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II. Recent Guam - Marianas consultations

A. Guamanian leaders have been giving 'advice' to the MPSC and Marianas leadership for some time.

It is difficult to establish what topics have been discussed and what advice was given, but it is suspected that relations with the US military has been high on the agenda followed next by the fundamental relationship between the US and the Marianas government that is now under negotiation.

B. Guam may be 'setting' the Marianas up to formulating certain conditions of entry so as to increase Guam's leverage with the USG and Congress to meeting its local demands for more autonomy.