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Ottawa, 27th March, 1912.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant, with which you forwarded a communication from Chief Charley Allison of Chu-Chu-way-ha Indian Reserve in which he asks to have certain funds at the Band's credit used in defraying the cost of a Church, I beg to say that it is contrary to the Department's policy to use Band funds in the erection of Church buildings and consequently the request made cannot be granted.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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