

Minister of Indian Affairs
and Northern Development



Ministre des Affaires
indiennes et du Nord canadien

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 O'Chiese First Nation, in the Province of Alberta, at a meeting held on the 2nd day of June 2003.

**O'Chiese First Nation
2003 Tax Rates By-law**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robert Nault'.

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 30th day of September 2003.

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BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION

INAC FILE NO.
BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION # 2003- 2004- 04

ORDER IN COUNCIL RESPECTING		CASH FREE BALANCE
O'CHIESE FIRST NATION		CAPITAL ACCOUNT \$ _____
		REVENUE ACCOUNT \$ _____
DATE OF DULY CONVENED MEETING DAY 02 MONTH 06 YEAR 2003	PROVINCE AB	

hereas 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

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

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 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.

1. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the O'Chiese First Nation 2003 Tax Rates Bylaw.
2. Pursuant to section 11 of the O'Chiese Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw, the rate of tax applied against each \$1,000 of the assessed value of property shall be 1.45%

This bylaw is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held June 2, 2003.

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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.


 CHIEF
 DARREN WHITFORD

COUNCILLOR CEDRIC WHITFORD


 COUNCILLOR ROY BREMNER


 COUNCILLOR BRANDON STRAWBERRY


 COUNCILLOR ROBERT STRAWBERRY

COUNCILLOR LESLIE YELLOWFACE


 COUNCILLOR BARRY SAULTEAUX

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