



NCA 15-266

CLASSIFICATION: #37. TRIBAL GOVERNMENT

A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 37, §2-203 TO ALTER THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2016 COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL BUDGET

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

SECTION ONE. Findings. The National Council finds that:

A. This legislation is being proposed in order to temporarily authorize certain funds that have not been encumbered or utilized to be used towards funding the FY 2016 budget.

B. It is in the best interests of the Nation to change the percentages and place an additional Fifteen percent (15%) of net revenues from current Tribal gaming operations to be applied towards the Gaming Fund Account in order to fund the FY 2016 budget.

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This Subsection L. shall only apply to the time limit mentioned in this section unless extended by legislative act. After FY 2016, the National Council may revisit the distribution percentages of Tribal Gaming Funds in order to determine the best and most effective distribution percentages for the future operation of the Nation.

SECTION THREE. EFFECTIVE DATE. 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 19th day of December, 2015.

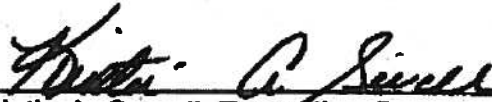
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Speaker of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council has hereto attached his signature.



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 Thirteen members attending this meeting on the 19th day of December, 2015 and that the above is in conformity with the provisions therein adopted by a vote of 11 in favor, 1 against, and that said Law has not been rescinded or amended in any way and the above is the signature of the Speaker of the National Council.



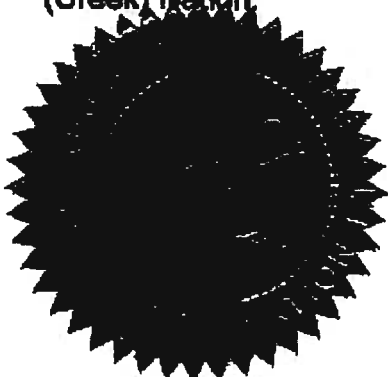
Kristle A. Sewell, Recording Secretary
Muscogee (Creek) National Council

APPROVAL

I, the Principal Chief of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, hereby affix my signature on this 21st day of Dec, 2015 to the above Law, NCA 15-266 authorizing it to become a Law under Article VI., Section VI., of the Constitution of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.



George Tiger, Principal
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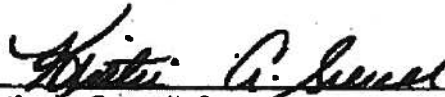
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