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I'm a documentary maker based in Belfast. I've been approached by the family of Inez McCormack to produce a documentary on her life. Inez met and began working with Secretary Clinton almost 20 years ago. Unfortunately, she received horrific news in recent weeks that she is suffering from cancer and has been given a very short time to live. Over the past few months, Stella and I have been discussing Secretary Clinton's lasting legacy in Northern Ireland and enduring relationship with that part of the world. The impact of that commitment is seen today in the streets of Belfast and beyond through the work of Inez McCormack, who became friends with the Secretary and was a founding member of the Vital Voices Global Advisory Council. I understand that Secretary Clinton isn't as yet aware of Inez's illness and I deeply appreciate that you will be able to bring this news to her with sensitivity. Despite the incredible pain she is suffering, Inez is showing typical bravery in dealing with her illness. The fact that she is spending some of her last days talking to us about the issues that concern her is testament to her own commitment to helping the less fortunate. Inez has spoken about the strength of her relationship with Secretary Clinton and the inspiration she drew from the Secretary since the time they first met. I'm approaching you in the hope that we could include the Secretary for this project. Inez wants the documentary to raise awareness of the impact of projects such as Vital Voices and her own Participation and Practice of Rights organisation and how through clear leadership real and meaningful change can come, even to societies that have a history of conflict such as Northern Ireland.

Best wishes
Trevor Birney