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Edwin F. Smith-Ka-Nam
Head Chief, The Snoqualmoo Tribe
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The State of Washington
United States of America

Honorable George Bush
President, United States of America
1600 Pennsylvania
Washington, District of Columbia
United States of America

Subject: Actual and Constructive Administrative Notice

Honorable Mr. President:

I, Edwin F. Smith-Ka-Nam, Head Chief of the allied Snoqualmoo Tribes, deliver this Actual and Constructive Administrative Notice to you, George W. Bush, President of the republic, United States of America, which you administer. Pursuant to our commitments, to the republic you head, you are hereby given notice that we have been and are exercising our authority to administer, control, license and regulate all the travel, hunting, fishing and gathering rights conferred, by the 1855 Point Elliott Treaty, to our individual tribal members, in conformance to the laws of the allied Snoqualmoo Nations and the republic United States of America.

Please advise the Office of Head Chief of any procedural or noticing requirements you may deem convenient or prudent for improving cooperation and communication between our respective offices and the agencies acting at our direction.

Thank you for your prompt attention to these matters.

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Edwin F. Smith-Ka-Nam;
Head Chief
Snoqualmoo Tribe

cc: Governor, The State of Washington, United States of America
Director, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
Secretary of the Interior, United States