CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Fort Nelson First Nation Rates By-Law No. 2002-02, dated 17th. day of May, 2002 is a true copy of the said by-law.

Thomas Howe, Director
Lands and Trust Services,
a Superintendent as defined in
Sec 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 Fort Nelson First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 17th day of May 2002.

Fort Nelson First Nation Rates By-law No. 2002-02

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 5 day of

2002.

FORT NELSON FIRST NATION

BYLAW NO. 2002-02

FORT NELSON FIRST NATION RATES BYLAW

WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 83(1)(a) of the *Indian Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c.I-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 Fort Nelson First Nation (also known as the Fort Nelson Indian Band) has duly and properly enacted the Fort Nelson 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.

- This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Fort Nelson First Nation 2002 Rates Bylaw No. 2002-02.
- 2. Pursuant to Section 18.1 of the Fort Nelson 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 2002 Fort Nelson First Nation Rates Bylaw No. 2002-02.

This bylaw is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on the 12 day of May, 2002.

Chief	Councillor
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SCHEDULE "A"

Class of Property as prescribed under Schedule II and Section 18.1 of the Fort Nelson Indian Band Property Taxation Bylaw	Rate of Tax applied against each \$1,000 of the assessed value of the land and improvements as determined in accordance with Part IV of the Fort Nelson Indian Band Property Assessment Bylaw.
Class 1 - Residential	0
Class 2 - Utilities	47.8561
Class 3 - Unmanaged Forest Land	0
Class 4 - Major Industry	35.8907
Class 5 - Light Industry	42.5387
Class 6 - Business and Other	0
Class 7 - Managed Forest Land	0
Class 8 - Recreation/Non-Profit Organization	0
Class 9 - Farm	0