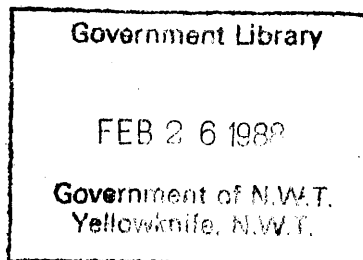


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Dear Sir:

Attached please find a copy of a Resolution made and passed unanimously at a Public meeting held on the 13th of October 1987.

As you are well aware "the land" means "the life" of the Native people and also these people should be allowed to govern their own affairs.

The remarks made by the Pope and similar remarks made by the Queen, support land settlement and self government.

You in your office are in a position to have influence in making historical decisions, let us pray they are fair decisions.

Thank You,

Raymond Ningeocheak
Mayor

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RESOLUTION REGARDING CONSTITUTION

WHEREAS the inuit people of the Canada North believe that they should be involved in the forming of the constitution, and

WHEREAS the Federal Government appears to be devolving "too much" legislative power to the Provincial Governments, causing the people of the North to wonder "to whom do we look up to?; the provinces of the Federal Government.", and

WHEREAS during the recent visit of Pope John Paul II, he expressed his support of the aboriginal people and their rights to adequate land and self-government, now

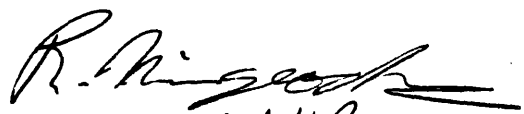
THEREFORE we the people of Coral Harbour resolve that the Federal Government take steps to ensure that the Canada North gets those rights which are proper and that the people of the North be directly involved in all constitutional discussions.

MOTION #135/87

Moved by: Lucassie Nakoolak Seconded by: Tooma Netser

Yeas 85 Nays 0

Carried unanimously at a Public Meeting October 13, 1987


MAYOR