CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Matsqui First Nation Railway Right-of-Way Taxation Rates By-Law No. 2002-04 dated May 24, 2002 is a true copy of the said by-law.

Thomas Howe

Director, 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 bylaw made by the Matsqui First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 24th day of May 2002.

Matsqui First Nation
Railway Right-of-Way Taxation Rates Bylaw No. 2002-04

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this /2 day of

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MATSQUI FIRST NATION

BYLAW NO. 2002-04

MATSQUI FIRST NATION RAILWAY RIGHT-OF-WAY **TAXATION RATES BYLAW**

WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 83(1)(a) of the Indian Act, R.S.C. 1985, c.I-5, the Council of a First Nation 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 Matsqui First Nation has duly and properly enacted the Matsqui First Nation Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaws and the Matsqui First Nation Rates Bylaw;

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 and the Property Assessment and Taxation (Right of Way) Regulations enacted pursuant to section 83(5) of the Indian Act.

- This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Matsqui First Nation 2002 Railway Right-of Way Taxation Rates Bylaw No. 2002-04.
- Pursuant to the provisions of the Property Assessment and Taxation (Right of Way) Regulations, the taxation rate to be applied to New Westminster Land District, TRACKAGE MI 4.20 TO MI 4.40 MATSQUI RESERVE #1 and New Westminster Land District, RW 100 FT CORRIDOR MI 4.20 TO MILE 4.40 MATSQUI RESERVE 31, being all interests in land held by the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. located on the reserve lands of the Matsqui First Nation, shall be 41.149066 for taxation year 2002.

This bylaw is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on the <u>24</u> day of May, 2002.

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