## ept of Defense

<u>Department of Defense:</u>

SOP: Bomb from an aircraft carrier.

Advantage: No US lives lost.

Disadvantage: Planes only have 500-mile range

### Dept of State

#### Department of State:

SOP: Institute economic sanctions.

Advantage: Diplomatically acceptable.

Disadvantage: Hurts US economy and US producers.

#### ept of Homeland Security

**Department of Homeland Security:** 

reserves. SOP: Raise the terror alert and mobilize the National Guard and

Advantage: Protects domestic population

Disadvantage: High levels of alert are costly and disrupt society.

# UN Ambassador

SOP: Offers to mediate/ open negotiations.

UN Ambassador:

Advantage: Looks respectable internationally.

Disadvantage: Slow, other side might not agree

#### National Security Advisor

#### National Security Advisor:

SOP: Denounce other party and taking the issue to the UN.

Advantage: Avoids concerns of US unilateralism.

Disadvantage: Slow and does not affect situation on the ground.

#### tor Int' evelopment rgency

US Agency for International Development:

loans. SOP: Airlift food and medical personnel. Arrange for massive

Advantage: Quick response for humanitarian concerns.

Disadvantage: Expensive and does not address the root cause.

## Vice President

Vice President

SOP: Allege Al Qaida plot.

Advantage: No financial cost.

Disadvantage: May cause drastic harm to the US.

#### Media Relations White House

### White House Office of Media Relations

SOP: Deny everything and initiate media damage control.

Advantage: Preserves president's image for

key voting populations electionDisadvantage: Allows crises to grow, risks antagonizing Vice President Economic voter

Department of State International political activist

Department of Defense Journalist

Department of Homeland Security Congressional Opposition Leader

US Agency for International Congressional Majority Leader

Development (President's party)

National Security Advisor Economist

US Ambassador to the UN

Think tank foreign policy scholar

White House Office of Media Relations Retired senior general

Foreign policy voter CEO of a major corporation

Government spending voter Labor union leader

Ethnic minority voter Feminist