

Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government Order-In-Council



Chronological no.: 2309	Subject: Production, Distribution and Sale of Cannabis	Originated by:
The Council of the Listuguj Mi'gmaq Government		District Gespe'gewa'gi
Date of duly convened meeting	D M Y 0 5 0 7 1 7	Province Gepeg

Whereas; The Canadian parliament has introduced legislation to legalize the use of recreational cannabis which will come into affect July 2018;

Whereas; the said legislation provides that the provinces will be delegated the power to regulate production, distribution and sale of recreational cannabis;

Whereas; the implementation and enforcement of such provincial regulation on First Nation territories are unclear and bring a level of legal uncertainty;

Whereas; the Council is responsible for the general health and well-being of its members particularly with its youth, and for public safety on its territory;

Whereas; the Council deems in necessary to introduce its own regulation regarding the productions, distribution and sale of cannabis in Listuguj with no further delay and notwithstanding future provincial regulations;

BE IT RESOLVED

THAT the Council hereby confirms its jurisdiction and interest to regulate the production, distribution and sale of cannabis in Listuguj;

THAT the Council mandates and authorized its legal counsel, namely Mtr. Nadir Andre from BLG LLP, to draft the appropriate regulations pertaining to the production, distribution and sale of cannabis in Listuguj and present the said draft to a subsequent Council Meeting;

THAT the Chief is hereby authorized to do all things necessary to oversee the completion of BLG's mandate and to assure the implementation of this Order in Council.

Moved: Lorna Sook
 Seconded: Gordon Isaac Jr.
 Abstain: -
 Opposed: -
 Status: Passed Defeated Tabled

Quorum 7

Councillor Lorne Alcon

Councillor Gordon Isaac Jr.

Councillor Wendell Metallic

Councillor Sheila Swasson

Chief Darcy Gray

Councillor Annette Barnaby

Councillor Dr. Cathy Martin

Councillor Kevin Methot

Councillor John Murvin Vicaire

Councillor Calvin Barnaby

Councillor Sky Metallic

Councillor Lorna Sook

Councillor Chris Wysote