

SHOOTING THE CLOUDS

China is a country _____ has had many problems with drought in the past. To solve this problem and to help farmers _____ need rain to grow food, they started 'seeding' clouds. Seeding is a process _____ is done by injecting chemicals in the clouds and _____ aim is to cause rain. The chemicals cause raindrops in the clouds to become bigger, so the clouds release them and it rains. The government has got an 'army' of 37.000 people _____ are experts in this technology. These people go around the country and cause rain in places _____ people need it. The Chinese used the same technology to prevent the rain before the Beijing Summer Olympics in August 2008. August is a month _____ it frequently rains in Beijing. The Chinese didn't want the weather to ruin an event _____ could make a lot of money for their country. So they decided to seed any rain clouds _____ came near the city, but this time, they used chemicals _____ made the raindrops smaller and prevented rain.