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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I transmit herewith a letter addressed to you from the President concerning your authority with respect to the U. S. High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

While the President was considering this letter he also read Mr. Carver's report on the poliomyelitis epidemic in the Trust Territory. He dictated a memorandum which you will receive shortly. I thought it would help if I also enclosed a copy of the report he refers to.

Sincerely,

Michael V. Forrestal

The Honorable Stewart L. Udall
Secretary of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.