Ottawa, 21 February, 1955

The Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

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Re: Communications Arrangements for the Haines-Fairbanks Pipeline

I have for acknowledgment your letter of the 13th of January, 1955, bringing to my attention a copy of a letter from your Department to the United States Embassy regarding construction of the communications facilities for the Baines-Fairbanks pipeline project.

It seems probable that the project may affect one tract of land which the Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources is presently considering making available to us for purposes of an Indian Reserve. The effect of the proposed communications line on this area will be considered in conjunction with the Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources.

Yours sincerely,

Laval Fortier.

H. M. JUNES