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Sir.

With reference
 to your letter of the
 16th July last transmitting
 a copy of the so-called
 By Laws, passed by
 the Mississaugas of
 the Credit in Council
 on the 10th June previous
 which, according to
 the suggestion of the
 Solicitor of Indian
 Affairs contained in a
 copy of his Opinion
 enclosed herein, should
 be called Rules and
 Regulations; the term
 used in the Act, I
 have to request that
 the said Opinion may
 be communicated to
 the Indians in order
 that the Rules & Reg.
 may be modified, in
 accordance therewith
 I am &c

L.M.

J.A.