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Ottawa, 6th October, 1902.

Sir:-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 3rd instant, and in reply I beg to inform you that His Excellency, the Governor General in Council has been pleased to approve of the expenditure of \$1,000.00 from the capital funds of the Burnt Church Band of Indians, for the construction of a combined School and Council House on their reserve. The building may, therefore, be completed at once as this sum is now available.

Your obedient servant,

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