

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Attorney Contract with the Law Firm of Raven & Kirschner)**

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RESOLUTION NO. 97-370

WHEREAS, an Initiative, No. IN-01-97 (the "Initiative"), was approved by the voters of the Tohono O'odham Nation on June 28, 1997; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Attorney General is assessing various legal issues associated with the implementation of the Initiative, including the tax consequences to members and tax withholding obligations of the Nation; and

WHEREAS, the Attorney General has recommended engaging a tax specialist to assist in the analysis of the tax issues; and

WHEREAS, Susan M. Freund is a tax specialist certified by the State Bar of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Freund is a partner in the law firm of Raven & Kirschner; and

WHEREAS, the Attorney General recommends an Attorney Contract in the amount of \$20,000 with the law firm of Raven & Kirschner for the identified tax advice, with a term from August 15, 1997 through September 30, 1997; and

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Nation has approved use of \$20,000 from the Administrative Provisions-Reserve for Contingencies (780) account to fund the Attorney Contract amount; and

WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee recommends approval of the Attorney Contract.

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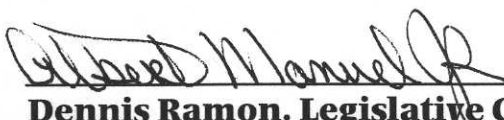
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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby approves an Attorney Contract with the law firm of Raven & Kirschner, in the form attached hereto, in the amount of \$20,000 and for a term ending on September 30, 1997.**
- 2. The Chairman of the Nation is authorized and directed to execute the Attorney Contract**

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council on the 11TH day of SEPTEMBER, 1997 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,478.0 FOR; 303.0 AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 146.0 [07] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1(d) and Section 2(a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

for 
Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman
15th day of September, 19 97

ATTEST:


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

12th day of September, 19 97.

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Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 15th day of September, 1997 at 2:11 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

For Edward Manuel Jr.
Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 16th day of September, 1997

DISAPPROVED

at 1:42 o'clock, P.M.

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 16th day of

September, 1997, at 4:33 o'clock, P.M.

Julianna Saraficio
Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING ATTORNEY CONTRACT WITH THE LAW FIRM OF RAVEN & KIRSCHNER

MOVED: COUNCILMAN JOHN RENO

SECOND: COUNCILMAN JOSEPH JUAN

DATE: SEPTEMBER 11, 1997

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
CHUKUT KUK 189.0	1. DAVID GARCIA (Marvin Thomas)	94.5	X			
	2. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Arnold F. Smith Sr.)	94.5	X			X
HICKIWAN 146.0	1. ALEX JOSE ()	73.0	X			
	2. LLOYD FRANCISCO (Susan Sam)	73.0	X			
GU VO 142.0	1. FERN SALCIDO (Larry Montana)	71.0		X		
	2. GLORIA MONTANA (Phillip Antone)	71.0		X		X
SAN LUCY 114.0	1. JOHN RENO (Mary Hoffman)	57.0	X			
	2. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (Jana Montana)	57.0	X			
PISINEMO 139.0	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ()	69.5	X			
	2. JOHNSON JOSE ()	69.5	X			
GU ACHI 190.0	1. LOUIS JOHNSON ()	95.0	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON ()	95.0	X			X
BABOQUIVARI 258.0	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	129.0	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Edward N. Kisto)	129.0	X			
SAN XAVIER 146.0	1. TONY BURRELL ()	73.0				X
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	73.0				X
SCHUK TOAK 120.0	1. JOSEPH JUAN ()	60.0	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS ()	60.0	X			X
SELLS 322.0	1. LUCILLE ENCINAS (Cynthia Chico)	161.0	X			X
	2. EVELYN JUAN (Dennis Jose)	161.0	X			
SIF OIDAK 161.0	1. RITA MARTINEZ (Maxine Norris)	80.5		X		
	2. MARY ANN ANTONE** (Darlene Andrew)	80.5		X		
TOTAL		1,927.0	1,478.0	303.0	-0-	146.0 [07]

**PASSED VOTES