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His Excellency Banny de Brum
Ambassador of the Republic of
the Marshall Islands
Embassy of the Republic of
the Marshall Islands
2433 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20008

Dear Ambassador de Brum:

Thank you for your letter of May 17, 1999, inviting me to meet with Minister Muller and Secretary Maddison on June 20-21, 1999, in Hawaii. I regret that I will be unable to meet at that time.

I suggest that we hold a meeting concurrent with the planned meeting in Honolulu in October. If this is not an acceptable time, please suggest another time during the fall/winter months.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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cc: Joseph McDermott, DOI

