

LEGISLATURE AND THE PALAU FISHING AUTHORITY HAVE BEEN INVITED TO ATTEND THE MEETING.

VAN CAMP SEA FOODS HAS INDICATED TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONER TO RENEW ITS CONTRACT TO CONTINUE THE PALAU OPERATIONS, ACCORDING TO ULUDONG.

ULUDONG ALSO SAID THAT SENATOR LAZARUS SALII AND THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON MARINE RESOURCES OF THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA HAVE ALSO SUBMITTED TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONER OTHER PROPOSALS TO CHANGE THE PRESENT VAN CAMP CONTRACT.

(FISHERIES TRAINEES LEFT FOR JAPAN)

SAIPAN, JUNE 9 (MNS)---THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN HAS AWARDED FIVE MICRONESIANS TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TRAINING IN THE FIELD OF FISHERIES.

THE TRAINING IS FUNDED BY THE OVERSEAS FISHERY COOPERATION FOUNDATION OF JAPAN, ACCORDING TO A SPOKESMAN FOR THE MARINE RESOURCES DIVISION.

THE TRAINEES ARE: SALBATOR IRIARTE, PONAPE, SKIPJACK BAITFISH MANAGEMENT; BECKY MADRAISAU, PALAU FISH CULTURE TECHNIQUES; MARINO KITALONG, PALAU, SKIPJACK FISHING AND VESSEL MAINTENANCE; FRANCIS LAMAN, YAP, SKIPJACK FISHING AND ENGINE MAINTENANCE; AND RUPHIN MICKY, TRUK, SKIPJACK FISHING AND VESSEL OPERATION.

THE TRAINEES ARE NOW IN JAPAN UNDERGOING A MONTH TRAINING IN LANGUAGE AND ORIENTATION BEFORE PROCEEDING ON THEIR RESPECTIVE FIELDS OF TRAINING FOR AN ADDITIONAL FIVE MONTHS.

"WE HOPE THAT THESE TRAINEES WILL RETURN WITH THEIR IMPROVED SKILLS AND ASSIST THE FISHERIES OF MICRONESIA TO DEVELOP IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE THE GOAL OF ECONOMIC SELF-SUFFICIENCY," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

(SPG TEAM ARRIVES SAIPAN)

SAIPAN, JUNE 9 (MNS)---THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF THE MICRONESIAN TEAM FOR THE SOUTH PACIFIC GAMES FROM TRUK AND PONAPE ARRIVED ON SAIPAN SUNDAY VIA AIR MICRONESIA FLIGHT FROM GUAM.

THE TEAM LEFT THEIR HOME ISLANDS ABOARD AN AIR FORCE C-130 AIRCRAFT. THE C-130 WAS ON A RESUPPLY FLIGHT TO THE CIVIC ACTION TEAMS STATIONED IN PONAPE AND THE MARSHALLS.

MARSHALLS, YAP AND PALAU TEAMS ARE SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE ON SAIPAN SOMETIME THIS WEEK. THE TEAMS WILL TRAIN ON SAIPAN FOR TWO-MONTHS PRIOR TO THE GAMES WHICH BEGIN AUGUST 1-10 ON GUAM.

THE PONAPE AND TRUK TEAMS WERE MET AT THE AIRPORT BY SAIPAN'S TRUK AND PONAPE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS. THEY WERE TRANSPORTED TO THE CAMP SITE AT THE MARIANAS HIGH SCHOOL.

THREE VOLLEYBALL PLAYERS FROM ULITHI, YAP, HAVE BEEN ADDED TO THE LISTS.

HERE IS THE COMPLETE LISTS OF THE MICRONESIAN ATHELETES, THE DISTRICTS THEY ARE FROM, THE GAMES THEY WILL BE PARTICIPATING AND THEIR COACHES.

FROM THE MARIANAS: J.J. CPUZ, TONY TAIKAKAN, BEN BENAVENTE, DAVID BLANCO, JESS SANCHEZ, BASKETBALL; TONY SATUR, CARL REYES, RIOKY TOWAI, JOE SABLAN DANNY CAMACHO, SOFTBALL; ENNIS TAKSAY, EMETERIO SAURES, VICENTE SAURES, VOLLEYBALL; JOE SABLAN, DOMINGO CRUZ, JOAQUIN TEREGEYO, JOE SASAMOTO, GOLF; AUGUSTINE AGUON,