



# Nuts are killing Taiwan's people

TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP) — Lu Toh peels off a bandage on his inner thigh and shows a credit card-sized black scab. Doctors cut out a patch of skin from the spot to repair damage caused by cancer that was eating a hole through his cheek.

The 49-year-old engineer knows oral cancer didn't single him out randomly. Like many other Taiwanese, he invited the disease by chewing little green betel nuts sold at roadside stalls across this island.

"I wish I'd never started chewing it," Lu says, shaking his head slowly. "I really regret it."

Although many consider betel to be a national symbol and a harmless natural stimulant, the olive-size nuts are the target of a new campaign that claims they are killing Taiwan's people and damaging the environment.

But efforts to discourage betel chewing traditionally hits stiff resistance on Taiwan, where the government says the nuts are the No. 2 cash crop and where one of every nine people enjoys munching them.

Betel nuts, known as "Taiwanese chewing gum," are usually sprinkled with spices and other flavorings, served with a wedge of pepper or wrapped in a leaf, then sold at roadside drive-up stalls islandwide. They taste like a cross between black licorice and cheap toothpaste.

Women clad in miniskirts and bikini tops are often used at the stands to attract customers, mostly taxi drivers and other blue-collar workers who chew the nuts like tobacco or snuff and claim they provide a mild buzz.

Habitual chewers can be spotted by teeth and lips stained red by betel juice, which some people spit on sidewalks and floors, leaving splotches that are difficult to remove.

When Lu started chewing betel 20 years ago, he said he had no idea it could cause cancer. The popular belief was the

## LEGAL NOTICE

On June 21, 2000, KGLX/KFMQ/KFXR L.L.C., the licensee of Radio Station KGLX(FM), 99.1 mHz, Gallup, New Mexico, filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission for consent to the assignment of KGLX(FM) to Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.

The sole member of KGLX is Roberts Radio Borrower L.L.C. ("Borrower"). The sole member of Borrower is Roberts Radio L.L.C. The officers, directors and attributable members of Roberts Radio L.L.C. are Robert Pittman, Robert Sherman, Brendan Gleeson, Mark Mitzner, Robert Millard, Mayo Stuntz, Jr., Oded Aboodi, Bruce Greenwald, Lisa Hook, Alpine Ration L.L.C., QMI Alpine L.L.C., and Sherman Communications, Inc.

Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc., is a direct, wholly-owned subsidiary of Clear Channel Holdings, Inc., which, in turn, is a direct, wholly-owned subsidiary of Clear Channel Communications, Inc. The individuals who serve as officers and directors of one or more of these entities are L. Lowry Mays, Mark Mays, Randall Mays, Herbert Hill, Jr., Kenneth Wyker, Jerome Kersting, Demetra Koelling, Robert Lawrence, Randy Michaels, Deborah Williams, David Wilson, Richard Wolf, B.J. McCombs, Alan Feld, Karl Eller, Roger parry, Ripperton Riordan, Paul Meyer, Kathryn Johnson, Julianna Hill, Susan Ross, Mark Hubbard, Theodoer Strauss, and John Williams.

A copy of the application is on file for public inspection during regular business hours at 1632 South 2nd St., Gallup, NM. Legal #1241 Published in The Independent July 6, 8, 11 & 15, 2000.

## LEGAL NOTICE Gallup McKinley County New Mexico

### TEXT OF LOCAL PUBLIC NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT OF KFMQ(FM)

On June 21, 2000, KGLX/KFMQ/KFXR L.L.C. ("KGLX"), the licensee of Radio Station KFMQ(FM), 106.1 mHz, Gallup, New Mexico, filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission for consent to the assignment of KFMQ(FM) to Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.

The sole member of KGLX is Roberts Radio Borrower L.L.C. ("Borrower"). The sole member of Borrower is Roberts Radio L.L.C. ("Roberts"). The officers, directors and attributable members of Roberts are Robert Pittman, Robert Sherman, Brendan Gleeson, Mark Mitzner, Robert Millard, Mayo Stuntz, Jr., Oded Aboodi, Bruce Greenwald, Lisa Hook, Alpine Ration L.L.C., QMI Alpine L.L.C., and Sherman Communications, Inc.

