CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the "Skuppah Indian Band 2008 Rates By-law" approved by the Minister and entitled "Rates By-Law 2008" dated July 15, 2008 is a true copy of the said by-law.

Kathy Hankin, A/Associate Director Lands and Trust Services, a Superintendent as defined in Section 2(1) Indian Act RSC 1985

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 by-law made by the Skuppah Indian Band, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 15th day of July 2008.

 Skuppah Indian Band 2008 Rates By-law

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 7th day of October 2008.

Skuppah Indian Band

Rates By-Law 2008

WHEREAS pursuant to the *Indian Act*, R.S.C. 1985, and specifically paragraph 83(1)(a) of the *Indian Act*, 1985, c. I-5, the Council of a band may make by-laws 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 Skuppah Indian Band enacted the Skuppah Indian Band Taxation and Assessment Amending Bylaw on April 7, 1995;

NOW BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the following by-law 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 by-law may be cited for all purposes as the Skuppah Indian Band 2008 Rates By-law.
- 2. Pursuant to Section 24(5) of the Skuppah Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation By-law, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A: which is attached, and forms part of the 2008 Rates By-law.

This by-law is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on the 15th day of July, 2008. A quorum for the Skuppah Indian Band Council is one (1).

Doug McIntyre

Chief, Skuppah Indian Band

SCHEDULE "A"

Skuppah Indian Band Prescribed Tax Rates For the Taxation Year 2008

The Council of the Skuppah Indian Band hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2008 taxation year for the following class of property.

Class of Property	Tax Rate
Class 10 - Railway Right-of-Way	19.81301

*Note - the rate established for this particular class of property is set as required pursuant to and in accordance with the *Property Assessment and Taxation (Railway Right of Way) Regulations, SOR/2001-493* as published in the Canada Gazette Part II, Vol. 135, No. 24, November 21, 2001.