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(ISLEY AIRFIELD GRANTS)  
SAIPAN, AUG. 28, (MNS)---THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

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IN WASHINGTON HAS GRANTED THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT \$2,720,217 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION OF THE RUNWAY AT ISLEY FIELD ON SAIPAN, ACCORDING TO CHARLES WRIGHT, PROJECT MANAGER FOR THE SAIPAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. ISLEY FIELD IS A FORMER B-29 BASE DEACTIVATED IN 1949 BY THE MILITARY AND OVER THE YEARS, THE AREA REVERTED SLOWLY BACK TO JUNGLE WITH MANY OF THE PAVED AREAS OVERGROWN.

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ACCORDING TO WRIGHT, THE FAA HAS MADE AVAILABLE PARTIAL FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF 82PERCENT FOR THE COST RELATED TO THE HIGH INTENSITY RUNWAY LIGHTS WHILE 75PERCENT HAS BEEN ALLOCATED BY THE FAA FOR OTHER ALLOWABLE COSTS WHICH TOTAL \$2,720,217.

THE AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL CONSTRUCTORS (AIU), THE LOW BIDDER FOR THE PROJECT, WILL BEGIN CONSTRUCTION AND MARKING OF THE 8,700 BY 200 FOOT RUNWAY AND TAXIWAYS, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND FENCING. THE COST OF THE ENTIRE PROJECT IS \$3,084,901.

THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT'S MATCHING FUNDS FOR THE PROJECT TOTALED \$2,082,000. UNDER THIS FUND, PART WILL GO TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TERMINAL FACILITIES, PARKING AREA AND SEWAGE SYSTEM, NOT COVERED BY FEDERAL GRANTS. THIS PARTICULAR PHASE OF THE PROJECT, WRIGHT SAID, WILL BE OPEN FOR BIDS IN THREE MONTHS.

PHASE I WHICH INCLUDES SITE PREPARATION AND CLEARING AND THE INSTALLATION OF A WATER LINE HAS BEEN FUNDED BY THE FAA'S GRANT OFFER OF \$349,000. THE SAIPAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, WHEN COMPLETED, WILL BE CAPABLE OF ACCOMMODATING THE LARGEST COMMERCIAL JET AIRCRAFTS.

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL CONSTRUCTORS OF SEATTLE, WASHINGTON,

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WILL BEGIN MOVING IN EQUIPMENT AND OTHER RELATED MATERIALS. TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION THIS WEEK. FEBRUARY 1, 1975, IS THE COMPLETION DATE FOR THE PROJECT. THE TERMINAL DESIGN IS NEARING COMPLETION BY THE RALPH M. PARSONS COMPANY.

UNDER AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT, THE RALPH M. PARSONS COMPANY WILL PROVIDE CONSTRUCTION SERVICES AND

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WILL ASSIGN A RESIDENT ENGINEER ON THE JOB TO CERTIFY THAT THE CONSTRUCTION WAS PERFORMED IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE GOVERNMENT, WRIGHT TOLD MNS. THE ENGINEER WILL BE ON SAIPAN FOR THE DURATION OF THE PROJECT.

AN ADDITIONAL 1,000 FEET OF LAND ON THE WESTERN END OF THE RUNWAY PLUS 900 FEET ON THE EASTERN SIDE IS BEING RESERVED SHOULD THE NEED TO EXPAND THE RUNWAY ARISES. AIC IS THE SAME COMPANY THAT CONSTRUCTED THE MAJURO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. A SPOKESMAN FOR THE TT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS SAID THAT OVER \$8-MILLION WORTH OF GOVERNMENT PROJECTS, MOSTLY IN MAJURO, HAVE BEEN DONE BY THE FIRM.

FIVE OTHER CONSTRUCTION COMPANIES BIDDED FOR THE JOB. THE SECOND LOWEST BIDDER WAS THE AJU CONSTRUCTION COMPANY WHO CAME IN WITH \$3,196,000 WHILE BLACK MICRO SUBMITTED \$3,330,665.

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THE HIGHEST WAS THE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LTD. WITH \$5,100,932.

(ALL USERS. PLEASE CREDIT CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA)

SAIPAN, AUGUST 28---(CONGRESS RELEASE)---SENATOR LAZARUS E. SALII, CHAIRMAN OF THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA'S JOINT COMMITTEE ON FUTURE STATUS, TODAY ACCUSED THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF "STALLING" IN THE PROSECUTION OF THREE EMPLOYEES OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT. THE THREE, MAYNARD NEAS, KOZO YAMADA, AND EMMETT RICE, ARE ACCUSED BY THE COMMITTEE OF CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA FOR REFUSAL TO TESTIFY AT A HEARING OF A SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE.

THE MATTER STARTED ON JULY 25, WHEN THE SUBCOMMITTEE, ALSO CHAIRED BY SENATOR SALII, HELD HEARINGS ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE THREE MEN IN QUESTION, WHO HAD GONE TO WASHINGTON AT THE DIRECTION OF THE UNITED STATES OFFICE OF MICRONESIAN STATUS NEGOTIATIONS, HEADED BY FRANKLIN HAYDN WILLIAMS, THE CHIEF U.S. NEGOTIATOR IN MICRONESIA. ACCORDING TO THEIR TESTIMONY, THE THREE WERE ASKED CERTAIN QUESTIONS RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS IN MICRONESIA, AND PARTICIPATED IN THE DRAWING UP OF A SUMMARY OF THAT MEETING. THE PURPOSE OF THE HEARING, SENATOR SALII

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SAID, WAS TO DETERMINE WHAT WAS THE NATURE OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE THREE. "IT SEEMS STRANGE TO US THAT THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA SHOULD NOT BE ABLE TO HOLD AN EMPLOYEE OF THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE TO THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH OF THAT GOVERNMENT FOR HIS ACTIONS," HE ADDED. WITHOUT THE INFORMATION, SAID SALII, THE JOINT COMMITTEE COULD BE PLACED AT A SERIOUS DISADVANTAGE IN FUTURE TALKS WITH THE UNITED STATES WITH REGARD TO THE SUBJECT OF LAND IN MICRONESIA.

