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Dear Howard:

Please find enclosed the latest version of the Marianas ConCon bill. Not much substantive change except the two appointments and the dates. It appears as if the Legislature and the ResCom reached some degree of compromise, and the bill will be signed or left unsigned and will become law. There will be no veto this time.

I hope your planning and drafting efforts are well underway and that the new dates are not too discouraging. We are actively reviewing proposals for government organization and legislative programs from various firms including PAS, IPA, and McDonald and Grefe. No definite decision yet on who will get the contract. Hopefully, before the commencement of the ConCon or shortly thereafter, we will have a firm on board.

We are interested in knowing your progress as well as problems encountered in your preparation for the ConCon.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

Pedro A. Tenorio
Director

Enclosure

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