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From: Comptroller of the Navy  
To: Chief of Naval Operations (OP-09B22)

Subj: Draft of Proposed Agreement between the Department of the Navy and the Department of Interior with respect to the transfer of responsibility for the administration of the Saipan District, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands

Ref: (a) CNO ltr, Op-09B22/flf Ser 254P09B2 of 26 Apr 1962

1. Reference (a) transmitted a copy of the subject agreement and requested addressees to submit comments thereon. The following corrections are submitted:

a. Page 3, paragraph 1, 1st sentence: Delete the words "in excess" and insert "for release by the Department of the Navy". This change is suggested because the POL and supplies in question are not in fact "in excess to the needs of the Armed Forces"; the Department of the Navy simply is willing to transfer these products to the Department of the Interior. Hence, the use of the term "in excess" is misleading in that material "in excess to the needs of the Armed Forces" is transferable to other government agencies without reimbursement.

b. Page 4, paragraph 1d, 1st sentence: Delete "2". Class 2 property is real property; specifically, "buildings and structures". This subparagraph refers to personal property.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. A. Hirsch".

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