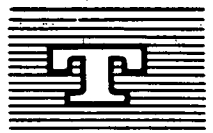


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The British Columbia Voice of Women, a group of women working to promote peace and foster international understanding, wishes to protest the establishment of a military base by the United States of America on Tinian Island. We understand the inhabitants of this island are under threat of being expelled from their native land.

Since Tinian Island is under a United Nations mandate, there is a real responsibility to these people that their home not be converted to a military base, and we trust you will do all in your power to prevent this from taking place.

(Signed) Marian SHIPLEY  
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