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Memorandum

To: Assistant Secretary - Program Development and Budget
From: Director of Territorial Affairs
Subject: Marianas Transition, appeal to submit supplemental immediately.

The OMB passback on pending 1976 supplemental approved the Northern Marianas Transition of \$1,500,000 with no strings attached, stating that it be presented with the President's Budget.

This request is to submit the supplemental immediately to OMB and the Congress. As previously pointed out by Ambassador F. Hayden Williams these funds must be available for obligation immediately upon approval of the Government by the Congress. Reference, the third paragraph of Ambassador F. Hayden Williams Memorandum to the Secretary of the Interior dated November 17, 1975, attached.

Your prompt consideration of this matter would be appreciated.

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