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Dear Mr. Cohen:

Thank you for your letter of June 1, 2007, regarding the interpretation of the
Compacts of Free Association between the United States and the Federated States of

the United States and Palau, et al.