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## LEGAL NOTICE Gallup McKinley County New Mexico

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Monthly Dead Pawn Sale

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

**Joe Miles TRADING CO.**  
★ CASH PAWN  
17 Miles South of Gallup on Hwy. 602  
NM (505) 778-5531 (We hold your pawn for 12 mo.)

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Payment in full must be made in cash or by cashiers check immediately after the bid has been accepted. If no person offers the minimum price as determined by the Audit and Compliance Division Director or Delegate, the property will not be sold but will be re-advertised for sale at a later time. This property may be redeemed before the sale in accordance with 3 NMAC Section 7-1-47 NMSA 1978. Legal #1255 Published in The Independent July 11, 18 & 25, 2000.

## LEGAL NOTICE Gallup McKinley County New Mexico

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN as required by 7-1-42 NMSA 1978 that the property described herein will be sold at 501 Patton Dr. Gallup, NM beginning at (1:00 p.m., August 4, 2000).

Office Equipment, Exercise Equipment and Miscellaneous items

The property may be inspected on the date of the auction from 11:00am until 12:00pm).

Payment in full must be made in cash or by cashiers check immediately after the bid has been accepted. If no person offers the minimum price as determined by the Audit and Compliance Division Director or Delegate, the property will not be sold but will be re-advertised for sale at a later time. This property may be redeemed before the sale in accordance with 3 NMAC Section 7-1-47 NMSA 1978. Legal #1254 Published in The Independent July 11, 18 & 25, 2000.

## LEGAL NOTICE Kayenta Apache County Arizona

### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS (Open Bidding with Indian Preference) The Tohdenashai Committee Against Family Abuse, Inc. (TCAFA) (herein after, "the owner") will receive bids for construction of an administration building (4,430 square feet) and 20 units of emergency and transitional housing (8,808 square feet). The project sites is in Kayenta, Navajo Nation, Arizona.

Bidding: Bids will be accepted until 3:00 pm Mountain Daylight Savings Time (MDST) on the 19th day of July 2000 (at which time the bids will be opened, read aloud and recorded). Bids received after this time will not be accepted. No fax bids allowed. Bid opening: Bid opening will be at the following location:

The Hampton Inn  
Highway 160  
Kayenta, AZ 86033

Bidders Pre qualification Submittal: Both Indian and Non-Indian Contractors must submit to the owner a Bidders Pre-qualification Application form, which is available from the owner. This information must be submitted prior to the Bid Opening no later than 5:00 PM July 12, 2000. It has been determined that this project is subject to Section 7 (b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act and HUD requirements set forth at 24 CFR 1000.48, 1000.50 and 1000.52.

1. Bids are invited from non-Indian, as well as qualified Indian-owned economic enterprises or organization.  
2. Indian enterprises or Indian organization must pre-qualify for Indian preference by first submitting evidence of Indian ownership and control. The Owner will review Indian enterprises and organizations purporting to be Indian firms to determine if those firms both qualify for In-

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## LEGAL NOTICE

Octavia Fellin Public Library  
115 West Hill Avenue  
Gallup, New Mexico 87301  
Monday through Thursday from 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM, Friday and Saturday from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

To obtain a copy of the draft Permit or any part thereof, at 35 cents per page, please contact Mr. Dave Cobrain at the above Santa Fe address or call (505) 827-1561 extension 1073.

Any person who wishes to comment on the draft Permit or to request a public hearing should submit written comments and requests, along with the commentator's name and address, to the Santa Fe address listed above. Requests for a public hearing shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing and the name and address of the commentator. The public comment period has been extended so that all comments and/or requests received on or before August 1, 2000 will be considered. The NMED will provide a thirty (30) day notice of a public hearing, if scheduled.

