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Ottawa, October 31, 1962.

J.V. Boys, Esq., Indian Commissioner for British Columbia, P.O. Box 70, Postal Station "A", Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Mr. Boys:

The Department of National Defence has advised that they have now received sufficient black bearskins to fulfill their requirements for hats for the Guard's Regiment.

Please advise all suppliers to this effect immediately so that no further shipments of skins will be received.

Any pelts which are now on hand, or in transit will be accepted if shipped before November 10, 1962.

All accountable advances provided for the purchase of bearskins are to be returned at the earliest date possible.

The Department wishes to take this opportunity to thank you for your assistance and co-operation in providing the excellent quality bearskins which has made the program a success.

Yours sincerely,

Jules D'Astous,

Chief, Economic Development Division.

Accountable advances for purchase of bearskins outstanding October 29, 1962 - \$500.00.

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