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Is there a way to describe the significant civilian surge underway this year and the additional positions we expect to fill while signalling that given the POTUS decision to add [redacted] troops, we will have to keep up and add even more, thereby signalling our need for all requested approps requests? We should provide Karl w the specific points to help make the case that supports our passback appeal.

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I will talk to Karl tonight. [redacted]

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Rich and I and his team did prep sessions with Karl yesterday and today. They were very productive and I will let Rich chime in here, but set the stage for effective testimony this week. We made sure that Karl and General McCrystal were familiar with the effective formulations that you and Secretary Gates worked out through the week and in the Sunday shows you taped yesterday. [redacted]

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