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Dear Howard:

Many thanks for the reprint of your learned article on the Constitution of the Northern Mariana Islands. While scanning through it I have been deeply impressed with its thoroughness and it shall be of great value to me in the event that I should have to comment on the Guam Constitution. As an attorney in the Department of Justice I must, of course, make the reservation that the second half of your footnote #39 does not quite measure up to the scholarly level of the rest of the article.

With best regards.

Sincerely,

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