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DATE-TIME 19 December 94 17:21

FROM Burns, Nicholas R.

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SUBJECT Subject: RE: Next Steps on NATO expansion discussion with Russia

TO Fried, Daniel

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No problem on Jessica. We encourage free debate in our Directorate!

Fried, Daniel  
From: Fried, Daniel  
To: Burns, Nicholas R.  
CC: /R, Record at A1  
Subject: RE: Next Steps on NATO expansion discussion with Russia  
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Date: Monday, December 19, 1994 05:11 PM

I will have an updated version of our NATO expansion paper ready for you by tomorrow am. I am keeping as much of the old text and format as possible. I think your draft letter to Yeltsin excellent. (P.S., I told Jessie Stern not to think I was mad at her for her questions, even if we disagree.)

Burns, Nicholas R.  
From: Burns, Nicholas R.  
To: Emery, Mary C.; Hall, Wilma G.; Veit, Katherine M.  
CC: /R, Record at A1; Beyrle, John R.; Fried, Daniel; Vershbow, Alexander R.  
Subject: Next Steps on NATO expansion discussion with Russia  
Date: Monday, December 19, 1994 05:07 PM

Please pass to Sandy for reading this evening

Sandy: Further to our discussion of Friday evening, I wanted to let you know our current thinking on how we should proceed on the NATO expansion issue with Russia.

1) We have drafted a Presidential letter to Yeltsin thanking him for receiving the VP last week and reaffirming our basic position on NATO expansion. It also makes a few points on economic reform. I hope to have that letter cleared and to you by tomorrow afternoon.

2) I hope we will be able to schedule an hour this week with the President for the Vice President's briefing on his discussions in Moscow. You said

you would try to get it on the schedule. If you need a formal schedule request, I will be glad to do one.

3) We need to get the Deputies engaged on this issue. I have spoken with Strobe and Leon Fuerth who both support appointing the Deputies as the managers of this issue. Leon believes the VP will support this as well.

Sandy V. , Dan and I believe it may make most sense for the three of us to draft a concept paper for your first Deputies meeting that would provide a foundation for how we can best prepare for the Christopher-Kozyrev meeting in January. We suggest a first Deputies meeting just after New Years. Strobe, however, may push for an earlier Deputies later this week. I have a call in to Leon to get his views. We would like to discuss this with you anytime you are free.