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MEMORANDUM FOR THE MARIANAS POLITICAL STATUS COMMISSION FILE

Subject: Conversation with Burt Wides

I spoke to Burt this morning. He told me that because of a number of other pressing matters he had not had a chance to concentrate on the materials we sent him or on the Marianas problem. He said that his "next step" would be to "follow up some leads" he has "with the agency". I told him I understood how busy he was, that we were available to provide any other information he wanted, and that I hoped he would call me if "something came up". He said he did not anticipate anything becoming public at the present time.

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