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PETITION FROM MR. G. TOMOS CONCERNING THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

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The Secretary Trusteeship Council United Nations New York, N.Y. 10017

Dear Sir,

I am deeply concerned about the violent intimidation of those who support the Belauan Constitution (Micronesia).

The violence escalated into the murder of Rubak Bedor, father of Attorney Roman Bedor, at the end of last year.

This violence was initiated by the continual pressure put on the Belauans to support the Compact of Free Association by the United States who are abusing their trusteeship.

I urge the United Nations:

- (1) To insist that the United States renegotiate the Compact of Free Association to comply with the Trusteeship Agreement, 1/ Belau's Constitution and United Nations General Assembly resolution 1514 (XV);
  - (2) To send a non-violent observer mission as a peace-keeping force to Belau;

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(3) Not to terminate the Trusteeship Agreement of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands until the United States has fulfilled its obligations.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) G. TOMOS

## Notes

1/ Trusteeship Agreement for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (United Nations publication, Sales No. 1957.VI.A.1).