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**Subject:** FW: Haiti

See his last point.

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**From:** Goosby, Eric  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 17, 2010 2:48 PM  
**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Cc:** Curtis, Meghann A  
**Subject:** RE: Haiti

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Cheryl:

The National MSPP is just the Ministry of Health for Haiti at the National level (Minister Larsen's office). We spent a long time with him and

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We plan to discuss the USG contributions next week and in the April 26<sup>th</sup> meeting with the MSPP.

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[Redacted] In our TA strategy that ( attached in the original email), we outline the areas we can specifically support them in developing the capabilities needed to be a strong oversight National office of Health that can lead and support the Department ministries in carrying out the work. Right now we have committed to talking further with the Cubans about reconstruction efforts and in further clarifying the role they would play with HUEH. There are many areas we could work together with the Cubans that would be beneficial to the Haitian medical system. You will still have the opportunity to call final package. We will make sure we are clear where our proposal overlaps with the final vision of the Haitians and other donors.

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Whole of Government Approach:

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Eric

**From:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 17, 2010 2:10 PM  
**To:** Goosby, Eric  
**Cc:** Curtis, Meghann A  
**Subject:** RE: Haiti

Eric

Thank you for this and for coming – I am very grateful.

I have always understood that while GOH appreciated Cuban doctors and training,

[redacted] I understand that frame, and assuming they have physicians and managers, it makes complete sense.

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What I still feel like is a bit of a mystery to me, though I know once Dalberg has the proposed final strategy, they will do a careful implementation plan at the direction of you and Judith, is what exactly this means for USG specific activities.

For example:

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Thanks.

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**From:** Goosby, Eric  
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**To:** Mills, Cheryl D  
**Cc:** Curtis, Meghann A  
**Subject:** Haiti

Cheryl:

I hope you completed your trip and returned safely. I got back yesterday. I just wanted to close the loop on the discussions I completed with the Ministry of Health Haiti (MSPP) and a brief update on the discussion with the Cubans.

Cuban Delegation:

1. We agreed to talk further about the specifics of the collaboration with the Cuban-Haitian Government, to meet on April 22-23<sup>rd</sup> to discuss specifics and then again after the April 26<sup>th</sup> meeting.
2. Agreed to develop a National MSPP focused Technical Assistance Strategy

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After the Cuban discussion ended, we toured the HUEH hospital with Drs. Henry and Thimothe followed by a long dinner with Minister Larsen agreed to do the following:

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2. Meet with the Cuban Delegation as discussed April 22-23 and post Donor Meeting

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I hope to catch up with you soon, see you Monday. I am in the office most of the weekend if you want to talk.

Eric