R. H. Moore, Esq., Indian Agent, Duncan, B.C.

With reference to your letters of April 23rd and 25th in connection with the Standard Logging Company Timber Licence No. 266, I am enclosing for your file copies of timber surrenders Nos. 799 and 1362 which you will note cover the entire 2692 acres of Chemainus Indian Reserve No. 13 which is the area as set out in the timber limence.

The Department is prepared to approve the renewal of Licence No. 266 at the following rates:

Fir and Cedar all grades \$3.50 per M. Hemlock and Balsam all grades \$2.25 per M. Alder and Maple all grades \$2.50 per M

The renewal will contain provision for payment of ground rental at 20¢ per acre on not less than 750 acres.

It would be appreciated if you would secure payment from the Company of ground rent and renewal fee and supply a description of the area to be covered in the licence, that is the area on which ground rent is payable.

-EW Encl. For D. M. Mackay, Indian Commissioner for B.C. RG 10, C-II-2, Vol. 11066 File/dossier 152/20-7-2-17

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