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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20245

IN REPLY REFER TO:
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Honorable Dewey F. Bartlett
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

SEP 26 1974

Dear Senator Bartlett:

Thank you for your September 5 inquiry on behalf of Mr. Roy T. Ussrey, Ardmore, Oklahoma, who sent you a petition concerning a possible relocation of the Bureau's Ardmore Agency.

There are no present plans being considered to relocate the Bureau's Ardmore Agency to any other community. We recently responded to a similar inquiry on this matter to the Speaker of the House. A copy of that response is enclosed.

If we can be of any further assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely yours,

(Sgd) Morris Thompson

Commissioner of Indian Affairs

Enclosure

cc: Carl Albert

BIA - Ardmore Indians

September 30, 1974

The Honorable Morris Thompson
Commissioner
Bureau of Indian Affairs
Washington, D.C. 20245

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

Thank you very much for forwarding me a copy of your September 26 letter addressed to the Honorable Dewey Bartlett concerning Mr. Roy T. Ussery of Ardmore, Oklahoma. I appreciate your keeping me informed on the concerns of these citizens.

With very best wishes,

Sincerely,

The Speaker

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