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SUBJECT President's Peacekeeping Initiatives (PPI): Interagency Proposals (U)	ACTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPROVAL <input type="checkbox"/> SIGNATURE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INFORMATION	J SUSPENSE

ACTION SUMMARY

1. (U) PURPOSE. To provide status of Interagency efforts to implement PPI.
2. (U) Background. The President addressed the UN General Assembly on 21 Sep 92. After the President's speech, NSC established Interagency Sub-Groups to provide specificity to the concepts in the President's speech. Sub-groups focused on a two prong review: (1) Proposals to be briefed to the UN and (2) What adjustments (if any) are required to US organization(s) to implement the PPI. Sub-Groups 1-5 reviewed the first prong and Sub-Group 6 studied the second. The Sub-groups are as follows: (1) UN organization and planning, (2) US forces and equipment capabilities for UN peacekeeping operations (UN PKO), (3) training and facilities for UN PKO, (4) intelligence and communications support, (5) humanitarian assistance, and (6) US organization and structure for UN PKO. Initial sub-group proposals will be discussed at a Deputies Committee Working Group meeting the week of 26 October (TBD) chaired by Dick Clarke. The final product, after it clears the Working Group and Deputies Committee, will be a briefing to the UN in the form of recommendations to implement the President's initiatives. This brief will be cleared by the Principals before presentation to the UN. We anticipate a UN briefing in late November.
3. (U) Discussion. Only three of the six sub-groups contain new proposals of any significance. A brief summary of each follows:
 - a. (U) UN Organization and Planning. Plans that commit military forces are drafted at UNHQ without sufficient military advice nor does the UN monitor/coordinate current field operations. In larger terms, the UN lacks a means to provide timely coordination and dissemination

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of information among various agencies and secretariats and lacks a means to ensure follow-up action. To correct the military planning and operations deficiencies, creation of a Current Operations and Plans Directorate, staffed primarily by military officers, under the USYG for peacekeeping operations is recommended. To correct the larger problem of information flow, establishment of an executive secretariat with an attached information center, to be staffed primarily by civilians is proposed.

b. ~~let~~ US Forces and Equipment. While continuing to stress that US military forces should not be earmarked for UN missions, the following distinctive US capabilities could be made available for UN PKO if directed by the NCA: (1) communications, (2) lift, (3) intelligence, and (4) logistics. In terms of equipment, we propose to continue to provide DOD equipment on a case-by-case basis.

c. ~~let~~ Training. US simulation and gaming technology could be well suited for training peacekeeping commanders and senior staff officers. Also, a UN Mobile Training Team could be used to help nations prepare forces for a specific peacekeeping mission. This would be done only in response to a nations request for assistance.

4. (U) Recommendation. None. Provided for information only.

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