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A BY-LAW TO GOVERN THE PROCEEDINGS
OF COUNCIL AND COMMITTEES

THE COUNCIL OF THE BIGSTONE CREE BAND UNDER AUTHORITY OF
SECTION 81 (c) AND (d) OF THE INDIAN ACT. R.S., C. 149, s. 1.
ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. IN THIS BY-LAW

- (a) "CHIEF COUNCILLOR" MEANS THE DULY ELECTED CHIEF OF
THE BIGSTONE BAND
(Band)
- (b) "COUNCIL MEANS THE BAND COUNCIL OF THE BIGSTONE CREE
BAND
(Band)
- (c) "ADMINISTRATOR" MEANS THE TRIBAL ADMINISTRATOR OF
THE BIGSTONE CREE BAND
(Band)
- (d) COMMITTEE MEANS "EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE", WHICH SHALL
CONSIST OF THREE COUNCILLORS WHO SHALL, ONCE A YEAR,
SERVE A 3 MONTH TERM.

2. THE RULES AND REGULATIONS CONTAINED IN THIS BY-LAW SHALL
BE OBSERVED IN ALL PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL AND SHALL BE
THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR ORDER AND DISPATCH OF
BUSINESS IN THE COUNCIL AND THE COMMITTEE THEREOF,
PROVIDED THAT THE RULES AND REGULATIONS CONTAINED HEREIN
MAY BE SUSPENDED BY VOTE OF COUNCIL AND IN ANY CASE FOR
WHICH PROVISION IS NOT MADE HEREIN THE PROCEDURES TO BE
FOLLOWED SHALL BE THAT PRESCRIBED BY THE TRIBE.

3. COUNCIL MEETINGS

MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL SHALL BE HELD AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS ADOPTED AND USED BY THE COUNCIL FROM TIME TO TIME FOR SUCH PURPOSE. THE INAUGURAL MEETING SHALL TAKE PLACE AT

DESMARAIS, ALBERTA ON JUNE 4, 1980

THE NEXT AND EACH SUCCEEDING REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL SHALL BE HELD ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY AND ON THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 9:00 A.M.

3a. THERE SHALL BE AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THREE (3)

COUNCILLORS WHO SHALL SERVE 3 MONTH TERMS AND WHO SHALL ASSIST THE CHIEF AND THE ADMINISTRATOR ON A DAY TO DAY BASIS BETWEEN COUNCIL MEETINGS.

4. WHEN THE DAY FOR A REGULAR MEETING IS A PUBLIC OR CIVIC

HOLIDAY, THE COUNCIL SHALL, UNLESS THE COUNCIL DECIDES OTHERWISE, MEET AT THE SAME HOUR ON THE NEXT FOLLOWING DAY WHICH IS NOT A PUBLIC OR CIVIC HOLIDAY.

5. THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR MAY AT ANY TIME SUMMON A SPECIAL MEETING

OF COUNCIL ON 48 HOURS NOTICE TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, OR, UPON RECEIPT OF THE PETITION OF THE MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL SUMMON A SPECIAL MEETING FOR THE PURPOSE AND AT THE TIME MENTIONED IN THE PETITION.

FORTY-EIGHT HOURS NOTICE OF ALL SPECIAL MEETINGS OF COUNCIL SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE MEMBERS THROUGH THE ADMINISTRATOR OFFICE. THE ONLY BUSINESS TO BE DEALT WITH AT A SPECIAL MEETING IS THAT WHICH IS LISTED IN THE NOTICE OF THE MEETING.

6. IN THE CASE OF THE ABSENCE OF THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR FROM THE RESERVE, OR IF HE IS ABSENT THROUGH ILLNESS OR HE REFUSES TO ACT OR HIS OFFICE IS VACANT, A COUNCILLOR SHALL BE APPOINTED TO ACT FROM TIME TO TIME IN THE PLACE AND STEAD OF THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR AND SHALL HAVE ALL THE RIGHTS, POWERS, AND AUTHORITY OF THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR WHILE SO DOING.

