

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Nominating Representative Daniel L.A. Preston, III to the Advisory Council on
Indian Health Care)**

RESOLUTION NO. 15-489

1 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Constitution vests the Legislative Council with the
2 authority to "promote, protect and provide for public health, peace, morals,
3 education and general welfare of the Tohono O'odham Nation and its members"
4 and to "consult, negotiate and conclude agreements and contracts on behalf of
5 the Tohono O'odham Nation with Federal, State and local governments. . ."
6 (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) and Section 1(f)); and

7 **WHEREAS,** the Advisory Council on Indian Health Care is comprised of 23 members, 20 of
8 whom are tribal members representing different health agencies or serving at
9 large, appointed by the governor to serve staggered two year terms (Arizona
10 Revised Statutes 36-2902.01); and

11 **WHEREAS,** by statute, Arizona established the Advisory Council on Indian Health Care in
12 1989 to develop a comprehensive health care delivery and financing system for
13 American Indians; to develop new title XIX of the Social Security Act
14 demonstration projects (Medicaid) specific to each Arizona Indian tribe; to
15 facilitate communications, planning and discussion among tribes, Arizona and
16 federal agencies regarding operations, financing, policy and legislation relating
17 to Indian health care; and to recommend and advocate for, and improve policy
18 and legislation relating to Indian health care (Arizona Revised Statutes 36-
19 2902.02); and

20 **WHEREAS,** for a number of years, the Advisory Council on Indian Health Care has
21 experienced numerous vacancies and it would be in the Nation's best interest to
22 nominate a tribal member to the Advisory Council on Indian Health Care to
23 advocate for Nation's members; and

24 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council Health and Human Services Committee
25 recommends nominating committee member Representative Daniel L.A.
26 Preston, III, a Nation's member, to the Advisory Council on Indian Health Care
27 as a member at large.

28 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it authorizes and
29 directs the Nation's chairperson to urge Governor Ducey to immediately begin
30 appointments to fill the vacancies on the Advisory Council on Indian Health
31 Care.

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1 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it
2 **nominates Representative Daniel L.A. Preston, III to the Advisory Council on**
3 **Indian Health Care as a member at large.**

4 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that if Governor Doug
5 **Ducey appoints Representative Daniel L.A. Preston, III to the Advisory Council**
6 **on Indian Health Care, his appointment shall expire immediately if he no longer**
7 **serves on the Health and Human Services Committee for any reason.**

8 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 10th**
9 **day of DECEMBER, 2015 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,021.4 FOR;**
10 **-0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
11 **Article VI, Sections 1(c)(2) and Section 1(f) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation,**
12 **adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting**
13 **Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section**
14 **16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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17 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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21 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**

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23 11 day of December, 2015

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27 **ATTEST:**

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30 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**

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32 11 day of December, 2015

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34 **Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono**
35 **O'odham Nation on the 11 day of December, 2015 at 5:07 o'clock, P .m.,**
36 **pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become**
37 **effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48**
38 **hours of submittal.**

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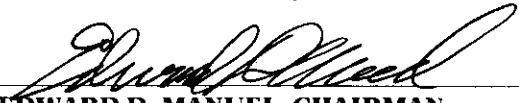
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APPROVED

on the 11 day of December, 2015

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at 6:05 o'clock, P.m.



EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 14 day of

December, 2015, at 8:10 o'clock, a.m.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: NOMINATING REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL L.A. PRESTON, III TO THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON INDIAN HEALTH CARE

MOVED: COUNCILMAN CHESTER ANTONE

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ANTHONY FRANCISCO, JR.

DATE: DECEMBER 10, 2015

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 367.2	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta E. Harvey)	183.60	X			
	2. VERNON J. SMITH (Gloria Zazueta)	183.60	X			
CHUKUT KUK 332.1	1. ETHEL GARCIA (Marlakay K. Henry)	166.05	X			
	2. BILLMAN LOPEZ (Patricia Vicenti)	166.05	X			
GUACHI 265.0	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	132.50	X			
	2. LORETTA LEWIS ()	132.50	X			
GU VO 250.6	1. GRACE MANUEL (Dallas Lewis)	125.30	X			
	2. PAMELA ANGHILL (Jeffery Antone, Sr.)	125.30	X			
HICKIWAN 205.8	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Shirley Molina)	102.90	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	102.90	X			
PISINEMO 219.9	1. CHESTER ANTONE ()	109.95	X			
	2. MONICA K. MORGAN ()	109.95	X			
SAN LUCY 226.5	1. DIANA MANUEL ()	113.25	X			
	2. JANA MONTANA (Gloria Ramirez)	113.25	X			
SAN XAVIER 228.6	1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III ()	114.30	X			
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER (Olivia Villegas-Liston)	114.30	X			
SCHUK TOAK 180.6	1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. ()	90.30	X			
	2. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ (John Fendenheim)	90.30	X			
SELLS 513.5	1. ARTHUR WILSON (Beverly Rivas)	256.75	X			
	2. BARBARA HAVIER ()	256.75	X			
SIF OIDAK 231.6	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Nicholas Jose)	115.80	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	115.80	X			X
TOTAL		3,021.4	3,021.4	-0-	-0-	[01]