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TT ADMINISTRATION SEEKING PROPOSAL FOR OPERATION
OF TERRITORY-WIDE POL SYSTEM

SAIPAN, MARIANA ISLANDS, TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS,
(MARCH 1)...Proposals from qualified sources for instituting a Territory-
wide system of procuring, marketing, and distributing petroleum products
within the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands are being received by
the Office of the Acting Director of Property and Supply in Saipan
beginning today until April 30, 1966, according to an announcement
by Acting Assistant Commissioner for Administration Frank H. Moulton,
who is also serving as Contracting Officer for the High Commissioner.

All proposals must be submitted in writing, in duplicate, together
with schedules and such other provisions, specifications and pertinent
data.

Due consideration will be given to the following and any other
applicable factors: (a) the business reputation and responsibility of
the respective firms submitting proposals; (b) the quality of the supplies
and services offered in compliance with technical requirements;

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(c) prices quoted, including transportation costs and other factors relating to prices; (d) delivery requirements; and (e) the ability of the firm to furnish such supplies and services.

The receipt of proposals by the Trust Territory Government does not constitute a binding contract, but rather only an indication of initiating contract negotiations which will be acceptable to the Government. The Government reserves the right to reject all proposals or accept other than the lowest proposal. It is contemplated that a contract will be awarded to a most qualified offeror whose proposal will be most advantageous to the Government and beneficial to the agencies and residents of the Trust Territory.

Request for Proposals, setting forth information and conditions to be contained in a proposal, may be obtained at the Office of the Trust Territory Liaison Officer located in the Butler Building in Agana, Guam, or at the Office of the Acting Director of Property and Supply in Saipan, Mariana Islands, 96950.