CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Section 86, Indian Act RSC 1985 C.I-5 and amendments thereto, I certify that the attached copy of the Westbank First Nation 2005 Tax Rate Schedule Amending Bylaw dated 2nd Day of May, 2005 is a true copy of the said by-law.

Joseph Whiteside, A/Associate Director

Lands and Trust Services, a Superintendent as defined in

Sec 2(1) Indian Act RSC 1985

Ministre des Affaires indiennes et du Nord canadien et interlocuteur fedèral. 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 Westbank First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 2nd day of May 2005.

Westbank First Nation 2005 Tax Rate Schedule Amending Bylaw

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Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 31 st day of May

2005.



WESTBANK FIRST NATION

Bylaw No. 05-TX-05 of the Westbank First Nation

WHEREAS:

The Chief and Council of the Westbank First Nation deems it advisable and in the best interests of the members of the Westbank First Nation to amend the Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08 passed by Chief and Council December 11, 1995 and approved by the Minister April 23, 1996, that being a bylaw to establish by bylaw a system on the reserve land of the Westbank First Nation for taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land, in the reserve, including rights to occupy, possess or use land in the reserve; and

WHEREAS:

Pursuant to Section 18.1(3) of the Westbank First Nation Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08. Chief and Council shall prescribe tax rates; and

WHEREAS:

Those rates prescribed by the Chief and Council are set out in schedule to the Westbank First Nation Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08 pursuant to section 18.1(4); and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Westbank First Nation Council enacts as an amending Bylaw:

Short Title

This amending bylaw may be cited as the "2005 Tax Rate Schedule Amending Bylaw".

1. That the following Schedule II "2005 Tax Rate Schedule shall be added to the Westbank First Nation Property Taxation Bylaw 95-TX-08 passed by Chief and Council December 11, 1995 and approved by the Minister April 23, 1996:

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Westbank First Nation Council at a duly convened meeting of the Westbank First Nation Council held at the Westbank First Nation Administration Office, Kelowna, British Columbia, this <u>20d</u> day of <u>Nay</u> 2005.

Councillor Mickey Werstuik

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Councillor Michael DeGuevara

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Councillor Loretta Swite

2005 TAX RATE SCHEDULE

Bylaw No <u>05-TX-04</u> For the Taxation Year 2005

SCHEDULE "II"

Property Classes Within Each Taxation District (Section 18.1)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Name of Taxation District	Reserves Comprising Taxation District	Property Classes	Tax Rates for the Taxation Year 2005
Taxation District	The reserve lands of the Westbank First	1. Residential	9.1107
Westbank First Nation.	Nation.	2. Utilities	34.8028
	IR#9 and IR#10	3. Unmanaged Forest Land	N/A
		4. Major Industry	N/A
		5. Light Industry	25.5099
		6. Business & Other	25.5099
		7. Managed Forest Land	N/A
		8. Recreational Property/ Non-profit Organization	11.5706
		9. Farm	9.1107