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Mr. Juan T. Lizama
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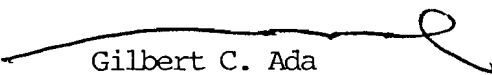
Dear Mr. Chairman:

I personally feel reluctant to comment on this particular proposal, but I would like to briefly express my feeling toward my fellow Carolinians.

Foremost in my opinion is instead of making any attempt to amend or repeal the existing status of the Executive Assistant for Carolinian Affairs Office, I strongly recommend that a provision in the current legislation governing the provision of election methodology be redefined so as to enable our brothers and sisters of Carolinians descent a guarantee slots on major issue affecting them. In other words, a congressional slot by enactment of law be made available to a group of Carolinian residing on a particular precincts here on Saipan.

As I said earlier, my comment will be brief but I hope I dwell on some issue to attract attention to recognize the carolinian community, because in my recollection we are a fellow refalewasch since way back.

Thank you again for this opportunity.


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