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Iraq

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India Trip

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Threats and Disasters

Rash of attempted bombings in Athens at Parliament and several foreign Embassies apparently not aimed at U.S. Preparations continue possible landfall of Tropical Storm Tomas in Haiti Thurs-Fri. More frequent meetings of Embassy emergency action committees in light of threat from parcel bombs.

Legal Issues

Oral arguments on al-Awlaki's father's suit against the USG begin next week. Harold will attend U.S. Universal Periodic Review presentation at Human Rights Commission in Geneva on Friday. Wikileaks chief Assange will also be there to conduct press event on margins on human rights in the U.S.

Congress

Rich is continuing work on New START ratification strategy. [Redacted]

0915 (Jim S. chaired)

INL

Refurbished Blackhawk helos will be ready for transfer to India 11/22.

WHA

Costa Rica is reporting border dispute with Nicaragua to OAS. Arturo last week met with Nicaraguan President Ortega to urge international observers for upcoming elections.

AF

Guinea elections still on track for 11/7. Kenya agreed to accept 62 Somalis whom US Navy rescued from ship it sank while attempting to deliver assistance. Problem of Citibank and Bank of America closing down bank accounts of African Embassies is growing to include Ambassadors as well; Jim S. and Bob Hormats agreed to speak with Pat K. about it

SCA

Kyrgyz election results certified; five parties will take power in Parliament by 11/5; they will have 15 days to form government. Jim Steinberg reported that Kazakh FM had agreed to allow OSCE NGO "summit" 11/28-29, in advance of government summit.

AVC

UK and France have agreed to pool results from nuclear weapon test simulations.