The NMED must ensure that the approved draft Permit is consistent with the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulations for Permits. All written comments submitted on the draft Permit will be considered if formulating a final decision and may cause the draft Permit to be modified. The NMED will notify Giant Refining company, and each person who submitted a written comment during the public comment period of the final decision.

After consideration of all written public comments received, the NMED will issue, or modify and issue the Land Treatment Unit Post-closure Care Permit. If the NMED modifies and issues the Permit, Giant Refining Company shall be provided by mail a detailed written statement of reasons for the modification. A copy of the modified Permit will be mailed to Giant Refining Company. Legal #1235 Published in The Independent July 11, 2000.

## LEGAL NOTICE Santa Fe County New Mexico

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING FOR THE NORTHERN AREA LOCAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Mr. Sam Carr, Chairman, Northern Workforce Development Board, has announced a meeting of the Northern Board to be held on July 19, 2000 at 1:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Workforce Training Center, 801 University S.E., rotunda Room, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

## AGENDA

- Call Meeting to Order
- Roll Call
- Review/Approval of Agenda
- Review/Approval of Minutes
- Chairman Report and Announcements
- Committee Reports
- Planning
- Monitoring Performance
- Stakeholders
- Community Development
- Agency Coordination
- Rules
- Youth Council
- Budget
- Transitional Staff Reports
- Informational Items
- New Business
- Adjourn

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## 04. Help Wanted

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CDL Class A Training  
Rocky Mtn Truck Driving School  
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3328 E. Hwy 66 Gallup 863-4834

Class A-CDL drivers needed. Must have 'tanker' and 'az-mat' endorsements and be at least 25 years old. Current MVD printout of an insurable driving record and current medical card needed with application. Apply at Gallup Sand & Gravel office or call 863-3818, ext. 13.

Class A CDL Drivers needed at our Gallup and Farmington terminals. Must be willing to work rotating shifts, nights, weekends, and have 2 years experience SIGN ON BONUS 28 CENTS PER MILE Paid holidays, and vacations. Medical and dental available. Apply between 8am-5pm Monday-Friday at Gallup Transportation #43 CR 6700 Waterflow NM 87420, or call 1-888-460-7468

Help Wanted  
Looking for experienced Sales Person, knowledge in Indian Jewelry. Flexible hours. Please apply at Gilbert Ortega's, 3306 E. Hwy 66. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT  
CHICHILTAH-JONES RANCH COMMUNITY SCHOOL  
P.O. Box 278 Vanderwagen, New Mexico 87326  
Telephone: (505) 778-5574

The Chichiltah-Jones Ranch Community School invites applications for the following positions for the 2000-2001 School Year.

CERTIFIED:  
1-Elementary Teacher (Requires NM State Teacher Certification W/ Math Endorsement)  
1-School Librarian (Requires NM State

## 04. Help Wanted

Waiter/Waitress  
Miki's Restaurant  
2003 W. Hwy. 66  
Nexy to Roseway Inn

Wanted-Experienced Silversmiths in-shop and homework. Must have own tools. Apply in person, 400 E. Highway 66.

## 05. Situations Wanted

Volunteer host families needed for high school exchange students. Students speak fluent English, have spending money, insurance and are thoroughly screened. Call toll free 1-877-310-0220.

## 13. Misc. for Sale

Carpet Warehouse  
Behind R.E.A.  
Allan George Enterprises  
— Cash & Carry —  
\$5.49 to \$6.95 yd. \$13.49 installed with pad several colors to choose from MC-Visa. Call 505-722-9316

Farm Equipment For Sale  
Two horse trailer \$900  
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Information call 863-3965

Many odds and ends, but am too farout for garage sale. Anyone interested in buying the whole lot for your own sale? 505-778-5120 leave message

## 23. Rentals--Fur./Unfur.

1 bdr. apt. for rent \$350/mo., utilities included  
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## 24. Unfurnished Apts.

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Call for info.  
863-5143

1 bedroom Apt, stove & refrig. W/D hookup. Pay own utilities 1 or 2 people. No pets, suitable for adults. Call 863-4265

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# Rehoboth Christian School

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