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✓ Another Question...

SAIPAN--While the Congress of Micronesia was wrestling with the United States over a political education program, the chairman of the Marianas Political Status Commission did likewise with the Saipan municipal legislature over a resolution calling for a speed-up in a similar program on the separate Marianas status proposal.

Addressing himself to a resolution that has since been passed, Sen. Edward Pangelinan asked in a letter to the legislature's speaker that a "slight change" be made in the document's last sentence.

"The reference to transmit a copy of the resolution to the Joint Committee on Future Status of the Congress of Micronesia," he said, "appears to be somewhat inappropriate.

The Congress of Micronesia has gone on record expressing its lack of sympathy to the intent and purposes of the establishment of the Marianas Political Status Commission. Perhaps a compromise could be made by transmitting a copy of the resolution to the representatives of the Marianas in the joint committee rather than to the chairman of that committee."

Sen. Pangelinan is one of these representatives.

He said he supports the resolution's intent although the commission already has plans for a political education program to be conducted throughout the Marianas.