

FILE NO.

VOLUME

**INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH**

DEPARTMENT OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION

**SUBJECT**

PORTER, STEVEN J.  
(NAME)

17

(BAND NUMBER)

(BAND)

(AGENCY)

[illegible]

**DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE**

Vancouver 2, B.C.  
July 23, 1965.

166/29-4P

Mr. T.D. Bingham,  
Supt. of Child Welfare,  
Social Welfare Department,  
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Mr. Bingham:

Re: Nettie & Ted CROUCH  
Ch: Christine Lucy. b. [REDACTED] 62

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We are returning herewith the attached photocopy of the order committing the above named child to the care of the Superintendent of Child Welfare. This child is of non-Indian status and we advised you of this in our letter of March 17, 1964.

Yours truly,

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

Encl.



DEPARTMENT OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION  
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

☒ CHILD CARE      ☐ JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

INDIAN CHILD PLACEMENT APPLICATION AND  
AUTHORITY FORM

Application is hereby made for authority to pay on behalf of  
the under-mentioned child at the rate charged by the Child  
Caring Agency ☒, or at the rate of \$2.67 per diem

☒ Daily,    ☐ Weekly,    ☐ Monthly

PAYABLE TO:    ☐ Foster Parent  
                  ☒ Child Caring Agency

FILE NO.	166/29-4
DATE	April 22, 1965
AGENCY	Yukon
REGIONAL OFFICE AUTHORITY NO.	2080/65-66/2720
FROM	Feb. 15, 1965 <sup>o</sup> Jan 31/68

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CHILD

1. NAME	Steven James PORTER		2. BAND	Liard River
3. BAND NO.		4. DATE OF BIRTH	1959	
5. RELIGION R.C.				

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE THIS APPLICATION IS WARRANTED AND ACCORDINGLY I AUTHORIZE THE  
REQUIRED PAYMENTS TO BE MADE.

*Shirley Mendenhall*  
REGIONAL SUPERVISOR

PARENTS

6. NAME OF MOTHER	Nettie Crouch, nee Porter		9. NAME OF FATHER	
7. BAND AND BAND NO.	Non-Indian Status		10. BAND AND BAND NO.	
8. PRESENT ADDRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> ON RESERVE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OFF RESERVE		11. PRESENT ADDRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> ON RESERVE <input type="checkbox"/> OFF RESERVE
12. HAVE ARRANGEMENTS BEEN MADE WHEREBY PARENTS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE SUPPORT OF THE CHILD? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				
13. IF NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE RE MOTHER OR FATHER, GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN, LEGAL GUARDIAN OR NEAREST RELATIVE				

PLACEMENT BY A CHILD  
CARING AGENCY OR COURT

14. NAME OF AGENCY	Department of Social Welfare, Fort St. John, B.C.		
15. STATUS OF CHILD:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PERMANENT WARDSHIP <input type="checkbox"/> TEMPORARY WARDSHIP <input type="checkbox"/> NON-WARD <input type="checkbox"/> JUVENILE DELINQUENT PLACED IN REFORM INSTITUTION		
16. DATE CHILD ADMITTED TO CARE OR COMMITTED TO A REFORM INSTITUTION	Feb. 15, 1965		
17. IF CHILD APPREHENDED OFF THE RESERVE, GIVE BRIEF RESIDENCE HISTORY	Child was with the parents in Yukon Territory in May of 1963. All Indian persons in Yukon deemed resident on Reserve. Child was received into care of Supp. of Welfare, Yukon Territory Feb. 14/65 & care resumed by B.C. Welfare on Feb. 15/65		

