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REVISED MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE HIGH COMMISSIONER OF THE TRUST
TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS AND THE
DIRECTOR OF THE PEACE CORPS CONCERNING PEACE
CORPS OPERATIONS IN THE TRUST TERRITORY

memorandum of understanding also defined the respective authorities and responsibilities of the Trust Territory Administration and the Peace Corps with respect to the Peace Corps program in Micronesia.

Experience under the 1966 memorandum of understanding suggests that its revision at this time is appropriate.

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order that Volunteers assigned to Micronesia make the maximum contribution to its development, an orderly working relationship between the Trust Territory Administration, the Peace Corps, and the people of Micronesia must be maintained. It is therefore understood and agreed that:~~

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1. All Trust Territory Administration personnel and Peace Corps staff personnel in Micronesia will make every effort to achieve the smoothest possible coordination and cooperation ^(in areas of mutual concern). The Director of Peace Corps/Micronesia or his representative will regularly attend cabinet meetings held by the High Commissioner and ~~the~~ similar ^{consultative} relationships will be maintained between District Trust Territory Administrative personnel and District Peace Corps Staff personnel. ^{All Trust Terr Admin} ~~Such~~ ^(and P-C staff personnel in Micronesia) personnel will together ensure that the people of Micronesia, through their elected representatives, are consulted ~~in all~~ matters relating to the presence and activities of Volunteers

in Micronesia.

2. Recognizing the High Commissioner's responsibility for administration and coordination of governmental and developmental activities within the Trust Territory, and the interest of the Micronesian people in such activities, the Peace Corps will obtain the prior consent of the High Commissioner and, with the Trust Territory Administration, will obtain ^{the} concurrence of the ~~elected representatives of the~~ Micronesian ~~people~~, with respect to the developmental activities in which Volunteers will be engaged, the number of Volunteers to be assigned to Micronesia, and the allocation of such Volunteers ~~in Micronesia.~~

~~as the limitation of Peace Corps' resources and its own internal~~

~~considerations.~~ (B) It will be the combined responsibility of the elected representatives of the people of Micronesia, the Trust Territory Administration, and ^{the} Peace Corps ~~to~~ keep the people of Micronesia ^{fully} informed of ~~the~~ Peace Corps activities, ~~in the Trust Territory.~~

3. All Volunteers shall ~~be assigned a supervisor, either~~ Micronesian or ~~non-Micronesian, identified in the job description~~ and approved in the programming ~~packages, who may be~~ ^{sector. (C)} ~~Territory employee, a representative of the legislative branch~~ or ~~a person in the private sector.~~ ~~On the job supervision shall be provided while acknowledging the multiple role of the Volunteer as described in the three purposes of the Peace Corps Act.~~

4. Trust Territory Administration personnel and private Micronesian citizens will participate in the training of Volunteers to be assigned to Micronesia, so that Volunteers may become fully acquainted during training with the status and processes of government in Micronesia, the development plans and activities of the Trust Territory Administration, and the cultures and languages of Micronesia.

D ~~5. Peace Corps Staff assignments, reassignments or transfers are made at the discretion of the Peace Corps, however, should the High Commissioner conclude, after full consultation with the Peace Corps Director in Micronesia, that the continuing presence in Micronesia of any Volunteer or Peace Corps staff member is inimical to the best interests of Micronesia, the United States, or the Peace Corps, he will direct the Volunteer or staff member to leave Micronesia promptly. Should the Volunteer or staff member fail to do so, the Peace Corps will terminate the service of the Volunteer or staff member.~~

6. The Peace Corps will bear, in accordance with its general policies and regulations, the costs of recruiting, selecting, training, transporting to and from Micronesia, and living and related allowances for Volunteers assigned to Micronesia. The Trust Territory Administration will provide

supplies and equipment required by Volunteers in their mutually approved assignments.

7. Specific arrangements for implementing this revised memorandum of understanding will be made by the High Commissioner and the Peace Corps Director in Micronesia.

Date

High Commissioner
Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands

Date

Director
Peace Corps