Ministre des Affaires indiennes et du Nord canadien et interlocuteur fedéral. aupres des Métis et des Indiens non inscrits.

Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development and Federal Interlocutor for Metis and Non-Status Indians.

Ottawa, Canada K (A 0H4

I, the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, HEREBY APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the Indian Act, the following

bylaw made by the Songhees First Nation, in the Province of British

Columbia, at a meeting held on the 8th day of February 2005.

Songhees First Nation 2005 Rates Bylaw No. 2005-02

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Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 18 day of Hpril

2005.

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# SONGHEES FIRST NATIONS TAXATION

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**Songhees First Nation** 

BYLAW NO. 2005-02

#### Songhees First Nation Rates Bylaw

WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 83(1)(a) of the Indian Act, R.S.C. 1985, c.1-5, the Council of a band may make bylaws for the purpose of taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land, including rights to occupy, possess or use land in a reserve and with respect to any matters rising out of or ancillary to such purpose;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Songhees First Nation has duly and properly enacted the Songhees Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaws;

NOW BE IT THEREBY RESOLVED that the following bylaw be and is hereby enacted pursuant to the provisions of the Indian Act and in particular section 83(1) for the purpose of establishing annual rates of taxation.

- 1. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Songhees First Nation 2005 Rates Bylaw No. 2005-02.
- 2. Pursuant to Section 18.1 of the Songhees Indian Band Property Taxation Bylaw, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A" which is attached, and forms part of the 2005 Songhees First Nation Rates Bylaw No. 2005-02.

This bylaw is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 2005.

Councilor Frank E. George

Councilor Norman George

Councilor Nicholas Albany

Councilor John R. Rice

### SCHEDULE "A"

### Songhees First Nation 2005 Tax Rates

<u>Classes</u>	<u>Tax Rate</u>
1. Residential	9.0849
2. Utilities	45.8777
3. Business/Other	27.0728

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