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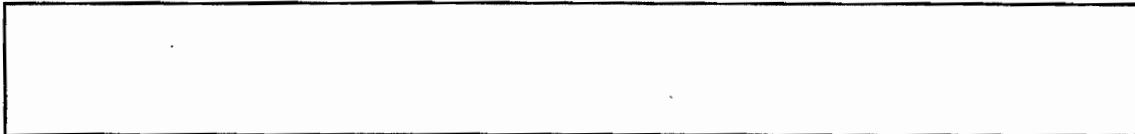
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JORDAN: TALKING POINTS FOR RESTRICTED MEETING WITH  
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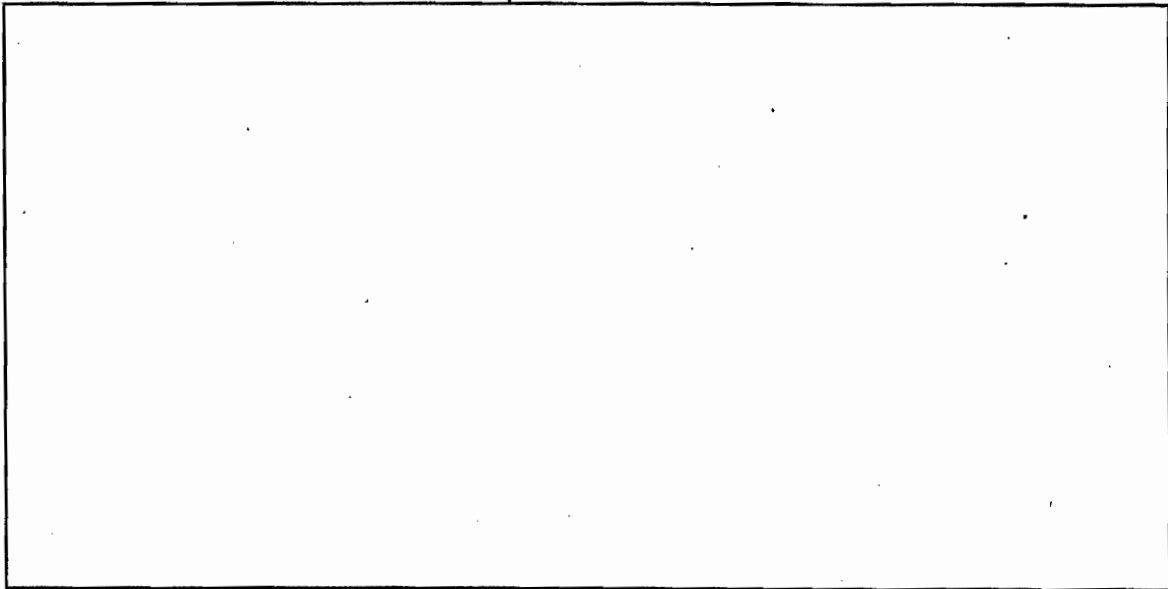
**Iraq:**

- Saddam Hussein is a threat to U.S. and regional interests, as well as to the Iraqi people. We are determined to address that threat and are seriously considering various options.
- We have been working to make multilateral controls effective; have insisted Iraq accept unconditional return of UN weapons inspectors.
- If multilateral approach ineffective, we will have to look to other ways to protect our interests.



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- We will keep in mind Jordan's concerns and vulnerability, and will remain in close touch as the situation unfolds in the coming months.



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