Auditors Office
Galveston, Feb. 18th 1848

Returning the enclosed document

I am asked to inform you, I would feel obliged to be informed upon what ground the old Texan Claims of Whatever Nature or Description may be in what manner

Since the appropriation for that purpose, has been considered Contingent Expenses and belongs to the 2d Auditor, he has in accordance to that opinion opened an account with the War Department and has Audited all such Claims. The first auditor will with much pleasure audit the Claim, should upon Examination be of opinion it belongs to the Military

With Consideration of
high respect I remain
Your Obedient Servant

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Auditor

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