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They are doing a press statement

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He needs to pull back statement asap before it causes damage to BC and IHRC.

From: Mills, Cheryl D [mailto:MillsCD@state.gov]
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Already spoke to the PM designee Rouzier (not clear he also will make it through parliament). My observation is that he is out ahead of Martelly, which he acknowledges.

In particular, he said he didn't say what was quoted in AP; that said, Rouzier would like IHRC to be more effective and wants to have discussion with WJC and Martelly to figure out how to do better. He advised that he has not coordinated or yet discussed what is recommendation for how to increase effectiveness – his team is in the process of drafting that recommendation/position paper for discussion with WJC and Martelly for their input and guidance).

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What's this about? I thought Bill had agreement w Martelly.

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PORT-AU-PRINCE (AP) - The businessman nominated to be Haiti's next prime minister wants to scrap the

earthquake reconstruction commission co-chaired by former U.S. President Bill Clinton. Daniel-Gerard Rouzier says the 27-member commission is "dysfunctional" and has failed to accomplish much reconstruction. Rouzier said he would replace the commission with a government agency. The commission was established after the January 2010 earthquake because international donors wanted assurances that reconstruction would be orderly and free of the corruption that has long plagued Haiti. But it has been criticized for its slow progress.

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