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I may point out that the resolution passed is not a permit and Marsden had no authority whatever to sell the timber, as you had no right or authority to sanction it verbally or otherwise.

The Department was not aware of this matter until a written complaint was made against the cutting of timber on the Island without its consent by an Indian for his own profit.

Your obedient servant,

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