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The Honourable Tagak Curley
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Government of the N.W.T.
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DIRECT.*

Dear Sir,

Re Vacation Travel Assistance; We, the undersigned do hereby petition you to have amended the Vacation Travel Assistance regulation which came into force January the 1st 1987.

Whether it was intended or not this new rule which states that a trip to or through southern Canada will not normally be taxable but that travel assistance may be taxable if used for a trip within the north, has created a demoralizing atmosphere, is segregationist and prejudiced against northern people.

We ask that this situation be rectified forthwith and that non taxable travel assistance be applicable also for Government of the N.W.T. employees who wish to remain and travel within the north.

Yours Sincerely,

Concerned Citizens.:

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John Wallack
Paul Antist
George Tammy
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