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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

Subject: Ambassador Williams Meeting With Chairman Haley

· Participants:

Hon. James A. Haley, Chairman, House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs Ambassador F. Haydn Williams

James M. Wilson, Jr.

Time and Place: Longworth Building, Washington, D.C., October 19, 1973

Ambassador Williams explained the purpose of his visit, outlining arrangements made earlier with Chairman Aspinall for keeping the committee fully informed on the course of negotiations and suggesting they be continued if the new chairman agreed. He did.

Ambassador Williams summarized the current state of play with both the JCFS and the MPSC and described our objectives in the forthcoming round of negotiations. He asked if the new chairman would like to briefed along with Congressman Saylor (absent in Texas) in detail on positions the U.S. Delegation expected to take. He would.

Chairman Haley asked if Burton should also be included. Ambassador Williams replied we would be briefing Burton and Clausen separately and hoped we could continue the arrangement under which the committee chairman and ranking minority member could be taken fully into our confidences without the necessity of spreading sensitive information to other committee members. The Chairman concurred.

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