



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 12-03-59-07

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE BLOOD QUANTUM INCREASE, BASED ON NEW ENROLLMENT ORDINANCE, SECTION VIII. A.

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly is the duly-elected governing body of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, a federally-recognized Indian Tribe, and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Chippewa Tribal Executive Committee has adopted a new Enrollment Ordinance by Resolution No. 116-03, passed July 30, 2003 at a regular meeting of the Tribal Executive Committee, and

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly has reviewed the following documentations, and

WHEREAS, based on the new Enrollment Ordinance, section VIII.A. the blood quantum of: Aindusogeshig WE 5109, blood quantum should increase from none listed to [REDACTED] and

WHEREAS, his full sibling Mary Sam having a Blood Quantum of [REDACTED] as indicated by the 1941 Base Roll and enrollment cards included for full sibling of [REDACTED] and

WHEREAS, included is the Annuity listing from 1899 showing the family unit, a letter from the family requesting research, and copies of the 1941 Base Roll; and

WHEREAS, this is a large family and will be processing each sibling separately, one each quarter; and


WHEREAS, there are seven (7) total siblings and 5 needing blood quantum changes; and

WHEREAS, this family was researched by the Enrollment Review Committee (ERC) as a result of an appeal on an enrollment denial.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly approves the above individual's blood quantum increase, based on the new Enrollment Ordinance, Section VIII.A.


WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a regular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative Council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present held on the 17th day of April, 2007 at Vineland, Minnesota by a vote of 2 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly hereunto cause to have set the signature of the Speaker of the Assembly to be affixed to this resolution and forwarded to the Chief Executive for Concurrence.



Herb Weyaus, Speaker of the Assembly

IN CONCURRENCE, with the action of the Speaker of the Assembly, I, hereunto set my hand to this resolution.



Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

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