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- We can capitalize on these positive attitudes as we confront the challenges of providing badly needed humanitarian relief to the people of the former Soviet Union, so **democratic and free market reforms can have a chance.**

- These surveys and assessments could be accomplished working hand-in-hand with the leaders of the republics and, where appropriate, **NATO military teams could work with the Soviet military. Survey results could be quickly translated into plans for action.**

- And finally, drawing on republic leaders and Soviet military expertise, **NATO civilian and military experts should assess what support NATO could provide in the distribution of humanitarian assistance within the republics.**