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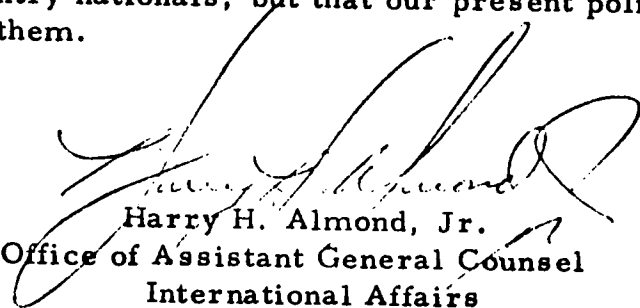
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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. PHILIP E. BARRINGER
DIRECTOR, FMRA, ISA, OASD

SUBJECT: Micronesian Compact - Third Country Nationals.

This memorandum will record the policy determination that no separate protection will be afforded third country nationals either in the Compact or the Jurisdictional Agreement (SOFA) presently being negotiated and contemplated between the United States and Micronesia. As a result of this determination it is apparent that the hire and use of third country nationals will be subject to Micronesian law and policies unless other arrangements are made. It is my understanding apart from these observations that the SOFA as originally drafted and intended to apply would have covered third country nationals, but that our present policy is no longer to include them.


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