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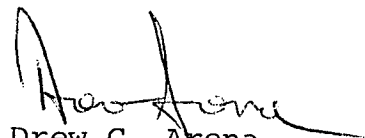
MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE E. PENDLETON JAMES
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Appointment of Fred M. Zeder II
for Trust Territory Negotiations

Transmitted herewith is a Memorandum for the President recommending the designation of Fred M. Zeder II, of Hawaii, as the Personal Representative of the President to conduct negotiations on the future political status of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. He would succeed Peter R. Rosenblatt whose resignation was accepted on March 5, 1981. Also transmitted is the nomination of Mr. Zeder for the rank of Ambassador.

Approval for this designation was received in September 1981.

Attached also is the report you will wish to forward to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee regarding demonstrated competence of this nominee.



Drew C. Arena
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Attachments:

As stated.

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