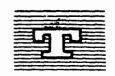
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PETITION FROM MR. PETER S. WATSON, CO-DIRECTOR, PACIFIC ISLANDS ASSOCIATION, CONCERNING THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

(Circulated in accordance with rule 85, paragraph 1, of the rules of procedure of the Trusteeship Council)

> Pacific Islands Association (PIA) c/o 700 South Flower Street 30th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

> > 22 April 1986

The Secretary-General United Nations New York, New York 10017

Dear Mr. Secretary,

The Pacific Islands Association hereby requests, pursuant to rule 87 of the rules of procedure of the Trusteeship Council, the opportunity to present an oral petition to the Trusteeship Council at its 1986 regular session.

The petition would address any agenda item(s) dealing with the future of the Trust Territory.

Thank you for your assistance in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) Peter S. WATSON Co-Director

cc: President, Trusteeship Council