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Tribal Government Services-FA

AUG 3 1983

Mr. Eddie L. Tullis
Route 3, Box 243-A
Atmore, Alabama 36502

Dear Mr. Tullis:

In accordance with an August 30, 1979, policy letter (copy enclosed), a genealogical selection has been prepared for the Poarch Band of Creeks. The purpose of the selection is to identify any additional information and/or documentation needed to complete the genealogical review of the petition. Specific details regarding materials included in the selection will be found as an enclosure to this letter.

During the week of July 11, Mrs. Lynn McMillion of our Acknowledgment staff discussed the substance of each item being requested with Mrs. Gale Thrower, your archivist. None of the items included appeared to create any problem and Mrs. Thrower indicated that she would be happy to address these items upon her return from Oklahoma.

The staff will need the requested materials by September 2, in order to include them in the findings. In the interest of time, we ask that the materials be forwarded as soon as they become available rather than held and sent as a group at a later date. If any of the items requested present a problem, Mrs. McMillion will be happy to work with you to resolve it.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to the Poarch Creek members, to your staff, and, in particular, to Mrs. Gale Thrower, for their cooperation. All have responded to our frequent calls and letters with the utmost courtesy and enthusiasm. The archives of the Poarch Band are exceptionally well researched and documented and the access our staff was permitted during their recent field trips was most helpful and productive.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact the staff at (202) 343-3568.

Sincerely,

1st Hazel E. Eldert

ACTING Chief, Division of Tribal Government Services

Enclosures

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**GENEALOGICAL SELECTION
for
POARCH BAND OF CREEKS**

1. Describe the actual process used to determine who was eligible for membership under the current constitution, and, thus entitled to be listed on the Poarch Band of Creeks (hereinafter PBC) membership roll of October 25, 1982. This information can be presented as a step-by-step chronological outline or in a narrative format, whichever method is simplest to prepare.
2. Provide a list of those members who appear on the PBC roll, as of 10/25/82, for whom a blood degree correction has been processed. For each person included, please list PBC roll number, full name as it appears on roll, the corrected blood degree and a brief note as to why the correction was necessary (e.g., father 4/4, not 3/4 as shown).
3. Provide a copy of the chart which exists of those persons on the PBC roll who need more documentation to establish the necessary blood degree. We understand that these people (approximately 49 in number) were placed on the roll in the belief that the necessary documentation was available, and would be forthcoming, to satisfactorily establish their individual eligibility for membership.
4. _____ Identify by name the wives of _____, and the children he fathered by each.
5. _____, father of _____
 - a. How do you arrive at 4/4 blood degree for _____, father of _____ ?
 - b. What evidence do you have that _____, mother of _____ and _____ grandmother of _____, was a daughter of _____ and _____ ?
6. _____
 - a. Provide a photocopy of the affidavit used to establish correct sex of _____ (Family Dwelling 66, 1900 Federal Population census of Jack Springs Beat 6, Escambia County, Alabama).
 - b. What relationship, if any, existed between this _____ who is identified as a parent of _____ ?
7. _____ Provide a photocopy of the affidavit signed by _____ which relates to _____
8. _____ Provide a photocopy of the baptismal record of _____ and any other documents on file which help to explain the relationship between _____

9. _____ Provide a photocopy of the entire contents of the file for _____.
10. _____ Provide photocopies of the affidavit and the 1920 census information relating to the name change which occurred in the family of _____.
11. _____ Provide a photocopy of the birth certificate for _____.
12. _____ Provide a photocopy of the obituary used to establish the ancestry of _____.
13. _____
 - a. Provide a photocopy of the birth certificate for _____.
 - b. Did _____ use the surnames _____ for what time periods? If so, why and _____?
14. _____ Provide a photocopy of _____ will.
15. _____ Provide a photocopy of the Eastern Cherokee application which supports PBC conclusions regarding the parents of _____, mother of _____.
16. Prepare a genealogical diagram to illustrate the family relationships which existed between some the descendants of _____ and his wife _____. Diagram should include the names of each of the children of _____ and their spouses. For daughter _____ only, please include the names of _____ children, their spouses, and their children (i.e., _____ grandchildren). Where possible, please include individual's year of birth and death.