CALLING OF MEETING TO ORDER AND QUORUM

7. AS SOON AFTER THE HOUR FIXED FOR HOLDING OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL AS A QUORUM IS PRESENT, THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR SHALL TAKE THE CHAIR AND CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER.

8. ABSENCE OF CHIEF COUNCILLOR

WHERE NO PRESIDING OFFICER HAS BEEN APPOINTED UNDER CLAUSE 6 OF THIS BY-LAW AND IN CASE THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR DOES NOT ATTEND WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) MINUTES AFTER THE TIME APPOINTED FOR A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL, THE TRIBAL ADMINISTRATOR SHALL CALL THE MEMBERS TO ORDER AND AN ACTING CHIEF COUNCILLOR SHALL BE APPOINTED FROM AMONG THE MEMBERS PRESENT AND HE SHALL PRESIDE UNTIL THE ARRIVAL OF THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR AND WHILE SO PRESIDING THE ACTING CHIEF COUNCILLOR SHALL HAVE ALL THE POWERS OF THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR.

NO QUORUM

9. IF NO QUORUM IS PRESENT ONE HALF HOUR AFTER THE TIME APPOINTED FOR THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL, THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL RECORD THE NAMES OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT AND THE MEETING SHALL STAND ADJOURNED UNTIL THE DATE OF THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING.

9a. CHIEF AND COUNCILLOR SHALL BE ENTITLED TO TWO WEEKS (2 WEEKS) HOLIDAY PER YEAR (10 WORKING DAYS). COUNCILLOR SHALL ENDEAVOUR TO TAKE HOLIDAYS SO AS NOT TO MISS COUNCIL MEETINGS.

THE CONDUCT OF PROCEEDINGS AT A MEETING OF COUNCIL

10. IT SHALL BE THE DUTY OF THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR OR OTHER PRESIDING OFFICER,

- (a) TO OPEN THE MEETING OF COUNCIL BY TAKING THE CHAIR AND CALLING THE MEETING TO ORDER.
- (b) TO ANNOUNCE THE BUSINESS BEFORE COUNCIL IN THE ORDER IN WHICH IT IS TO BE ACTED UPON.
- (c) TO RECEIVE AND SUBMIT, IN THE PROPER MANNER, ALL MOTIONS PRESENTED BY THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.
- (d) TO PUT TO VOTE ALL QUESTIONS WHICH ARE REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED, OR NECESSARILY ARISE IN THE COURSE OF PROCEEDINGS, AND TO ANNOUNCE THE RESULT.
- (e) TO DECLINE TO PUT TO VOTE MOTIONS WHICH INFRINGE THE RULES OF PROCEDURE.
- (f) TO RESTRAIN THE MEMBERS WITHIN THE RULES OF ORDER, WHEN ENGAGED IN DEBATE.
- (g) TO ENFORCE ON ALL OCCASIONS THE OBSERVANCE OF ORDER AND DECORUM AMONG THE MEMBERS.
- (h) TO CALL BY NAME ANY MEMBER PERSISTING IN BREACH OF THE RULES OR ORDER OF THE COUNCIL, THEREBY ORDERING HIM TO VACATE THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

- (i) TO RECEIVE ALL MESSAGES AND COMMUNICATIONS AND ANNOUNCE THEM TO COUNCIL.
- (j) TO AUTHENTICATE, BY HIS SIGNATURE WHEN NECESSARY, ALL BY-LAWS, RESOLUTIONS, AND MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL.
- (k) TO INFORM THE COUNCIL, WHEN NECESSARY OR WHEN PREFERRED TO FOR THE PURPOSE, ON A POINT OF ORDER OR USAGE.
- (l) TO REPRESENT AND SUPPORT THE COUNCIL, DECLARING ITS WILL, AND IMPLICITLY OBEYING ITS DECISIONS IN ALL THINGS.
- (m) TO ENSURE THAT THE DECISIONS OF COUNCIL ARE IN CONFORMITY WITH THE LAWS AND BY-LAWS GOVERNING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COUNCIL.
- (n) TO ADJOURN THE MEETING WHEN THE BUSINESS IS CONCLUDED.
- (o) TO ADJOURN THE MEETING WITHOUT QUESTION PUT IN THE CASE OF GRAVE DISORDER ARISING IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

AGENDA

11. THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL HAVE PREPARED AND PRINTED FOR THE USE OF THE MEMBERS AT THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL AN AGENDA UNDER THE FOLLOWING HEADINGS:

- (a) PRAYER.
- (b) DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST.
- (c) MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING.
- (d) DEPUTATIONS.
- (e) CORRESPONDENCE.
- (f) WRITTEN REPORTS OF PROGRAMME COORDINATORS TO BE MADE BY TRIBAL ADMINISTRATOR.

