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SUBJECT: Dayton SITREP #10; November 14, 1995, 11:10pm.

At time of writing, results of Secretary Christopher intensive engagement on map and Sarajevo unclear. Will report verbally Wednesday AM. Some progress, but not clear will be able to reach endgame on map tonight. Secretary Christopher will likely return Friday to close.

Have attached status report on key issues/ documents. Report prepared for SECSTATE visit.

Status Report

Document/Issue

Status

General Framework Agreement

Just received unrealistic Bosnian proposals; we can manage this. No Croat proposals. Serb response now in translation. No action required from Secretary.

Annexes

#1 Military Aspects

Monday's DC rejected Bosnian proposals on IFOR and a war crimes "mechanism;" these proposals have not yet been reviewed in Contact Group. No comments from the Croats. Serb comments in translation.

#2 The Map

Owen, Pardew, Hill, and Kerrick will work this issue with Milosevic while the Secretary meets with Tudjman. This will be a key issue for the Secretary to address in Dayton.

#3 Elections

A possible deal-breaker. Bosnians and Serbs at loggerheads on voting procedures for refugees and displaced persons. Direct engagement by Secretary required.

#4 Constitution

Basic issues resolved although disputes could still erupt. Focus now on entry into force procedure and structure of bicameral legislature. No engagement by Secretary required.

#5 Arbitration

Just received Serb comments; waiting for translation. Bosnians have agreed to CG text. This should not be a problem as we can drop Annex and instead expand mandate of Constitutional Court to address all inter-Entity disputes. No engagement required by Secretary.

#6 Human Rights

Very close to agreement at working level. Bosnians and Croats made minor changes; PRY approved earlier version and should not have a problem with them. Engagement by Secretary not required.

- #7 Refugees/
Displaced Persons Same status as #6.
 - #8 National Monuments We reached agreement with Bosnians and
FRY, subject to FRY approval to add GOBH
as a Party.
 - #9 Public Services Bosnians agreed to Contact Group text on
creating a Joint Public Services
Corporation to run transportation,
utilities and other facilities. Serbs
just gave us a new text in Serbian,
which they claim contains merely
suggestions.
 - #10 Civilian
Implementation The text has just been given to the
Parties and Bob Gallucci is working it.
 - #11 Police The text would establish an
International Police Task Force as a UN
CIVPOL operation. The DC Monday
rejected US participation in an
international police force with any
police functions.
- Sarajevo The Secretary's involvement is needed.
There are two competing texts from
Bosnians and Serbs. Holbrooke will
brief.

