

Native Housing Disgrace: Tunney

Calling the state of native American housing in the United States a "national disgrace," Sen. John V. Tunney (D-Calif.) recently urged the Department of Housing and Urban Development to speedily set a date for its long-delayed National Conference on Indian Housing.

"I would hope that this conference would go a step beyond simply restating the problems, and will result in some concrete administrative and legislative proposals. We know the problem; what we need are the solutions."

In addition the senator urged Secretary James Lynn that the conference be held in an area close to the Indian people in order for them to have maximum participation.