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This just gets worse and worse ... -S

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TokoKE@state.gov>> Tema: situation in Kiev

My friend has asked me to pass along to you that we have hit the wall with the situation in Kiev. We are witnessing open fraud in 4 districts, which are specified in the OB statement I sent you before in English. OB is demanding a recount of votes and investigation.

I think I and other people have mentioned to you that while Klichko himself is not aware of technical details, his chief of staff, Vadim Stolar, has organized a large network for fraud, working at the same time for Klichko and for Omelchenko per Bankova's instructions. We were hoping that strong messaging from the embassies (not only the US Embassy, but others) about unacceptability of fraud would stop these guys. Today, in effort to get Omelchenko into the run-off with Klichko, a large-scale sceme of fraud was activated by Stolar to get all possible votes for Omelchenko. As result, we started to see anomalies with over 50% votes for Omelchenko in certain PECs with other candidates' votes dramatically low.

Klichko does not seem to be aware of this, but this kind of activity by his people is extremely dangerous for his political future. And for this country. I am not sure what you can do to get these people play straight, but I can tell you that this situation has all potential for full-blown disaster.

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