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R 300542Z JUL 77 FM HICOMTERPACIS SAIPAN TO SECINTERIOR INFO SECSTATE

SECDEFENSE. WHITE: HOUSE

COMTWELVE SAN FRAN CALIF

CINCPAC

CINCPACREP GUAM/TTPI

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FROM HICOMTERPACIS POLAD 19C. INTERIOR POR OFFICE OF STATUS

NEGOTIATIONS AND ASST. SECRETARY LOESCH. STATE FOR 10/UNP.

EA/ANZ, S/PC. DEFENSE FOR OSD/ISA. WHITE HOUSE FOR MR. HOLDRIDGE

(NSC). CONTWELVE FOR AMBASSADOR WILLIAMS. CINCPAC FOR POLAD.

SUBJECT: TTPI - VENUE TO NEXT SESSION OF CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA

1. CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP MEETING IN PONAPE AUGUST 7 TO DETERMINE

THEIR RECOMMENDATION TO HICOM ON VENUE NEXT REGULAR SESSION

(IN JANUARY) OF CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA. PALAU AT MOMENT SEEMS

TO BE LEADING CONTENDER WITH PONAPE AND SAIPAN, IN THAT ORDER,

PAGE TWO RUHJOSA4827 COON FOI DOE NOT I A LINE AS RUNNERS-UP & LEADERSHIP WILL ALSO CONSIDER AND POSSIBLY ACT ON PROF. HARROP FREEMAN'S FUTURE RELATIONSHIPS TO CONGRESS. ALTHOUGH NOT SO ANNOUNCED. THERE WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY BE INFORMAL CONSIDERATION OF HICOM'S VETOES OF ADVISE AND CONSENT, MERIT SYSTEM, AND PUBLIC DEFENDER BILLS. POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT LEADERSHIP WILL ISSUE STRONG STATEMENT ATTACKING VETOES AND INDICATING POSSIBLE CONGRESSIONAL RESPONSE.

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