

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY06 Attorney Contract for John M. Neis to serve as Conflict Attorney)**

RESOLUTION NO. 06-020

1 **WHEREAS, there are no other attorneys to handle conflicts which the Nation's Advocate Program**
2 **is not ethically allowed to handle in the increasing needs of tribal members for legal**
3 **representation in civil and criminal matters; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Advocate Program wishes to retain John M. Neis to be appointed to represent clients**
5 **with conflicts of interest who cannot be represented by the Nation's Advocate Program;**
6 **and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Advocate Program has presented a contract for John M. Neis which confirms and**
8 **ratifies the terms and conditions related to his services, a copy of which is attached**
9 **hereto; and**

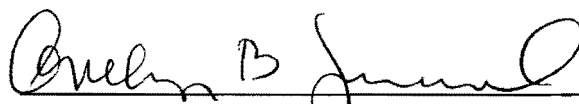
10 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee and the Budget and Finance Committee have each**
11 **reviewed the contract and recommended its submission to the Legislative Council.**

12 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT;**

- 13 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council ratifies and approves the Conflict**
14 **Attorney Contract for John M. Neis in the form attached hereto for the period of**
15 **October 1, 2005 through September 30, 2006 in an amount not to exceed \$35,000.00**
16 **total.**
- 17 **2. Funding for the Conflict Attorney Contract for John M. Neis shall be provided under**
18 **the operating budget of the Advocate Program for fiscal year 2006.**

19 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 10TH. Day**
20 **of JANUARY, 2006 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,440.80 FOR; -0-**
21 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section**
22 **1 (d)(2)&(3) and 2(a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
23 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
24 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
25 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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28 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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32 **Evelyn B. Juan Manuel, Legislative Chairwoman**

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34 13th day of Jan, 2006
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1 ATTEST:

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4 Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

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6 13th day of January, 2006.

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8 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairwoman of the Tohono
9 O'Odham Nation on the 13th day of January, 2006 at 5:16 o'clock,
10 P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become
11 effective upon her approval or upon her failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours
12 of submittal.

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14 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

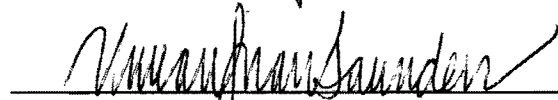
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18 Evelyn B. Juan Manuel, Legislative Chairwoman

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22 APPROVED

on the 15 day of January, 2006

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24 DISAPPROVED

at 1:15 o'clock, P.M.

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28 VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS, CHAIRWOMAN
29 TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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33 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 17th day of

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35 January, 2006, at 11:05 o'clock, A.M.

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39 Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING FY06 ATTORNEY CONTRACT FOR JOHN M. NEIS TO SERVE AS CONFLICT ATTORNEY

MOVED: VICE CHAIRMAN VERLON JOSE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN DELMA GARCIA

DATE: JANUARY 10, 2006

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 310.8	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	155.40	X			X
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Lucilda J. Valenzuela (Norris))	155.40	X			
CHUKUT KUK 258.7	1. ETHEL GARCIA ()	129.35	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE (David Garcia)	129.35	X			
GU ACHI 221.6	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Jonas Robles)	110.80	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL (Louis L. Johnson)	110.80	X			
GU VO 193.1	1. RAYMOND VICTOR ()	96.55	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES (Grace Manuel)	96.55	X			
HICKIWAN 167.4	1. DELMA GARCIA (Mary E. Sam)	83.70	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	83.70	X			
PISINEMO 171.8	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ()	85.90	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ()	85.90	X			
SAN LUCY 169.0	1. JOHN W. LAWSON, SR. ** ()	84.50	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	84.50	X			
SAN XAVIER 193.8	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	96.90	X			
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON ()	96.90	X			
SCHUK TOAK 146.9	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ()	73.45	X			X
	2. PHYLLIS JUAN ()	73.45	X			
SELLS 421.0	1. MARLENE SARAFICIO-JUAN ()	210.50	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL (Kimberly Listo)	210.50	X			
SIF OIDAK 186.7	1. WAVALENE SAUNDERS (Isidro Lopez)	93.35	X			
	2. DARLENE ANDREW (Rita Martinez)	93.35	X			X
TOTAL		2,440.80	2,440.80	-0-	-0-	[03]

**PASSED VOTES