

NCA 14-153

CLASSIFICATION: #35. SOCIAL SERVICES/PUBLIC ASSISTANCE/DONATIONS

A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 35, CHAPTER 8, §8-102 ENTITLED "Policy"

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

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

A. There is a need to change the Tribal Energy Assistance Program amount due to the increase of propane, gas, and electricity costs over the years, making it hard on fixed income citizens to afford living expenses as well as utility expenses.

SECTION TWO. <u>AMENDMENT</u>. This amendment shall be codified in Title 35, Chapter 8 of the Code of Laws of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation; provided that for purposes of codification 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. AMENDMENT. MCNCA Title 35 Chapter 8, §8-102 is hereby amended to read as follows:

TITLE 35. SOCIAL SERVICES/PUBLIC ASSISTANCE/DONATIONS
CHAPTER 8. TRIBAL ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

§ 8-102. Policy

It shall be the policy of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation to assist all eligible applicants of the "Tribal Energy Assistance Program" with grants (one per household) for heating or

Page 2 of 3 NCA 14-153

cooling consistent with the LIHEAP energy assistance program season. Applicants may participate twice yearly and grants shall be two four hundred dollars (\$2400.00) to be applied to applicants heating or cooling cost.

SECTION FOUR. <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 <u>27th</u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>2014</u>.

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>Fifteen</u> members attending this meeting on the <u>27th</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2014 and that the above is in conformity with the provisions therein adopted by a vote of <u>14</u> in favor, <u>0</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.

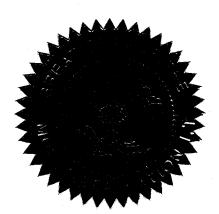
Kristie A. Sewell, Recording Secretary Muscogee (Creek) National Council

Page 3 of 3 NCA 14-153

APPROVAL

I, the Principal Chief of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, hereby affix my signature on this day of ______, 2014 to the above Law, NCA 14-153 authorizing it to become a Law under Article VI., Section VI., of the Constitution of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.

George Tiger, Principal Chief Muscogee (Creek) Nation





NCA 14-153

CLASSIFICATION: #35. SOCIAL SERVICES/PUBLIC ASSISTANCE/DONATIONS

A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 35, CHAPTER 8, §8-102 ENTITLED "Policy"

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

SECTION ONE. FINDINGS. The National Council finds that:

A. There is a need to change the Tribal Energy Assistance Program amount due to the increase of propane, gas, and electricity costs over the years, making it hard on fixed income citizens to afford living expenses as well as utility expenses.

SECTION TWO. AMENDMENT. This amendment shall be codified in Title 35, Chapter 8 of the Code of Laws of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation; provided that for purposes of codification 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> MCNCA Title 35 Chapter 8, §8-102 is hereby amended to read as follows:

TITLE 35. SOCIAL SERVICES/PUBLIC ASSISTANCE/DONATIONS
CHAPTER 8. TRIBAL ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

§ 8-102. Policy

It shall be the policy of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation to assist all eligible applicants of the "Tribal Energy Assistance Program" with grants (one per household) for heating or

Page 2 of 3 NCA 14-153

cooling consistent with the LIHEAP energy assistance program season. Applicants may participate twice yearly and grants shall be four hundred dollars (\$400.00) to be applied to applicants heating or cooling cost.

SECTION FOUR. <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 <u>27th</u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>2014</u>.

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>Fifteen</u> members attending this meeting on the <u>27th</u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>2014</u> and that the above is in conformity with the provisions therein adopted by a vote of <u>14</u> in favor, <u>0</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

Page 3 of 3 NCA 14-153

APPROVAL

I, the Principal Chief of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, hereby affix my signature on this day of ______, 2014 to the above Law, NCA 14-153 authorizing it to become a Law under Article VI., Section VI., of the Constitution of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.

George Tiger, Principal Chief Muscogee (Creek) Nation

