

TINIAN TAGA CO. INC.

SAN JOSE VILLAGE

TINIAN, MARIANA ISLANDS

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San Jose  
Tinian, Mariana Islands

Speaker Sylvestre T. Cruz

We the Tinian Taga, or rather the people of Tinian, do hereby ask for your full support to back-up the only economy that we might in the future. Military economy in the private sector, that is.

We know that the military land requirements on our island will deprive us for any tourist, fishing, and other possible sound's industries. We also know that many outsiders or outside businessmen will try, and in fact, some have tried to take advantage of the only economy left for us. For example, knowing that the military will come in, M.D.C. have tried to establish an exclusive distributorship of petroleum products here in Tinian. By getting the distributorship in advance, it is very likely that they'll get the military as their customer. Luckily that some business oriented residents in Tinian knew what their intention is and born what we are now-Tinian Taga Co. Inc.

Another, knowing that the military is a very big potential customer, the Mobile Micronesia is trying to rip-off us from the distributorship.

Nevertheless, let us grasp and guard what we have left in any consequences. And by giving you full support and endorsement on the proposals listed below, we will be able to achieve our demands.

- 1) Since we are the distributor in the island of Tinian for petroleum products, oils, lubricants, we want the military to honor our distributorship by getting the said products through us.
- 2) Since we're at the emerging stage in Construction business, we want the military to give us first priority to any projects want it done by private sector.
- 3) Since our Charter embraces wide areas in services, we want to handle the Stevedoring and warehousing for the military in private sector.