

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

August 14, 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR GOVERNOR ADAMS:

Re: Resignation of Benjamin Gerig  
as United States Representative  
on the Committee on Information  
from Non-Self-Governing Territories

Attached are Mr. Gerig's letter of  
resignation and suggested letter of  
acceptance for the President's signature;  
letter from General Smith requesting this  
resignation be accepted.

The Department of State is appointing  
Mason Sears to the post held by Mr. Gerig;  
according to General Smith's memorandum,  
it is the President's desire not to approve  
appointments of this nature.

  
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