PLACEMENT BY INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

18. DATE OF PLACEMENT IN FOSTER HOME OR INSTITUTION			
19. REASONS NECESSITATING PLACEMENT	Child was with the parents in Yukon Territory in May of 1963. All Indian persons in Yukon deemed resident on Reserve. Child was received into care of Supp. of Welfare, Yukon Territory Feb. 14/65 & care resumed by B.C. Welfare on Feb. 15/65		
20. WHO REQUESTED PLACEMENT?	21. WHO MADE PLACEMENT?		
22. HAVE PARENT (S) SIGNED PERMISSION FOR PLACEMENT (FORM IA 3-149)? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
23. PLANS FOR CHILD'S FUTURE (Including education and possible adoption)			
24. NAME OF FOSTER PARENTS OR INSTITUTION WHERE CHILD IS TO BE, OR HAS BEEN PLACED NAME ADDRESS <input type="checkbox"/> ON RESERVE <input type="checkbox"/> OFF RESERVE			
25. RELATIONSHIP OF FOSTER PARENTS TO CHILD	26. FOSTER PARENTS ARE <input type="checkbox"/> INDIAN <input type="checkbox"/> NON-INDIAN (Give band and band number, if Indian)		
27. BRIEF INDICATION OF FOSTER HOME ENVIRONMENT			

April 22/1965

DATE

*P. Wilton*  
INDIAN AGENCY SUPERINTENDENT

(IF ADDITIONAL SPACE REQUIRED USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET)

TUMBLE: ☐ YES    ☒ NO 000198

• FOR TREASURY USE ONLY •

**AUTHORITY NO.** .....

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FROM	TO
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	3. BAND NO. [redacted]	4. DATE OF BIRTH [redacted] 1959
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[Signature] REGIONAL SUPERVISOR		

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Superintendent, Yukon Agency.

166/29-4P

Indian Commissioner for B.C.

July 15, 1965.

Steven James PORTER  
No. Liard River Band

s.19(1)

For your information we have now received a copy of the Order, dated May 17, 1965, committing the above named child to the care of the Superintendent of Child Welfare and it has been placed on our file.

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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CHILD WELFARE DIVISION  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE  
PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS

VICTORIA, B.C. 8.7.65

To Indian Commissioner for B.C.  
Vancouver 2, B.C.  
your file no: 166/29-14P

The attached communication is for your attention.

Please send [ 2 ] [ 3 ] [ 4 ] copies of your reply through  
office.

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Superintendent of Child Welfare.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA  
PROTECTION OF CHILDREN ACT

(Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1960, Chapter 303)



## ORDER

WHEREAS

*STEVEN JAMES PORTER*

(Full legal names of child or children.)

apprehended on the *14<sup>TH</sup>* day of *FEBRUARY*, 1965, and first brought before*ME*

(Name of Judge presiding at first hearing or "me" if same Judge throughout.)

on the *15<sup>TH</sup>* day of *FEBRUARY*, 1965, by *CPL. M. DWERNICHUK*

(Name.)

*POLICE CONSTABLE*

(Occupation.)

*GOVERNMENT OF CANADA*

(Employer.)

, duly

authorized in this behalf in accordance with section 7, *Protection of Children Act*, to determine if the said*CHILD IS*

(Child is/children are.)

in need of protection within the meaning of the said Act.

AND WHEREAS due notice of this investigation was given to the Superintendent of Child Welfare for the Province of British Columbia; to *MRS. NETTIE CROUCH*

(Names of other persons notified of hearing.)

UPON HEARING the evidence adduced, and upon hearing

*RICHARD EDWARD PHILLIPS*

(Names of persons giving evidence or representing principals.)

I DO FIND that the said *CHILD IS*

(Child is/children are.)

in need of protection within the meaning

of the said Act, by reason of section 7, subsection *K. WHO HAS NO PARENT CAPABLE**OF EXERCISING PROPER PARENTAL CONTROL*

(Quote exactly the relevant clause or clauses from the Act.)

I DO FURTHER FIND the following as facts in regard to the said *CHILD*

(Child/children.)

Surname	Christian Name(s)	Date of Birth	Nationality	Religion	Abandoned	
					By Father? (Yes/No)	By Mother? (Yes/No)
<i>PORTER</i>	<i>STEVEN JAMES</i>	<i>59</i> s.19(1)	<i>CAN.</i>	<i>R.C.</i>	<i>N.</i>	<i>N.</i>

p.c. to IAB 8.7.65



### Father

*Mother*

Living? N/K (Yes/no.) YES (Yes/no.)

*Protection of Children Act.*

P. District Supervisor



Vancouver 2, B.C.  
April 26, 1965.

