<u>CERTIFICATION</u>

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of Assessment Amending Bylaw (By-law No. 1996-1) Being a By-law to Amend the Assessment By-law passed by the Seabird Island Band Council on March 28, 1996 is a true copy of the said by-law.

Richard Frizell

Lands and Trust Services,

a Superintendent as defined in

Section 2(1) Indian Act RSC 1985

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 by-law made by the Seabird Island Indian Band, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 28th day of March 1996.

Assessment Amending By-law (By-law No. 1996-1)
Being a By-law to Amend the Assessment By-law

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 8th day of

May,

1996.

SEABIRD ISLAND INDIAN BAND ASSESSMENT AMENDING BYLAW BY-LAW NO. 1996-1 BEING A BY-LAW TO AMEND THE ASSESSMENT BY-LAW

WHEREAS the Council of the Seabird Island Indian Band passed its Assessment By-Law at a duly convened meeting of the Council of the Seabird Island Indian Band held at the Seabird Island Indian Band Office, Agassiz, British Columbia on the 25th day of September, 1992;

AND WHEREAS the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development approved the Assessment By-Law, in part, on July 30, 1993;

AND WHEREAS it is necessary for the efficient operation of the taxation system to make certain amendments to the foresaid by-law;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Seabird Island Indian Band enact the following bylaw pursuant to section 83 of the Indian Act;

1. Short Title

This By-law may be cited as the Seabird Island Indian Band Amending By-law No. 1996-1.

- 2. Section 60 is added to the Assessment By-law as follows:
 - 60(1) Where a person, including the assessor, is dissatisfied with the decision of a Board of Review, or with the omission or refusal of the Board of Review to hear or determine the complaint on the completed assessment roll, he may within 21 days after receiving the decision, subject to the provisions of the Federal Court Act and the rules of procedure of the Federal Court of Canada, appeal from the Board of Review to the Federal Court of Canada (Trial Division).
 - 60(2) The assessor, at the time that he notifies a complainant of the decision of the Board of Review in respect of his complaint, shall also notify him that he may, within 21 days after receiving the decision, subject to the provisions of the Federal Court Act and the rules of procedure of the Federal Court of Canada, appeal the decision of the Board of Review of the Federal Court of Canada (Trial Division) by delivering to the Board of Review, within 21 days after his receipt of the decision, a written request to appeal the decision of the Board of Review to the Federal Court of Canada (Trial Division).

- 60(3) The Board of Review shall, within 21 days after receiving a notice of appeal, submit the appeal in writing to the Federal Court of Canada (Trial Division).
- Section 159 of the Assessment By-law is amended by adding the following after 3. 159.2:
 - 159.3 The application for classification of land as a farm must be delivered to the assessor on or before October 31 in the year preceding the year for which the assessment roll is prepared.

APPROVED AND PASSED at a duly convened meeting of the Chief and Council of the Seabird Island Indian Band held at the Seabird Island Indian Band Administration office, Agassiz, British Columbia, this 28th day of March , 1996.

MOVED BY: Archie Charles

SECONDED BY: Marcia Peters

A Quorum of Council Consists of 4 Councillors

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