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1. Draft text contained reftel is approved subject to following corrections.

2. Recommend following text revisions:

A. Para 2, first sentence: eliminate "by Congressman Hans Wiliander of Truk"; second sentence: substitute "These alleged remarks" statements cited/ for "Congressman Wiliander, citing". Also, insert ~~quote~~ "and" ~~unquote~~ between "staff," and "suggested that the U.S.". Also, substitute "These statements concluded" for "Congressman Wiliander concludes".

B. Para 3, first sentence: substitute "These" for "Congressman Wiliander's"; second sentence: delete "the rhetorical question" after "Undersecretary Packard was asked".

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C. Para 5, second sentence: insert "contingency" before "options in Palau" and insert period after Palau. Eliminate following sentence, including parenthetical phrase. Also, eliminate sentence beginning "In determining". Underline word "partially" in following quotation.

D. Para 6. Make first sentence read "In short, our foreseeable land requirements in Micronesia are limited and definable and were conveyed accurately to the Micronesia delegation at Hana.". Also, delete sentence beginning "To the contrary" and make final sentence read "The U.S. proposes instead that any unforeseen, temporary land requirements arising from a defense emergency would be met only through negotiations with the Micronesian government, and with the consent of the Micronesian government." Amb. Hummel sends.

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