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A reliable source has advised that on April 19, 1973 Mr. Dean SAUNDERS and Mr. SHEN, Shing-Ping, both of Oklahoma, advised that they would visit commercial representatives of the People's Republic of China (P.R.C.) Embassy in Ottawa on April 26. According to source, the Embassy representatives were interested in petroleum coke of Canoco (ph) Co. in Texas and telephone equipment and technology of the Company that SHEN is employed with. Source learned that SHEN would bring the desired information to the Embassy.

- 2. Source later learned that SHEN and SAUNDERS arrived in Ottawa on April 25 and arranged to visit the Embassy on April 26. According to source, SHEN had brought some material for the Embassy officials perusal, however, SHEN would have to return same.
- Source stated that on April 27, SHEN and an Embassy official discussed the Western Electronic Co., U.S.A. (place unknown) which is interested in doing business with the P.R.C. Source advised that SHEN had been requested by the Embassy official to prepare information on the comparison of products, quantities, etc.

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- would visit the Embassy on 4 May 73 to discuss a visa. Source learned that HERSHEY had indicated to Embassy Officials that he had been born in the P.R.C. and that he was a good friend of the Chinese people.

## 26 April 73

- Dudley H. TOWNE, Professor Physics, Amhurst, Mass. visa enquiry
- Mr. Harrison FOREMAN, New York, N.Y. had been advised that permission had been received for his daughter to visit the P.R.C.
- Jan BARRIS of the U.S.-China Committee New York would forward to the Embassy, the list of names for the second delegation to visit the P.R.C. in June 1973.
- Dr. (fnu) SCHAEFFER of California State College, Northridge, California enquiry regarding a delegation's visit to the P.R.C.
- Marshal KAPLAN, New School of Social Research, New York had visas granted for himself and his wife to visit the P.R.C. KAPLAN would be visiting Frank COE and Soloman ADLER presumably in the P.R.C. KAPLAN had discussed his schedule with COE and COE would be away at the end of May 1973 and ADLER would be there for several months. KAPLAN therefore wished to visit the P.R.C. in September, 1973.
- Source learned that Elaine BROWN of Oakland, California had received a letter from WU Chun (Attache of P.R.C. Embassy) and that BROWN had replied.