

ONEIDA GENERAL TRIBAL COUNCIL
RESOLUTION 1-28-78-C

- WHEREAS: the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin are pursuing claims against Oneida County and Madison County in the State of New York for land illegally acquired,
- WHEREAS: the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, by Tribal resolution retained the legal services of the Native American Rights Fund,
- WHEREAS: Larry Ashenbrenner who is a staff attorney with Native American Rights Fund is the attorney of record for the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin,
- WHEREAS: Larry Ashenbrenner was formerly an attorney with the Solicitor's office in the Department of Interior,
- WHEREAS: Larry Ashenbrenner has a conflict of interest having worked for the Department of Interior for a number of years, which prevents him from being a zealous advocate for the Oneida people,
- WHEREAS: actions he has taken since being retained by the Wisconsin Oneidas have demonstrated his willingness to communicate with his clients has been inadequate and his advocacy has been less than zealous,
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida General Tribal Council hereby relieves Larry Ashenbrenner of all authority to represent the Wisconsin Oneidas in any litigation involving land claims.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, hereby certify that 75 Tribal members, constituting a quorum, were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 28 day of Jan, 1978, that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of majority members for, minority against; — members not voting and said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.


Oneida Business Committee