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**COMMISSIONER'S ORDER NO. 349-02  
NATURAL RESOURCES**

A Commissioner's Order to authorize a prescribed burn within the Hazardous Reduction Burn Plan on areas under the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe.

WHEREAS: The Commissioner of Natural Resources has the power to implement programs to protect natural resources within the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians, through Mille Lacs Band Statutes Annotated Title II Section 2002 and Section 2003, and

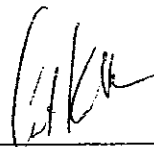
WHEREAS: The Band has adopted a Hazardous Reduction Burn Plan to control and protect property, and

WHEREAS: Fire can be used for enhancing protection of tribal lands, and

WHEREAS: There is a need for prescribed burning within Mille Lacs County.

NOW THEREFORE, by the authority vested in me by the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe pursuant to 11 MLBSA § 2003, I, Curt Kalk, Commissioner of Natural Resources hereby authorize a prescribed burn within the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe to be completed by May 30, 2002. (See attached map)

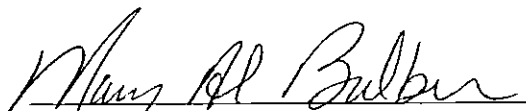
DATED at Vineland, Minnesota this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April in the year two thousand and two.



Curt Kalk,  
Commissioner of Natural Resources

EXPIRATION DATE: May 30, 2002

APPROVED AS TO FORM,  
EXECUTION AND NUMBERING

  
Mary Al Balber,  
Solicitor General

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