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TO THE SIX NATIONS BAND MEMBERS

Six Nations  
Proposed Revisions to the Indian Act

Please find attached the Six Nations proposed revisions to the Indian Act Draft Form labelled as Phase III.

The reason for this being Draft Form Phase III can best be explained as follows:

Phase I

In February 1979, Special Indian Act Revision Meetings commenced to concentrate on revising the present day Indian Act of 1952. These working groups consisted of councillors and committee members with expertise personnel being invited for their specialized input. These Working Groups finalized their input in May 1980.

Phase II

In July 1980, full Six Nations Council meetings commenced for the viewing of Phase I of these Revisions. The Six Nations Council made their further recommendations, additions and deletions accordingly.

Phase III

This is the present draft form of the Six Nations Revisions to the Indian Act as prepared for Six Nations Band Membership review and input.

Proposed Phase IV

As a result of Six Nations Band Membership input, notable alterations will be considered by the Six Nations Council and implanted into a finalized Six Nations Revisions to the Indian Act. These Six Nations finalized Revisions to the Indian Act will be Phase IV and will then be formally presented to the Federal Government via the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

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