- (g) REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.
 - (h) PETITIONS.
 - (i) UNFINISHED BUSINESS.
 - (j) BY-LAWS.
 - (k) MOTION AND NOTICE OF MOTIONS.
 - (l) ADJOURNMENT.
12. THE BUSINESS OF COUNCIL SHALL IN ALL CASES BE TAKEN UP IN THE ORDER IN WHICH IT STANDS UPON THE AGENDA UNLESS OTHERWISE DECIDED BY COUNCIL.

MINUTES

13. MINUTES SHALL RECORD
- (a) THE PLACE, DATE AND TIME OF MEETING.
 - (b) THE NAMES OF THE PRESIDING OFFICER OR OFFICERS AND A RECORD OF THE ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.
 - (c) THE READING, IF REQUESTED, CORRECTION AND ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF PRIOR MEETINGS.
 - (d) ALL OTHER PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING WITHOUT NOTE OR COMMENT.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

14. EVERY COMMUNICATION, INCLUDING A PETITION DESIGNED TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL, SHALL BE LEGIBLY WRITTEN OR PRINTED AND SHALL NOT CONTAIN ANY OBSCENE OR IMPROPER MATTER OR LANGUAGE AND SHALL BE SIGNED BY AT LEAST ONE PERSON AND FILED WITH THE TRIBAL ADMINISTRATOR.

DEPUTATIONS

15. PERSONS DESIRING TO PRESENT INFORMATION VERBALLY ON MATTERS OF FACT OR MAKE A REQUEST OF COUNCIL SHALL GIVE NOTICE TO THE TRIBAL ADMINISTRATOR NOT LESS THAN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL AND MAY BE HEARD BY LEAVE OF THE PRESIDING OFFICER OF COUNCIL, BUT SHALL BE LIMITED IN SPEAKING TO NOT MORE THAN TEN MINUTES EXCEPT THAT A DELEGATION CONSISTING OF MORE THAN FIVE (5) PERSONS SHALL BE LIMITED TO TWO (2) SPEAKERS, EACH LIMITED TO SPEAKING NOT MORE THAN TEN (10) MINUTES.

READING OF BY-LAWS AND PROCEEDING THEREON

16. NO BY-LAW EXCEPT A BY-LAW TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL SHALL BE PRESENTED TO COUNCIL UNLESS THE SUBJECT MATTER THEREOF HAS BEEN CONSIDERED AND APPROVED BY COUNCIL.
17. EVERY BY-LAW SHALL BE INTRODUCED UPON MOTION BY A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL, SPECIFYING THE TITLE OF THE BY-LAW.
18. EVERY BY-LAW WHEN INTRODUCED SHALL BE IN TYPEWRITTEN FORM AND SHALL CONTAIN NO BLANKS EXCEPT SUCH AS MAY BE REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO ACCEPTED PROCEDURE OR TO COMPLY WITH PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN ACT OR OTHER ENABLING LEGISLATION AND SHALL BE COMPLETE WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE NUMBER AND DATE THEREOF.
19. EVERY BY-LAW SHALL HAVE THREE READINGS PRIOR TO ITS BEING PASSED.
20. THE FIRST READING OF A BY-LAW SHALL BE DECIDED WITHOUT AMENDMENT OR DEBATE.

