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CHANGE ITEM(S)

1. July 12, 1979, Kiribati became independent.

P. 7 - Change GILBERT ISLANDS Name, Code, &
Scope Note to:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Scope Note</u>
KIRIBATI	KR	Became independent July 12, 1979. Includes the Gilbert Islands; Fanning Atoll and Washington Island in the Line Islands; Banaba (Ocean Island) and the following islands claimed by the United States: Caroline, Christmas, Flint, Malden, Starbuck, and Vostok in the Line Islands; Birnie, Gardner, Hull, McKean, Phoenix, Sydney, Canton, and Enderbury in the Phoenix Islands.

P. 5 - Delete the Name, Code and Scope Note for
CANTON AND ENDERBURY ISLANDS

P. 14- Delete Code & Name for Canton and Enderbury
Islands

P. 14- Delete Name and Code for Gilbert Islands

P. 15- Add Code and Name in appropriate listing;
KR KIRIBATI

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ont'd) P. 17-22- Appendix A. Cross Reference:
Under the following names change REFER TO:
KIRIBATI (KR)

Birnie Island (Phoenix Islands)	Malden Island
Canton Island	McKean Island (Phoenix Islands)
Caroline Island	Ocean Island
Christmas Island (Line Islands)	Phoenix Islands
Enderbury Island	Starbuck Island
Gilbert Islands	Sydney (Phoenix Islands)
Gardner Island (Phoenix Islands)	Vostok Island
Fanning Atoll (Line Islands)	Washington Island (Line Islands)
Flint Island	
Hull Island (Phoenix Islands)	
Line Islands	

2. Change in political status of Central African Empire following
September 21, 1979, deposition of Emperor Bokassa I

P. 5 - Change Name Central African Empire to Central African Republic

P.14 - Change Name for Code CT to Central African Republic

3. October 1, 1979 the Panama Canal Treaty was entered into force.

P. 5 - Delete entry Name, code, and scope note for Canal Zone

P.10 - Under Panama change Scope Note to : Includes area formerly
known as the Canal Zone

P.15 - Delete Code and name for Canal Zone

4. St. Vincent and the Grenadines became independent October 27, 1979.

P.11 - Change Name and Scope Note for St. Vincent to:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Scope Note</u>
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	Became independent October 27, 1979.

P.16 - Change Name for Code VC to St. Vincent and the Grenadines

P.19 - Change Refer to for Grenadine Islands (northern) to:
St. Vincent and the Grenadines (VC)
