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saw President Abba	s today to deliver the post-vote message. I'll report more on the other system, but given the long
weekend I wanted to	pass along a few points. 1.4(E
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	vve agreed to meet again in the next few days to
have a more detailed	discussion of the way forward.
Separately, after last	night's vote, we touched base with a number of Abbas's aides to get a sense of the reaction, and
some contacts we ha	ve not seen in a while reached out to us.
that the Palestinians was the pea	blic messaging has been sharp. Shortly after the vote last night, Yasir Abed Rabbo told the media would "reconsider peace negotiations," claiming that the US use of the veto was "unbalanced" and ace process. Today, Abd Rabbo said the PLO would "go to the General Assembly of the United solution condemning settlements and asserting their illegality, before returning to the Security
Council."	
Oution.	1. Hamas spokesman Fawzi Barhoum called on the
PLO to abandon the p Palestinian people an	peace process, and described the veto as "an oppressive decision which disgraces the rights of the addreveals the truth about US support for all of the crimes the Zionist enemy commits in its service."
On the around some	local demonstrations have taken place. Shortly after the Security Council session, there were Fatah
rallies late last night (	local time) in both Hebron and Ramallah. In Ramallah, a crowd estimated at around several
hundred marched to t	the Muqata'a, where Abbas briefly addressed them.
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That said, Fatah Central Committee member Tawfiq Tirawi is calling publicly for a "day of rage" against "American blackmail" on February 25, urging demonstrators to protest the veto after Friday prayers. The West Bank village of Beit Ummar (Area C) has re-branded its weekly "popular resistance" protest against settlements and the separation barrier as a protest against the US use of the veto; similar activities are planned for other villages. Clashes last night in Silwan in East Jerusalem, and in the West Bank village of Umm al-Khair near Hebron, appear not to be related to events in New York.

We have issued a warden notice announcing temporary travel restrictions for Routes 1 and 90 and suspending personal travel to the West Bank through Monday; it is already being picked up in the press. I was also asked to cancel a planned trip to Birzeit University, near Ramallah, at the request of university administration, who said they are concerned about the potential for veto-related student demonstrations.

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