

RECONSIDERATION OF NCA 14-110 AFTER VETO

I, the undersigned, certify that the foregoing <u>"Reconsideration of NCA 14-110 After Veto"</u> is a true extract from the, August 23, 2014 Regular Session, Journal of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council.

- AND THAT, NCA 14-110 entitled, A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 11, § 4-301, ENTITLED "Minimum and conditions" REPEALING CERTAIN LAWS REGARDING COMMUNITIES AND PROFIT SHARING OF GAMING REVENUE was presented to the National Council and was approved in Regular Session on August 23, 2014 by a vote of 9 in favor, 6 against, 0 abstention.
- AND THAT, Said legislation was returned as a Veto with objections by the Principal Chief on, September 8, 2014 and said objections have been entered at large in the Journal of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council;
- AND THAT, The National Council taking action reconsider the Bill to OVER-RIDE THE VETO at the Regular Session on September 27, 2014, in accordance with the Constitution, Article VI, Section 6(a), requires a (2/3) vote of the full membership, which consists of Sixteen members;
- AND THAT, The record of vote reflects there were Fifteen present with a vote of 11 in favor, 4 against;

THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN, under Article VI., Section 6. (a) of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation Constitution, NCA 14-110 is hereby recorded as a <u>"VETO OVER-RIDE"</u> on this 27th day of September, 2014.

Kristie A. Sewell, Recording Secretary

National Council

Muscogee (Creek) Nation

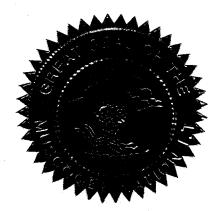
CERTIFICATION OF APPROVAL

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the Presiding Officer of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council have hereto attached my signature this 27th day of September, 2014.

Thomas Yahola, Speaker

National Council

Muscogee (Creek) Nation





George P. Tiger
Principal Chief

Executive Office

Roger Barnett
Second Chief

Thomas Yahola //
Honorable Speaker
Muscogee (Creek) National Council
P.O. Box 580
Okmulgee, OK 74447

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Dear Speaker Yahola:

I am returning NCA 14-110 herewith:

National Council Office

A MESSAGE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF RETURNING NCA 14-110 TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL AS A VETO WITH OBJECTIONS

In accordance with the Muscogee (Creek) Nation Constitution, I, George Tiger, Principal Chief of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, do hereby return NCA 14-110, "A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 11, §4-301, ENTITLED "Minimum and conditions" REPEALING CERTAIN LAWS REGARDING COMMUNITITES AND PROFIT SHARING OF GAMING REVENUE" as a **VETO** with the following objection:

OBJECTION ONE: As an elected official of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation I believe transparency and open communication are critical components of an elected official's duties, and the Nation's process of establishing laws. We continue to utilize new means of informing constituents about the legislative process and execution of laws, how to connect and engage with our government, and how new laws can affect us and our communities. We need to continue this informative process through making sure our lifelines to our people, our communities, are presented all information when it pertains to them.

I have received many citizens' and community members' concerns regarding NCA 14-110 and its effects on the communities and citizens of the Nation. NCA 14-110 was not adequately presented to the Nation's communities for discussion and for informational purposes before it was presented to the National Council for consideration. Further, NCA 14-110 was not explained to communities and citizens sufficiently so that they were being adequately informed of its purpose. Communities are essential to the Nation's self-preservation and should be treated with the utmost respect.

For the reasons outlined above, NCA 14-110 is hereby returned as a VETO.

Sincerely,

George Tiger Principal Chief

DATED: September 8, 2014



NCA 14-110

CLASSIFICATION: #11. COMMUNITIES

A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 11, § 4-301, ENTITLED "Minimum and conditions" REPEALING CERTAIN LAWS REGARDING COMMUNITIES AND PROFIT SHARING OF GAMING REVENUE

Be it enacted by the National Council of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation:

SECTION ONE. <u>Findings</u>. The National Council finds that:

- A. For several years, there have not been any Chartered Communities operating as a gaming licensee.
- B. There is a need to amend language and repeal certain laws to update the status of the Chartered Communities as non-gaming entities.
- C. The Chartered Communities shall not participate in the Nation's gaming operations as a gaming licensee and shall not participate in any profit sharing with the Nation's gaming operations.

SECTION TWO. AMENDMENT. This amendment shall be codified in Title 11 § 4-301, of the Code of Laws of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation; provided that for purposes of codification of said amendment and its inclusion in pocket parts of the Code of Laws of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, the Codification Committee is hereby authorized: (1) to approve any changes related to the manner in which sections, articles, chapters and sub-chapters are designated consistent with the format in the Code of Laws published in 2010 by West Publishing Company; (2) to include footnoted references to the legislative history in said pocket parts to the Code of Laws and (3) to note in said pocket parts any editorial correction of minor clerical or grammatical errors in the following amendment, without further National Council approval:

SECTION THREE. <u>AMENDMENT</u>. Title 11, § 4-301, D. 4., is hereby amended to read as follows:

4. Consideration: the cause, motive, price or impelling influence which induces each of the parties to enter the lease agreement. For business enterprises, such as, retail tobacco sales and gaming, tribal tobacco taxes and gaming profit splits paid to the Nation shall be appropriate consideration for use of the properties at issue.

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SECTION FOUR. <u>REPEALER</u>. NCA 87-43, NCA 88-48, NCA 88-61, NCA 88-87, NCA 89-35, NCA 95-94, NCA 95-129, NCA 98-128, NCA 01-132, NCA 01-176 and NCA 06-051 are hereby repealed in their entirety, and any other laws contrary to this Act are hereby repealed.

SECTION FIVE. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>. This Act shall become effective immediately upon proper approval and execution in accordance with the requirements of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation Constitution.

ENACTED by the Muscogee (Creek) National Council on this 23rd day of August, 2014.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Speaker of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council has hereto attached his signature.

Thomas Yahola, Speaker

National Council

Muscogee (Creek) Nation

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, certify that the foregoing is a true extract from the minutes of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council comprised of Sixteen members with <u>Sixteen</u> members attending this meeting on the <u>23rd</u> day of <u>August</u>, 2014 and that the above is in conformity with the provisions therein adopted by a vote of <u>9</u> in favor, <u>6</u> against, and that said Law has not been rescinded or amended in any way and the above is the signature of the Speaker of the National Council.

Kristie A. Sewell, Recording Secretary Muscogee (Creek) National Council

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Kristie A. Sewell, Recording Secretary Muscogee (Creek) National Council Page 3 of 3 NCA 14-110

APPROVAL

I, the Principal C day of	Chief of the Mu	scogee (Creek) Nation, hereby affix my signature on this _, 2014 to the above Law, NCA 14-110 authorizing it to
become a Law (Creek) Nation.	under Article	VI., Section VI., of the Constitution of the Muscogee
		George Tiger, Principal Chief Muscogee (Creek) Nation