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May 23rd, 1947.

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

Re: Timber Licence No. 266

With reference to your letter of May 21st, the Department has now conceded that three parcels comprising approximately 238 acres were excluded from Surrender 799. The Company will therefore have to pay ground rental on only 1374 acres. It would be appreciated if you would secure from the Company payment of their renewal licence fee and ground rental at the rate of 20¢ per acre.

It has been recommended to the Department that their licence be renewed on this basis subject to payment of rates as agreed upon, and that permission be given to them to operate a portable sawmill throughout the area covered by their licence, subject to the usual conditions with respect to the disposal of mill waste, elimination of fire hazards, etc.

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D. M. MacKay,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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