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TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE U.S.-MARIANAS
CIVIL/MILITARY RELATIONS ADVISORY
COUNCIL

1. Purpose.

On a continuing basis, this Advisory Council will be concerned with civil-military relations, problems and issues connected with the establishment and functioning of U.S. military installations in the Mariana Islands. The Council meetings will both provide a point of contact for obtaining information and act as a forum wherein the needs, requests, ideas and suggestions of the people can be made known and discussed.

The Joint Advisory Council, will, as agreed to in meetings, make recommendations to the Office of the District Administrator, the Marianas Political Status Commission and the U.S. Military Services and Commands having interests in the Marianas.

2. Membership

U.S.

CDR W.R. Westlake, USN, TTPI LNO

Ms. M.V. Trent/ Mr. A. Bergesen
Status LNO

LCDR A. Pendleton, USN, Saipan LNO

MARIANAS

B. Manglona, MPSC Member, Rota

J. Cruz, MPSC Member, Tinian

P. Tenorio, MPSC Member, Saipan

F. Palacios, MPSC Member,
Saipan

_____, Saipan
Municipal Legislature (Mayor)

_____, Rota
Municipal Council (Mayor)

_____, Tinian
Municipal Council (Mayor)

#Participate when matters arise
concerning their municipalities

3. General Considerations

The Council will meet on a regularly scheduled basis and as needed. An agenda will be made up at least a week prior to each meeting by the Chairman to include the submission of items by the various members. Preferably, agenda items for the next meeting will be submitted at each meeting so that sufficient time will be available for preparation of necessary material.

The Council should seek to identify possible problem areas in the civil-military relationship and work out solutions mutually acceptable to both communities. Many of the prospective subjects for the Council's consideration may not arise until there is in fact an appreciable military presence in the Marianas.