HAVRE, MONT., March 28, 1968.

JOHN BELINDO. Executive Director, NCAI:

National Congress of American Indian 1346 Connecticut Ave., Washington, D.C. requesting your support civil rights bill for the American Indians Amendment 430.

JOE DEMONTINEY Chairman, Chippewa-Cree Tribe.

METLAKATLA, ALASKA, March 27, 1968.

Congress of American Indians, Washington, D.C.:

Metlakatla Indian Committee fully support Amendment 430 to civil rights bill to clarify constitutional rights of American Indians. We urge your support on this amendment at this time.

Mayor Henry S. Littlefield, Town of Metlakatla.

MISSOULA, MONT., March 26, 1968.

NCAI,

Washington, D.C.:

The Confederated, Salish and Kootenai Tribe of Flathead Reservation, Montana, urge favorable action on provision of S. 1843 and H.R. 15122 which would modify Public Law 280 and thereby secure to tribes the right to govern themselves, and if that right has been taken from them to permit the state to return it to them.

TRIBAL COUNCIL, CONFEDERATED SALISH AND KOOTENAI TRIBES, Flathead Reservation, Montana.

EUREKA, CALIF., March 26, 1968.

JOHN BELINDO,

The National Congress of American Indians, Washingon, D.C.:

The Hoopa Tribal Business Council, representing over 1,200 Indian members urges immediate passage of Amendment No. 430 to American Indians Civil Rights

CHAS. J. MOON. Chairman. ELSIE RICKLEES, Legislative Committee.

SCOTTSDALE, ARIZ., March 28, 1968.

JOHNNY BELINDO. Executive Director, National Congress of American Indians, Washington, D.C.:

Appreciate your wire. Have sent wires to Congressmen Aspinall, Haley, Udall, Rhodes, and Steiger 2 days ago, Endorsing S. 2516 as it came out of the House. quiets the fears of P.L. 280.

FILMORE CARLOS, President, Salt River Indian Community.

> ROOSEVELT, UTAH, March 27, 1968.

JOHN BELINDO, Executive Director of National Congress of American Indians, Washington, D.C.:

Your T.T. received. We believe S. 1843 needs amendment and special consideration. We oppose amendment in housing bill. We are preparing our own amendments for hearing.

UTE INDIAN TRIBE U. & O. AGENCY, FRANCIS WYASKER, Chairman, Tribal Business Committee.