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Please incorporate below (with my comments) in your scenario, as discussed.

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From: Mitchell, James -TAPEI -GR
Sent: September 5, 2001 9:13 AM
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Weldon --- please pass on to HOM for review. Report already sent.

Important points for Shun Ye meeting, Sept. 5

The exhibit has been an outstanding success so far, with great press coverage.
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The exhibit has highlighted the strong, historic ties between Canada and the Taiwanese people, focussing on the rich heritage of Taiwan's aboriginal cultures.

It has also showcased Shun Ye's professional facilities and curatorial team, and laid the ground work for future cooperation.

CTOT will support an "open house" for academics to see the artefacts up close at the end of the exhibit.

RESPONSIVE ONLY (subject of our working meeting with Shun Ye):

CTOT supports continued touring of McKay exhibit in Taiwan, as long as Shun Ye can demonstrate effective control and progress in securing other venues.

We are in discussion with the ROM regarding this question - while some at ROM have expressed doubts as to future tour dates, we believe that ROM management is open to further discussion on this issue.

That is why CTOT believes that it would be detrimental to Shun Ye's interest for this issue to be discussed with the media at this time.

CTOT will remain in close touch with Shun Ye to do what we can to resolve this and other outstanding issues with ROM.