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MEDIA ADVISORY

Tucson Only Stop In Western States

China's Tibetan Delegation, Chinese Consulate General's Office Honored at Tucson Chinese Center Welcoming Ceremony

WHEN: Thursday, November 15, 5:30 p.m.

WHERE: Tucson Chinese Cultural Center
1288 West River Road, Tucson
(520) 292-6900/ www.tucsonchinese.org

WHAT: China's Tibetan Studies Delegation Reception

WHY: The six member delegation of Tibetologists and Rinpoche will be welcomed to Tucson for their only official stop in the western states before heading to New York and Chicago. Representatives from some of Tibet's leading research centers, a living Buddha and two members of the Chinese Consulate General's office in Los Angeles will be in attendance.

The delegation is in town to present their latest research findings on Buddhism and Tibetan medicine at the University of Arizona.

WHO: Delegation members:

- **An Caidan**, China Tibetan Studies Research Center
- **Ciren Jiabu**, Tibet Academy of Social Sciences
- **Guo Mangcang**, living Buddha and professor at Gansu Province Buddhist Studies College (Eminent Tibetan monks who distinguished themselves in the practice of Buddhism were referred to as living Buddhas.)
- **Luosang Luobu**, Tibet Autonomous Region Traditional Tibetan Medicine Hospital
- **Leifen Wu**, China International Culture Association
- **Juan Sun**, Interpreter, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, China

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