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**THE SAHTU SECRETARIAT INCORPORATED  
&  
SAHTU DENE COUNCIL**



JOINT DIRECTORS RESOLUTION

(New Name for the Western Arctic after Division)

WHEREAS, division of the Northwest Territories will take place in 1999, and

WHEREAS, with division, the Northwest Territories, as we know it, will no longer exist,  
and,

WHEREAS, the Eastern Arctic will be known as Nunavut after division, and

WHEREAS, we in the West have an opportunity to create a new name for the Western Arctic after division.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

1. The Sahtu Dene and Metis agree that the name "The Northwest Territories" should be retired with dignity and respect after division.
2. The Sahtu Dene and Metis agree that there should be a new name for the Western Arctic after division.
3. The Sahtu Dene and Metis support the efforts of their MLA to have a new name selected for the Western Arctic after division.

I, being the Chief Operating Officer of the Sahtu Dene Council and The Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed by the Board of Directors of the Sahtu Dene Council and The Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated on the 30th day of August, 1996.

  
Roy G. Doolittle, Chief Operating Officer

