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Cross, Martin

April 12, 1956

Honorable Martin Cross
Chairman
Three Affiliated Tribes
New Town, North Dakota

Dear Martin:

With further reference to H. R. 5566, the Indian Claims Commission Extension Bill, and the amendment proposed by the Department of Justice which would affect Indian claims based on original Indian title, I have just had a report from Senator James E. Murray, Chairman of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

The Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met on March 9 and ordered the bill reported to the Full Interior Committee without the Justice Department amendment. Yesterday the Full Committee reported the bill to the Senate and I am herewith enclosing a copy of the Senate report 1727 which I thought you would be interested in seeing.

When I have further information on this legislation, I will immediately get in touch with you again.

With kindest regards and hoping you are well and happy,
I am

Sincerely,

WL: mh

Encl.

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