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Sir:

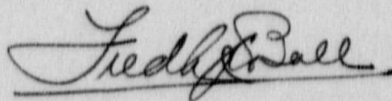
re: File No. 071770

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, addressed to the Indian Commissioner for B. C., regarding Squamish I.R.No. 26 (Chekwelp), I beg to advise that there are 36 summer camp sites leased on this Reserve at the present time. One of these camps is used as a permanent residence but is connected with the Gibson's Landing village water system as our system does not operate in winter. Another camp is more or less permanent and this lease also obtains water other than from our system.

As a matter of fact, the action of these two lessees is not strictly in accordance with their leases which read "for summer camp site purposes".

I trust this is the information you require and I may say that no more lots will be leased on this Reserve as our water system cannot take care of any further demands. There is already a shortage of water during the height of the camping season.

Yours truly,



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