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OTTAWA, 5th January 1904-

Sir-

In reply to your letter of the 12th of November last, enclosing a letter from Messrs George Gordon & Co., addressed to you, offering to release or surrender their claim to exclusive possession of part of the Whitefish Lake Limit, held by them under License No 133, I beg to inform you that before the matter can be properly considered it will be necessary to furnish the Department with an Instrument, under seal, duly attested consenting not only to surrender their exclusive right to hold and occupy the Limit as against yourself but also against all others who may hereafter acquire the right to cut and remove the timber recently surrendered, namely, Hemlock, Spruce and Tamarac, and to give to them the same rights and privileges as they now enjoy.

It will be necessary for the Traders' Band of Canada, in whose name License No 68 now stands, covering part of the same Limit to furnish a similar surrender or consent.

Your obedient servant



Deputy Superintendent General  
of Indian Affairs.

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