

**From:** Dan Schwerin [redacted] on behalf of Dan Schwerin  
**To:** jake.sullivan [redacted]  
**Subject:** Chat with Dan Schwerin

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**me:** yo bitch  
**me:** send the bitch!  
**Dan:** i did!  
**Dan:** didnt come through?  
**me:** i'm just f-in with you :)  
**me:** who else has weighed in on this/who's edits did you just get?  
**Dan:** I just went through it again with Andrew  
**Dan:** Bruce J in S/P  
**Dan:** AMS gave to him to read  
**me:** so give me the roster of commenters so far:  
**Dan:** and this from Steinberg's office:

**Dan:** Dan, [redacted]

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He is not going to pass along line in line out edits but instead has reached out to Jake and will discuss his thoughts directly with Jake.

**me:** GREAT!  
**me:** so who's seen and edited?  
**Dan:** NEA/FO (although not sure that includes Jeff)  
**Dan:** Sandy  
**Dan:** Lissa  
**Dan:** Andrew  
**Dan:** Derek  
**Dan:** Verma  
**me:** Jack?  
**Dan:** Jack

**me:** yes, right  
**Dan:** i just pinged Mull and SEMEP  
**me:** so i have to deal with Jim, and then we're waiting on SEMEP and NSC, right?  
**Dan:** but NEA Iran desk has commented  
**me:** anyone else?  
**Dan:** yes  
**Dan:** exactly  
**me:** ok  
**me:** i'm giving to her now.  
**me:** tx  
**me:** hey  
**me:** trying to reach jim  
**me:** hrc wants you to send speech to wjc  
**me:** and she wants to see further edits before they are made, so you should start sending edited drafts to huma as well (from SEMEP and NSC, etc.)  
**Dan:** should I send to Doug?  
**me:** you there?  
**me:** sorry -- s just grabbed me to say she thinks this is pretty good  
**Dan:** yes

**me:** two broad comments  
**Dan:** nice  
**Dan:** yeah?  
**me:** first, [redacted]  
**me:** [redacted]  
**me:** all shit andrew should know  
**Dan:** good, thats easy to add  
**me:** second, [redacted]  
**me:** so re-read and edit again with that in mind  
**me:** pretty general comment, but [redacted]  
**me:** other than that, she's all good  
**me:** i told her about steinberg  
**me:** but basically, after you do these two things and fill in the remaining edits you have, send redlines from other people to huma and me and her  
**me:** and then let's talk about them (this'll be tomorrow since she's going down)  
**Dan:** directly to her?  
**me:** send them to huma to print i guess  
**me:** cuz hrc wont know what to do with them  
**Dan:** right  
**Dan:** and i send to doug band now?  
**me:** send to huma at huma@clintonemail.com  
**me:** and she can send  
**Dan:** ok  
**Dan:** sounds good  
**Dan:** i predict NEA [redacted]  
**Dan:** we dont talk about [redacted]  
**me:** i agree on [redacted]  
**me:** just talked to jim. his overall comment is just that there [redacted]  
**me:** he thinks it should be cut  
**me:** that this is [redacted]  
[redacted]  
**me:** i talked him down a bit, but he makes a decent point that we should cut excess. and, consistent with hrc's comment, we should do a sharper job of [redacted]  
**me:** he had a helpful suggestion that we should [redacted]  
[redacted]  
**me:** i'm gonna go flag this for s, but i thin some judicious cuts and edits in the [redacted] section will help do the trick.  
**Dan:** hold on one sec, Hale on the phone with Mitchell giving me edits  
**Dan:** ok, back  
**Dan:** Mitchell likes the speech  
**Dan:** he has some minor line edits  
**Dan:** his only big thing  
**Dan:** is that he thinks we [redacted]  
**Dan:** would suggest we consolidate the two pieces of it  
**Dan:** lower down  
**Dan:** he's afraid [redacted]  
**Dan:** which is what andrew also said  
**Dan:** i'll make the change and send you his other edits and you can judge whether it works  
**me:** that sounds good. send a redline to huma. as for jim, i just talked to hrc. she said she thought he had a point,

to a point -- that we might be able to [redacted]  
[redacted] But she said TRY it his way, which means not losing the way we have it.  
**me:** i agree, by the way, [redacted]  
**me:** so that works  
**Dan:** ok  
**me:** does that all make sense? or is it too vague?  
**Dan:** [redacted] you could elaborate on  
**me:** that was the thing I mentioned that Jim was proposing. Basically, [redacted]  
[redacted]  
**me:** then you do the [redacted]  
**Dan:** got it  
**me:** not easy to give guidance on what to cut -- [redacted] come to mind as things that may not need to be said, but maybe we have to say both  
**Dan:** well by consolidating [redacted]  
**me:** maybe [redacted] can be cut down too  
**Dan:** that will cut some  
**me:** that's true.  
**Dan:** mitchell wanted to lose [redacted]  
**me:** hrc wants it  
**Dan:** said he had talked [redacted]  
**me:** but the [redacted]  
**Dan:** [redacted]  
**Dan:** right  
**Dan:** so if we do, we should pin on them  
**me:** yes, and do it in a sentence  
**me:** but hard to avoid  
**me:** all right -- i'll leave you to it.  
**me:** let's touch base around noon-ish tomorrow and see where we are. i'm available between now and then but want to leave you to it.  
**Dan:** so  
**Dan:** i'll move [redacted] down and call that the mitchell draft and send  
**Dan:** then i'll try to cut elsewhere  
**Dan:** or just take it all in and send a new draft  
**me:** take it all in and send a new draft. she can pick and choose edits in a redline version. i'll send you some things you might be able to cut, but consider it only the roughest of suggestions  
**Dan:** ok  
**Dan:** have a good flight  
**me:** tx  
**Dan:** Mara just called with more thoughts  
**Dan:** so adding those too  
**me:** helpful?  
**Dan:** yes  
**Dan:** we talked through consolidating [redacted]  
**Dan:** also, sandy just sent more  
**me:** saw that -- his are pretty straightforward  
**Dan:** and he seems to agree on not getting into this too soon  
**Dan:** so we're all good  
**me:** yep  
**me:** agreed  
**me:** this is definitely getting there

**me:** can you send latest draft to rhodes?

**Dan:** now or when i make all these changes

**me:** i guess tonight post-changes.

**Dan:** also, something else for your radar

**Dan:** our Nowruz statement is with Steinberg now

**Dan:** and P staff expressed some question

**Dan:** about

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**Dan:**

**Dan:** so just fyi

**me:** 1. we are not worried and 2.  is jealous you dont gchat with him

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**Dan:** ha ok

**Dan:** and thats what i told everyone. We want to do.