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SUBJECT: Staff Ceiling and Security Clearances - Baghdad

1. Thank you for your code cable CZX-102, of 4 May 2007, concerning the Crisis Management Team Meeting of 4 May 2007.

2. I am pleased to see that important risk mitigation measures are being undertaken to safeguard all UN staff in Baghdad. In conjunction with this and in reference to my code cable dated 3 May 2007, I would still be grateful your opinion on the possibilities of reducing the staff ceiling, as well as UNHQ consideration of the suspension or at least significantly restricting all security clearances for travel to Baghdad.

3. Your response in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Best regards,