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February 12, 1973.

Mr. David Anderson, M.L.A.
Legislative Assembly,
Victoria, B.C.

Dear David:

We have now received your letter of February 2, and are delighted with the prospect that members of the student body of Douglas College will be undertaking a fund raising campaign to assist us in our court battle to stop the tankers from carrying Alaskan oil along the west coast of Canada.

Your letter points out that, in case there were funds from this campaign remaining at the termination of the suit, the donors would wish those remaining funds to be spent in British Columbia, preferably for acquisition or park land or wildlife habitat. We think that this would be an entirely appropriate use of any surplus funds and we are therefore pleased to agree to such a proviso becoming part of the understanding you are working toward. Our concurrence in this matter is being relayed to "Stop the Tankers Committee" by means of a photocopy of this letter.

Now that the U.S. Court of Appeals has ruled in our favour, we must very quickly prepare ourselves for proceeding to the Supreme Court. The proposal that the people at Douglas College might spearhead a drive for funds to be used for that purpose is most timely and welcome.

Yours very truly,



R.C. Passmore,
Executive Director.

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