166/29-4P

Mr. T.D. Bingham,  
Supt. of Child Welfare,  
Social Welfare Department,  
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Mr. Bingham:

Re: Nettie CROUCH, non-Indian,  
Ch: Steven PORTER, b. [redacted] 59,  
No. [redacted] Liard River Band,  
Yukon Indian Agency.

s.19(1)

This will acknowledge receipt of your notice of April 13 in connection with the apprehension of the above named child.

Please be advised that this Department will accept maintenance costs for Steven at your per diem rate as of February 15, 1965.

Yours truly,

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

(dup.)  
gs



## MEMORANDUM

CLASSIFICATION

TO  
A Indian Commissioner for B.C.

YOUR FILE No. 166/29-4P  
Votre dossier

OUR FILE No. 166/Children of  
Notre dossier Nettie PORTER

FROM  
De Indian Superintendent, Yukon Agency

DATE  
April 22, 1965

FOLD

SUBJECT  
Sujet Nettie & Ted CROUCH,  
ch: Steven James PORTER, B. [REDACTED], 59  
No. [REDACTED] Liard River Band

s.19(1)

As requested in your letter of April 15th, we attach an Initial Child Placement Application for Steven James PORTER.

*(Mrs.) P. Wilton*  
A. E. Fry,  
Indian Superintendent.  
/pw  
attach:



Indian Commissioner for B.C.

166/29-4P

166/Children of  
Nettie PORTER

Indian Superintendent, Yukon Agency

April 22, 1965

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/pw  
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Superintendent, Yukon Agency.

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Indian Commissioner for B.C.

April 15, 1965.

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Nettie & Ted CROUCH,  
Ch: Steven James PORTER, b. [REDACTED] 59  
No. [REDACTED] Liard River Band

Attached is a copy of Mr. Bingham's notice of April 13 advising  
of the apprehension of the above named child on February 15, 1965.

Will you please complete an Initial Child Placement Application  
for Steven and forward to this office.

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

Encl.  
gs

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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE  
Child Welfare Division, Victoria, B. C.

DATE: April 13, 1965

TO: Indian Commissioner for B. C.  
Vancouver, B. C.

RE: CROUCH, Nettie & Ted  
Ch: PORTER, Steven - b. [REDACTED] .59  
No. [REDACTED] Liard River Band  
Yukon Indian Agency  
Your File: 166/29-4P

s.19(1)

This will advise you the above named child(~~ren~~) was/~~were~~:

DATE

- ( ☒ ) Apprehended under Protection of Children Act February 15, 1965  
( ) Committed under Juvenile Delinquents Act \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Taken into non-ward care \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRICT OFFICE OR AGENCY CONCERNED IN ABOVE  
Department of Social Welfare, Fort St. John, B. C.

- ( ) Discharged from care \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed on a free-home basis \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed in pay home - from free home basis \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed in Residential School \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed in pay holiday home from Residential School \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

Further to your letter of March 17, 1965.  
Under the circumstances we will consider  
billing date as of February 15, 1965.

*T. D. Bingham*  
T. D. Bingham  
Deputy Superintendent of Child Welfare

TG PLEASE REPLY IN DUPLICATE

c.c. Yukon Agency

Vancouver 2, B.C.  
March 17, 1965.

166/29-4P

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Ch: Steven PORTER, b. [REDACTED] 59  
No. [REDACTED] Liard River Band,  
Yukon Indian Agency.

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We have received your notice of apprehension stating that the above named child was apprehended on February 14, 1965. We have also received a notice from the Yukon Child Welfare stating that they had taken this child into care on February 14 and then discharged Steven to your care on February 15 and the Yukon Department will be billing us for the one day, February 14, care costs. We assume from this that you did in fact take the child into care on February 15 and would ask that you confirm this for us.

Yours truly,

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE  
Child Welfare Division, Victoria, B. C.

DATE: March 10, 1965

TO: Indian Commissioner for B. C.  
Vancouver, B. C.

RE: CROUCH, Nettie & Ted

Ch: PORTER, Steven James - b. [REDACTED].59  
# [REDACTED] Liard River Band, Yukon Agency

s.19(1)

This will advise you the above named child(~~ren~~) was/~~were~~:

DATE

- ( ☒ ) Apprehended under Protection of Children Act February 14, 1965  
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Department of Social Welfare, Fort St. John, B. C.

