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The Native Commissioner,  
Empangeni.

Sir,

I have advised this native Mntukeyise Zungu who claims to be the heir in the Estate of the late Mahlambulukan Zungu of Chief Pesheya of your District to see you in connection with his complaint which seems to me to be administrative.

This native's father died many years ago. His position as the heir according to his statement was fully established by the Chief of the tribe Pesheya Zungu.

The complaint now is that the Dipping native assistants have refused to have the Dipping Book of the cattle changed from his father's name to his name as the heir. Since the death of his father the cattle are still dipped in the name of his late father

I understand that Chief Pesheya has at one time send his messenger to interview the Dipping Authority but without success. The reason being that there is another half brother of this native who seems to be contesting the position and enjoying the sympathy of the native tank assistant.

I have therefore advised this native to place her complaint before you and leave alone the idea of engaging lawyers in a matter so simple as this.

Yours faithfully

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