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Air Mail

September 2, 1949.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa.

Re: Teachers Attending Summer School
Victoria, B.C.

Inspector Davey has received a copy of the list of uncertificated teachers enrolled at the Provincial Summer School in Victoria during the session just completed. The Director of the school, Mr. H.P. Johns, has informed this office that a copy of this list has already been sent to the Department. Inspector Davey has noted that the name of Miss Bernice E. Moats of the Ahousaht Indian Day School does not appear on this list. This may be due to the fact that the list submitted by Mr. Johns includes only those teachers who do not hold B.C. certificates and the term "non-certificated" teachers has been used to cover all teachers not holding B.C. certificates irrespective of their qualifications for teaching in other Provinces. It is possible that Miss Moats now holds a B.C. certificate and that her name was omitted for this reason. However, the Inspector will look into this matter when he visits the Ahousaht school next week. This is drawn to the Department's attention at the present time because there are undoubtedly others holding B.C. certificates who were enrolled at the past session of the Provincial summer school.

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Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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