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THE LETTER, IN SUMMARIZING THE PROGRESS MADE, SAID THAT THE DRAFT COMPACT AGREED TO BY BOTH SIDES IN HONOLULU REPRESENTS FULL AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPAL IN ALL SUBSTANTIVE AREAS INCLUDING: SELF-GOVERNMENT; FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE; APPLICABLE LAWS;

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TRADE AND COMMERCE; FINANCE; CITIZENSHIP AND NATIONALITY; IMMIGRATION AND TRAVEL; REPRESENTATION AND CONSULTATION; DISPUTE SETTLEMENT; AMENDMENT AND CHANGE OF STATUS.

THE AMBASSADOR WENT ON TO SAY THAT, WHILE AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE HAS BEEN REACHED IN ALL AREAS, THERE ARE STILL SOME POINTS THAT HAVE BEEN LEFT OPEN FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION, INCLUDING A TIMETABLE FOR TRANSITION AND THE LEVEL OF FUNDING DURING A TRANSITION PERIOD. ALSO TO BE DISCUSSED ARE THE LAST STEPS IN

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THE NEGOTIATIONS, INCLUDING THE SUB-NEGOTIATIONS FOR LAND, THE APPROVAL PROCESS AND RATIFICATION OF THE COMPACT, AND THE PROCEDURES LEADING UP TO THE PLEBISCITE WHICH WILL DETERMINE MICRONESIA'S FUTURE POLITICAL STATUS.

THE LETER ALSO NOTED THE PROGRESS THAT HAD BEEN MADE IN THE LAND NEGOTIATIONS DURING 1974 AND THE AMBASSADOR EXPRESSED APPRECIATION TO THE PALAU LEGISLATURE, ITS TRADITIONAL LEADERS, AND THE PEOPLE FOR THE INVITATION TO SEND A U.S. LAND SURVEY TEAM TO THAT DISTRICT. HE SAID THAT THEIR COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE GREATLY FACILITATED THE U.S. TEAM'S WORK, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF REAR ADMIRAL WILLIAM J. CROWE, U.S.N., WHICH WAS COMPLETED LAST AUGUST.

FINALLY, AMBASSADOR WILLIAMS STATED THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS FLEXIBLE WITH RESPECT TO WHEN AND WHERE THE NEXT MEETING WITH THE JCFS SHOULD BE HELD BUT THAT IT WAS READY TO PROCEED WITH THE NEXT PHASE IN THE LAND SUB-NEGOTIATIONS AND WITH OTHER REMAINING MATTERS AT THE CONVENIENCE OF THOSE CONCERNED.

(ELANZO APPOINTED CHIEF)

SAIPAN, JAN. 13 (MNS)---YWA0 B. ELANZO OF THE MARSHALLS HAS BEEN APPOINTED TRUST TERRITORY CHIEF OF TRANSPORTATION

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DIVISION BY HIGH COMMISSIONER EDWARD E. JOHNSTON. HIS APPOINTMENT WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 19, 1975.

ELANZO FIRST JOINED THE TRANSPORTATION DIVISION IN MARCH 1970 AS ASSISTANT TARIFF AND CARGO SPECIALIST. HE WAS PROMOTED TO MANAGER, SEA TRANSPORTATION BRANCH IN 1971 AND SUBSEQUENTLY,

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IN FEBRUARY OF 1973, ASSUMED THE POSITION OF DEPUTY CHIEF OF TRANSPORTATION. HE HAS BEEN ACTING CHIEF OF TRANSPORTATION SINCE JULY 1, 1974.

ELANZO HOLDS A B.S. DEGREE IN NAUTICAL SCIENCE FROM THE PHILIPPINE MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMY. HE IS MARRIED TO THE FORMER KIMIKO ANSON OF PONAPE, AND THEY HAVE FOUR CHILDREN.

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