

THE WHITE HOUSE
Washington

October 9, 1963

Dear Mr. President:

Pursuant to your instructions through National Security Action Memorandum No. 243, dated May 9, 1963, I am submitting on behalf of the members of the U. S. Survey Mission our report on the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

Accompanying the Mission and greatly aiding in our work were Mr. Richard Taitano, Director of the Office of Territories in the Department of the Interior, and Commander Charles Chamberlain from CINCPAC.

The members of the Mission were: Mr. Richard Cooper from the Council of Economic Advisers; Mr. Paul Daly from the Peace Corps; Mr. Donald Lindholm from the Bureau of the Budget; Professor Gerard Mangone from the Maxwell School, Syracuse University; Dr. Pedro Sanchez, Commissioner of Education in the Virgin Islands; Mr. Howard Schnoor from the Bureau of the Budget; Mr. Cleo Shook, Consultant.

My colleagues join me in urging that if the recommendations of the report meet with your approval they be implemented rapidly in the interests of the United States and the people of the Trust Territory.

Respectfully,

Anthony M. Solomon
Chairman

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