WITHIN TWO DAYS FOLLOWING THE CONCLUSION OF THE HEARING AT WHICH THE THREE REFUSED TO TESTIFY, THE SUBCOMMITTEE CERTIFIED A STATEMENT OF THE ALLEGED CONTEMPT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, AS REQUIRED BY THE TRUST TERRITORY LAW. ON AUGUST 3, THE COMMITTEE RECEIVED AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FROM THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, BUT HAS HEARD NOTHING OFFICIAL SINCE. IT HAS BEEN THREE WEEKS SINCE THE DATE OF THAT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

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"IT SHOULD BE QUITE OBVIOUS BY NOW THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IS

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STALLING", SAID SALII. "THIS IS COMPLETELY APPARENT FROM HIS LACK OF ACTION IN THIS MATTER, AS TO WHICH WE HAD REQUESTED HIS IMMEDIATE ATTENTION," MOREOVER, SALII SAID, "THE ACTIONS OF THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT IN THIS CASE ARE COMPLETELY OPPOSITE TO THE PROFESSIONS BY THE UNITED STATES THAT IT INTENDS TO DEAL WITH MICRONESIA AND THE STATUS NEGOTIATIONS IN GOOD FAITH. THIS IS THE WORST KIND OF BAD FAITH."

SALII INDICATED THAT THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAD FURTHER LEGAL REMEDIES

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AVAILABLE TO IT, AND THAT SHOULD NO ACTION ON THE MATTER BE FORTHCOMING BY THE END OF THE WEEK, HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO UTILIZE "WHATEVER LEGAL REMEDIES WERE AT THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S DISPOSAL" TO COMPEL ACTION ON THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S CHARGES.  
(SCHOOL STATISTICS)

SAIPAN, AUG. 8, (MNS)---ACCORDING TO STATISTICS RELEASED BY THE HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, WITH THE OPENING OF SCHOOLS THIS YEAR THROUGHOUT THE TRUST TERRITORY, MORE THAN 32,000 STUDENTS WILL BE ATTENDING CLASSES AS COMPARED TO LAST YEAR'S FIGURE OF 30,751.

AT THE SECONDARY LEVEL, THE ENROLLMENT FOR THIS YEAR IS EXPECTED TO REACH 7,500 COMPARED WITH 5,882 LAST YEAR. THIS INCLUDES STUDENTS FROM THE MICRONESIAN OCCUPATIONAL CENTER IN KOROR, PALAU, THE MICRONESIAN MARITIME CENTER IN DUBLON, TRUK, AND THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF MICRONESIA IN PONAPE DISTRICT.

FOR THE FIRST TIME, A 12-GRADE HIGH SCHOOL WILL OPEN ON THE ISLAND OF DUBLON, TRUK DISTRICT. IN THE MARSHALLS, NEW VOCATIONAL EDUCATION SHOPS AND CLASSROOMS AND A GIRL'S DORMITORY ARE SLATED TO OPEN NEXT MONTH. VOCATIONAL BUILDINGS AT THE MARINAS HIGH SCHOOL WILL BE UTILIZED DEPENDING ON THE AVAILABILITY OF TEACHERS.

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS TOTAL 1,500 WHILE 390 WERE HIRED FOR THE SECONDARY LEVEL.

SEVENTY-TWO MICRONESIAN STUDENTS RECEIVED FULL TT GOVERNMENT AND MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIPS, INCLUDING THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA SCHOLARSHIPS. ANOTHER 295 RECEIVED PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS.

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(ALL USERS: PLEASE CREDIT CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA)

SAIPAN, AUGUST 28--(CONGRESS RELEASE)--A NEW CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTORY FOR THE FIFTH CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA HAS BEEN PUBLISHED, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 28TH BY KALEB UDUI, LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL FOR THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA.

THIS IS THE SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTORY TO BE PUBLISHED. THE FIRST WAS DONE BY THE PUBLIC INFORMATION DIVISION OF THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT.

THE NEW CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTORY CONTAINS PICTURES OF MEMBERS OF THE FIFTH CONGRESS, SENATE AND HOUSE OFFICERS AND THEIR STAFFS, A SHORT BIOGRAPHY OF EACH MEMBER INCLUDING THE COMMITTEES THEY CHAIR OR OF WHICH THEY ARE MEMBERS.

NEW FEATURES IN THE RECENTLY-PUBLISHED CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTORY INCLUDE GROUP PICTURES OF MEMBERS AND OFFICERS FOR BOTH HOUSES OF THE CONGRESS AND THEIR STAFFS, LONGER BIOGRAPHIES, TOGETHER WITH

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PICTURES OF EACH SENATOR AND REPRESENTATIVE.

OTHER NEW FEATURES INCLUDE BACKGROUND AND GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA, STATISTICAL INFORMATION ON THE NUMBER OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED AND APPROVED SINCE THE FIRST CONGRESS, AND ORGANIZATION OF BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THEIR STANDING AND JOINT COMMITTEES.

THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA'S OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL WILL DISTRIBUTE COPIES OF THE NEW CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTORY TO DISTRICT GOVERNMENTS THROUGHOUT MICRONESIA. INDIVIDUALS, AND GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE AGENCIES CAN GET A COPY OF THE DIRECTORY AT A DOLLAR EACH PLUS 33 CENTS FOR POSTAGE FROM THE OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL, CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA.

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