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Abedin, Huma < AbedinH@state.gov>

Sent:

Tuesday, June 28, 2011 12:49 PM

To:

Mills, Cheryl D; H

Cc:

Sullivan, Jacob J; Reines, Philippe I

Subject:

RE: Clinton visit

She is also meeting with civil society and opposition leaders

From: Mills, Cheryl D

Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2011 12:43 PM

To: 'H'

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See below.

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From: Jeannie.Adashek [mailto:Jeannie.Adashek On Behalf Of Vernon.Jordan

Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2011 11:39 AM

To: Mills, Cheryl D Subject: Fw: Clinton visit

Cheryl,

Forwarding this email to you as an FYI. Ivan Fischer is the former Principal Conductor of the Kennedy Center.

From: "Ivan Fischer"

Sent: 06/28/2011 11:38 AM ZE2

To: Jeannie Adashek Subject: Clinton visit

Dear Ms. Adashek,

Please pass this message on to Vernon Jordan as soon as possible.

Dear Vernon,

I hope you are well.

This week Hillary Clinton will visit Hungary. I suggest that she should be very careful to avoid an embarrassment. The press is already full with remarks that her visit will be seen as an approval for the Hungarian government and Prime Minister Viktor Orban.

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She should be aware that Mr. Orban's government is demolishing democracy in Hungary and is introducing a harsh system with disregard of human rights and freedom of speech. For her information I attach two articles:

http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2010/12/26/AR2010122601791.html?referrer=emailarticle

http://www.nybooks.com/articles/archives/2011/apr/28/hungary-threat/

Please warn Mrs.Clinton before her trip to Hungary (planned for June 30). I am always available for help or information. Unfortunately I fear that the US Ambassador in Hungary, who is very close to Mr. Orban may not give her a full, balanced view of the dangers involved. Unless she makes a public statement about worries of dictatorial tendencies in Hungary, her visit will be seen as supporting an autocratic regime.

With warmest regards to Ann and you, Ivan Fischer