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T. D. Bingham  
Deputy Superintendent of Child Welfare

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GOVERNMENT OF THE YUKON TERRITORY

DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE

P.O. Box 2703,  
Whitehorse, Y.T.,  
February 26, 1965.

Mr. J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.,  
P.O. Box 70,  
Postal Station "A",  
Vancouver 2, B.C.

Dear Mr. Boys:

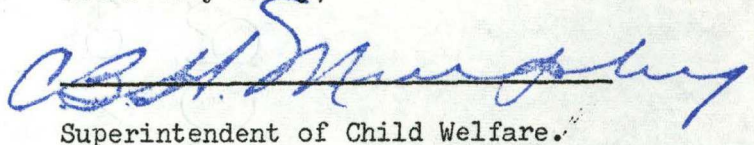
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Re: Mo: CROUCH, Nettie - Liard River [REDACTED]  
Fa: U/K  
Ch: PORTER, Stephen, b.d. [REDACTED]/59  
Whitehorse, Y. T.

This is to advise you that the above named child/~~children~~, who were taken into the care of the Superintendent of Child Welfare on the 14th day of February, 1965, were discharged on the 15th day of February, 1965.

The care of the child/~~children~~ has been resumed by B. C. Welfare Department.

Yours very truly,

  
Superintendent of Child Welfare.

cc: Mr. A. E. Fry, ,  
Superintendent,  
Indian Affairs Branch,  
Box 2110, WHITEHORSE, Y.T.

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GOVERNMENT OF THE YUKON TERRITORY

DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE

P.O. Box 2703,  
Whitehorse, Y.T.,  
February 26, 1965.

Mr. J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.,  
P.O. Box 70,  
Postal Station "A",  
Vancouver 2, B.C.

Dear Mr. Boys:

Re: Mo: CROUCH, Nettie - Liard River [redacted]  
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cc: Mr. A. E. Fry,,  
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Indian Affairs Branch,  
Box 2110, WHITEHORSE, Y.T.

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DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE

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VANCOUVER 2, B.C.

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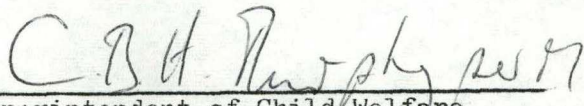
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above named parent(s) was/~~were~~ received into the care of the  
Superintendent of Child Welfare for the Yukon Territory on the  
14th day of February, 19 65.

May I please have your consent to accept the cost of  
maintenance on behalf of the child/~~children~~ for the period during  
which they will remain in care.

Yours very truly,

  
Superintendent of Child Welfare

cc: Department of Indian Affairs,  
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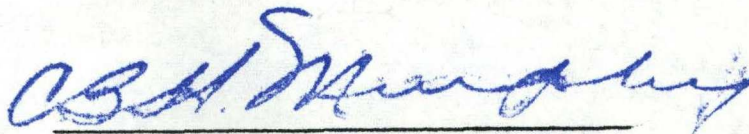
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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION



P.O. Box 70, Postal Station 'A',  
Vancouver 2, B.C.

DIRECTION DES AFFAIRES INDIENNES

MINISTÈRE DE LA CITOYENNETÉ ET DE L'IMMIGRATION

OUR FILE NO. 166/29-1P  
Notre dossier n° Nov. 13, 1964

Medical Services,  
Dept. of National Health & Welfare,  
1110 West Georgia Street,  
Vancouver 5, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Notice of Discharge

Please be advised that Steven James PORTER

No. Liard River Band, Yukon Agency,

formerly in custody of the Superintendent of Child Welfare has  
been returned to the parent(s). April 22, 1964.

Yours truly,

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION  
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FILE NO.	Child of 166/29-4 & Porter, Nettie
DATE	March 11, 1964
AGENCY	Yukon
REGIONAL OFFICE AUTHORITY NO.	2080/63-64/2143
FROM	TO
Oct. 25, 1963	Sept. 30, 1966

