CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, *Indian Act* RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Seabird Island Indian Band Rates Bylaw No. 2000-1, dated the 11th day of May, 2000 is a true copy of the said by-law.

Kumar Dhir, Director Lands and Trust Services, A Superintendent as defined in Section 2 (1) <u>Indian Act</u> RSC 1985

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I, the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, HEREBY APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the Indian Act, the following by-law made by the Seabird Island Indian Band, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 11th day of May 2000.

Seabird Island Indian Band Rates By-law No. 2000-1

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 4 day of

2000.

Schedule "A" Seabird Island Indian Band

Prescribed Tax Rates For the Taxation Year 2000

Class of Property		Tax Rate
1)	Residential	10.95160
2)	Utilities	65.13185
3)	Unmanaged Forest	20.27584
4)	Major Industry	31.58764
5)	Light Industry	28.34024
6)	Business	21.94347
7)	Managed Forest	23.84917
8)	Recreation / nonprofit	9.64560
9)	Farm	18.85299

BE IT KNOWN that this By-Law entitled "the Rates By-Law" which forms part of the Taxation By-Law passed by Chief and Council and approved by the Minister on July 30th 1993, that being a by-law to establish by by-law a system on the reserve lands of the Seabird Island Indian Band for the fair and equitable taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land including the right to occupy, possess or use lands within the boundaries of the reserves is hereby enacted as by-law 2000-1 by the Chief and Council of the Seabird Island Indian Band.

APPROVED AND PASSED at a duly convened meeting of the Council of the Seabird Island Indian Band held at Seabird Island Indian Band Administration Office, Agassiz, British Columbia, this 11th day of May, 2000.

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