

authorities by transmitting either a copy of this report or of such order in council as may alter or modify it, with a view to obtain their assent to the law of the case, and the portion of the indemnity to be paid by the two Governments respectively as herein suggested, and in the event of their entertaining a difference of opinion upon either point, that they may favor the Government of Canada with their view of the law and principle of adjustment.

All which is respectfully submitted.

I have the honor to be,

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DUNBAR ROSS.