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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

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Director, Intelligence Community Staff

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SUBJECT: SIG Meeting on Micronesia

1: On 6 August, together with [redacted] the Assistant NIO for 25X1 East Asia, I represented you at the SIG meeting on Micronesia. The meeting was chaired by Deputy Secretary of State Clark. Following introductory background comments by Under Secretary James Buckley, the representatives approved, with only minor comment, the IG-prepared policy paper recommending that the United States proceed with the negotiations for a Compact of Free Association with the three Micronesian states it currently administers under the UN Trusteeship. Accordingly, a National Security Decision Document will be circulated shortly in preparation for an NSC meeting.

2. Discussion of U.S. Governmental arrangements for managing the relationship with the Micronesian states after the Compact is approved occupied the bulk of the meeting. This issue had not been resolved by the IG. Interior had insisted that it should manage the relationship with State and Defense arguing for broader interagency arrangements. Deputy Secretary Clark informed the meeting that he had worked out an arrangement with Interior which, in effect, endorsed the State/Defense position. According to his formula the management of the relationship will be on three levels:

a. The IG will continue in existence as the principal policy formulating body, reporting to the SIG. It will continue to be chaired by State and will be comprised of representatives of Interior, Defense, JCS, OMB and other agencies as appropriate.

b. Two subordinate committees both chaired by State and comprising members of the IG will also be established to manage the day-to-day relationship. The first will, in effect, be a committee of principals; the second an executive staff. The latter will be lodged at State. The SIG approved this arrangement in principle with OMB withholding specific endorsement pending a review of the details involved.

3. No intelligence issues or equities were discussed. It is clear from the arrangements, however, that the Intelligence Community will have full opportunity to participate in further IG deliberations on Micronesia that may impact on its interests.

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Executive Secretary
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