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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Subj: MEETING WITH GUAM COMMUNITY DELEGATION

- Encl: (1) Guam's Infrastructure and Quality of Life Brief
(2) Guam International Airport Fiscal Year 2003 Overview
(3) Guam Power Authority Brief
(4) Guam Telephone Authority Brief
(5) Guam Statewide (Island-Wide) Transportation Improvement Plan, FY 2004, Modified
- FY 2006
(6) Port Authority of Guam Brief
(7) Biographies of Guam Delegation

1. Mr. H. T. Johnson, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Installations and Environment (ASN (I&E)), met with members of the Guam community delegation, including Lee P. Webber, Chairman of the Board; James L. Adkins, Chairman, Armed Forces Committee; Gerald S.A. Perez, Vice Chairman, Armed Forces Committee; L. Carl Peterson, Immediate past Chairman, Armed Forces Committee; and RADM Arthur Johnson, Commander, Naval Forces Marianas at 0945 in Room 4E523 at the Pentagon on 2 April 2004. Captain James A. Noel, USMC, IAT Recorder, was present as well.

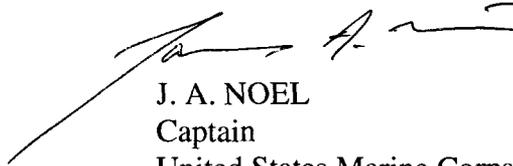
2. Mr. Perez invited Mr. Johnson to visit Guam, and used enclosure (1) to discuss important improvements to Guam's infrastructure that allow accommodation of significant increases in military activity beneficial to the DON. Mr. Perez highlighted budgeted improvements for infrastructure including improvements to: potable water capacity; sewer facilities capacity; electrical power capacity; and telecommunications privatization, noting that Guam is expected to have the world's most advanced communications networks by 2005. Mr. Perez also highlighted improvements to Quality of Life issues at Guam. Enclosures (2) through (7) were provided to Mr. Johnson prior to the meeting.

3. Mr. Johnson stated the policy of being available to visit with anyone with an interest in BRAC. Mr. Johnson expressed the need for a more rational nexus to the level of infrastructure services provide at Guam and the cost of services. He confirmed that Guam is important to the future of DON. Mr. Johnson highlighted the transformational imperative of this BRAC round, explaining that the BRAC process will comport with law and statute. He described the process as a simple matter of giving primacy to the 20 year Force Structure Plan (FSP), establishing the inventory required to support the FSP, determining the current inventory, and reducing the excess. Mr. Johnson emphasized that there are no preconceived lists of bases for closure or realignment. He stated the DoN policy of collecting detailed, certified data, to allow for decisions based solely on the selection criteria that treats all bases equally. Mr. Johnson further

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stated that DoN will listen to the community and keep any information received; however, community information will not be included as part of the certified data for decision-making.

4. The meeting concluded at 1030.



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