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Secretary Trusteeship Council United Nations New York United States of America

Dear Secretary,

Greenpeace of New Zealand support whole-heartedly resolution V of the Conference for a Nuclear Free Pacific, 1-6 April 1975, Suva, Fiji. This deals with the United States of America taking full control of the Marianas for their military and nuclear bases.

Our delegate to this conference heard with great unease the accounts of this Territory under the "care" of the United States and feels that the element of responsibility needed by a trustee is sadly lacking here.

If this area passes to the full control of the United States it is feared by the people of the Pacific that great physical and mental environmental damage will be done to these people and these islands.

> (Signed) Wendy ARMSTRONG for The Greenpeace Foundation of New Zealand

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