

**COMMISSIONER'S ORDER NO. 243-97
NATURAL RESOURCES**

A Commissioner's Order to establish a position of Reservation Recorder for the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa.

WHEREAS: The Commissioner of Natural Resources has the power to implement program to protect natural resources within jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians, through Mille Lacs Band Statute Annotated 11 §2003, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Natural Resources has the powers of regulation of all land under the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians (MLBSA 11 § 2002), and

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa owns land within the Mille Lacs Reservation, and

WHEREAS, these lands are subject to the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Tribal Government, and


WHEREAS, various transaction occur on these lands which require certification that said lands are free from liens and judgment, and recording of these certificates, and other legal documents relating to land; and

WHEREAS, such certification is required for a particular real estate transaction.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordered that there established a position of Reservation Recorder for the certification of title relating to lands under the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians.

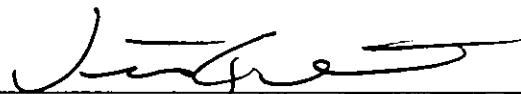
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVE, that the Commissioner of Natural Resources shall sign for the Reservation Recorder until such time the position is filled.

DATED at Vineland, Minnesota this 20th day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and ninety-six.



Don Wedll
Commissioner of Natural Resources

APPROVED AND NUMBERED AS TO
FORM AND EXECUTION



Jim Genia
Solicitor General

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND