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Dear Mr. Ouyang:

Thank you for your very kind invitation to participate in the TECRO-AIT Joint Standing Committee Annual Meeting to be hosted by the Atomic Energy Council in October 2007 in Taiwan. I appreciated the opportunity to participate in the annual conference in the past and hope to do so in the future. Regretfully, I must decline your invitation to participate this year. I have prior commitments during this period. However, I have asked Paul Dickman, my Chief of Staff and Executive Assistant, to attend instead.

I look forward to further opportunities to gain and renew acquaintances and discuss issues of mutual interest with my colleagues at the Atomic Energy Council, Institute of Nuclear Energy Research, National Central University, and the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office.

I wish you much success with this year's conference and hope that you will think of me again in the scheduling of future meetings. Please accept my very best regards.

Sincerely,

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Dale E. Klein