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To: Commercial Intelligence Division.
Automotive Division.

From: Shanghai Office.

Subject: Motor Vehicles - Importers and Dealers.

We have just received copy of a report entitled "Motor Vehicles - Importers and Dealers" (Department of Commerce File No. FE 13,178), prepared by J. Ernest Black, American Vice-Consul, under date of February 13, 1931.

There are so many glaring errors in this report that it is requested that the Bureau hold up publication of it until suitable corrections may be received by mail from our own office.

Without any idea at this moment of criticising the work of the Consulate, we feel it is inadvisable for the Department of Commerce to publish information that is so misleading as that carried in this particular report. As the mail is closing today we are sending this letter forth with the idea that the Bureau will hold up the publication of this list until our own office has an opportunity to prepare a detailed memorandum giving corrections.

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