Ottawa, Canada K1A 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 Westbank First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May 1997.

Westbank First Nation Bylaw No. 97-TX-01

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 28th day of May,

1997.



### WESTBANK FIRST NATION

# Bylaw No. <u>97-TX-01</u> of the Westbank First Nation

#### WHEREAS:

the Chief and Council of the Westbank First Nation deems it advisable and in the best interests of the members of the Westbank First Nation to amend the Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08 passed by Chief and Council December 11, 1995 and approved by the Minister April 23, 1996, that being a bylaw to establish by bylaw a system on the reserve land of the Westbank First Nation for the fair and equitable taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land including rights to occupy, possess or use land in the reserve; and

### WHEREAS:

pursuant to Section 18.1(3) of the Westbank First Nation Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08, Chief and Council shall prescribe tax rates; and

### WHEREAS:

those tax rates prescribed by the Chief and Council are set out in schedules to the Westbank First Nation Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08 pursuant to Section 18.1(4); and

# NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT:

the Chief and Council of the Westbank First Nation enacts as an amending Bylaw;

### Short Title

This amending bylaw may be cited as the "1997 Tax Rate Schedule Amending Bylaw".

1. That the following Schedule II - 1997 Tax Rate Schedule shall be added to the Westbank First Nation Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08 passed by Chief and Council December 11th, 1995 and approved by the Minister April 23, 1996:

|                       | Chief |            |
|-----------------------|-------|------------|
| 1 )agne Elé           |       | Councillor |
| Councillor /          |       |            |
| Councillor Councillor | •     | Councillor |

## 1997 TAX RATE SCHEDULE

Bylaw No. 97-TX-01 For the Taxation Year 1997

## SCHEDULE "II"

# Property Classes Within Each Taxation District (Section 18.1)

| Column 1  | Column 2                              | Column 3  | Column 4                                   |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| Name of<br>Taxation<br>District                           | Reserves Comprising Taxation District | Property<br>Classes                               | Tax Rates<br>for the<br>Taxation Year 1997 |
| Taxation District The reserve lands of the Westbank First | 1. Residential                        | 10.7087   |  |
| Westbank First  | Westbank First Nation.                | 2. Utilities                                      | 35.2999                                    |
| Nation. IR#9 and IR#10                                    | 3. Unmanaged<br>Forest Land           | N/A   |  |
|   | 4. Major Industry                     | 34.8547   |  |
|   | 5. Light Industry                     | 24.1965   |  |
|   |                                       | 6. Business & Other                               | 23.4846                                    |
|   |                                       | 7. Managed Forest<br>Land                         | N/A  |
|   |                                       | 8. Recreational Property/ Non-profit Organization | 11.0422                                    |
|   |                                       | 9. Farm   | N/A  |
|   |                                       |   |  |