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April 18, 1950

Hon. John R. Nichols, Commissioner Bureau of Indian Affairs Department of the Interior Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Nichols:

I am writing to you in the interest of Mr. John B. Hart, Executive Director, North Dakota Indian Affairs Comm., Rolla, North Dakota, who sent you the following telegram on March 27th:

"Request you give us definite information by wire as to present Indian Bureau plans on purchasing land outside present boundaries of Fort Berthold Reservation and whether or not such purchases will be placed in non-taxable trust status stop prompt reply wire would be appreciated."

I would appreciate it very much if you would have this matter taken care of at your earliest convenience and advise me as to the actions taken in regard to it.

Hoping that you are well and happy, and with kind regards. I am

Sincerely,

WLajm