21. IF THE COUNCIL DETERMINE THAT THIS BY-LAW IS TO BE CONSIDERED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, IT SHALL BE SO CONSIDERED PREVIOUS TO THE THIRD READING THEREOF.
22. IF COUNCIL SO DETERMINES, A BY-LAW MAY BE TAKEN AS READ.
23. THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL SET OUT ON ALL BY-LAWS ENACTED BY COUNCIL THE DATE OF THE SEVERAL READINGS THEREOF.
24. EVERY BY-LAW ENACTED BY COUNCIL SHALL BE NUMBERED AND DATED AND SIGNED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER AND THE MANAGER AND SHALL BE DEALT WITH AS PRESCRIBED BY THE INDIAN ACT RSc. 149, S.1) SECTIONS 81 AND 83.

MOTIONS

25. NOTICES OF MOTION - NOTICE OF ALL NEW MOTIONS EXCEPT MOTIONS LISTED IN CLAUSE 39 AND 40 SHALL BE GIVEN IN WRITING, DELIVERED TO THE TRIBAL ADMININSTRATOR AT LEAST SIX (6) CALENDAR DAYS, EXCLUDING SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS AND STATUTORY HOLIDAYS PRECEDING THE DATE OF THE MEETING AT WHICH A MOTION IS TO BE INTRODUCED AND A MOTION SHALL BE PRINTED IN FULL IN THE AGENDA FOR THAT MEETING OF COUNCIL AND EACH SUCCEEDING MEETING UNTIL THE MOTION IS CONSIDERED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF. THE MOTION SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE ADMINISTRATOR IN WRITING OVER THE SIGNATURE OF THE MOVER AND SECONDER AND SHALL BE COMPLETE AND CORRECT.
26. DISPENSING WITH NOTICE - ANY MOTION MAY BE INTRODUCED WITHOUT NOTICE IF THE COUNCIL, WITHOUT DEBATE, DISPENSES WITH NOTICE ON THE AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF AT LEAST A SIMPLE MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT AND VOTING.

27. SECONDING - A MOTION MUST BE FORMALLY SECONDED BEFORE THE PRESIDING OFFICER CAN PUT THE QUESTION OR MOTION TO BE RECORDED IN THE MINUTES.
28. PRESENTATION OF MOTION BY CHAIRMAN - WHEN A MOTION IS PRESENTED IN COUNCIL IN WRITING IT SHALL BE READ OR IF IT IS A MOTION WHICH MAY BE PRESENTED ORALLY, IT SHALL BE STATED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER BEFORE DEBATE.
29. AMENDMENT - A MOTION TO AMEND
- (a) SHALL BE PRESENTED IN WRITING.
 - (b) SHALL RECEIVE DISPOSITION OF COUNCIL BEFORE A PREVIOUS AMENDMENT OR THE QUESTION.
 - (c) SHALL NOT BE FURTHER AMENDED MORE THAN ONCE PROVIDED THAT FURTHER AMENDMENT MAY BE MADE TO THE MAIN QUESTION.
 - (d) SHALL BE RELEVANT TO THE QUESTION TO BE RECEIVED.
 - (e) SHALL NOT BE RECEIVED PROPOSING A DIRECT NEGATIVE TO THE QUESTION.
 - (f) MAY PROPOSE A SEPARATE AND DISTINCT DISPOSITION OF A QUESTION.
 - (g) SHALL BE PUT IN REVERSE ORDER TO THAT WHICH IT IS MOVED.

VOTING ON MOTIONS

30. QUESTIONS STATED - IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE TAKING OF THE VOTE, THE PRESIDING OFFICER MAY STATE THE QUESTION IN THE FORM INTRODUCED AND SHALL DO SO IF REQUIRED BY A MEMBER OF COUNCIL EXCEPT WHEN A MOTION FOR THE PREVIOUS QUESTION HAS

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BEEN RESOLVED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE. HE SHALL STATE THE QUESTION IN THE PRECISE FORM IN WHICH IT WILL BE RECORDED IN THE MINUTES.

31. NO INTERRUPTION AFTER QUESTION

AFTER A QUESTION IS FINALLY PUT BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER NO MEMBER SHALL SPEAK TO THE QUESTION NOR SHALL ANY OTHER MOTION BE MADE UNTIL AFTER THE VOTE IS TAKEN AND THE RESULT HAS BEEN DECLARED.

