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Ottawa, 26th January, 1915.

sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant, with which you forwarded copy of a resolution passed by the Rama Indian Council requesting that assistance to the amount of \$3.00 in each case be furnished to certain Indians of the Rama Band; and in reply I beg to point out that both the resolution and your covering letter fail to give definite information in the matter. It has not been stated whether it is proposed that relief to the value of \$3.00 shall be given immediately to each of the Indians in question, or whether it is proposed that assistance to that amount shall be supplied once a week or once a month. You should have made the matter perfectly clear in your letter, and moreover you should have stated whether you consider that each of the persons on whose bahalf relief is asked to im actual need of assistance to the amount recommended. Be good enough to forward a full report in the matter without delay. The Department will then take the necessary action.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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