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Re: Oinimitis I.R. No. 14

Replying to your letter of September 28th, I would advise that all the information available in this office indicates that the above-mentioned Reserve belongs to the Kelsemart Band. There is reference in some places to ownership of the Reserve by the Clayoquot Tribe, Kelsemart Band, it apparently being understood at one time that Kelsemart was one of the Bands of the Clayoquot Tribe, but I think it can be definitely accepted that the Reserve belongs exclusively to the Kelsemart Band.

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