32. UNRECORDED VOTE

THE MANNER OF DETERMINING THE DECISION OF THE COUNCIL ON A MOTION SHALL BE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PRESIDING OFFICER AND MAY BE BY VOICE, SHOW OF HANDS, STANDING OR OTHERWISE.

33. RECORDED VOTE

WHEN A MEMBER REQUESTS A RECORDED VOTE, ALL MEMBERS PRESENT AT THE COUNCIL OR COMMITTEE MEETING MUST VOTE IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER. THE NAME OF THOSE WHO VOTED FOR AND OTHERS WHO VOTED AGAINST SHALL BE NOTED IN THE MINUTES. THE TRIBAL ADMINISTRATOR SHALL ANNOUNCE THE RESULTS. A REQUEST FOR A RECORDED VOTE CAN ONLY BE MADE BEFORE AN UNRECORDED VOTE IS TAKEN.

RULES OF DEBATE

34. EVERY MEMBER PRIOR TO SPEAKING TO ANY QUESTION SHALL ADDRESS THE PRESIDING OFFICER. WHEN TWO OR MORE MEMBERS WISH TO SPEAK, THE PRESIDING OFFICER SHALL DESIGNATE THE MEMBER WHO

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HAS THE FLOOR WHO SHALL BE A MEMBER, WHO IN THE OPINION OF THE PRESIDING OFFICER INDICATED A WISH TO SPEAK FIRST. EVERY MEMBER PRESENT AT A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL WHEN A QUESTION IS PUT SHALL VOTE THEREON.

35. WHEN THE PRESIDING OFFICER CALLS FOR A VOTE ON A QUESTION, EACH MEMBER SHALL OCCUPY HIS SEAT AND SHALL REMAIN IN HIS PLACE UNTIL THE RESULT OF THE VOTE HAS BEEN DECLARED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER, AND DURING SUCH TIME NO DISTURBANCES SHALL OCCUR.

36. WHEN A MEMBER IS SPEAKING NO OTHER MEMBER SHALL INTERRUPT HIM EXCEPT ON A POINT OF ORDER.

37. ANY MEMBER MAY REQUIRE THE QUESTION OR MOTION UNDER DISCUSSION TO BE READ AT ANY TIME DURING THE DEBATE BUT NOT SO AS TO INTERRUPT HIM EXCEPT TO RAISE A POINT OF ORDER.

38. THE FOLLOWING MATTERS AND MOTIONS WITH RESPECT THERETO MAY BE INTRODUCED ORALLY WITHOUT WRITTEN NOTICE AND WITHOUT LEAVE, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY THESE RULES OF PROCEDURE.

(a) A POINT OF ORDER OR PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

(b) PRESENTATIONS OF PETITIONS.

(c) TO LAY ON THE TABLE.

(d) TO POSTPONE INDEFINITELY OR TO A DAY CERTAIN.

(e) TO MOVE THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.

39. THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS MAY BE INTRODUCED WITHOUT NOTICE AND WITHOUT LEAVE, BUT SUCH MOTIONS SHALL BE IN WRITING AND SIGNED BY THE MOVER AND SECONDER.

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- (a) TO REFER.
- (b) TO ADJOURN.
- (c) TO AMEND.
- (d) TO SUSPEND THE RULES OF PROCEDURE.

40. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN CLAUSE 38, ALL MOTIONS SHALL BE IN WRITING AND SIGNED BY THE MOVER AND SECONDER.

41. IN ALL CASES NOT PROVIDED FOR IN THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OR IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, THE MATTER SHALL BE DECIDED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER, SUBJECT TO APPEAL TO THE COUNCIL UPON A POINT OF ORDER.

POINTS OF ORDER AND PRIVILEGE

42. THE PRESIDING OFFICER SHALL PRESERVE ORDER AND DECIDE QUESTIONS OF ORDER.

43. THE COUNCIL, IF APPEALED TO, SHALL DECIDE THE QUESTION WITHOUT DEBATE AND ITS DECISION SHALL BE FINAL.

CONDUCT OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

44. NO COUNCIL MEMBER SHALL

- (a) USE OFFENSIVE LANGUAGE IN OR AGAINST COUNCIL OR AGAINST ANY MEMBER:
- (b) SPEAK ON ANY SUBJECT OTHER THAN THE SUBJECT IN DEBATE:
- (c) CRITICIZE ANY DECISION OF COUNCIL EXCEPT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MOVING THAT THE QUESTION BE RECONSIDERED.

