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TAGS: PFOR, UNTC, TG
SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL LEGAL FOR HUMAN RIGHTS PRESS RELEASE
AND PETITION CONCERNING ALLEGATIONS OF CIA WIRETAPPING
AND "COLONIALISM"

REF: 76 HICOMTERPACIS 3009302 (NOTAL)

1. ON APRIL 5, THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS
CIRCULATED A PRESS RELEASE URGING THE UN TO INVESTIGATE
"CIA WIRETAPPING OF MICRONESIA" AND CALLING ON THE
CARTER ADMINISTRATION TO "END U.S. COLONIALISM IN
MICRONESIA." ATTACHED WERE:

--A LETTER FROM THE LEAGUE TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE
TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL (TC)
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--A COPY OF THE WASHINGTON POST ARTICLE OF DECEMBER 12,

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1976 DESCRIBING ALLEGED WIRETAPPING

--A LETTER FROM THE LEAGUE TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL ASKING "WHAT MEASURES ARE BEING TAKEN TO SEE THAT FURTHER ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE DOES NOT OCCUR."

2. THE LETTER TO THE TC PRESIDENT:

--SUPPORTS THE NAKAYAMA/HENRY TC PETITION CONCERNING ALLEGED WIRETAPPING (REFTEL)

--REITERATES THE LEAGUE'S OPPOSITION TO THE SEPARATION OF THE NORTHERN MARIANAS

--ASKS THE COUNCIL TO EXAMINE "FRAGMENTATION TAKING PLACE IN MICRONESIA" AND STATES THAT EFFORTS ARE LIKELY TO "ESTABLISH...US COLONIES" IN MICRONESIA.

--REFERS TO A SIMILAR PETITION ADDRESSED TO THE COMMITTEE OF 24.

3. THE PRESS RELEASE STATES INTER ALIA, THAT THE LEAGUE CALLED UPON THE COMMITTEE OF 24 TO INVESTIGATE THE "WIRETAPPING" AND "US COLONIZING OF MICRONESIA.....IN LIGHT OF THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL'S UNBALANCED COMPOSITION (THE MAJORITY ARE COLONIAL POWERS) AND ITS PREVIOUS NEGLIGENCE WITH REGARD TO US ANNEXATION OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS."

4. THE RELEASE ALSO STATES THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO RESPONSE TO THE LEAGUE'S LETTER TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

5. FULL TEXT POUCHED TO IO/UNP.

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