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[FOR ORIGINAL DOCUMENTED PETITION SUBMISSION]

Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs
Attn: Office of Federal Acknowledgment
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1951 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20240

Dear Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs:

This letter certifies that the accompanying petition for Federal acknowledgment under Title 25, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 83, *Procedures for Establishing That an American Indian Group Exists as an Indian Tribe* (25 CFR Part 83), is the official original documented petition of the [NAME OF PETITIONING GROUP].

This certification is signed by members of the group's governing body of the [NAME OF PETITIONING GROUP] and submitted to the Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs in response to all of the criteria under 25 CFR Part 83.

Sincerely,

[NAME OF ELECTED OFFICIAL]

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