## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

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MEMORANDUM FOR

Mr. Rutherford M. Poats Acting Staff Director NSC Under Secretaries Committee Department of State

SUBJECT:

Review of U.S. Policy on Micronesia's Future Status

In its memorandum of January 20, 1976 the NSC requested the Under Secretaries Committee to undertake a review of U.S. policy toward the future status of Micronesia, including the current negotiating instructions to the President's Personal Representative for Micronesian Status Negotiations. Due to a number of developments, the submission of this review was delayed.

The Under Secretaries Committee should now complete the review and submit it to the NSC by December 10, 1976. The study should review the main issues and the options open to us and should recommend a proposed strategy and instructions for the President's Personal Representative.

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