

Ministre des Affaires indiennes et
du Nord canadien et interlocuteur fédéral
auprès des Métis et des Indiens non inscrits



Minister of Indian Affairs and
Northern Development and Federal Interlocutor
for Métis and Non-Status Indians

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 O'Chiese First Nation, in the Province of Alberta, at
a meeting held on the 15th day of July 2005.

- **O'Chiese First Nation
2005 Tax Rates Bylaw**

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Andy Scott".

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 31st day of October 2005.

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BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION

INAC FILE NO.
BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION# 2005 - 2006 - 18

ORDER IN COUNCIL RESPECTING		CASH FREE BALANCE
O'CHIESE FIRST NATION		CAPITAL ACCOUNT \$ _____
DATE OF DULY CONVENED MEETING DAY 15 MONTH 07 YEAR 2005	PROVINCE AB	REVENUE ACCOUNT \$ _____

WHEREAS the Chief and Council have been elected and as such empowered by the membership of this Nation to provide Governance over the lands and People of the O'Chiese First Nation Indian Reserve # 203 through the provision of Peace, Order and Good Government in the best interests of all Band Members

WHEREAS the Chief and Council of the O'Chiese First Nation have come together at a duly convened, regularly scheduled Band Council Meeting

**O'Chiese First Nation
2005 Tax Rates Bylaw**

WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 83(1)(a) of the *Indian Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c.1-5, 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 arising out of or ancillary to such purpose;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the O'Chiese First Nation enacted the *O'Chiese Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw* on October 5, 1998;

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.


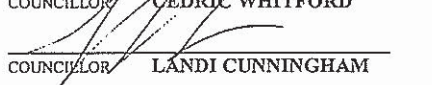
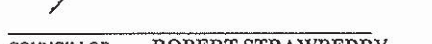
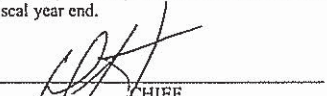
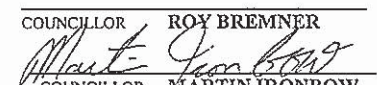
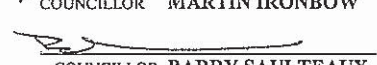

- This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the *O'Chiese First Nation 2005 Tax Rates Bylaw*.
- Pursuant to section 11 of the *O'Chiese Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw*, the rate of tax applied against the assessed value of property shall be:

(a)	for non-residential property	1.50%
(b)	for machinery and equipment	0.80%

This bylaw is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 15, 2005.

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QUORUM

All books and records will be maintained in accordance with standard acceptable accounting practices. Band accounts, books and records shall be open and available at reasonable times to all interested parties. The O'Chiese First Nation shall cause to be completed an annual audit to be conducted by an independent accredited financial institution and such shall be completed not later than 121 days, following each fiscal year end.

<p align="center"> COUNCILLOR CEDRIC WHITFORD</p> <p align="center"> COUNCILLOR LANDI CUNNINGHAM</p> <p align="center"> COUNCILLOR ROBERT STRAWBERRY</p>	<p align="center"> CHIEF DARREN WHITFORD</p> <p align="center"> COUNCILLOR ROY BREMNER</p> <p align="center"> COUNCILLOR MARTIN IRONBOW</p> <p align="center"> COUNCILLOR BARRY SAULTEAUX</p>
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