

Calvin Beams

Mr. A--

Ben Choate has called from Oklahoma City twice about John Spaan asking that we contact Dr. Rabeau again in his behalf.

I thought you might want to call

Dr. Rabeau, 179-5517

and simply tell him what you told Bob Drew when he was by the other day:

That we continue to get strong expressions of support for Mr. Spaan, that his appointment seems to be the one thing~~s~~ that all our Indians are united on, etc.

Explain that we get calls, wires and letters each day on the subject...

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(Dr. Rabeau will be in his office tomorrow (Friday) morning).

Ben will see you in McAlister  
May 20 -

5-11-67

Bill Kerr called 5-12-67 in  
behalf of Mr. Spaan -

Mr. A

Chief Jimmy Belvin of Durant called 5-2-67.

179-5517

He wants you to call Dr. Rabeau to strongly recommend again that

Mr. John Spaan

be named Executive Officer in the Oklahoma City Area

Office of the Public Health Service Indian Health  
Division...

He has endorsement of Inter-Tribal Council, National Congress of American  
Indians, tribal leaders all over Oklahoma, etc.

Jimmy said whatever we did not to let Dr. Rabeau name

Jim Gordon or Tom Gillmore

for the job....

Chief says you're the only man who can get this done...They can't depend on  
Sen. Monroney or others...

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What should I do?  
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5/15/67

Ben Choate, Oklahoma City, JA 1-2146

Called in inquire about the status of the appointment of the Indian Health Program in Oklahoma City. He said he understood Charlie was going to talk with Dr. Rabbeau in this regard and that Dr. Rabbeau would be making ~~an appointment~~ a decision within a few days.

He (Ben) hopes to see Mr. Albert in McAlester on Saturday.

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Mr. Albert said He  
talked with Dr. Rabbeau  
on this matter.