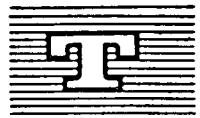


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PETITION FROM MR. BALERIO U. PEDRO CONCERNING
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Angaur Island
Koror, Palau Islands 96940
29 April 1980

Mdm. President Sheila Harden
United Nations Trusteeship Council
United Nations Headquarters
New York, N.Y. 10017

Dear Madame President:

I want to attend this coming United Nations Trusteeship Council session but for lack of funds, I'm not sure to make the trip. I therefore request your assistance and advice for financial aid to cover my travel expenses.

It will be my last trip since the United States of America is tentatively going to terminate its United Nations Trusteeship Agreement by next year - 1981. Hence I want to make my last appeal to the members of the Trusteeship Council concerning the Angaur phosphate claims.

We waited for you and other members of the United Nations Visiting Mission to come to Angaur on your recent trip to Palau but we were unfortunate for the trip did not materialize. I hope there will be another United Nations Visiting Mission coming to Angaur as Angaur always welcomes such a trip.

I hope to hear from you and wish you the best of luck.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) Balerio U. PEDRO
