

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians 375 River Street Manistee, MI 49660 (231) 723-8288

Resolution # 02-0605- 0

Adoption of Amendments to Indian Preference in Employment Ordinance Regarding Reporting and Certifications

- WHEREAS, the Tribe's status as a federally-recognized Indian tribe was reaffirmed and restored by Congress pursuant to Public Law 103-324, 108 Stat. 2156 (25 U.S.C. §1300k et seq.); and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe adopted a new Constitution, pursuant to a vote of the membership on May 27, 1998, which Constitution became effective upon its approval by the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs on July 10, 1998; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is authorized under Article IV, Section 7(a) to provide for the public health, peace, morals, education and general welfare of the Little River Band and its members; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council adopted the <u>Indian Preference in Employment Ordinance</u>,
 # 02-600-02, by resolution # 02-0313-01 which identified the levels and application of Indian preference by the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has determined that application of Indian preference should be monitored so as to allow the Tribal Council to make appropriate adjustments in the Ordinance to determine that Tribal members have an opportunity for all employment positions within the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has reviewed and approved the proposed reporting and certification requirements in Section 5 of the ordinance;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby adopts, for implementation on June 1, 2002, the amended Indian Preference in Employment Ordinance, # 02-600-01.

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CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with _____ FOR, _____ AGAINST, _____ ABSTAINING, and _____ ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on June 5, 2002, at the Little River Band's Community Center in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Janine M. Sam, Council Recorder Stephen Parsons, Council Speaker

Attest:

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