



**CANADA
PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND**

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E-4216-023

IN THE MATTER OF the Canada Evidence Act;

-and-

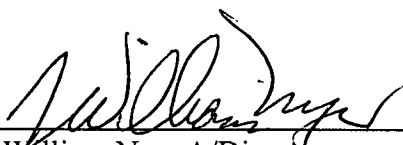
IN THE MATTER OF the certification of Indian Band
By-Laws pursuant to Section 86 of the *Indian Act*, R.S.C.
1985 Chapter I-5

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, J. William Nye of Riverview, Province of New Brunswick, do
solemnly declare as follows:

1. That on this date I was Acting Director of Lands and Trusts Services, Atlantic Regional Office of Indian and Inuit Affairs;
2. The incumbent of the position of Director, Lands and Trusts Services has the powers of superintendent as set out in the *Indian Act* by virtue of a Ministerial declaration dated November 25, 1987, with respect to "superintendents" under Section 2(1) of the *Indian Act*.
3. That I have reviewed the attached copy of Eskasoni Band By-law (unnumbered) dated May 23, 2000, being a by-law cited as "The Eskasoni 2000 Taxation Rates By-law," having been enacted by the Eskasoni Band Council on the 23rd day of May, 2000;
4. My review has determined that the attached copy of "The Eskasoni 2000 Taxation Rates By-law" represents a true copy of the original. Consequently, it has been stamped as such and I have put my initials on each single page to reflect this finding;
5. Pursuant to section 86 of the *Indian Act* I hereby certify the attached by-law as a true copy.
6. I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the *Canada Evidence Act*.

Declared before me at
Amherst, Nova Scotia this
15th day of January A. D. 2000



J. William Nye, A/Director
Lands and Trusts Services

Minister of Indian Affairs
and Northern Development



Ministre des Affaires
indiennes et du Nord canadien

Ottawa, Canada K1A 0H4

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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 Eskasoni Band, in the Province of Nova Scotia, at a meeting
held on the 23rd day of May 2000.

- **Eskasoni Band**
2000 Taxation Rates By-law

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

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 21 day of *September* 2000.

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Band By-Law

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DO HEREBY RESOLVE
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WHEREAS pursuant to paragraph 83(1) (a) of the **Indian Act** the Council of a Band may make by-laws for the purpose of taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land, in the reserve, including rights to occupy, possess or use land, in the reserve;

AND WHEREAS, on the 19th day of May, 1998, the Eskasoni Band Council at a duly convened meeting enacted the Eskasoni Property and Assessment and Taxation By-Law for the purposes of taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land, in the reserve, including rights to occupy, possess or use land in the reserve;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the declared inherent powers of self-governance which the Eskasoni Band possesses;

AND WHEREAS the council of the Eskasoni Band deems it to be in the interests of its Band to make a by-law for such purposes;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Council of the Eskasoni Band at a duly convened meeting, enacts the following by-law.


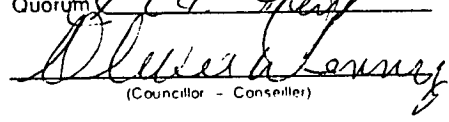
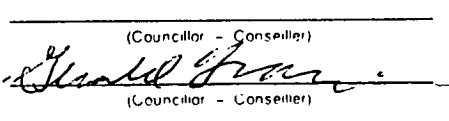
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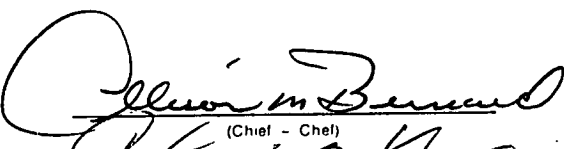
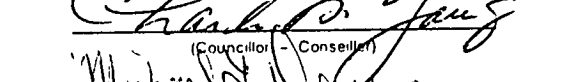
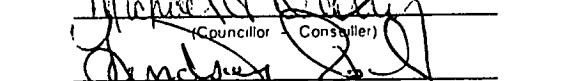
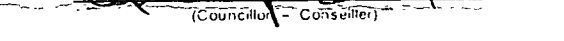
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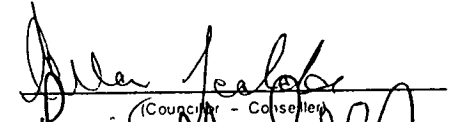
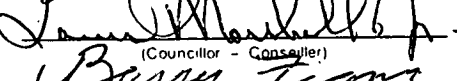
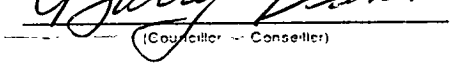
INTERPRETATION

1. In this by-law, any terms or words which are defined in the Eskasoni Property Assessment Taxation By-law shall have the same meaning herein as attributed to that term or word in the Eskasoni Property Assessment and Taxation By-Law.
2. The preamble forms parts of this by-law.

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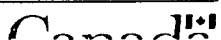

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TAX RATES

- Property which is subject to taxation under the Eskasoni Property Assessment and Taxation by-law shall be taxed at a rate of \$39.33 per \$1,000.00 assessed value of land and improvements as determined in accordance with the Eskasoni Property Assessment and Taxation By-Law for year 2000.

GENERAL

- A finding by a Court that a provision of this by-law is void or invalid shall not effect the validity or invalidity of the rest of the by-law.
- Where a provision in this by-law is expressed in the present tense, the provision applies to the circumstances as they arise.
- This by-law shall be construed as being remedial and shall be given such fair, large and liberal construction and interpretation as best ensures the attainment of its objects.
- Head notes and marginal notes and headings form no part of this by-law, but shall be construed as being inserted for convenience of reference only.
- This by-law shall come into force and effect on approval by the Minister.

This by-law is hereby enacted by the Council of the Band at a duly convened meeting held on the 23rd day of May 2000.

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