

**From:** First Secretary Commerce Dr Ajay Kumar E/I Washington <ccom@indiagov.org>  
**To:** Veldran, KatherineKatherineVeldran@gov.sc.gov  
**Date:** 11/11/2014 7:12:46 AM  
**Subject:** Re: 11/17 Meetings

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Good morning Katherine

As requested yesterday again, could you please get us specific issues likely to be raised by Governor Haley in the meeting with our external affairs minister (EAM). We urgently need the issues for briefing the EAM about the meeting.

Regards

Ajay

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 10, 2014, at 10:13 AM, First Secretary Commerce Dr Ajay Kumar E/I Washington <ccom@indiagov.org> wrote:

Dear Katheirne

I was trying to speak to you and left voice message. What would be the best time to talk to you today?

Due to change in the External Affairs Minister's programme, she will now be available for the meeting with Governor Haley on 17 November. Exact time is being worked out and will be communicated to you. In the meantime, could you please share with us minute-to-minute programme of Governor Haley on 13 November in Delhi so that we could work on the possibility of accommodating Minister of State for Commerce and Industry's meeting, as she is not available on 17 November.

Please advise time for our call.

Regards

Ajay

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**From:** First Secretary Commerce Dr Ajay Kumar E/I Washington  
**Sent:** Friday, November 07, 2014 3:06 PM  
**To:** Veldran, Katherine  
**Cc:** Minister Commerce E/I Washington; DCM Office E/I Washington  
**Subject:** RE: 11/17 Meetings

Dear Katherine

1.  
As our External Affairs Minister will be travelling between 16-18 November, we have following two possible windows for Governor Haley's meeting with her:

- a) Forenoon of 16 November 2014, *or*
- b) late evening of 18 November.

Could you please advise which window might work best in Governor Haley's schedule.

2.  
Minister of State for Commerce and Industry will not be available on 17 November.

3. Our office is working on meeting with Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu and we will revert to you on that too.

4. As you will see meetings on 17 November are not possible, could you please advise on possible time window for these meetings in Delhi on 13 November 2014. So that our office could also look at those possibility.

Regards

Ajay

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**From:** First Secretary Commerce Dr Ajay Kumar E/I Washington  
**Sent:** Monday, November 03, 2014 2:02 AM  
**To:** Veldran, Katherine  
**Cc:** Minister Commerce E/I Washington; DCM Office E/I Washington  
**Subject:** Re: 11/17 Meetings

Dear Katherine

As requested earlier, could you please get us specific issues likely to be raised by Governor Haley in meetings with our external affairs minister, Minister of State for Commerce and Industry and Tamil Nadu Chief Minister.

I am trying to get an update on these meetings and will revert to you.

Regards

Ajay

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On Oct 29, 2014, at 1:16 AM, First Secretary Commerce Dr Ajay Kumar E/I Washington <[ccom@indiagov.org](mailto:ccom@indiagov.org)> wrote:

Dear Katherine

It was nice talking to you this evening. As discussed please find attached bio-profile of Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Minister of State for Commerce and Industry. The Bio-profile of Honorable Smt. Sushma Swaraj, External Affairs Minister can be accessed on web link: <http://www.mea.gov.in/eam.htm>

As requested, could you please get us specific issues likely to be raised by Governor Haley in each of these meetings.

Regards

Ajay

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**From:** Veldran, Katherine [<mailto:KatherineVeldran@gov.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 28, 2014 10:17 AM  
**To:** First Secretary Commerce Dr Ajay Kumar E/I Washington  
**Subject:** 11/17 Meetings

Ajay,  
Are you available to discuss the meetings below at 11:15AM?  
Thank you,  
Katherine

<b>Monday, November 17, 2014 (NEW DELHI)</b>
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**EVENT: Meeting with Mr. Bharat Lal, Resident Commissioner of Gujarat; 30 minutes –**

**CONFIRMED**

**TIME:** 9:00AM – 10:00AM

**LOCATION:** Taj Mahal Hotel

**ROOM LAYOUT:**

**BIO:**

**PURPOSE:**

**BACKGROUND:**

**ATTENDEES:**

**TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:**

**PROGRAM DETAILS:**

**GIFT:**

**EVENT: Meeting with the Honorable Smt. Sushma Swaraj, External Affairs Minister; 30 minutes**

**TIME:**

**LOCATION:** Taj Mahal Hotel

**ROOM LAYOUT:**

**BIO:**

**PURPOSE:**

**BACKGROUND:**

**ATTENDEES:**

**TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:**

**PROGRAM DETAILS:**

**GIFT:**

**EVENT: Meeting with Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Minister of State for Commerce and Industry;30 minutes**

**TIME:**

**LOCATION:** Taj Mahal Hotel

**ROOM LAYOUT:**

**BIO:**

**PURPOSE:**

**BACKGROUND:**

**ATTENDEES:**

**TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:**

**PROGRAM DETAILS:**

**GIFT:**

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