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COMMUNICATION FROM THE HOUSE OF ELECTED MEMBERS, PALAU LEGISLATURE,
CONCERNING THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

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PALAU LEGISLATURE
P.O. Box 8
Koror, Palau
Western Caroline Islands
96940

18 July 1979

President
United Nations Trusteeship Council
New York, N.Y. 10017

Dear Mr. President:

Transmitted herewith is a certified copy of House of Elected Members joint resolution No. 1043, which was adopted by both houses of the Sixth Palau Legislature, eighth regular session, for your information.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Simeon SKILANG
Assistant Secretary
House of Elected Members

Enclosure

SIXTH PALAU LEGISLATURE

Eighth Regular Session, June-July 1979

HEM Resolution 1043

A HOUSE OF ELECTED MEMBERS JOINT RESOLUTION

To acknowledge that Bills numbered 1141, DI; 1142, D2; 1137, DI; 1037, DI; 1044, DI; 1047, DI; and 1001, DI will become Public Laws numbered 6-8-17; 6-8-18; 6-8-19; 6-8-20; 6-8-21; 6-8-22; and 6-8-23, respectively.

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1141, Draft 1, entitled: "To amend Congress of Micronesian Public Law No. 6-65, as amended by Public Law Nos. 6-98, 7-10, 7-136 and 6-6S-6, extending the expiration date of salary schedules for Palau Public Services System, and for other purposes", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 27 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1142, Draft 2, entitled: "To create the Palau Constitutional Drafting Commission, prescribing its powers, functions, and duties, and to appropriate funds thereof and for other purposes", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 27 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1137, Draft 1, entitled: "To appropriate the sum of \$US 7,880.00 from the General Fund of the Palau Legislature for the purpose of funding staff salaries, benefits and associated expenses for the Palau Public Library from 1 October to 31 December 1979, inclusively", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 29 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1037, Draft 1, entitled: "To appropriate the sum of \$US 60,000.00 from the General Fund of the Palau Legislature for capital improvement projects in Ngaremlengui Municipality", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 29 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1044, Draft 1, entitled: "To appropriate the sum of \$US 45,000.00 from the General Fund of the Palau Legislature for capital improvement projects in Melekeok Municipality", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 26 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1047, Draft 1, entitled: "To appropriate the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$US 30,000.00) out of the General Fund of the Palau Legislature to purchase a Municipal Boat of Kayangel Municipality and to supplement the cost of water catchment system and for other purposes", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 26 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, Bill No. 1001, Draft 1, entitled: "To appropriate the sum of \$US 60,000.00 from the General Fund of the Palau Legislature for capital improvement projects and farm equipment purchase in Airai Municipality", was passed by the Palau Legislature on 26 June 1979; and

WHEREAS, the above-mentioned bills were transmitted to and received by the Office of the High Commissioner on 3 July 1979; and

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WHEREAS, the High Commissioner has thus far taken no action in regard to these bills and if he takes no action by midnight tonight, 13 July 1979, they shall become effective by operation of law; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Sixth Palau Legislature, eighth regular session, that Bill No. 1141, DI, will be Public Law No. 6-8-17;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Bill No. 1142, D2, will be Public Law No. 6-8-18;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Bill No. 1137, DI, will be Public Law No. 6-8-19;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Bill 1037, DI, will be Public Law No. 6-8-20;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Bill No. 1044, DI, will be Public Law No. 6-8-21;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Bill 1047, DI, will be Public Law No. 6-8-22;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Bill 1001, DI, will be Public Law No. 6-8-23;
and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this joint resolution be transmitted forthwith to the High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, the District Administrator, the District Finance Officer, the District Treasurer, the Secretary of the Interior, the Director of Territorial Affairs, Ambassador Peter R. Rosenblatt, United States Ambassador Richard W. Petree, the President of the United Nations Trusteeship Council and to the head of the United Nations Visiting Mission.

ADOPTED: 13 July 1979

(Signed) Sadang N. SILMAI
Speaker

Attested by: (Signed) Simeon SKILANG
Assistant Secretary
House of Elected Members
