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U.S. SENATE AUTHORIZES TT APPROPRIATION

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, Sept. 6 . . . Word has been received that that the U.S. Senate on August 26 passed Senate Bill 3154 providing for authorization of 32 million dollars for the Trust Territory of Pacific Islands for Fiscal Year 1967 and 35 million dollars for Fiscal Year 1968.

The authorization bill now needs approval of the House Interior Committee and House of Representatives to become effective. If approved by the House of Representatives, a supplemental appropriation for Fiscal Year 1967 would have to be introduced and approved by the Congress to bring the FY 1967 budget to the 32 million authorization level. Congress already has approved the original FY 1967 budget request of approximately 17 and one half million dollars for the present fiscal year.

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PEACE CORPS HEADQUARTERS MOVES TO NEW
OFFICE BUILDING

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands,
Sept. 2 . . . The Peace CORPS Headquarters for the Trust Territory
moved from its temporary office in the Micronesian Insurance Under-
writers BLDG to its permanent headquarters on the second floor of
the new Villagomez store in Chalan Kanoa on August 31. The overall
Trust Territory Peace Corps program will be administered from this
office. In addition, each of the six Districts will have Regional
Peace Corps Directors, who will represent the Director locally.

The following staff members will be located in Peace Corps
Headquarters:

John Pincetich, Peace Corps Director/TT;

Robert Burns, Deputy Peace Corps Director/TT;

Harold Flickinger, Peace Corps Executive Officer/TT;

Jerry Fite, Regional Director/Marianas;

David Spencer, Peace Corps Physician/Marianas;

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John McColgan, Contract Overseas Representative for Education;

In addition there will be a contract representative for health
from Hawaii, as yet, unnamed.

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