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Hon. William R. Norwood
High Commissioner of the Trust Territory
of the Pacific Islands
Saipan, Mariana Islands 96950

Dear Mr. Norwood:

Judge Shriver has written to tell us of the proposed visit to Guam and the Trust Territory in late October of Judge and Mrs. Chambers of San Francisco. Very likely you are aware of this fact from Judge Furber (to whom I am sending a copy of this letter), but in the unlikely event that Judge Furber has been away and has not learned of it, or in the more likely event that he has been away and thus unable to communicate it to you, I did want to alert you to the fact.

Judge Chambers (the Honorable Richard H. Chambers) is the Chief Judge of the U. S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. As such he has responsibilities with respect to appeals from the District Court of Guam, and would have responsibilities for Trust Territory appeals were we to succeed in our legislative efforts to provide for such appeals (to the Guam Court and then to the Ninth Circuit). He is, in short, not only a jurist of distinction, but also one who has a potential very direct concern with the Trust Territory.

I understand that he expects to arrive in Guam on October 21 and that he hopes subsequently to visit Saipan, Palau, and Truk. I have no doubt that you will provide suitably for him and his wife, and very likely you have already made plans to do so.

Sincerely yours,

(Sgd.) Mrs. Ruth G. Van Cleve

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Director

cc: Judge Furber

Judge Shriver

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