THE GIBSON BAND OF INDIANS

BY-LAW NO: 3.77

THE COUNCIL of the Gibson Band of Indians at a meeting held August 22, 1977 makes the following by-law pursuant to paragraphs (c), (g), (h), (q) and (r) of Section 81 of the Indian Act.

A BY-LAW for the posting of signs for the protection of property and advertising of businesses on the Gibson Indian Reserve #31.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Gibson Band of Indians hereby enacts as a by-law thereof the following:

1. This by-law shall be known as the "Posting of Signs By-Law".

Definitions:

- 2.1 "Band" shall mean the Gibson Band of Indians.
- 2.2 "Band Council" shall mean the Council of the Gibson Band of Indians.
- 2.3 "Band Administrator" shall mean the Band Administrator of the Gibson Band of Indians.
- 2.4 "Member of the Band" shall mean an Indian whose name appears on the Gibson Band Membership List, or who is entitled to have their name appear on the Gibson Band Membership List.
- 2.5 "Reserve" shall mean the lands contained within the Gibson Indian Reserve #31.

General Provisions:

- 3.1 This by-law applies to all of the Gibson Indian Reserve.
- 3.2 No person shall erect a sign for advertisement or the protection of property unless a permit has first been obtained from the Band Administrator. (See Annex "A" attached)
- 3.3 No person shall erect a sign that is not properly painted and lettered.
- 3.4 This by-law is to ensure the quality and control of sign posting. Permittees may be subject to a fee established from time to time by resolution of the Council of the Band.
- 3.5 The location of any sign shall be approved by the Band Administrator and stated on the permit.
- 3.6 The permittee must maintain the sign in a reasonable state of appearance and repair.
- 3.7 Abandoned or neglected signs shall be removed by order of the Band Council, and any costs incurred shall be charged to the permittee.

Enforcement and Administration:

- 4.1 The Chief, Councillors, Band Administrator, Indian Constables or any other person or persons named by the Council of the Band, shall be ex-officio officers for the enforcement of this by-law.
- 4.2 The Band Administrator shall maintain the original of this by-law in an up-to-date manner, including all amendments, and have these documents available for examination in his office on the Gibson Indian Reserve, during normal office hours.
- 4.3 Where a person is convicted of an offence under this by-law, the convicting court or judge shall order that the fine imposed by forfeited to the Band Council.

Penalties:

5.1 Any person who violates any of the provisions of this by-law shall on summary conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding thirty days or both fine and imprisonment.

Approved and passed at a duly convened meeting of the Council of the Gibson Band of Indians this 22nd day of August 1977.

"KEN COMMANDANT"	
Chief Ken Commandant	
"D. RENNIE"	-"MITCHELL FRANKS"
Councillor Dianne Rennie	Councillor Mitchell Franks

I, Chief Ken Commandant of the Gibson Band of Indians do hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing by-law no. 3.77 was forwarded to the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development pursuant to section 82 (1) of the Indian Act, this 23rd day of August 1977.

"LINDA M. COMMANDANT"	"KEN COMMANDANT"
Witness	Chief Ken Commandant