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SUBJECT: NODEL SOLIS (OCT 11-13)

THE ITINERARY FOR ALL CONGRESSIONAL TRAVEL SHOULD BE HANDLED
CAREFULLY AND SHOULD BE DISTRIBUTED ONLY TO THOSE WITH A REAL
NEED TO KNOW. THE ITINERARY SHOULD NOT BE MADE PUBLIC
WITHOUT THE SPECIFIC PERMISSION OF THE HEAD OF THE
DELEGATION, AND LOGISTICAL ARRANGEMENTS SUCH AS HOTEL
RESERVATIONS SHOULD BE RESERVED IN THE EMBASSY'S NAME AND NOT
IN THE NAME OF THE CONGRESSIONAL TRAVELER WHENEVER POSSIBLE.

1. REP. HILDA L. SOLIS (D-CA), WILL LEAD A NON-CONGRESSIONAL
DELEGATION (NODEL) TO CIUDAD JUAREZ, MEXICO, OCT 11-13.
PURPOSE OF THE VISIT IS TO INVESTIGATE THE ENORMOUS NUMBER
OF UNSOLVED MURDERS OF FEMALE FACTORY WORKERS. NODEL REQUESTS
POST ASSIGN AN REGIONAL SECURITY OFFICER (RSO) TO THEIR
DETAILED IN A ADVISORY CAPACITY, IF POSSIBLE, WITHOUT COST TO
THE OFFICIAL DELEGATION. IF REQUESTS CAN NOT BE MET ON A
NON-REIMBURSABLE BASIS, POST SHOULD ADVISE DEPARTMENT (H) AND
NODEL ASAP. A DETAILED LIST OF THE DELEGATION FOLLOWS BELOW.
THE NODEL WILL TRAVEL VIA COMAIR. ALSO, NO CONGRESSIONAL
FUNDING AUTHORIZATION WILL BE TRANSMITTED FOR THIS VISIT.
REQUEST COUNTRY CLEARANCE AND THREAT ASSESSMENT.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE
REVIEW AUTHORITY: NORMAN M BOUTON
DATE/CASE ID: 05 JU LI 2006 2 200602506
2. TENTATIVE COMPOSITION:

(MEMBERS)
REP. HILDA L. SOLIS (D-CA)
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REP. LUIS GUTIERREZ (D-IL)
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UNKNOWN, PERSONAL STAFF, REP. REYES' OFFICE
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MR. LOURDES PORTILLO, FILMMAKER
MR. EMIKO OMORI, CAMERA PERSON
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MS. DOLORES HUERTA, UNITED FARM WORKERS
MR. DANIEL SOLIS, ALDERMAN, CHICAGO CITY COUNCIL
MS. PAT ENG, MS. FOUNDATION
MS. JESSICA GUTIERREZ, DAUGHTER, REP. GUTIERREZ
MS. CRISTINE NOVO, US EMBASSY IN MEXICO

3. PROPOSED ITINERARY/AGENDA

SATURDAY, OCT. 11
0630 LEAVE WASHDC FOR EL PASO, TX
1030 AR EL PASO, TX
1130 AR THE CAMINO REAL HOTEL, EL PASO
1200 LUNCH W/DIANA WASHINGTON VALDEZ, EL PASO TIMES
(CONFIRMED)
1300 BRIEFING (CONFIRMED) B7(C)
1400 TRAVEL TO JUAREZ
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1430 MEETING W/VICTIMS' FAMILIES (CONFIRMED)
HOLIDAY INN LINCOLN, LINCOLN AVE. ZONA PRONAF:

1630 MEETING W/WOMEN'S AND VICTIMS' ORGANIZATIONS (CONFIRMED)
HOLIDAY IN LINCOLN, LINCOLN AVE, NEAR THE INTERSECTION
W/COYOACAN
ZONA PRONAF:

NUESTRAS HIJAS DE REGRESO A CASA
JUSTICIA PARA NUESTRAS HIJAS
INTEGRACION DE FAMILIAS POR JUAREZ
CASA AMIGA

1730 TOUR OF WORKING CLASS NEIGHBORHOODS AND SITES WHERE
BODIES WERE FOUND TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED BY MR. REYES; TOUR
GUIDED BY VICTOR MUNOZ.

