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OFFICE OF THE COUNCIL OF CHIEFS MEMORANDUM

TO: Joel Jacobs, MSI

CC: Kahnawa'kehró:non Ratitsénhaienhs

FROM: Trina Diabo-Jacobs, Council Meeting Administrator

DATE: 11, Ohiarikhó:wa/July 2017

SUBJECT: MSI Appeals Process

Further to the duly convened Council Meeting of July 11, 2017, I am pleased to inform you that Chief and Council passed MCED # 34 /2017-2018, Authorizing the Portfolio Chief for MSI and the Director of the Kahnawà:ke Labor Office to conduct and decide all MSI administrative appeals. Attached are two (2) original MCED's for your file.

I trust this information is satisfactory; should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

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ON BEHALF OF THE OFFICE OF THE COUNCIL OF CHIEFS

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Trina Diabo-Jacobs, Council Meeting Administrator

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PROPOSED BY: Ratsénhaienhs Robert Watio Patton Jr.

SECONDED BY: Ratsénhaienhs Martin Thawen:rate Leborgne

WHEREAS the Mohawk People (Kanien'kehá:ka Kahnawa'kehró:non), as part of the Mohawk Nation (Kanien'kehá:ka) and the Iroquois Confederacy (Rotinonhsonnión:we) are, and have always been a sovereign people;

WHEREAS the Kanien'kehá:ka Kahnawa'kehró:non have consistently and historically declared their right to govern their own affairs;

WHEREAS the Kanien'kehá:ka Kahnawa'kehró:non have stated their intention to reinstate the structures, philosophies, concepts and principles of Mohawk Traditional Government as embodied by the Great Law of Peace (Kaianere'kó:wa);

WHEREAS the Kanien'kehá:ka Kahnawa'kehró:non abide by the principles of Power, Peace, and Righteousness prescribed in and in accordance with the Kaianere'kó:wa;

WHEREAS these principles have governed, and continue to govern, the direction of the Mohawk Nation since time immemorial;

WHEREAS on or about May 20th, 2017, the Kahnawà:ke Labor Office (KLO) reached an agreement in principle with the Government of Quebec concerning a *Complementary Agreement for the implementation of the Kahnawà:ke Regime with regard to compensation for victims of industrial accidents and occupational diseases and the protective reassignment for pregnant or nursing worker* (the "Agreement");

WHEREAS the Agreement seeks to define the KLO's and Quebec's jurisdiction with respect to workplace injuries, industrial diseases, preventative leave for pregnant and nursing workers and to further harmonize the rules related to the MSI and CSST programs;

WHEREAS the Agreement also provides for the ability for KLO to enter into administrative agreements with other Quebec governmental entities in order to implement the Agreement and the *Agreement on Labour between the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke and le Gouvernement du Québec* approved by Decree (730-2014) on July 24th, 2014;

WHEREAS the agreement in principle concerning the Agreement must be ratified by the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke in order to come into force;

WHEREAS the new Kahnawà:ke Labor Office having been established as of April 2016, and having Mohawk Self Insurance as a department will change the claims appeals process.

WHEREAS the Appeals Process for MSI claims, having been previously conducted by the Social Development Unit Committee, will now be performed at the Kahnawà:ke Labor Office by the Director of KLO and the MSI Portfolio Chief.

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WHEREAS the Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke also wishes to authorize the Portfolio Chief for MSI and the Director of the Kahnawà:ke Labor Office to conduct and decide all MSI administrative appeals.

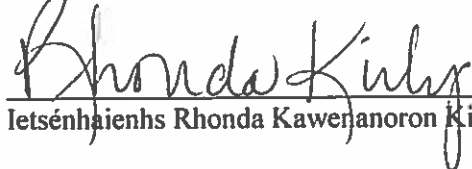
NOW THEREFORE BE IT DIRECTED The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke approves MCED # 34 / 2017-2018 and:

1. Authorizes the Portfolio Chief for MSI and the Director of the Kahnawà:ke Labor Office to conduct and decide all MSI administrative appeals.


Ohén:ton I:rate ne Ratsénhaienhs Joseph Tokwiro Norton


Ratsénhaienhs Martin Thawen:rate Leborgne


Ratsénhaienhs Kenneth Karonhiatie McComber


Ietsénhaienhs Rhonda Kawenjanoron Kirby

Vacation
Ietsénhaienhs Kahsennenhawe Sky-Deer

Absent
Ratsénhaienhs Carl Onakarakete Horn


Ratsénhaienhs Robert Watio Patton Jr.


Ratsénhaienhs Clinton Tionawate Phillips


Ietsénhaienhs Gina Kanietahawi Deer

Conference Call
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