

## MILLE LACS BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

## Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

## RESOLUTION 15-84

A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE CREATION OF A MINNESOTA CHIPPEWA TRIBAL COURT OF APPEALS AND A TRIBAL GAMING/BINGO STATUTE OR COMMISSION.

- WHEREAS, appropriate sub-committees of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Executive Committee have considered and recommended a proposal to create a tribal Court of Appeals and to enact an ordinance which establishes a tribal gaming commission, and;
- WHEREAS: the adoption of a proposal to create a tribal court of appeals conflicts with established cultural and legal systems enacted under Band Statute 1024-MLC-3 on March 21: 1983 at Mille Lacs: and:
- WHEREAS: the enactment of a tribal gaming statute conflicts with various provisions of Band Statute 1000-MLC-4: Nay-Ah-Shing Gaming Commission enacted November 10: 1981: and:
- WHEREAS: the adoption of these proposals by the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Executive Committee will be inconsistent with the advancement of Indian Self-Determination principles and precepts and will constitute further erosion of the soverighty of each Band which comprises the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe: and:
- WHEREAS: the proposals are deemed to be further inconsistent with the rights of Self-Determination of the Mille Lacs Band which have been exercised through the enactment of said aforementioned statutes which established the Judicial system and Nay-Ah-Shing Gaming Commission.
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chief Executive {Chairman} and Speaker of the Assembly {Secretary-Treasurer} are hereby authorized to strenuously oppose adoption of these proposals and to cast negative votes during the requested roll-call votes on each proposal.
- WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at a formal session of the Band Assembly {Reservation Business Committee}, in legislative council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present, held on Wednesday, October 25, 1983 at Vineland, Minnesota by a vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, and 0 SILENT.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly {Reservation Business Committee}, hereunto caused to have set, the hand of the Speaker of the Assembly {Secretary-Treasurer} to be affixed to this Resolution.

Douglas Sam, Speaker of the Assembly Secretary-Treasurer

IN CONCURRENCE, with the action of the Band Assembly {Reservation Business Committee}, the Chief Executive {Chairman} has set his hand to this Resolution.

Arthur Gahbows Chief Executive

Chairman

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