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Mr. Robert Figulis  
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Northern Michigan University  
Marquette, Michigan 49855

Dear Mr. Figulis:

As per telephone conversation between Mr. James Carter and this office, it is agreeable with this office for you to release the Bureau checks to those Indian students on campus at Northern Michigan University this summer.

Additionally, this office will be requesting a check in the amount of \$500 for David Batiste to help defray his expenses this summer. This check has not yet been ordered and will be a few weeks before we can make it available to Mr. Batiste.

It is the feeling of this office that the Indian students participating in the Nishnawbe News are doing a tremendous service.

Sincerely yours,

(Sgd.) Paul A. Melchior  
Paul A. Melchior  
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