1900 RETURN TO EL PASO
2000 PRIVATE DINNER FOR DELEGATES AT CAFE CENTRAL

SUNDAY, OCT 12

0800 BREAKFAST
0830 TRAVEL TO JUAREZ
0900 MAQUILADORA TOUR (NOT YET CONFIRMED)
1100 MEETING W/WOMEN MAQUILADORA WORKERS AND UNION LEADERS
(CONFIRMED)
VICENTE GUERRERO 5038 PLANTA ALTA
(NEAR THE INTERSECTION WITH PLUTARCO ELIAS CALLES):

BEATRIZ LUJAN, SINDICATO DE MUJERES TRABAJADORAS

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1200 MEETING WITH AMAC - MAQUILADORA OWNERS ASSOCIATION (CONFIRMED)
AV A.J. BERMUDEZ 3545 CON AV. EJERCITO NACIONAL:

RUBEN PARGA, PRESIDENT
JUAN CARLOS OLIVARES, VICE-PRESIDENT

1330 LUNCH W/MEXICAN FEDERAL LEGISLATORS (INVITED)
RESTAURANTE FRIDA
PASEO TRUNFO DE LA REPUBLICA 2525
COL. MARGARITAS
011-52-656-639-0148

1600 MEETING REGARDING MEXICO'S RURAL CRISIS AND ECONOMIC MIGRATION (CONFIRMED)
VICENTE GUERRERO 5038 PLANTA ALTA
NEAR THE INTERSECTION W/PLUTARCO ELIAS CALLES:

LIC. MIGUEL ZAPIEN
LIC. FELIPE ARAIZA PORRAS
LIC. DANTE ALMERAZ
LIC. SAUL MARTINEZ NATERA
LIC. LUZ ESTHEIA CASTRO
LIC. LUIS FONG
LIC. ADRIANA CARMONA
LIC. ADOLFO BACA MAGANA
LIC. ERICKA IVON RUIZ

1800 RETURN TO EL PASO
1900 RECEPTION HOSTED BY MR. REYES (LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED)

MONDAY, OCT 13

0830 TRAVEL TO JUAREZ
0900 BREAKFAST AND MEETING WITH MEXICAN OFFICIALS
FIESTA INN
AV PASEO TRIUNFO DE LA REPUBLICA 3451
CIUDAD JUAREZ, CHIHUAHUA
PHONE: 656-686-0700
FAX: 656-686-0701

PATRICIO MARTINEZ, GOVERNOR OF CHIHUAHUA (INVITED)
SERGIO ANTONIO MARTINEZ, SECRETARY OF GOVERNMENT OF CHIHUAHUA (CONFIRMED)
JESUS JOSE SOLIS, STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL (INVITED)
ANGELA TALAVERA, SPECIAL PROSECUTOR FOR JUAREZ MURDERS (INVITED)
ALFREDO DELGADO, MAYOR OF CIUDAD JUAREZ (CONFIRMED)
VICTORIA CARAVEO, CHIHUAHUA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE (CONFIRMED)
PABLO ZAPATA ZUBIAGA, PRESIDENT OF THE SUPREME COURT (INVITED)

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2330 PRESS CONFERENCE
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AV PASEO TRIUNFO DE LA REPUBLICA 3452
CIUDAD JUAREZ, CHIHUAHUA
PHONE: 656-686-0700
FAX: 656-686-0701

1230 RETURN TO EL PASO
1300 LUNCH AT CAMINO REAL
1400 DEPART HOTEL FOR EL PASO AIRPORT
1530 LV EL PASO
2300 AR WASHDC

4. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE DESIGNATE A REGIONAL SECURITY OFFICER (RSO) POINT OF CONTACT TO ASSIST WITH THE VISIT. ALSO, PLEASE ADVISE DEPARTMENT (H) WITH NAME, NUMBERS (OFFICE/HOME/FAX/CELL) AND UNCLASS EMAIL ADDRESS.

MODEL POINTS OF CONTACT IN WASHINGTON ARE:

A) MR. JIM HAGAN, LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT OFFICER, BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS (H), AT (W) 202/647-8118, (CPH) 202/391-8825, (FX) 202/647-9667, (UNCL EMAIL) HAGANJG@STATE.GOV

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C) MS. LAURA RODRIGUEZ, PERSONAL STAFF MEMBER, REP. SOLIS’ OFFICE, AT (W) 202/225-5464, (FX) 202/225-5467, (UNCL EMAIL) LAURA.RODRIGUEZ@MAIL.HOUSE.GOV

D) MR. SEAN GARCIA, STAFF MEMBER, LATIN AMERICA WORKING GROUP, AT (W) 202/546-7010, (UNCL EMAIL) SGARCIA@LAWG.ORG

5. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPARTMENT (H) UNDERSTANDS RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN ARRANGED AT THE CAMINO REAL HOTEL, EL PASO. PLEASE CONFIRM ACCOMMODATIONS TO DEPARTMENT (H) ALONG WITH ADDRESS/TELEPHONE/FAX/ROOM NUMBERS.

6. ACTION REQUESTED: MODEL REQUESTS POST CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE FOR BORDER CROSSING ADVISE APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF VISIT, AND MAKE ANY POSSIBLE ARRANGEMENTS TO EXPEDITE CROSSING BETWEEN CIUDAD JUAREZ AND EL PASO DAILY.

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