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April 13, 1976

Mr. James E. Meredith, Jr.
Coopers & Lybrand
1800 M Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20086

Dear Mr. Meredith:

Thank you for your letter of April 7 expressing the continued interest of Coopers & Lybrand in being of assistance to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

Your capabilities are very impressive and I am taking the liberty of sending your brochure to James R. Leonard, the economic consultant who has worked for the Marianas over the years.

Sincerely,

Howard P. Willens

cc: James R. Leonard, Esq. ~~X~~

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April 7, 1976

Mr. Howard P. Willens
Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering
1666 K Street, NW.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Willens:

This is to confirm our continued interest in being of assistance to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

As both Mr. Davis of the State Legislative Leaders Foundation and Ms. Kirk have told you, Coopers & Lybrand has extensive experience in governmental organization, planning, procedures, systems design and operations. We have worked at Federal, state and local levels, addressing both executive departmental needs and administrative problems of legislative bodies. A copy of our International brochure is enclosed which shows capabilities resident among Coopers & Lybrand staff worldwide. The extent of our experience precludes offering more than selected engagement descriptions at this time.

It is obvious that the undertaking at hand will require coordination of effort among a wide range of tasks and people. It is in managing large and complex engagements that Coopers & Lybrand excels.

We are familiar with the history and legislation leading to the Covenant. Your participation in achieving this milestone is to be applauded. As you deem it appropriate and timely, we should appreciate discussing with you how Coopers & Lybrand might join with you in building a new and viable government with and for the people of the Commonwealth. At your suggestion, we have written to Messrs. Pangelinan and Tenorio as well.

Sincerely,


James E. Meredith, Jr.

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Enclosure

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