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Ottawa, June 8, 1909.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 31st ultimo, I have to say that the powers conferred on the Governor in Council under section 3 of the Indian Act, would only be exercised in cases of great importance or necessity. The case of the exchange of the lands of Miss Malvina Rasconi is not of sufficient importance for such action.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

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