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SUBJECT: INFORMAL MEETING OF PRINCIPALS TO MICRONESIAN - STATUS NEGOTIATIONS

PASS TO STATUS LNO FOR DELIVERY TO SENATOR LAZARUS SALII AND REPR SENTATIVE EKPAP SILK, CO-CHAIRMEN, JOINT COMMITTEE ON FUTUE STATUS, CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA FROM AMBASSADOR WILLIAMS

TOKYO FOR CIVIL AVIATION ATTACHE TO PASS TO SENATOR SALII IF PRESENT

DEAR LAZARUS AND EKPAP:

I REGRET THAT THE RESCHEDULING OF U.S. SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS ON THE NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH COVENANT AND THE NECESSITY OF MY PRESENCE IN WASHINGTON AS THE PRINCIPAL ADMINISTRATION WITNESS DURING MOST OF JANUARY NOW MAKES IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO MEET WITH YOU IN SAIPAN AS PLANNED DURING THE WEEK OF JANUARY THE 19TH. I SUGGEST FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION MOVING THE DATES OF OUR MEETING FORWARD TO JANUARY 5 AND 6. ALSO HOPE THAT DUE TO THE PRESSURE OF MY

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PRIOR COMMITMENTS THAT WE CAN MEET IN SAN FRANCISCO RATHER

THAN HONOLULU AS YOU ORIGINALLY PROPOSED. I LOOK FOR-WARD TO YOUR RESPONSE AND IN THE MEANTIME A MERRY CHRIST-MAS TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. SINCERELY, HAYDN WILLIAMS.

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