

While the public lands in the Marianas are also included
in the policy statement, disposition of certain lands in the Marianas
now currently under negotiation between the US delegation and the
MPSC will be decided in the course of the negotiations.

As far as concerns U.S. requirements in Palau under the terms of
proposed future status agreements, title will be passed to the new
titleholders when they have formally committed themselves to accommodate
those requirements on terms to be mutually agreed with the U.S.

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→ OMSN:

I telephoned PDN to protest error in interpretation as
given in paras. 3 and 4 of attached article. I talked with
both Lupe Borja and City Editor Bob Thompson along lines of
above paras. In line with telecon on this subject with
Capt. Scott I pressed for publication by PDN of full text of
land policy statement. Thompson protested that newsprint was
in short supply and statement is long. (Most of PDN coverage
several pages - today went to story and photos of bizarre
murder case on Guam.) He said will copy for P.R. Sec. Sec. I Mu