

CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Soda Creek Indian Band 2003 Rates Bylaw, dated the 23rd day of April 2003, is a true copy of the said by-law.

Kathy Howie

Thomas Howe, Director
Lands and Trust Services,
a Superintendent as defined in
Sec 2(1) Indian Act RSC 1985

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 Soda Creek Indian Band, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 23rd day of April 2003.

- Soda Creek Indian Band
Rates By-law No. 2003-TX01

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

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 1st day of June 2003.

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**SODA CREEK INDIAN BAND
BYLAW NO. 2003-TX01**

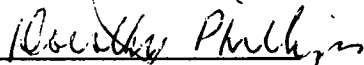
WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 83(1) of the Indian Act, the Council of a Band may make bylaws for the purpose of taxation for local purposes of land, or interest in the land including rights to occupy, possess or use lands within the boundaries of the Reserve and with respect to any matters arising out of or ancillary to such purpose:

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Soda Creek Indian Band enacted the Soda Creek Indian Band Taxation and Assessment Bylaw on December 23, 1997;

NOW BE IT 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.

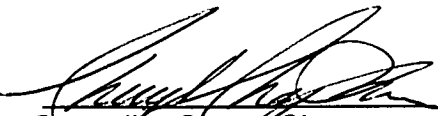
1. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Soda Creek Indian Band 2003 Rates Bylaw.
2. Pursuant to section 24 of the Soda Creek Indian Band Taxation Bylaw, the rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A" which is attached, and forms part of the 2003 Rates Bylaw.

This bylaw is hereby enacted by the Council of the Soda Creek Indian Band at a duly convened meeting held on the 23 day of April, 2003.


Chief Dorothy Phillips


Councilor David Pop


Councilor Ellie Mitchell


Councilor Cheryl Chapman

Schedule A

The Council of Soda Creek Indian Band hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the taxation year 2003 for the following classes of property.

Class of Property	Tax Rate
1. Residential	0
2. Utility	26.4693
3. Unmanaged Forest	0
4. Major Industry	0
5. Light Industry	0
6. Business/Other	0
7. Managed Forest	0
8. Recreational/Non Profit	0
9. Farm	0