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UNCLAS (SECTION I OF ITI)  
(TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL RECOMMENDATION)

SAIPAN JUNE (MNS) - ACCORDING TO A REPORT FROM THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, THE UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL'S DRAFTING COMMITTEE ON THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS HAS RECOMMENDED AGAINST IMMEDIATE SEPARATION OF THE MARIANA ISLANDS DISTRICT FROM THE REST OF THE TRUST TERRITORY.

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THE RECOMMENDATION WAS MADE ON THE BASIS OF THE COUNCIL'S DISCUSSION OF A FEBRUARY 19 RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE MARIANAS DISTRICT LEGISLATURE, SAYING THAT THE DISTRICT WOULD SECEDE FROM THE TRUST TERRITORY BY FORCE OF ARMS IF NECESSARY, AND WITH OR WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS. THE RESOLUTION WAS SUPPORTED IN TESTIMONY GIVEN TO THE COUNCIL LAST MONTH IN NEW YORK BY A MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE, DANIEL MUNA.

THE DRAFTING COMMITTEE, COMPOSED OF GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE,

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IS DRAWING UP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL TO PRESENT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL, WHICH HAS ULTIMATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS IN DEALING WITH THE PACIFIC ISLANDS TRUST. (PONAPE TOURIST COMMISSION)

PONAPE JUNE 17 (MNS) -- DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR BOYD MACKENZIE SIGNED INTO LAW WEDNESDAY (JUNE 16) AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PONAPE DISTRICT TOURIST COMMISSION.

THE LAW WAS PASSED BY THE PONAPE DISTRICT LEGISLATURE DURING ITS SEVENTH REGULAR SESSION.

THE COMMISSION WILL CONSIST OF FIVE MEMBERS APPOINTED BY DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR MACKENZIE WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE LEGISLATURE. THE COMMISSION WILL HAVE BROAD POWERS TO PLAN AND PROGRAM TOURIST DEVELOPMENT IN PONAPE.

FIVE DISTRICTS -- MARIANAS, PALAU, YAP, MARSHALLS AND PONAPE -- HOW HAVE TOURIST COMMISSIONS.

MEANWHILE, THE TRUST TERRITORY RECORDED SOME 26,700 TOURISTS DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1970.

THE DEPARTMENT OF RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE OF TOURISM SAID THE TOTAL WAS AN APPROXIMATE 30 PERCENT INCREASE OVER THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 1969.

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DIRECT TOURIST EXPENDITURES IN MICRONESIA IN CALENDAR 1970 AMOUNTED TO ABOUT \$2.2 MILLION.

U.S. VISITOR ENTRIES REMAINED ABOUT 60 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL, WHILE JAPANESE ENTRIES REMAINED ABOUT 25 PERCENT.

THE MARIANAS LED THE OTHER DISTRICTS WITH THE MOST VISITORS WITH 19,428 FOLLOWED BY PALAU, 1,950; PONAPE, 1,460; YAP, 1,427.

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MARSHALLS, 1,246 AND TRUK, 1,227.  
(PALAU LAND REGISTRATION)

PALAU JUNE 18 (MNS)---THE COMPLICATED PROCESS OF INVESTIGATION AND REGISTERING ALL LAND PARCELS IN PALAU DISTRICT HAS BEGUN. LATE LAST MONTH THE KOROR LAND REGISTRATION TEAM COMPLETED ITS INVESTIGATION AND BOUNDARY NEGOTIATIONS ON 21 PARCELS OF LAND IN ILLIL, KEREWEL AND NGESECHEWAS ON ARAKABESANG ISLAND. EARLY IN JUNE, THEY HELD THEIR FIRST PRELIMINARY INQUIRY UNDER THE LAND COMMISSION ACT.

DEPUTY DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR HARUO REMELIUK USED THE OCCASION OF THIS FIRST LAND HEARING IN HIS DISTRICT TO EXPLAIN TO THE PEOPLE THE PURPOSE OF THE LAND COMMISSIONS AND REGISTRATION TEAMS. HE EXPLAINED THAT THE LAND COMMISSION ACT "WILL CONVERT THE PRESENT LAND SYSTEMS TO ONE OF ORDERLY WRITTEN REGISTRATION

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AND RECORDING. THIS WILL NOT AFFECT ANY CUSTOMRY LAND USES OR LAND TENURE PATTERNS. THERE IS PRESENTLY NO OFFICIAL WRITTEN SYSTEMATIC RECORD OF THE STATUS OF EACH PARCEL OF LAND IN THE PALAU DISTRICT," HE SAID, AND THE ACT WILL PROVIDE FOR ONE.

