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Sec. 702a. To assist the U.S. in fulfilling its defense responsibilities under Title V of this Covenant, the parties agree that title to the areas set forth below in this Section shall be transferred to the U.S. upon termination of the Trusteeship and that, until such termination and transfer of title, use rights to those areas shall be available <sup>to</sup> for the U.S.

(1) Tinian Island. [~~Twenty six thousand two hundred acres~~ <sup>To be forwarded later</sup>] and the waters immediately adjacent to the island shall be made available for the use of the United States to establish an integrated homogeneous basing area to minimize the total land area required by the United States in the Commonwealth.

(2) Saipan Island

(a) Isley Air Field. One thousand eight hundred nine and thirty-five hundredths acres shall be made available for the use of the United States which shall at its discretion make available for the use of the Commonwealth Government such acreage as is not essential for the immediate exercise of its defense responsibilities.

(b) Tanapag Harbor. Six hundred four and twenty-three hundredths acres shall be made available for the use of the United States, which shall at its discretion make available for the use of the Commonwealth Government such acreage as is not immediately essential for the exercise of its defense responsibilities.

(3) Farallon de Medinilla Island. Two hundred twenty-nine acres encompassing the entire island and the waters immediately adjacent thereto shall be made available for use by the United States.

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b. In implementation of ~~the obligations assumed in~~ Section 702a above, the Marianas Political Status Commission, Mariana Islands District Legislative and successor governmental bodies of the government's designated entity will take all measures, including the exercise of the power of eminent domain, necessary to effect the transfer to the United States of title to the areas set forth in section 702a<sup>above</sup> upon termination of the Trusteeship and to provide the U.S., within three months of the effective date of this section, of use rights in those areas until such termination and transfer of title.