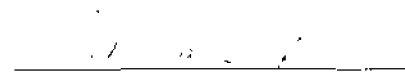


CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.1-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Bonaparte Indian Band Annual Tax Rates By-law No. 16, 2004 dated the 12th day of July 2004, is a true copy of the said by-law.



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

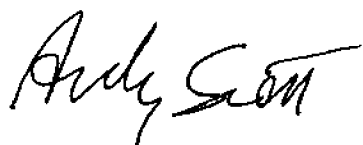
Ministre des Affaires indiennes et
du Nord canadien et interlocuteur fédéral
auprès des Métis et des Indiens non inscrits

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
bylaw made by the Bonaparte Indian Band, in the Province of British Columbia,
at a meeting held on the 12th day of July 2004

- **Bonaparte Indian Band**
Annual Tax Rates By-law No. 16, 2004



Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 18th day of August 2004.

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Bonaparte Indian Band

Annual Tax Rates Bylaw No.16, 2004

Whereas pursuant to section 11 of the Bonaparte Indian Band Property Tax Bylaw it is necessary to establish each year a bylaw and tax rates for each separate property class within each reserve:

Now Therefore the Band Council of the Bonaparte Indian Band enacts as follows:

1. Schedule "A": annexed hereto is hereby declared an integral part of this bylaw.
2. The classes of property for the purposes of this bylaw are established hereby as set out in the Prescribed Classes of Property Regulations, B.C. Regulation 438/81, made pursuant to the Assessment Act (B.C.), and in force for 2004.
3. Taxes shall be levied by applying the rate of tax against each \$1000.00 of assessed value found in the assessment roll produced in accordance with the provisions of the Bonaparte Property Tax Bylaw.
4. for the purpose of section 11 of the Bonaparte Property Tax Bylaw there are hereby established, imposed and levied for the taxation year 2004 the following tax rates, namely for each separate property class within each named reserve the tax rate set out in column 3 of Schedule "A" beside the property class set out in column 2 of Schedule "A", which is attached to and forms part of this Bylaw.
5. On or before June 15th of each fiscal year, the Tax Administrator shall prepare and table with Council a draft annual property tax budget for the then fiscal year and the annual property tax budget will be attached as Schedule "B" to and form part of this Bylaw.
6. This bylaw shall come in force and become effective immediately upon approval by the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

APPROVED AND PASSED at a duly convened meeting of the Band Council of the Bonaparte Indian Band held at the Bonaparte Band Hall, Bonaparte I.R.#3, P.O. Box 669, Cache Creek, B.C., V0K 1H0, this 12th day of July, 2004.

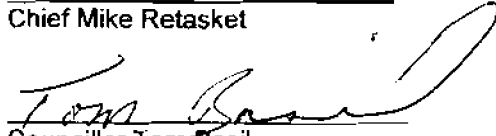
A quorum of Band Council consists of 5 Councillors



Chief Mike Retasket



Councillor Randy Porter



Councillor Tom Basil



Councillor Dave Antoine



Councillor Valerie Morgan



Councillor Sandra Gaspard



Councillor Richard Billy



Councillor Gerald Etienne

Schedule "A"
2004

Column 1 Named Reserve	Column 2 Property Classes	Column 3 Tax Rate for the Taxation Year (per \$1000 of assessed value)
Upper Hat Creek I.R.#1	1. Residential	10.363
Upper Hat Creek I.R.#2	2. Utilities	34.243
Bonaparte I.R.#3	3. Unmanaged Forest Land	28.245
Loon Lake #4	4. Major Industry	44.206
Mauvais Rocher I.R.#5	5. Light Industry	41.359
Grasslands I.R.#7	6. Business & Other	19.28
	7. Managed Forest Land	16.685
	8. Recreation	9.999
	9. Farm	21.567