THE DEPUTY DISTAD SAID THE MAJOR INNOVATION OF THE LAND COMMISSION ACT WILL BE THE INTRODUCTION OF THE REGISTRATION OF TITLES. THIS, TOGETHER WITH OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE LAW, WILL PROTECT THE INTERESTS OF EVERY LAND OWNER BY PERMANENTLY ESTABLISHING HIS BOUNDARIES AND HIS TITLE. IT WILL NOT TAKE AWAY ANY RIGHTS THAT LAND OWNERS AT PRESENT ENJOY, AND IT WILL NOT PLACE NEW BURDENS OF ANY KIND UPON THEM. "THE LAND COMMISSION ACT," REMELIUK SAID, " IS INTENDED FOR THE BENEFIT OF LAND OWNERS AND EVERYONE IN LAND DEALINGS."

REMELIUK CONGRATULATED THE MEMBERS OF THE KOROR LAND REGISTRATION TEAM ON ASSUMING THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR CONDUCTING THE INQUIRIES INTO LAND OWNERSHIP. THE TEAM HAS RECENTLY COMPLETED AN INVESTIGATION OF ANOTHER 48 LAND PARCELS IN THE NGESECHEWAS AREA, AND ANOTHER PRELIMINARY INQUIRY IS PLANNED SOON. THUS PALAU DISTRICT HAS JOINED THOSE WHICH ARE CAREFULLY AND SYSTEMATICALLY INVESTIGATING AND REGISTERING ALL OF THEIR

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SAIPAN JUNE 18 (MNS) -- MIKE O'NGAIRIKI (PALAU) AND CYRIL HELENBERGER (PONAPE) HAVE BEEN SELECTED TO ATTEND A TWO WEEK HEALTH AND SOCIAL PLANNING SEMINAR AT THE EAST WEST CENTER HONOLULU HAWAII. THE SEMINAR WILL BEGIN JUNE 21 AND END ON JULY 2.

THE SEMINAR PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR POLICYMAKERS AND

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PLANNING PRACTITIONERS FROM ASIA AND AND PACIFIC ISLAND COUNTRIES TO EXCHANGE IDEAS AND SHARE COMMON PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN PLANNING. THE SPECIFIC OBJECTIVE OF THE PROJECT IS TO FAMILIARIZE PLANNING PRACTITIONERS WITH THE FUNDAMENTAL ELEMENTS OF PLANNING, TECHNIQUES OF TEACHING AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS.

AREAS FOR CONSIDERATION IN THIS SEMINAR INCLUDE:  
APPROACHING AND IDENTIFYING PROBLEMS AND HOW TO COPE WITH THEM;

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WAYS OF COLLECTING INFORMATION SYSTEMATICALLY TO BE USED IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PLANNING;

CONSIDERING ECONOMIC FACTORS THAT HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH HEALTH AND SOCIAL PLANNING SUCH AS SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAMS, AND ROAD CONSTRUCTION;

AND FINALLY, AN ORIENTATION INTO CULTURAL AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS THAT INFLUENCE AND DETERMINE THE ROLE OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL PLANNING SERVICES IN DIFFERENT CULTURES OF THE WORLD, SUCH AS FAMILY PLANNING.

THE SEMINAR WILL BE A LEARNING SITUATION WHERE WAYS OF IMPROVING METHODS AND OBJECTIVES ARE EXPLORED.

(NOTE TO EDITORS AND NEWS DIRECTORS: ON JUNE 15, IN A STORY SLUGGED "HEINE TRIP," WE LISTED REAR ADMIRAL PAUL E. PUGH AS ONE OF THOSE MAKING AN INSPECTION TRIP OF CIVIC ACTION TEAM ACTIVITIES IN THE PONAPE, TRUK AND MARSHALL ISLANDS DISTRICTS. THIS INFORMATION WAS INCORRECT. ADMIRAL PUGH IS NOT ACCOMPANYING THE GROUP. IF YOU MAKE ANY FURTHER USE OF THAT STORY PLEASE MAKE THIS CORRECTION)

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