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Completely understand that you need to follow that guidance. Hopefully we can talk soon about the factors that contributed to the collapse of the security forces.

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One late-breaking alibi that came up today from folks upstairs here, we have been asked (directed) that we should not participate in any SIGAR interviews until after the Department leadership and Legal counsel complete their own further evaluation to provide all State Department employees a consistent set of guidelines for the interviews.

I wanted to pass this along as we just received this updated guidance today. But, once we receive their revised guidelines, I'll let you all know so we can circle back regarding setting up a revised interview date & time as requested.

Will keep you posted.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]