOU PROBABLY SHOULDN'T ACCEPT THIS INVITATION AT THIS TIME. WE HAVE GIVEN PA A PRELIMINARY NEGATIVE RESPONSE. PLEASE ADVISE.

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(B) STEVE GROSSMAN CALLED TO MAKE A PERSONAL PLEA FOR YOU TO DO AIPAC EVENT THE EVENING OF APRIL 18. HE IS

AWARE OF THE POLLACK/HOENLEIN EVENT AND AGREES THAT IT'S THE MOST IMPORTANT ONE TO DO. HE'S WILLING TO REINVITE YOU FOR THE BEGINNING OF OCTOBER, BUT ASKED IF THERE WAS ANY POSSIBILITY HE'D BE MIGHTY GRATEFUL FOR YOU TO CONSIDER DOING BOTH.

(C) PA WOULD LIKE TO KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY THOUGHTS ABOUT ACTIVITIES TO FOLLOW UP ON YOUR TRIP WHEN YOU RETURN, SUCH AS PRESS BRIEFINGS OR ROUNDTABLES. WE TOLD THEM IT WOULD PROBABLY DEPEND ON HOW THINGS WENT ON THE TRIP. DO YOU HAVE ANY INITIAL IDEAS?

4. DEVELOPMENTS  
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(A) HAITI: THE WHITE HOUSE HAS CONFIRMED TO THE PRESS THAT ARISTIDE HAS WRITTEN A LETTER INITIATING THE SIX MONTH PERIOD FOR ABROGATING THE BILATERAL AGREEMENT ON REPATRIATION OF REFUGEES. L IS TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT OUR NEXT STEPS ARE.

(B) RUSSIA/LATVIA: WE MAY HAVE SENT YOU TOO MANY REPORTING CABLES ON THE CONTROVERSIAL DECREE ON MILITARY BASES. FOR THE HAPPY ENDING, JUST READ MOSCOW 9675.

(C) RWANDA/BURUNDI: THE STATE DEPT. ESTABLISHED A 24-HOUR TASK FORCE THIS AFTERNOON TO MONITOR THE

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SITUATION AND COORDINATE THE U.S. RESPONSE. TO RECAP: ROUGE HUTU ELEMENTS OF THE RWANDAN MILITARY -- POSSIBLY THE ELITE PRESIDENTIAL GUARD -- WERE REPORTEDLY RESPONSIBLE YESTERDAY FOR SHOOTING DOWN THE PLANE CARRYING THE PRESIDENTS OF RWANDA AND BURUNDI AND MEMBERS OF THEIR CABINETS. MILITARY ELEMENTS ARE ALSO BLAMED FOR THE SUBSEQUENT KILLING OF THE RWANDAN PM AND OTHER RWANDAN CABINET MEMBERS. THREE BELGIAN UN PEACEKEEPERS WERE REPORTEDLY SUMMARILY EXECUTED; TEN OTHER PEACEKEEPERS REPORTED KILLED IN THE FIGHTING. UNAMIR HEADQUARTERS WAS SHELLED. UN LOCAL EMPLOYEES IN KIGALI ARE BEING PULLED FROM THEIR HOUSES AND EXECUTED. FIGHTING HAS SPREAD TO THE COUNTRYSIDE. THE BELGIANS ARE CONSIDERING SENDING A REINFORCED BATTALION TO RWANDA TO ASSIST 450 BELGIAN TROOPS ATTACHED TO UNAMIR IN THE EVACUATION OF FOREIGNERS. ALL U.S. EMBASSY PERSONNEL ARE REPORTEDLY SAFE, BUT ARE UNABLE TO REACH THE EMBASSY BECAUSE OF ROADBLOCKS. (THE SECRETARY IS VERY CONCERNED ABOUT THE SAFETY OF AMCITS.) WE ARE PLANNING TO EVACUATE DEPENDENTS AND NONESSENTIAL PERSONNEL. AN AUTHORIZED DEPARTURE MESSAGE HAS ALSO GONE OUT TO BUJUMBURA. AT LATEST WORD, BURUNDI WAS STILL CALM, BUT

FIGHTING IS EXPECTED TO SPREAD THERE WITHIN DAYS. THE RWANDA AIRPORT IS CLOSED, BUT OUR AMBASSADOR IS TRYING TO ARRANGE A CEASEFIRE THERE TO ALLOW EVACUATION. THE DEPARTMENT REQUESTED DOD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FOR THE EVACUATION, WHICH IS BEING COORDINATED WITH BELGIUM AND FRANCE.

(D) MIDDLE EAST: THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED A  
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TOTAL CLOSURE OF THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES BEGINNING TODAY "FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD." THE SECRETARY'S TRIP IS MORE IN DOUBT TODAY, IN LIGHT OF THE INCREASE IN INCIDENTS OF VIOLENCE (ANOTHER ATTACK TODAY, IN WHICH ONE PERSON WAS KILLED, FOUR INJURED) AND ARAFAT'S REFUSAL TO CONDEMN THE VIOLENCE. DENNIS ROSS IS TRYING TO CONTACT ARAFAT TO URGE HIM TO MAKE A STATEMENT; THUS FAR, HE HASN'T BEEN ABLE TO REACH HIM. THE SECRETARY'S TRIP IS FURTHER COMPLICATED BY TRAVEL PLANS OF OTHERS. NOW IT LOOKS LIKE HE WILL LEAVE ON EITHER APRIL 16 OR 26.

(E) SOMALIA: TO AVOID THE APPEARANCE OF A COVER-UP

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THE U.S. WILL NOT OPPOSE A DECISION BY THE UN TO RELEASE THE SOMALIA INQUIRY REPORT.

(F) NORTH KOREA: ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SENIOR STEERING GROUP WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY. MEANWHILE, THE DEPARTMENT IS TRYING TO GET A COPY OF A DRAFT SPEECH THAT SECDEF PERRY PLANS TO MAKE ON MONDAY ABOUT NORTH KOREA.

(G) LETTERS OF INVITATION FOR THE SUMMIT OF THE AMERICAS HAVE GONE OUT TO HEADS OF STATE. ON DECEMBER 8, THE WHITE HOUSE WILL MAKE A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE MEETING, WHICH WILL TAKE PLACE DECEMBER 9-10 IN MIAMI.

(H) S/NIS WILL SEND ITS DAR SEPARATELY.

5. AND FINALLY:

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WHERE DOES STROBE KEEP HIS BLANK CHECKS? THIS AFTERNOON WE WATCHED THE MAGIC OF THE AUTOPEN AS IT SIGNED ST'S NAME FOR THE FIRST TIME (TO SOME ROUTINE LETTERS). THE REGULAR SIGNATURE LOOKS FINE, CONSIDERING THE LEFT-HANDED TILT. THE UPSIDE DOWN VERSION (FOR USE WITH LARGE DOCUMENTS), HOWEVER, DOESN'T LOOK LIKE MUCH AT ALL. WE RECOMMEND A RE-WRITE.

6. HOPE EVERYONE IS OK, AND HAVING SOME FUN. CHRISTOPHER

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