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From: abramoffj@
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Thanks.

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From: Italia Federici [mailto:italia@]
Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2003 12:06 PM
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Hi Jack: I'm talking with Steve in about 30 minutes and will call you right after. I know he said they don't want her for the job so I don't know what the thought was here but I'll find out. He's calling me back to talk about Mashpee.

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From: abramoffj@ [mailto:abramoffj@]
Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2003 9:22 AM
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WAT?!?! I can't believe they named her...

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Sec. Norton Names Aurene Martin Acting Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs--

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 /U.S. Newswire/ -- Interior Secretary Gale

Norton has announced her designation of Aurene M. Martin, a member of the Bad River Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, as acting assistant secretary - Indian affairs.

"Aurene Martin brings solid experience in Indian affairs and a commitment to excellence to her new role," said Secretary Norton.

"She will be an able leader for the Bureau of Indian Affairs during its transition into an efficient and effective Indian service."

Martin had served as deputy assistant secretary under Assistant Secretary Neal McCaleb, who recently retired from public service.

"I'm deeply honored to accept Secretary Norton's designation,"

Martin said, "and I am confident that our efforts to improve the BIA will result in improved services to the trust beneficiaries and the federally recognized tribes."

In October 2001, Martin joined the Interior Department as Counselor to the Assistant Secretary after having served as Republican senior counsel to the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs

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