AUGUST 2, 1995

HONORABLE Herman T. Guerrero '\'
President
Third NMI Constitutional Convention
Capitol Hill
Saipan, MP 96950

Dear Mr. President:

As the Third Constitutional Convention is about to adjourn sine die, I respectfully inform you that after serious consideration I have finally firmed up my decision not to sign the Constitution. This is because of my very serious and strong objections on the Local Government provisions, primarily on the power and responsibility of an elected mayor, the reduction in the size of the Senate from nine to only six members, and the lack of earmarking for our Public School System and Northern Marianas College.

At any rate, let me say that I had the gratifying experience in participating in the deliberations of this Third Northern Marianas Constitutional Convention.

Thank you and Si Yu'us Maase for your understanding.

Sincerely,

Peresita A. Santos

Delegate

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