BY-LAW NO. 1

Whereas, pursuant to Section 85.1 of the <u>Indian Act</u>, the Council of the Red Sucker Lake Indian Band has authority to make by-laws respecting the prohibition of the sale, barter, supply or manufacture of intoxicants on the Reserve of the Band;

And whereas, under the said section of the <u>Indian Act</u>, the Council of the Red Sucker Lake Indian Band has authority to make by-laws respecting the prohibition of possession of intoxicants on the Reserve;

Now therefore, the Council of the Band with advice and consent of a majority of the electors of the Red Sucker Lake Indian Band enact as follows:

Definitions:

- 1. In this by-law,
 - a) "Band" means the Red Sucker Lake Indian Band;
 - b) "Council of the Band" means the Chief and Councillors chosen for the good government of the Band under Section 74 of the Indian Act or according to the custom of the Band;
 - c) "Reserve" means all the land, the legal title to which is vested in Her Majesty, that has been set apart by Her Majesty for the use and benefit of the Red Sucker Lake Indian Band, and includes any special Reserve;
 - d) "Intoxicants" means any substance which is an intoxicant within the definition of "intoxicants" for the purpose of the Indian Act.

Prohibitions:

- 2. Any person who by himself or by any other person on his behalf,
 - a) sells, barter, supplies or gives an intoxicant to any person on the Reserve, or
 - b) makes or manufactures intoxicants on a Reserve,

is guilty of an offence and is liable in summary conviction to fine of not more that one thousand lars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to both fine and imprisonment.

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- Any person who is found with any intoxicants in his possession on the Reserve, is guilty of an offence and is liable in summary conviction to a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months or to both a fine and imprisonment.
- 4. Any person who keeps or causes intoxicants to be kept on the Reserve in any dwelling house, building, tent or place is guilty of an offence and is liable in summary conviction to a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months or to both fine and imprisonment.

Exception:

5. Notwithstanding anything in the by-law, no person commits an offence under this by-law who supplies or possesses intoxicants which is manufactured for medicinal purposes and which is possessed or supplied for medicinal purposes.

Assented to by a majority of the electors of the Band who voted at a special meeting of the Band on August 28, 1985 called by the Band Council for the purpose of considering this by-law.

Enacted by the Band Council on November 2, 1987

Chief Billy Harper

Councillor Josina Herper

Councillor Talbot Harper

Sound Flor Sampson Harper

Councillor Simon McDougall