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Subject: FW: From Amb. Holbrooke

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From: Silson, John H
Sent: Wednesday, October 21, 2009 12:19 PM
To: Sullivan, Jacob J; 'Kobs, David M.'; Field, Burton M; 'Long, Peter J.'; Campbell, Piper; Bever, James (ME/AA)
Cc: SSRAP_StaffAssistants; Pauli, Rosemarie; Dejban, Donna D
Subject: FW: From Amb. Holbrooke

Dear All –

Ambassador Holbrooke asked us to make sure the email below goes to:

Secretary Clinton
General Jones
Admiral Mullen
General McChrystal
Tom Donilon
Jack Lew
Jim Beaver

Thanks very much,

John Silson

From: Dejban, Donna D **On Behalf Of** Holbrooke, Richard C
Sent: Tuesday, October 20, 2009 7:28 PM
To: David H. Petraeus [redacted]
Subject: From Amb. Holbrooke

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Dear Dave,

Several people have revisited an idea I know you have heard before – that ISAF, the UN, and the U.S. Mission buy some of their food on the local economy. This would:

- provide a source of rapid income to farmers;
- reduce somewhat the amount of resupply convoys;

I have asked MG Field to look into this. I know that there are health and security issues, but perhaps there are ways to deal with them on a local basis. Richard Holbrooke

cc: Secretary Clinton

General Jim Jones
Admiral Mike Mullen
Gen. Stanley McChrystal
Tom Donilon
Jack Lew
Jim Bever