



CANADA

NORTHERN ADMINISTRATION
AND LANDS BRANCH

DEPARTMENT
OF
RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Ottawa, 29 May, 1951.

Dear Dr. Charron,

I would refer to the death of Frank Abel, Treaty Indian child at Yellowknife, N.W.T., presumably from arsenic trioxide poisoning, and the report by the Medical Health Officer, Dr. O.L. Stanton, which was furnished to you under cover of my letter of the 28th of May.

Arrangements have been made for Mr. A.K. Muir, Manager, Giant Yellowknife Gold Mines Limited, to be in Ottawa on Friday, June 1st, and it is considered advisable to reconvene the representatives of interested departments to review the steps that have been taken in the past with regard to the arsenic disposal problem at Yellowknife. I should appreciate it very much if you and Dr. Kay could come to my office, Room 103, Norlite Building, Friday, June 1st, at 4.00 P.M.

Yours very truly,

G.E.B. Sinclair,
Director.

Dr. K.C. Charron,
Chief, Industrial Health Division,
Department of National Health and Welfare,
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