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PASS TO SENATOR LAZARUS SALIT, CHAIRMAN, JCFS

DEAR LAZARUS,

I HAVE JUST RETURNED TO WASHINGTON FROM MY TRIP THROUGH THE
PACIFIC AND ASIA.

JIM WILSON HAS BEEN BUSY IN MY ABSENCE AND IS IN THE PROCESS OF
COMPLETING THE FINAL REPORTS OF OMSN'S LAND FACT FINDING TEAMS'
VISITS TO MICRONESIA. HOWEVER, IN ORDER TO FINISH OUR STUDY ON
THE RETURN OF PUBLIC LAND WE NEED ANSWERS BY THE JCFS TO OUR
QUESTIONS POSED IN MY 9 MAY MEMORANDUM TO YOU. DURING OUR 30
AUGUST MEETING IN GUAM I RECALL THAT YOU HOPED TO PROVIDE
THESE ANSWERS SHORTLY.

I THINK IT WOULD BE MUTUALLY ADVANTAGEOUS FOR OMSN TO COMPLETE
ITS LAND STUDY SO THAT WE CAN DISCUSS IT DURING OUR NEXT MEETING
PERHAPS IN EARLY OCTOBER OR WHEN MOST CONVENIENT WITH YOU.

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IF YOU ANSWERS HAVE NOT YET BEEN MAILED, IT WOULD BE EXTREMELY
HELPFUL IF YOU WOULD TRANSMIT THEM BY CABLE OR ASK THE HICOM TO
DO SO. SINCERELY, FRANKLIN HAYDN WILLIAMS.
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