

**TO APPROVE MEMBERSHIP TO THE  
NATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICAN INDIANS**

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**IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION**

**THOMAS WILLISTON INTRODUCED A COUNCIL BILL**

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**A COUNCIL BILL**

**WHEREAS**, the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma wishes to become a Member Indian/Native Government in Good Standing with National Congress of American Indians (NCAI), and

**WHEREAS**, the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma tribe meets all requirements for Tribal Membership, pursuant to Article II-Membership, Section B of the Constitution and Bylaws of NCAI, and

**WHEREAS**, that the Choctaw Tribal Council, which is the official governing body of the above-named nation, hereby authorizes the necessary action to place the nation in Membership with NCAI, and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Tribe shall pay a \$25,000.00 membership fee in accordance with NCAI By-Laws, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that based on tribal enrollment table of 7,501 and over membership, the Tribe shall have 180 votes.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED** by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Act be cited as approval to place the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma in Membership with NCAI.

**BE IT FINALLY ENACTED** by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma designated the following persons as Delegate and Alternate Delegate(s) and instructs them to become Individual Members in Good Standing with NCAI in order to fulfill their responsibilities as Official Delegates and Alternate Delegates to the National Congress of American Indians Annual Convention, Executive Council Winter Session and Mid-Year Conference.

Delegate: Jack Hicks Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Director, Agriculture Term Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate: Brian McClain Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Executive Director, Legislative Advocacy Term Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

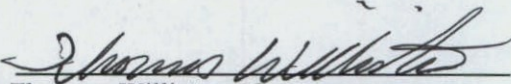
Alternate: Sara Jane Smallwood Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Legislative Advocacy Term Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

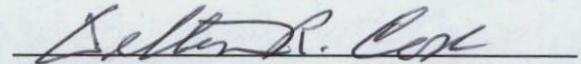


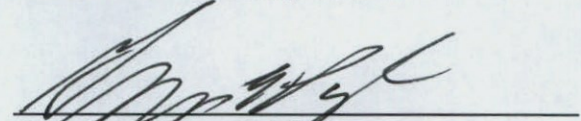
**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned, as Speaker of the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of twelve (12) seats. Eight (8) members must be present to constitute a quorum. I further certify that eleven (11) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on, October 12, 2014. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB-16-12 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of eleven (11) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.

  
Thomas Williston, Secretary  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

10/15/13  
Date

  
Delton Cox, Speaker  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Gregory E. Pyle, Chief  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma