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From:

Sent:

Lucoral Co. Inc. The Monday, March 22, 2010 2:22 PM

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Cc: Subject: flora lu from Flora Lu



My name is Flora Lu, I'm a US citizen of Taiwanese descent. I immigrated to Hawaii from Taiwan 28 years ago. I am the business owner of Lucoral Co. Inc., which is a jewelry wholesale company, and the Lucoral Museum, a privately owned gemstone museum, both located in Waikiki. The Lucoral Museum is open to school kids for tours.

My home in Taiwan was part of an island group named the Pescadores, located on the Taiwan Strait. Every 5 minutes a plane would fly over our island. It is very important for Taiwan to participate in the International Civil Aviation Organization. Taiwan is a key air transport hub linking Northeast and Southeast Asia. More than 1 million flights carrying over 40 million passengers and 1.5 metric tons of cargo, pass through Taiwan each year.

Thank you,

Flora Lu

tokioka1-Elijah

From:

Monday, March 22, 2010 5:19 PM

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LATE TESTIMONY

Testimony for HCR 242/HR170 Urging the United Nations to grant Taiwan meaningful participation in the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

My name is Kou-Chien Liu, I'm the General Manager of China-Airlines Honolulu branch office, China Airlines providr services to 88 cities in 28 countries around the world not only America and Asia, we also fly to Europe and Oceania, we provide daily services from Taipei to Honolulu; Los Angeles; San Francisco; New York, we are member of IATA (International Air Transportation Association) which is very similar organization as ICAO.

Since ICAO is a United Nations specialized agency that aims to develop the principles and techniques of international air navigation, as well as the planning and development of international air transport, for China Airlines an International Airlines operator we urge Taiwan should be part in relevant meetings, mechanisms and activities with ICAO to ensure the seamless link in the global aviation system.