The Secretary of State presents his compliments to Their Excellencies and Messieurs and Mesdames the Chiefs of Mission and has the honor to refer to the Executive Order of April 11, 1990, issued by George Bush, President of the United States of America. The Executive Order regulates the immigration status of nationals of the People's Republic of China present in the United States as of April 11, 1990. Among other things, it directs that no enforced departure of such PRC nationals will occur before January 1, 1994.

For humanitarian reasons, the Executive Order also directs the Secretary of State and Attorney General to "take all steps necessary with respect to such PRC nationals (a) to waive through January 31, 1994, the requirement of a valid passport and (b) to process and provide necessary documents, both within the United States and at U.S. consulates overseas, to facilitate travel across the borders of other nations and reentry into the United States in the same status such PRC nationals had upon departure."

The United States Immigration and Naturalization Service now issues to PRC nationals in the United States, who fall under the order and who request it, authorization for advance parole (Form I-512), which is annotated in the following manner: "The holder of this document will be readmitted under the President's Executive Order 12711 of April 11, 1990." A sample of the I-512 is attached.

The Government of the United States requests the Governments to whom this note is addressed to give due consideration to the circumstances of such PRC nationals who, in some instances, may be unable to obtain valid PRC passports or other travel documents, and to permit such PRC nationals to enter their territories temporarily on the basis of the Form I-512, provided such PRC nationals are otherwise admissible.

Enclosures:

Executive Order of April 11, 1990

Sample Form I-512, Authorization for Advance Parole

Department of State,

Washington,

June 1, 1990

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

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POLICY IMPLEMENTATION WITH RESPECT TO NATIONALS OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

By the authority vested in Ma as President by the Constitution and laws of the United States of America, the Attorney General and the Secretary of State are hereby ordered to exercise their authority, including that under the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101-1557), as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. The Attorney deneral is directed to take any steps necessary to defer until January 1, 1994, the enforced departure of all nationals of the People's Republic of China (PRC) and their dependents who were in the United States on or after June 5, 1989, up to and including the date of this order = (hereinefter "such PRC nationals").

- <u>Sec. 2</u>. The Secretary of State and the Attorney General are directed to take all steps necessary with respect to <u>such</u> PRC nationals (a) to waive through January 1, 1994, the requirement of a valid passport and (b) to process and provide necessary documents, both within the United States and at U.S. consulates oversess, to facilitate travel across the borders of other nations and reentry into the United States in the same status such PRC nationals had upon departure.
- <u>Sec. 1</u>. The Secretary of State and the Attorney General are directed to provide the following protections:
- (a) irrevocable waiver of the 2-year home country residence requirement that may be exercised until January 1, 1994, for such PRC nationals:
- (b) maintenance of lawful status for purposes of adjustment of status or change of nonlamigrant status for such PRC nationals who were in lawful status at any time on or after June 5, 1969, up to and including the date of this order;

(C) authorization for employment of such PRC nationals through January 1, 1994; and

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- ' (d) notice of expiration of nonimmigrant status (if applicable) rather than the institution of deportation proceedings, and explanation of options available for such PRC nationals eligible for deferral of enforced departure whose nonimmigrant status has expired.
- Rec. i. The Secretary of State and the Attorney General are directed to provide for enhanced consideration under the immigration laws for individuals from any country who express a fear of persecution upon return to their country related to that country's policy of forced abortion or coerced sterilization, as implemented by the Attorney General's regulation effective January 29, 1990.
- <u>Sec. 5.</u> The Attorney General is directed to ensure that the Ismigration and Naturalisation Service finalizes and makes public its position on the issue of training for individuals in F-1 visa status and on the issue of reinstatement into lawful nonimmigrant status of such PRC nationals who have withdrawn their applications for saylus.
- <u>Rec. 6.</u> The Departments of Justice and State are directed to consider other steps to assist such PRC nationals in their efforts to utilize the protections that I have extended pursuant to this order.

Sec. 7. This order shall be effective immediately.

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THE WRITE HOUSE,

April 11, 1990.

U.S. Department of Justice Immigration and Naturalization Service

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