CHILD	1. NAME Steven James PORTER	2. BAND Liard River
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	I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE THIS APPLICATION IS WARRANTED AND ACCORDINGLY I AUTHORIZE THE REQUIRED PAYMENTS TO BE MADE.  [Signature] REGIONAL SUPERVISOR	
PARENTS	6. NAME OF MOTHER Nettie Crouch, nee Porter	9. NAME OF FATHER
	7. BAND AND BAND NO. non-Indian status	10. BAND AND BAND NO.
	8. PRESENT ADDRESS <input type="checkbox"/> ON RESERVE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OFF RESERVE	11. PRESENT ADDRESS <input type="checkbox"/> ON RESERVE <input type="checkbox"/> OFF RESERVE
	12. HAVE ARRANGEMENTS BEEN MADE WHEREBY PARENTS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE SUPPORT OF THE CHILD? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
	13. IF NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE RE MOTHER OR FATHER, GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN, LEGAL GUARDIAN OR NEAREST RELATIVE	
PLACEMENT BY A CHILD CARING AGENCY OR COURT	14. NAME OF AGENCY Supt. of Child Welfare, Province of B.C.	
	15. STATUS OF CHILD: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PERMANENT WARDSHIP <input type="checkbox"/> TEMPORARY WARDSHIP <input type="checkbox"/> NON-WARD <input type="checkbox"/> JUVENILE DELINQUENT PLACED IN REFORM INSTITUTION	
	16. DATE CHILD ADMITTED TO CARE OR COMMITTED TO A REFORM INSTITUTION Oct. 25, 1963	
	17. IF CHILD APPREHENDED OFF THE RESERVE, GIVE BRIEF RESIDENCE HISTORY Child was with the parents in Yukon Territory in May of 1963. All Indian persons in Yukon deemed resident on Reserve.	
PLACEMENT BY INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH	18. DATE OF PLACEMENT IN FOSTER HOME OR INSTITUTION	
	19. REASONS NECESSITATING PLACEMENT	
	20. WHO REQUESTED PLACEMENT?	21. WHO MADE PLACEMENT?
	22. HAVE PARENT(S) SIGNED PERMISSION FOR PLACEMENT (FORM IA 3-149)? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
	23. PLANS FOR CHILD'S FUTURE (Including education and possible adoption)	
	24. NAME OF FOSTER PARENTS OR INSTITUTION WHERE CHILD IS TO BE, OR HAS BEEN PLACED NAME	ADDRESS <input type="checkbox"/> ON RESERVE <input type="checkbox"/> OFF RESERVE
	25. RELATIONSHIP OF FOSTER PARENTS TO CHILD	26. FOSTER PARENTS ARE <input type="checkbox"/> INDIAN <input type="checkbox"/> NON-INDIAN (Give band and band number, if Indian)
	27. BRIEF INDICATION OF FOSTER HOME ENVIRONMENT	
	[Handwritten: Cancelled - April 22/64 ref. to mother (copy 3 rec 28/11/64)	
	[Stamp: MAR 22 1964]	

Original signed by  
A. E. F.

DATE

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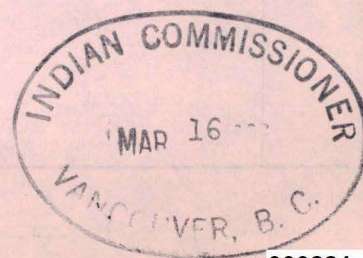
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**NOTES:**

1. Child Caring Agency – includes private agencies, reform institutions and Provincial Departments. Provincial Departments concerned are usually either the Public Welfare Department or the Department of Justice.
2. Completion of Form – When a child is placed by a Child Caring Agency, it will not be necessary to complete that portion of the form entitled "Placement by Indian Affairs Branch". When placed by other than a Child Caring Agency, it will not be necessary to complete that portion of the form entitled "Placement by a Child Caring Agency or Court".



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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE  
Child Welfare Division, Victoria, B. C.DATE: November 5, 1964TO: Indian Commissioner for B. C.  
Vancouver, B. C.RE: CROUCH, Nettie & Ted  
ch: Steven PORTER, b. [REDACTED] 59  
No. [REDACTED] Liard River Band,  
Yukon Agency

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This will advise you the above named child(ren) was/were:

DATE

- ( ) Apprehended under Protection of Children Act \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Committed under Juvenile Delinquents Act \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Taken into non-ward care \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRICT OFFICE OR AGENCY CONCERNED IN ABOVE

- (X) Discharged from care (to mother) April 21, 1964  
( ) Placed on a free-home basis \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed in pay home - from free home basis \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed in Residential School \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Placed in pay holiday home from Residential School \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

  
T. D. Bingham  
Deputy Superintendent of Child Welfare

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION



DIRECTION DES AFFAIRES INDIENNES

MINISTÈRE DE LA CITOYENNETÉ ET DE L'IMMIGRATION

OUR FILE NO.

