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2011 AIAG Auto Parts Purchasing Leadership and Suppliers Forum (DRAFT)
Friday, Sept. 9, 2011, Radisson Blu Hotel Beijing, A #6, North 3rd Ring Rd. Beijing, China
(the hotel is next to the Exhibition Center)

8:45am Welcome and Opening Remarks (Scot Sharland)

8:50am Panel I. Automotive OEM's requirement and message to suppliers

Speakers: OEM Purchasing VP and directors

The following executives are invited to be the speakers:

Johnny Saldanha, Purchasing VP of General Motors International Operation;

Jeff Wellman, Executive Director, Ford Asia;

Scott Stryker, Vice President, International Purchasing, Supplier Quality, Chrysler;

Jack Cheng, Purchasing VP, Fiat China

10:00am Questions & Answers

10:30am Refreshment Break

10:45am Panel II. Experience and Lessons of Chinese auto suppliers

Speakers: Tier 1 and Chinese suppliers

The following executives are invited to be the speakers:

Luke Van Dongen, Director of Purchasing, Global Supplier Development, TRW;

Arvind Sharma, Executive Director Purchasing of Lear APO;

Mechelle Du, Executive Director of Magna Asia;

Puillippe Thegner, Purchasing Director, East Asia, Federal Mogul;

12:00am Questions & Answers

12:30pm Luncheon

13:30pm Afternoon session: Investment, import and export opportunities in US to Chinese auto suppliers

Chinese Ministry of Commerce Representative Speech;

US DOC Representative Speech;

13:50pm Panel III. Round-table: Detroit Motor City Region - Opportunities to Chinese automotive OEM and suppliers

The following are invited to participate the panel discussion:

Robert Ficano, Wayne County Executive, Michigan;

Brooks Pattson, Oakland County Executive, Michigan;

Michael Finney, President and CEO of the Michigan Economic Development Corporation (MEDC);

Bernard Pekor, Director, New Markets & Asia, Detroit Regional Chamber,

Kenneth Rogers, Executive Director, Automation Alley;

Eve Lerman, Sr. International Trade Specialist, automotive team, US Commercial Service, US DOC).

16:00pm Closing Remarks by Scot Sharland, CEO of AIAG.

16:05pm Refreshment and Networking

Evening time: reserved for those want to continue their networking and match making...

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