

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving an Attorney Contract with the Law Firm of Rosin & Reiniger Relating
to Indian Child Welfare Act Proceedings in New York County Court)**

RESOLUTION NO. 04-553

1 **WHEREAS, pursuant to Legislative Council Resolution No. 04-267, the Tohono O'odham Nation**
2 **(the "Nation") entered into an Attorney Contract with the law firm of Rosin & Reiniger**
3 **for the period ending September 30, 2004; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Attorney Contract expired on September 30, 2004; and**

5 **WHEREAS, continued representation is required to adequately protect the interests of the Nation**
6 **in an adoption proceeding under the Indian Child Welfare Act which is pending in**
7 **New York County Court (Case No. A-5193/04); and**

8 **WHEREAS, the Attorney General recommends continuing the engagement of the law firm of**
9 **Rosin & Reiniger to provide such representation under an Attorney Contract in the**
10 **amount of \$30,000 for the period ending September 30, 2005; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the budget for the Office of Attorney General (01-1031-810) has sufficient funds for the**
12 **Contract amount; and**

13 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs and Budget & Finance Committees recommend approval of the**
14 **Attorney Contract by the Legislative Council.**

15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

- 16 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the Attorney Contract with**
17 **the law firm of Rosin & Reiniger in the amount of \$30,000 for Fiscal Year 2005, in**
18 **the form attached hereto.**
- 19 **2. Funding for the Attorney Contract shall be provided from the budget of the Office**
20 **of Attorney General (01-1031-810).**
- 21 **3. The Chairwoman of the Nation is authorized and directed to execute the Attorney**
22 **Contract.**

23 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 21ST. Day**
24 **of OCTOBER, 2004 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,534.0 FOR; 95.70**
25 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
26 **Section 2 (a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**
27 **O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**
28 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**
29 **Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

for *Isidro Lopez*
Isidro Lopez, Legislative Chairman
25th day of October, 2004

ATTEST:

Rosita N. Ruiz
Rosita N. Ruiz, Legislative Secretary

25 day of October, 2004.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairwoman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 25th day of October, 2004 at 4:53 o'clock, P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon her approval or upon her failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

for *Isidro Lopez*
Isidro Lopez, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED on the 26 day of October, 2004

DISAPPROVED at 11:45 o'clock, A.M.

Vivian Juan-Saunders
VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS, CHAIRWOMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 26 day of October, 2004, at 2:30 o'clock, P.M.

Rosita N. Ruiz
Rosita N. Ruiz, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING AN ATTORNEY CONTRACT WITH THE LAW FIRM OF ROSIN & REINIGER RELATING TO INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT PROCEEDINGS IN NEW YORK COUNTY COURT

Moved: COUNCILMAN VERLON JOSE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN DARLENE ANDREW

DATE: OCTOBER 21, 2004

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF Oidak 192.6	1. ISIDRO LOPEZ (Nicholas Jose)	96.30	X			
	2. DARLENE ANDREW (Rita Martinez)	96.30	X			
SELLS 465.6	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ()	232.80	X			
	2. EVELYN JUAN ()	232.80	X			
SCHUK TOAK 176.1	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ()	88.05	X			
	2. PHYLLIS JUAN ()	88.05	X			
SAN XAVIER 215.4	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ (Olivia Liston-Villegas)	107.70	X			
	2. DENNIS RAMON (Eleanor Hunter)	107.70	X			
SAN LUCY 166.3	1. JOHN W. LAWSON, SR. ()	83.15	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	83.15	X			
PISINEMO 175.4	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ()	87.70	X			
	2. PATRICIA CRUZ ()	87.70	X			
HICKIWAN 170.3	1. DELMA GARCIA (Mary E. Sam)	85.15	X			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	85.15	X			
GU VO 191.4	1. RAYMOND VICTOR ()	95.70	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES (Willard Manuel)	95.70		X		
GU ACHI 253.6	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Jonas Robles)	126.80	X			
	2. JEROME JOAQUIN (Roberta Picard)	126.80	X			
CHUKUT KUK 258.9	1. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Juanita Homer)	129.45	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE (David Garcia)	129.45	X			
BABOQUIVARI 364.1	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Lucilda Norris-Valenzuela)	182.05	X			X
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE ()	182.05	X			
TOTAL		2,629.7	2,534.0	95.70	-0-	[02]

****PASSED VOTES**