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WHITE HOUSE FOR STEVE STUDDERT AND JOHN KELLER
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SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S BANQUET - CHINESE GUEST LIST

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1. FOLLOWING WHITE HOUSE ADVANCE TEAM GUIDANCE, EMBASSY HAS COME UP WITH A FINAL DRAFT OF THE CHINESE GUEST LIST FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL BANQUET. THE LIST, WHICH DIFFERS ONLY SLIGHTLY FROM THAT FORWARDED IN REF, REFLECTS THE WHITE HOUSE DESIRE TO HAVE THE NUMBER OF CHINESE GUESTS EXCEED THE NUMBER OF AMERICAN GUESTS. AS CURRENT PLANNING CALLS FOR A BANQUET FOR 500, WE ANTICIPATE HAVING AT LEAST 275 CHINESE GUESTS. WE REALIZE THAT THERE ARE CONSIDERABLY MORE THAN 275 CHINESE GUESTS ON THE LIST FORWARDED IN REF; HOWEVER, WE DO EXPECT A CERTAIN NUMBER OF REFUSALS -- THE PERCENTAGE WE CANNOT AS YET DETERMINE -- WHICH WILL BRING US WELL WITHIN THE 275 GOAL. (THE REFUSALS WILL LIKELY RESULT FROM PROTOCOL

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REASONS, HEALTH REASONS, OR WILL BE ON BEHALF OF THE WIVES OF SENIOR LEADERS, MOST OF WHOM WILL NOT BY CUSTOM ATTEND THE BANQUET).

2. WE ARE STILL PLANNING TO INVITE NOTED DISSIDENTS FANG LIZHI AND HIS WIFE. FOLLOWING ARE THE CHANGES WE HAVE MADE TO THE LIST PROVIDED IN REFTTEL:

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-ZHU KAIXIANG, VICE CHAIRMAN, STATE EDUCATION COMMISSION
-CHAI MENGXIONG, SECRETARY GENERAL, BEIJING INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL STRATEGIC STUDIES
-WANG ZHIXIN, CHINA NATIONAL NATIVE PRODUCE AND ANIMAL BY-PRODUCTS IMPORT AND EXPORT CORPORATION
-DU RUNSHENG, STATE COUNCIL RESEARCH CENTER FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

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SUBTRACTIONS:

-XIAO RONG, NATIONAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS STANDING COMMITTEE
-WU DE, FORMER MAYOR OF BEIJING
-WANG DONGXING, FORMER CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBER
-ZHU SHANQING, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL LIAISON DEPARTMENT, CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY
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-WANG TAIPING, DIRECTOR, "SHIJIE BOLAN" MAGAZINE
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-DENG YANCHANG, VICE PRESIDENT, BEIJING FOREIGN
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3. UNLESS DIRECTED OTHERWISE, WE PLAN TO BEGIN
SENDING OUT INVITATIONS TO THE CHINESE GUESTS ON
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21. PLEASE ADVISE ANY CHANGES,
ADDITIONS, AND SUBTRACTIONS TO THE LIST BY COB MONDAY,
FEBRUARY 20. WE ALSO URGENTLY REQUEST WHITE HOUSE
GUIDANCE ON THE COMPOSITION OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY AND
SUPPORT STAFF (WE CURRENTLY ANTICIPATE APPROXIMATELY
125), AS WELL AS OTHER AMERICAN GUESTS AND MEMBERS OF
THE PRESS FROM WASHINGTON WHO SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN
THE GUEST LIST. LORD

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