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SUGGEST YOU MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO RETAIN FLEXIBILITY REGARDING
AGENDA UNTIL COMMISSION BEGINS MEETING ON MAY 6. IT IS OUR
RECOMMENDATION THAT THE AGENDA INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

(1) REPORT OF AD HOC COMMITTEE REGARDING TRANSITIONAL PLANNING
(2) RESPONSE BY COMMISSION TO U.S. PHASE II PROPOSAL (3) GENERAL
DISCUSSION OF DRAFT STATUS AGREEMENT (4) U.S. LAND REQUIREMENTS
AND (5) APPLICABILITY OF LAW PROBLEMS INCLUDING IMMIGRATION.

AM NOT COMMITTED TO ANY PARTICULAR ORDER OF AGENDA ITEMS SO
LONG AS ALL MAJOR ITEMS ARE REACHED DURING THE NEGOTIATIONS.

IF AGREEMENT IS REACHED ON MAJOR ITEMS I BELIEVE THAT THREE

OR FOUR MONTHS OF INTENSIVE WORK BY LAWYERS REPRESENTING BOTH
PARTIES WILL BE NECESSARY TO ARRIVE AT A STATUS AGREEMENT WHICH
CAN BE PRESENTED TO THE PRINCIPALS FOR REVIEW AND HOPEFULLY
SIGNATURE LATER THIS YEAR.

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