

**CHIPPEWAS OF KETTLE & STONY POINT  
BY-LAW NO. 23  
BEING A BY-LAW REGARDING THE BREEDING AND KEEPING OF RODENTS ON  
THE KETTLE & STONY POINT LANDS**

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**WHEREAS** Sections 81(1) (a), (c), (q) and (r) of the Indian Act empowers the Kettle and Stony Point Council to pass by-laws to provide for the health of residents on the First Nation and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases;

**AND WHEREAS** it is necessary for a by-law to be enacted to provide for the regulation of the breeding and keeping of rodents for the protection and health and safety of the people who reside on the Kettle and Stony Point Lands;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point **HEREBY ENACTS A BY-LAW AS FOLLOWS:**

**SHORT TITLE**

- 1 This by-law may be cited as the "Kettle and Stony Point Rodent By-law".

**INTERPRETATION**

- 2 (1) "Council" means the duly elected Chief and Councillors for the Kettle and Stony Point First Nation.
- (2) "Lands" means the geographical area set aside for the use and benefit of the Chippewas of Kettle and Stony Point First Nation.
- (3) "Rodent" means any small mammal of the order "Rodentia" characterized by having chisel-shaped incisors in the upper and lower jaws, including the rats and mice.
- (4) "Keeping" or "Keep" means in the custody, care, supervision and responsibility of a person also known as the owner.
- (5) "Breeding" means the reproduction of a rodent.

**KEEPING OF RODENTS**

- 3 A household shall be permitted to *keep* a limit of two Rodents.

**BREEDING OF RODENTS**

- 4 There shall be no *breeding* of rodents anywhere on the Lands.

**PENALTY**

- 5 Any person who violates any of the provisions of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on Summary of Conviction to a fine not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding thirty (30) days, or to both.
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THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY made at a duly convened meeting of the Council of Kettle and Stony Point dated on this 16 day of December, 2002.

THAT THIS Council do hereby approve By-law No. 23, respecting the keeping and breeding of rodents on the Kettle & Stony Point Lands.

(Chief) Thomas McBratney (Councillor) A.J. Huron

(Councillor) Peter B. Clark (Councillor) Mammie Bessette

(Councillor) \_\_\_\_\_ (Councillor) Michael D. G...

Councillor [Signature] (Councillor) David Monague

(Councillor) [Signature] (Councillor) Stephen [Signature]

Quorum: Six (6)

I, Corrinda Jackson Membership Clerk \_\_\_\_\_ for the Kettle and Stony Point Band, do hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing by-law was mailed to the Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada pursuant to Subsection 82(1) of the Indian Act, on this 17 day of December, 2002.

[Signature]  
(Signature)

[Signature]  
(Witness)