

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Deputation Agreement between the Bureau of Indian Affairs Law
Enforcement Services and the Tohono O'odham Nation)

RESOLUTION NO. 06-286

1 **WHEREAS, pursuant to the Indian Law Enforcement Reform Act, 25 U.S.C. § 2801-2809, the**
2 **Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Indian Affairs ("BIA"), is**
3 **responsible for providing, or assisting in providing, law enforcement in Indian**
4 **Country; and**

5 **WHEREAS, the Secretary has delegated this authority to the Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs**
6 **and the Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs has re-delegated this authority to the**
7 **Director of the BIA, who has re-delegated it to the Deputy Bureau Director, Law**
8 **Enforcement Services, BIA; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs is committed to working with tribal**
10 **governments and tribal law enforcement to strengthen law enforcement in Indian**
11 **country; and**

12 **WHEREAS, on February 10, 2004, the Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs articulated policy**
13 **guidance to the BIA - as published at 69 Federal Register page 6,321, to govern the**
14 **implementation of Special Law Enforcement Commission Deputation Agreements**
15 **with Indian tribes; and**

16 **WHEREAS, this policy expressly lays out issues regarding good faith efforts on behalf of all parties**
17 **involved in the aforementioned agreements, including as they relate to liability; and**

18 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Police Department ("TOPD") provides law enforcement services**
19 **to the Tohono O'odham Nation and has expressed a need to deputize its officers with**
20 **Special Law Enforcement Commissions so that TOPD officers can enforce a wide range**
21 **of federal criminal laws within the lands of the Tohono O'odham Nation, and seeks to**
22 **enter into a Deputation Agreement with the BIA Office of Law Enforcement Services;**
23 **and**

24 **WHEREAS, the attached Deputation Agreement has been reviewed by the Domestic Affairs**
25 **Committee, which recommends approval by the Legislative Council.**

26 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves**
27 **the Deputation Agreement Between the Bureau of Indian Affairs Law Enforcement**

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 15 day of

May, 2006, at 3:13 o'clock, P.M.

Lucille Lopez

Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING DEPUTATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES AND THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Moved: COUNCILWOMAN GLORIA RAMIREZ

SECOND: VICE CHAIRMAN VERLON JOSE

DATE: MAY 02, 2006

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 310.8	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Vernon J. Smith)	155.40	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			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			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			X
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	96.90	X			
SCHUK TOAK 146.9	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ()	73.45	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			
TOTAL		2,440.80	2,273.4	-0-	-0-	167.4 [05]

****PASSED VOTES**