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My dear Senator:

This will refer to the petition left with me at the time of your recent visit in company with several Hopi Indians.

The Indians ask that the reservation be enlarged. This would require an act of Congress.

The Government is doing everything in its power to bring about better conditions among the Hopis so far as available funds and facilities will permit. Their stock is being improved and water provided therefor; hospitals, doctors, and nurses protect their health; and their children are being educated.

The Indians may hunt in the reservation without having to pay a license fee. However, if they hunt off the reservation they must comply with the State law.

The petition is returned herewith.

Cordially yours,

(Signed) Chas. H. Burke

Commissioner.

Hon. Ralph H. Cameron,

United States Senate.

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Carbon to: Hopi with copy of petition.

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