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From: Terje Rod-Larsen
Sent: Tue 7/23/2013 8:13:12 AM
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From: Andrea Pfanzelter
Sent: Monday, July 22, 2013 08:05 PM
To: Terje Rod-Larsen
Subject: Fwd: Thank you and next steps

FYI

Just talked to her

Also interesting proposal regarding gates at the GA !! He wants to meet FM at IPI
Andrea

Begin forwarded message:

From: Melissa Covelli West <[REDACTED]@gatesfoundation.org>
Date: July 22, 2013, 19:07:53 GMT+02:00
To: Andrea Pfanzelter <[REDACTED]@ipinst.org>
Subject: RE: Thank you and next steps

Hi Andrea,

I left you a vmail message on your mobile- it would be great if we could connect briefly.

We'd like to move forward in our work together, but will need to determine a time we can align all the right parties to make it happen. This includes a phone call with people who will manage the grant, and ideally an in-person meeting with the various content experts on the polio program side.

Please let me know if you have a few minutes to connect. I'm heading out tomorrow afternoon and won't be checking email, but you can reach me on my mobile at 12067993664 – I'll be in France so closer to your time zone!

Cheers,

Melissa

From: Melissa Covelli West

Sent: Friday, July 12, 2013 5:35 PM
To: 'Andrea Pfanzerter'
Cc: Walter Kemp; Nasra Hassan; Robert Rosen; Mito Alfieri
Subject: Thank you and next steps

Andrea, Walter and Nasra -

Thank you all so much for your time yesterday, it was very helpful to learn more about IPI's work and areas of focus and how we may work together more closely. To summarize our conversation, our primary objectives for our work in this space are to:

- Reduce number of inaccessible children to zero
- Create safety for polio vaccinators/health workers and their security teams

It sounds like IPI is best-placed to work with us in the following areas:

- Providing research, analysis and insights of the political environment in Afghanistan, Pakistan, Northern Nigeria, and Somalia
- Helping identify potential influencers/high-level contacts that can move the work forward and recommendations for how/whether BMGF, GPEI UN partners (UNICEF/WHO) and others should engage with such contacts
- Convening foreign ministers and/or others at UNGA or related events in support of polio eradication/immunization

Please let us know what additional information might be helpful in order to outline a very high-level set of activities over a 2-3 year period.

Andrea, I realize it might be hard to connect again given your holiday but please let us know if we can find a time to talk before July 23. (I'm out of the office from July 23-July 30.) Otherwise, I'll ask Mito to follow up in my absence.

Thank you again, it was lovely to meet you all and I look forward to working together.

Melissa (Covelli) West

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