

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Appointing Nicholas Lewis to the Election Board)

RESOLUTION NO. 02-184

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the power to appoint members**
2 **of the Tohono O'odham Election Board pursuant to Section 1(B) of Article II of**
3 **Ordinance No. 03-86, the Uniform Election Ordinance ("Election Ordinance"), which**
4 **states, "Members of the Election Board shall be appointed by the Tohono O'odham**
5 **Council for terms of five years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified";**
6 **and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Election Ordinance further requires "that appointments to the board shall be**
8 **made in such a way and for such terms that their terms shall be staggered so that the**
9 **term of office of only one member will end in any single year."; and**

10 **WHEREAS, effective July 31, 2001, Election Board Member Jose Nicholas Lopez's term did expire**
11 **and he continues to serve as a Board member until his successor is appointed; and**

12 **WHEREAS, in compliance with the Election Ordinance, the Legislative Council has the duty to**
13 **appoint a successor who will complete the five-year term that is currently held by Jose**
14 **Nicholas Lopez and which will expire July 31, 2006; and**

15 **WHEREAS, the Rules Committee, having legislative oversight over the Election Board, has**
16 **reviewed the Election Board's recommendations concerning this appointment and**
17 **has, furthermore, interviewed qualified bilingual members of the Nation to fill this**
18 **seat on the Election Board; and**

19 **WHEREAS, the Rules Committee has reported its findings concerning this appointment to the**
20 **Legislative Council and has recommended that Nicholas Lewis be appointed to the**
21 **Election Board to complete the five-year term ending July 31, 2006.**

22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Legislative Council hereby appoints Nicholas**
23 **Lewis as a member of the Election Board to complete the five (5) year term ending**
24 **July 31, 2006.**

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26 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 06TH Day**
27 **of MAY 2002 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,984.7 FOR; 248.1 AGAINST;**
28 **-0- NOT VOTING; and 184.7 [06] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section**
29 **1 (g) of Article VI; Section 7 of Article X of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted**
30 **by the Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
31 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
32 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Rita A. Martinez
Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

8th day of May, 2002

ATTEST:

Julianna Saraficio
Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

06 day of May, 2002.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 8th day of May, 2002 at 5:06 o'clock, P..M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Rita A. Martinez
Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 10th day of May, 2002

DISAPPROVED

at 6:39 o'clock, A..M.

Edward D. Manuel
EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 10th day of

May, 2002, at 8:30 o'clock, A..M.

Julianna Saraficio
Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPOINTING NICHOLAS LEWIS TO THE ELECTION BOARD

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN MARY FLORES

SECOND: COUNCILMAN AMBROSE ENCINAS

DATE: MAY 06, 2002

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 317.7	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	158.85	X			X
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Lucilda Norris-Valenzuela)	158.85	X			
CHUKUT KUK 248.1	1. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Juanita Homer)	124.05		X		X
	2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan)	124.05		X		
GU ACHI 230.7	1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ ()	115.35	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON (Jerome Joaquin)	115.35	X			
GU VO 188.3	1. FERN SALCIDO ()	94.15	X			
	2. EMILIO LEWIS (Michael Flores)	94.15	X			
HICKIWAN 167.3	1. SHIRLEY MOLINA ()	83.65	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	83.65	X			
PISINEMO 174.7	1. BARBARA SALVICIO (Alex Antone)	87.35	X			X
	2. PATRICIA CRUZ (Johnson Jose)	87.35	X			
SAN LUCY 160.7	1. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (John W. Lawson, Sr.)	80.35	X			X
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	80.35	X			
SAN XAVIER 184.7	1. CRESCENCIO "TONY" ENCINAS ()	92.35				X
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	92.35				X
SCHUK TOAK 144.5	1. MARY FLORES ()	72.25	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS (Frances B. Conde(Francisco))	72.25	X			
SELLS 416.1	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ()	208.05	X			
	2. EVELYN JUAN ()	208.05	X			
SIF OIDAK 184.7	1. ISIDRO LOPEZ ()	92.35	X			
	2. RITA MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose)	92.35	X			
TOTAL		2,417.5	1,984.7	248.1	-0-	184.7 [06]

**PASSED VOTES