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From: Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks

To: Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: Settlement of land claims on Saipan for private lands to be retained by the military; request for information as to the availability of funds for

Ref: (a) CNO ltr Op215/flf Ser 2791P21 of 4 Oct 1954 to BUDOCKS

l. Pursuant to the request for information contained in reference (a), the Chief of Naval Operations is advised that funds for survey work are available out of the appropriation made for the acquisition of land in the Trust Territory provided that the indicated survey work is limited to those lands which have been earmarked for retention by the United States of America.

2. Survey work to be performed in connection with post-war damage items are not considered to fall within this category and should be funded from some other appropriate source.

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