

Obama urges heightened vigilance on 9/11 anniversary
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WASHINGTON, Sept 11 — President Barack Obama has told his security team to pursue all threat information vigorously and ensure heightened vigilance for today's 10-year anniversary of al Qaeda's attacks, the White House said yesterday.

"He directed his team to pursue vigorously all threat information and to ensure a heightened state of vigilance and preparedness as we commemorate the anniversary of the 9/11 attacks," the White House said.

"The president also stressed that the United States must not relax its counterterrorism efforts in the weeks and months that follow," it said in a read-out of Obama's (picture) morning meeting with national security and intelligence officials, giving no details of potential or reported threats. — Reuters

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