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June 5, 1974

Mr. Adrian P. Winkel
c/o. Congressman Phillip Burton
Room #2454
Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Adrian:

Enclosed is a copy of the most recent joint communique summarizing the results of our last session in Saipan. As you will note, very substantial progress was made during this session and both parties are now confident that a formal status agreement can be negotiated before the end of the year.

After you have had a chance to review this, I would appreciate the opportunity to meet informally with you to discuss the negotiations. I will give you a call within the next week or will be glad to hear from you as to what time would be most convenient for you.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely,

Howard P. Willens

Enclosure

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