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FOR: Second Secretary O hUiginn

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Subj: 11am update

- The British side has informed us that: 1.
 - It is assumed that the Apprentice Boys will not walk on any section of the walls. They are currently meeting in Derry to decide their course of action;
 - Following a short standoff in Dunloy, where nationalists have blocked the road on the country side of the Orange Hall, the Apprentice Boys returned from the police lines to their coaches and departed the village;
 - Agreement has been reached in Newtownbutler whereby following negotiations the Apprentice Boys agreed to leave the town by a direct route. Upon return this evening it has been agreed that they will play the National Anthem at the top end of the town before dispersing;
 - The Apprentice Boys parade at Rosslea has been rerouted. The order to reroute the parade expires at midnight tonight;
 - The British side have no information regarding a possible cancellation of the parade at Bellaghy.