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This campaign is fully committed to the establishment of a nuclear-free zone in the Pacific and Indian Oceans as our contribution to the achievement of a nuclear-free world. We are concerned about the increasingly intense activities of the nuclear Powers in this region.

In particular, we object to the obstacle being placed in the way of the Palauan people in their quest for a nuclear-free environment, self-determination and national sovereignty. We share their desire to have no part of the military activities of the super Powers.

We strongly entreat you to support the Palauans so that they may reconfirm their aspirations for peace and freedom in the referendum of 9 July 1980 without any outside interference.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) Joan SHEARS
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