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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE STEVE SYMMS

SUBJECT: FOLLOW-UP TO HIS MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT
CONCERNING RAISING THE LEVEL OF U.S.
DIPLOMACY WITH TAIWAN

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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 1, 1992

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President,

Many thanks for taking the time to meet with me to discuss raising the level of diplomacy with the Republic of China on Taiwan.

We should start the policy that rewards Taiwan's efforts and accomplishments on democratic reform and political liberalization. An upgrade of diplomatic exchanges would be a good start.

This could include a relaxation of restrictions of high-level visits from the United States, or allowing office calls at the State Department and the White House (ie. Vice President Quayle or Secretary Baker to Taiwan). A more low-profile reward can be allowing CCNAA officials to hold diplomatic license plates, or including the CCNAA representative in the State Department functions for the diplomatic corps.

This is important, not only because it is the right thing, but also because it will gain the respect of the PRC, and will encourage them to be more sensitive to human rights and personal property rights. Another important factor is that it could be beneficial with the Asian-American vote in the upcoming election, not to mention will guarantee MFN for PRC--

Thanking you, I am

With respect,
Yours for a free sociey,

Steve Symms

STEVE SYMMS
United States Senator

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P.S. Many thanks for the tour of your quarters - that was a first and a real treat -