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Dear Emmett:

In accordance with our conversation on Friday, I am returning to you your copy of the joint working draft of the report of the Joint Land Committee, together with a clean typed version.

As I told you at our meeting, this joint working draft will have to be reviewed in considerable detail by the Marianas representatives on the Joint Land Committee, and by their consultants. In reading it over myself this week-end, I found many places in which your proposed language will clearly not be acceptable. We will, of course, try to provide our comments as soon as is practicable, and I am sure you will do the same.

Sincerely,

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