Resolution No. 84-27-5

# RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES OF THE FORT BERTHOLD RESERVATION

WHEREAS, this Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority under said Act; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution and Bylaws of the Three Affiliated Tribes authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities for the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and tribal members; and

WHEREAS, Attorneys, Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder have submitted vouchers for payment of legal services and expenses incurred during the months of October and November, 1983:

Services:	October, 1983 November, 1983	\$1,773.60 2,750.00
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Expenses.	November, 1983	937.62
	TOTAL	5,546.40

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council hereby authorizes payment of \$5,546.40 for services rendered during the months of October and November, 1983 to Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder.

### CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the
Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, hereby certify that
the Tribal Business Council is composed of 11 members of whom 7 constitutes
a quorum, // were present at a Weeking, thereof duly)
called, noticed, convened and held on the 12 day of January, 1984;
that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative
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not voting, and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any
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Dated this day of January, 1984.
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CHAIRMAN, TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL

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December 30, 1983

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Ms. Alyce Spotted Bear Chairperson Tribal Business Council Three Affiliated Tribes New Town, ND 58763

Dear Alyce:

Enclosed are our vouchers for fees and expenses If you or incurred during October and November 1983. anyone else on the Council has any questions about the vouchers, please let us know.

A copy of this letter, and the original of the statements and accompanying documents (and three copies) are being sent to the Aberdeen Area Office for its review.

Sincerely,

HOBBS, STRAUS, DEAN & WILDER

Charles A. Hobbs By:

Enc.

cc: Business Council

> Aberdeen Area Director Supt., Ft. Berthold Agency

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# AFFIDAVIT

City of Washington )
: ss.
District of Columbia )

CHARLES A. HOBBS, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and states:

That he is an attorney at law, duly enrolled and authorized to practice before the courts of the District of Columbia and the Department of the Interior of the United States, and is a partner of Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder;

That under the provisions of Section 81, Title 25 of the U.S. Code said firm has entered into Contract No. A00Cl420l145 with the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, which is currently in effect through December 31, 1985;

That all of the services listed in the attached statements were rendered by the personnel and in the number of hours stated, as more particularly shown by the attached daily diaries of said personnel.

Charles A. Hobbs, partner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30% day of December, 1983.

Notary Public

District of Columbia

My Commission Expires June 14, 1988

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#### STATEMENT

General counsel services during October 1983:

Mineral Restoration Bill: Telecons with Attorney General Wefald, letter to him; calls to Pete Taylor, Paulette Hansen, draft letter for Alyce to Senators Andrews and Burdick; try to reach Alyce and Hugh Baker re same; plan strategy.

Mr. Hobbs 5.9 hours x \$100.00 = \$590.00 Ms. Barbero 0.2 hour x 68.00 = 13.60

Wold Case: Telecon with Ray Cross re case.

Mr. Hobbs 0.3 hour x \$100.00 = 30.00

\$ 633.60

Total Fees: \$1,733.60

Expenses posted during October 1983:

Long distance telephone \$8.70 Postage 19.58 Photcopying 58.80 Courier service 4.00

Pro rata share of newsletter

expenses during Sept. 1983 34.10 .... 125.18

TOTAL \$1,858.78

<sup>\*/</sup> Covers, in part, the Tribe's share of the firm's "All Tribal Client Services," which is the time put in by all attorneys in the firm on matters affecting all our tribal clients. Also includes attorney travel time for up to four trips a year, and minor telephone conversations.

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Mr. Hobbs

4.9 hours x \$100 =

\$ 490.00

Wold Case: Review papers sent by Ray Cross; confer with Ray, Louis Claiborne and Ed Kneedler; meet with Tribal delegates.

Mr. Hobbs

10.3 hours x \$100 =

\$1,030.00

Miscellanous: Call from Schilf re railroad proposal to exchange coal land, and call Senate Committee; call from Goodiron re Twin Buttes-Mandaree Bridge, and advised him we would need tribal resolution; call from Mason re referendum.

Mr. Hobbs

1.3 hours x \$100 =

130.00

\$1,650.00

Retainer fee\*

1,100.00

TOTAL FEES \$2,750.00

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Balance from preceding page:	\$2	2,750.00	
Expenses posted during November	1983:		
Long distance telephone Postage	\$ 42.52 2.86		
Photocopying	25.50		
<pre>Mr. Martin's 11/21 trip   to Denver meeting</pre>	830.60		
Courier service	12.25		
Pro rata share of newsletter			
expenses during Oct. 1983	23.89	••••	937.62
		TOTAL \$	3,687.62