

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin



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RESOLUTION # 12-11-91-A

- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a Treaty Tribe recognized by the laws of the United States, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS the General Tribal Council did adopt the Oneida Appeals Commission as the judicial arm of government on August 19, 1991, and,
- WHEREAS, said Commission will enhance a governmental separation of powers between the legislative, executive and judicial responsibilities of the Oneida government, and
- WHEREAS, the Commission will diminish political pressure upon the Oneida Business Committee by removing it from initial judicial decisions, and,
- WHEREAS, the Administrative Procedures Act adopted on August 19, 1991, will provide for consistent procedures of law and rule making, and due process throughout the Oneida government, and,
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Appeals Commission shall maintain the integrity of an Oneida traditional peace making system of decision making by insuring that there is more than one decision-maker for any issue, and,
- WHEREAS, the adoption and implementation of the Oneida Administrative Procedures Act and the Oneida Appeals Commission will enhance and protect the self-government and inherent sovereignty of the Oneida Nation.

