



**THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
OJIBWE INDIANS**

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTNESS**

WHEREAS, on October 28, 2014, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Band Assembly (“Band Assembly”) approved, and the Chief Executive signed into law, Ordinance 04-15, amending § 101 of Title 16 (Corporations) pursuant to legislative process articulated in 3 MLBSA § 16 of the Non-Removable Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 4 MLBS § 18(e), the Solicitor General is responsible to “certify to the ordinances of Band government and codify said ordinances into Band Statutes[;]” and

WHEREAS, Band statutes do not currently provide any additional guidelines or requirements on how Band ordinances should be codified into Band statutes;” and

WHEREAS, according to MINN. STAT. 3C.11 (2019), the State of Minnesota Revisor’s Office issues certificates of correctness after comparing any amended sections of state statutes with previous editions as a method of ensuring that the law is properly reflected in statutes available to the public;

NOW, THEREFORE, as the Band’s Solicitor General, I hereby attest to having compared the enclosed version of Title 16 with any previous versions and certify as to the correctness of the enclosed version.

Enclosures

1. Title 16 – Corporations
2. Ordinance 04-15

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Caleb Dogeagle  
Solicitor General

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## **Ordinance 04-15**

An Ordinance to amend Mille Lacs Band Statute, §101 of Title 16 – Corporations, pursuant to legislative process articulated in 3 MLBSA §16.

The District I Representative introduced the following bill on the 24th day of October, 2014.

### **Preamble**

Be it enacted by the Band Assembly of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe for the purpose of formally renaming the Corporate Commission of the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians to Mille Lacs Corporate Ventures.

### **Corporate Commission Establishment Amendment**

The Band Assembly amends §101 by adding the following new language at the end of the existing section:

Effective [date], the name under which the Corporate Commission conducts business shall now be “Mille Lacs Corporate Ventures”, and all powers, duties, privileges, and immunities of the Corporate Commission provided for in Band statutes and laws shall inure to such entity; and all references in Band laws, resolutions, or policy to the Corporate Commission shall include such entity.

The above amendment to 16 MLBSA §101 shall become effective upon signature approval, or non-action, by the Chief Executive in accordance with 3 MLBSA §16(c).

**Ordinance 04-15**

Introduced to the Band Assembly on this  
Twenty-fourth day of October in the year of  
Two thousand fourteen.

Passed by the Band Assembly on this  
Twenty-fourth day of October in the year of  
Two thousand fourteen.

*Carolyn Beaulieu*

Carolyn Beaulieu, Speaker of the Assembly

APPROVED

Date: 10-28-14

*Melanie A. Benjamin*

Melanie A. Benjamin, Chief Executive

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