

4-9-1

Prince Rupert, B. C.
21st January, 1942

Dear Sir: Re: Hartley Bay Council
 Your File 32-168

By yesterday's mail I forwarded the names of the Councillors who were recently elected for this Band. As pointed out before, the Councillors for this Band were elected for a three year term. As this expired on January 8th, they insisted on having a new Council elected. They were informed that they were elected under the indefinite system of the Indian Act, Section 97.

The only further report that I can make in this matter is that these Indians are still anxious to be placed under the Advancement Section of the Indian Act as they claim that they were informed by the previous Agent that they were under the Act.

Yours faithfully,

J. Gillett
Indian Agent

JG:F

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Canada.