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Dominion Headquarters  
Montreal  
February 12th 1926

The Secretary  
Department of Indian Affairs  
Headquarters - Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I am deputed by the Dominion Council of this Society to submit as follows:-

We enclose herewith some literature explanatory of the aims and objects of this Society, and would intimate that from time to time there has been, and will in future be, cases of Indians who served in the Canadian Expeditionary Force of the Great War, who unfortunately, may need the services of this Society.

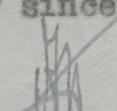
Owing to the peculiar character and habits of the North American Indian, only those closely associated with them are able to obtain reliable information in regards to their real need or otherwise, while - generally speaking - and as a class, they are assumed to be permanently impecunious, though undoubtedly the reverse obtains in many cases.

In view of the foregoing, and the further fact that their 'status' with regard to the making of Affidavit is very indefinite, we respectfully desire to petition the consideration of your Department with regard to permitting your Agents on the respective Reserves, becoming our official representatives in obtaining the necessary information in such a contingency as we exist for.

We shall greatly appreciate your kindness in submitting the foregoing for the consideration of your Department, and in the event of its favourable reception, we should like to have a list of the respective Agents and their addresses for our files.

Thanking you in anticipation.

I have the honour to be,  
Dear Sir,  
very sincerely

  
Dominion Secretary-Treasurer  
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