Notre dossier n° 166/29-4P

Indian Health Services,  
4824 Fraser Street,  
Vancouver 10, B.C.

P.O. Box 70,  
Postal Station 'A'  
Vancouver 2, B.C.

March 17, 1964

Dear Sir:

Notice of Apprehension

Please be advised that Steven James PORTER,  
(Name)

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born 59, child of Nettie Crouch, nee Porter,  
(Parent(s))

No. Liard River Band, Yukon Agency,

was taken into care by the Superintendent of Child Welfare

on October 25, 1963.

Will you please forward any medical history on this  
child so that this information can be passed along to the  
Superintendent of Child Welfare.

Yours truly,

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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P.O. Box 70, Postal Station 'A',  
Vancouver 2, B.C., March 17, 1964.

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Mr. T.D. Bingham;  
Deputy Supt. of Child Welfare,  
Social Welfare Department,  
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Mr. Bingham:

Re: Nettie & Ted CROUCH  
Chn: Christine Lucy CROUCH, b. [REDACTED], 62  
Rosemary Ann CROUCH, b. [REDACTED], 63  
Steven PORTER, b. [REDACTED], 59.

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This will acknowledge receipt of your notice dated March 4 in connection with the apprehension of the above-named children on October 25, 1963.

Please be advised that Nettie Porter married Ted Crouch, a non-Indian. Therefore, by reason of this marriage she and the two children, Christine and Rosemary are of non-Indian status and not the responsibility of this Department.

The child, Steven Porter, is of Indian status, being No. [REDACTED] Liard River Band, Yukon Agency, and this department will accept maintenance costs at your per diem rate on his behalf from October 25, 1963.

Yours truly,

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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Superintendent Yukon Agency

12 March 1964

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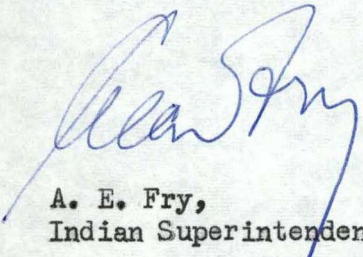
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Nettie & Ted CROUCH,  
Child: Steven PORTER, b. [REDACTED] .59

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I have your memorandum of March 9th, 1964. The child Steven Porter is the only person in the family unit of Indian status.

I attach the Initial Child Placement Application and Authority Form.

  
A. E. Fry,  
Indian Superintendent.

AEF/n  
att:

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Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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Superintendent Yukon Agency

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12 March 1964

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Superintendent, Yukon Agency.

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Indian Commissioner for B.C.

March 9, 1964.

Nettie & Ted CROUCH,  
Chn: Steven PORTER, b. [REDACTED] 59  
Christine Lucy CROUCH, b. [REDACTED] 62  
Rosemary Ann CROUCH, b. [REDACTED] 63

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Attached is a copy of Mr. Bingham's notice of March 4 advising of the apprehension of the above-named children on October 25, 1963.

If these children are of Indian status and their parents have residence on a reserve, will you please complete an Initial Child Placement Application for each child and forward to this office. If they are not our responsibility please advise and give details of family residence if this is the reason the family is no longer a Branch responsibility specifying, if possible, the date the family were last resident on a reserve.

J. V. Boys,  
Indian Commissioner for B.C.

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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE  
Child Welfare Division, Victoria, B. C.

DATE: March 4, 1964.

TO: Indian Commissioner for B. C.  
Vancouver, B. C.

RE: CROUCH, Nettie & Ted  
(nee PORTER - b. about 1943 at Fish Lake, B. C.)  
chn: Steven PORTER, b. [redacted] 59  
Christine Lucy CROUCH, b. [redacted] 62  
Rosemary Ann CROUCH, b. [redacted] 63

# [redacted] Liard River

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T. D. Bingham  
Deputy Superintendent of Child Welfare

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PLEASE REPLY IN DUPLICATE

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