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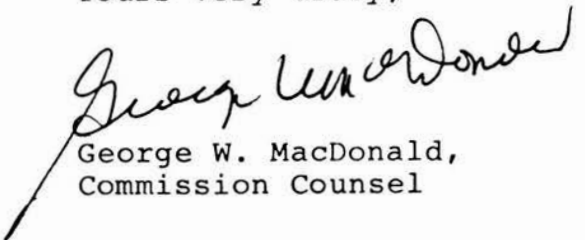
Mr. Philip Cohen  
9 Bezanson Street  
Glace Bay, Nova Scotia B1A 1S1

Dear Mr. Cohen:

Thank you for your letter of March 21, 1988. I have taken the liberty of referring your letter to the Commissioners and also to the counsel for the Attorney General with the suggestion he may wish to pass it along to Mr. Giffin.

I appreciate your having taken the time to provide the Commission with your comments concerning Mr. Giffin.

Yours very truly,



George W. MacDonald,  
Commission Counsel

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MAR 24 1988

PHILIP COHEN  
7 BEZANSON ST.  
GLACE BAY, N.S. B1A 1S1  
TEL 849 4880  
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Dear Mr. McDonald:

Re the Marshall enquiry, and the  
Honourable Ron Giffen.

When the word racism was associated with  
Mr. Giffen, I felt it my duty to bring the following to your attention.

I am somewhat of an authority on racism based on experience.

My father George Cohen, now deceased, was robbed 22 times,  
had 3 buildings burned, 5 buildings stolen, land valued at 150,000  
stolen, a sewer line cut off causing two families to live on top  
of raw sewage for 6 months, and my own home and land is  
damaged to the extent of 50,000.

The Town of Glace Bay is responsible for most of our problems.

I contacted everyone and anyone who I thought would  
put a stop to this racism (or nazism).

The only person who understood what was happening  
to my father and I, who did see and talk to me, who  
did return my phone calls, who did help alleviate these  
ongoing problems, and who did CARE was the Honourable  
Ron Giffen.

This man couldn't be a racist even if he tried.

Yours very truly  
Philip Cohen



GLACE BAY, NOVA SCOTIA  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

March 4, 1983

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: Mr. Phillip Cohen  
9 Bezanson Street  
Glace Bay, Nova Scotia

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I am very pleased to have been asked to provide a character reference for Phillip Cohen of 9 Bezanson Street, Glace Bay, Nova Scotia.

Mr. Cohen is a life long resident of our community and has always been held in high esteem by his neighbours and friends. Mr. Cohen has been employed for the past number of years at the Sysco Steel Plant in Sydney, and is regarded as a very hard and conscientious worker.

Mr. Cohen appears to be a considerate and compassionate person. His mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen are also residents of this community and in later years have been experiencing health problems. During these past years Mr. Cohen has been providing financial and household assistance to his mother and father while they are in their later years.

Mr. Cohen is a very outstanding citizen of our community and I therefore have no hesitation in providing this letter of recommendation and reference to you.

Yours very truly,

Bruce A. Clark  
Mayor  
Town of Glace Bay

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