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**VIA AIRMAIL**

**7 MAY 1963**

**My dear Mr. Goding:**

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Logistics), by letter dated 29 March 1963, advised you that no further requirement existed for certain areas presently controlled by Navy on the Island of Saipan. Included among these areas, as item h. in the letter, were areas 15, 16, and 17. It has now been ascertained that the areas actually intended to be released are 16, 17, and 18. Therefore, item h. of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy's letter of 29 March 1963, should be corrected to read as follows: Areas 16, 17, and 18 - Former Naval Technical Training Unit administrative areas.

In accordance with the items of the Use and Occupancy Agreements all rights of the Navy to the above-mentioned areas 16, 17, and 18 are hereby terminated. Inasmuch as no buildings or structures built by the Department of the Navy in these areas are to be removed, it is desired that reversion to the Government of the Trust Territory be effective immediately.

I would appreciate your acknowledgment of this letter so that our records and those of the Air Force may reflect that the rights of the Department of the Air Force in area 15 have not terminated.

**Sincerely,**

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