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FROM POLAD 33. STATE FOR IO/UNP AND L/UNA. COMTWELVE FOR AMBASSADOR  
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CINCPAC FOR POLAD.

SUBJ: TTPI - CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA AND TERRITORIAL LIMITS.

1. ONE BILL AND ONE RESOLUTION INTRODUCED IN SENATE THIS PAST  
WEEK EACH OF WHICH WOULD ESTABLISH NEW TERRITORIAL LIMITS OR  
FISHERIES ZONE.

2. JAN 21 SEN. NAKAYAMA (TRUK) AND TEN OTHER SENATORS  
INTRODUCED S.J.R. 69 WHICH STATES "PEOPLE OF MICRONESIA

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DO NOT RECOGNIZE TERRITORIAL LIMITS WHICH U.S. HAS ESTABLISHED  
IN MICRONESIA WITHOUT CONSENT OF MICRONESIAN PEOPLE" AND RESOLVES  
THAT "UNITED NATIONS AND UNITED STATES ARE HEREBY INFORMED THAT  
CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA HEREBY CLAIMS TERRITORIAL RIGHTS OVER ALL  
OF THE ISLANDS AND WATERS WITHIN BORDERS OF MICRONESIA ..."

RESOLUTION THEN DESCRIBES GEOGRAPHIC LIMITS MICRONESIA ALONG LINES  
GENERALLY PORTRAYED ON MAPS OF PACIFIC.

3. JAN 24 SEN. AMARAICH INTRODUCED S.R. 178 ESTABLISHING  
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MILE FISHERIES ZONE CONTIGUOUS TO PRESENT TERRITORIAL LIMITS. ABOVE WOULD BE ACHIEVED BY ADDING A NEW CHAPTER FOUR TO TTPI CODE. FOLLOWING ARE OPERATIVE PARAGRAPHS S.B. 178.

SEC 120. DEFINITIONS. AS USED IN THIS CHAPTER, THE FOLLOWING TERMS SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS ASCRIBED TO THEM IN THIS SECTIONS; "FISHERIES" MEANS THE TAKING, PLANTING, OR CULTIVATION OF FISH, MOLLUSKS, CRUSTACEANS OR OTHER FORMS OF MARINE ANIMAL OR PLANT LIFE BY ANY VESSEL OR VESSELS; AND THE TERM "FISH" INCLUDES MOLLUSKS, CRUSTACEANS, AND ALL OTHER FORMS OF MARINE ANIMAL OR PLANT LIFE.

SECTION 121. ESTABLISHMENT OF RIGHTS TO FISHERIES. THERE IS ESTABLISHED A FISHERIES ZONE CONTIGUOUS TO THE TERRITORIAL WATERS, AS DEFINED IN SUBSECTION (3) SEC 121 OF TITLE 19 OF THE TRUST TERRITORY CODE. THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVT WILL EXERCISE THE

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SAME EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS IN RESPECT TO FISHERIES IN THE ZONE AS IT HAS IN ITS TERRITORIAL WATERS, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE EXPRESSLY PROVIDED BY INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT TO WHICH THE UNITED STATES IS A PARTY.

SECTION 122. DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES. THE FISHERIES ZONE HAS AS ITS INNER BOUNDARY THE OUTER LIMITS OF THE TERRITORIAL WATERS AND AS ITS SEAWARD BOUNDARY A LINE DRAWN SO THAT EACH POINT ON THE LINE IS NINE NAUTICAL MILES FROM THE NEAREST POINT IN THE INNER BOUNDARY.

SECTION 123. UNLAWFUL ACTS. IT IS UNLAWFUL, EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SEC 121 OF THIS CHAPTER, FOR ANY VESSEL, OR FOR ANY MASTER OR OTHER PERSON IN CHARGE OF SUCH VESSEL, TO ENGAGE IN FISHERIES WITHIN THE FISHERIES ZONE WHICH APPERTAINS TO THE TRUST TERRITORY; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY TO ANY VESSEL OF THE TRUST TERRITORY OR OF THE UNITED STATES OR UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES. ANY VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE SUBJ TO THE PENALTIES PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 107, CHAPTER 3 OF THIS TITLE."

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