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**To:** H <HDR22@clintonemail.com>

**Subject:** FW: thank you

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**Sent:** Thursday, January 24, 2013 8:59 AM

**To:** Mills, Cheryl D

**Cc:** Haslach, Patricia M

**Subject:** thank you

Cheryl, thanks for all of your fine work in helping the Secretary (yesterday and beyond). I just had a call with General Joe Dunford (on his way to take charge in Afghanistan) and at the end he said about S's Congressional appearance: "It was a proud day for the State Department. She was articulate, tough, and a fierce advocate for the importance of having diplomats out there, facing dangers, often on their own." Amen.

By the way, the reason he was calling: he wants to have [REDACTED] It is a brilliant choice and the way he plans on using [REDACTED] is wise. [REDACTED] has done superb work in [REDACTED] and we will now have to replace [REDACTED]

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Best, Rick

Rick Barton

Ambassador

Assistant Secretary

Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations

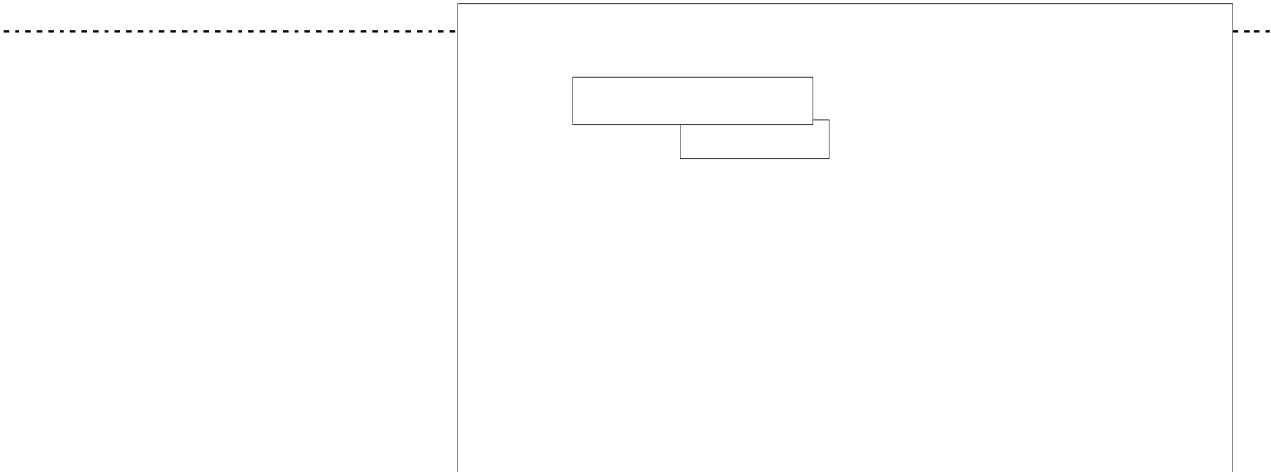
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