

RELEASE IN FULL

From: Sullivan, Jacob J <SullivanJJ@state.gov>
Sent: Monday, November 30, 2009 6:44 PM
To: H
Subject: FW: call to DepSec Hayes

See the two emails below from Kerri-Ann

From: Jones, Kerri-Ann
Sent: Monday, November 30, 2009 6:04 PM
To: Sullivan, Jacob J
Subject: RE: call to DepSec Hayes

Jake,

I made the call to Dep Hayes tonight. According to Hayes- as Sec Salazar is increasingly involved in Arctic issues (domestic related to oil and gas) he wants to use his Copenhagen trip as a chance to meet his counterparts –nothing formal. Hayes then suggested that Sec Salazar could have a meeting with his counterparts from the Arctic Council. I suggested that this was not a good idea as a meeting with the Arctic council group could easily take on unintended formality and confusion. I had already let him know that Secretary Clinton is the US representative to the Arctic Council. I suggested that bilaterals with those Arctic Council member counterparts who might be available would be a better way to have informal introductory meetings. We will try to work with Interior to set some these up. Sec Salazar's particular interest is research related to the Arctic. Sec Salazar has shortened his stay in Copenhagen to the 9th and 10th. Hayes will be there with him and stay on through the 11th.

Best Regards,
Kerri-Ann

From: Jones, Kerri-Ann
Sent: Monday, November 30, 2009 4:34 PM
To: Sullivan, Jacob J
Subject: call to Secretary Salazar

Hi Jake,

Despite our best efforts Secretary Salazar is pushing my call to his Deputy –David Hayes (an appointee who served on the transition team). The message about the Secretaries' meeting was put out there and we have been told the Secretary Salazar wants his Deputy to take my call. I will schedule this call for tomorrow.

Best Regards,
Kerri-Ann