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Arrival
Wednesday, July 12

Partial Release
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U.S. Attendees: Entire Delegation

Chinese Attendees: TBD

Background:

You will arrive at the VIP arrival annex of Beijing's Capital Airport. Upon deplaning, you will be greeted by General Xiong Guangkai and your PLA escort officer MG Zhan Maohai, Director of the Foreign Affairs Office, Ministry of National Defense, Ambassador Prueher, and (b)(6) and then immediately guided to a vehicle en route via motorcade to the St. Regis Hotel. If indeed Gen XIONG does greet you upon arrival, you may be led into a reception room for brief pleasantries before proceeding to the hotel. Ambassador Prueher and (b)(6) will likely accompany you in the vehicle.

The 30-minute drive from the airport to St. Regis Hotel will allow the ambassador (b)(6) to provide you an orientation for this visit to China. Ambassador Prueher has been Ambassador since December 1999.

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