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(d) DISOBEY THE RULES OF COUNCIL OR A DECISION OF PRESIDING OFFICER OR OF THE COUNCIL ON QUESTIONS OR ORDER OR PRACTICE OR UPON THE INTERPRETATION OF THE RULES OF COUNCIL:

AND IN A CASE WHERE A MEMBER PERSISTS IN ANY SUCH DISOBEDIENCE AFTER HAVING BEEN CALLED TO ORDER BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER, THE PRESIDING OFFICER MAY FORTHWITH PUT THE QUESTION, NO AMENDMENT, ADJOURNMENT OR DEBATE BEING ALLOWED "THAT SUCH MEMBER BE ORDERED TO LEAVE HIS SEAT FOR THE DURATION OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL", BUT IF THE MEMBER APOLOGIZES HE MAY, BY VOTE OF COUNCIL, BE PERMITTED TO RETAKE HIS SEAT.

45. WHEN THE CHAIR IS PUTTING THE QUESTION NO MEMBER SHALL LEAVE OR MAKE A DISTURBANCE.

46. SUSPENSION OF RULES

ANY PROCEDURE REQUIRED BY THIS BY-LAW MAY BE SUSPENDED WITH CONSENT OF MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL PRESENT.

47. AMENDMENT

NO AMENDMENT OR REPEAL OF THIS BY-LAW OR ANY PART THEREOF SHALL BE CONSIDERED AT ANY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL UNLESS NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT OR REPEAL HAS BEEN GIVEN AT A PREVIOUS REGULAR MEETING OF THE COUNCIL AND THE WAIVING OF THIS NOTICE BY THE COUNCIL IS PROHIBITED. NO AMENDMENT OF CLAUSE 48 OF THIS BY-LAW SHALL BE MADE WITHOUT FIRST THERE BEING A REFERENDUM AND APPROVAL OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

48. THE BAND SHALL NOT ALLOW ANY OTHER ORGANIZATION, INCLUDING AN INDIAN REGIONAL COUNCIL, TO ADMINISTRATE ITS PROGRAMME MONIES WITHOUT FIRST THERE BEING A REFERENDUM OF ALL BAND MEMBERS WITH 2/3 OF THE TOTAL OF ALL BAND MEMBERS REGARDLESS OF TURNOUT, AGREEING AT SAID REFERENDUM.
49. THIS BY-LAW SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE 40 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF ENACTMENT.
50. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS BY-LAW MAY RESULT IN SUSPENSION, OR IN THE CASE OF REPEATED INFRACTIONS, DISMISSAL FROM OFFICE.
- (a) MISSING OF TWO CONSECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETINGS OR BEING LATE MORE THAN ONE HOUR (1 HR.) WITHOUT REASONABLE EXCUSE FOR TWO CONSECUTIVE MEETINGS SHALL BE GROUNDS FOR DISMISSAL FROM COUNCIL. IN THIS EVENT A BY-ELECTION SHALL BE CALLED.
- (b) NO COUNCILLOR INCLUDING THE CHIEF COUNCILLOR SHALL RECEIVE BY MONTHLY HONORARIUM UNLESS HE ATTENDS A COUNCIL MEETING. IF HE DOES NOT ATTEND COUNCIL MEETING HE SHALL NOT RECEIVE HONORARIA UNLESS HIS REASON FOR NON ATTENDANCE IS ACCEPTED BY COUNCIL. WHILE ON BAND BUSINESS A COUNCILLOR, INCLUDING CHIEF COUNCILLOR, SHALL BE PAID COUNCIL MEETING HONORARIA.
51. WHERE ANY BY-LAW PASSED PRIOR TO THIS BY-LAW CONFLICTS WITH THIS BY-LAW, THE TERMS OF THIS BY-LAW SHALL PREVAIL.
- READ A FIRST, SECOND, THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 4th DAY OF JUNE, 1980.

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