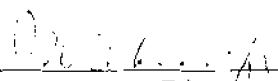


### CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.1-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Skeetchestn Indian Band 2004 Tax Rates By-law No. 9 dated the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 2004, is a true copy of the said by-law.

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



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On behalf of the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, I  
HEREBY APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the  
following by-law made by the Skeetchestn Indian Band, in the Province  
of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 7th day of June 2004.

- **Skeetchestn Indian Band  
2004 Tax Rates By-law No. 9**

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 2004.

BAND COUNCIL OF THE SKEETCHESTN INDIAN BAND  
ANNUAL TAX RATES BY-LAW NO. 9. 2004

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 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 Skeetchestn Indian Band enacted the Skeetchestn Indian Band Property Taxation Amended By-Law 1995-1 on December 4, 1995.

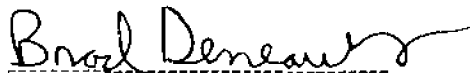
NOW BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the following by-law be and is hereby enacted pursuant to the provisions of the Indian Act and in particular section 83(1) for the purpose of establishing annual rates of taxation.

1. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the Skeetchestn Indian Band 2004 Tax Rates By-Law No. 9.
2. Pursuant to section 11 of the Skeetchestn Indian Band Property Taxation Amended By-Law 1995-1, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A" which is attached, and forms an integral part of the 2004 Tax Rates By-law No. 9.

THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY ENACTED by Skeetchestn Indian Band Council at a duly convened meeting held on the 7th day of June, 2004.

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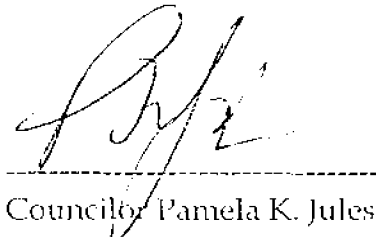
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Councilor Pamela K. Jules

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## SCHEDULE "A"

The Council of the Skeetchestn Indian Band hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2004 taxation year for the following classes of property.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2				
Class of Property as prescribed under Schedule II and Section 11 of the Skeetchestn Indian Band Property Taxation By-law.	Rate of Tax applied against each \$1000.00 of the assessed value of the land and improvements as determined in accordance with Part V of the Skeetchestn Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation By-Law.				
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