

FILE NO.: SCT-6001-15
DATE: 20180412

**SPECIFIC CLAIMS TRIBUNAL
TRIBUNAL DES REVENDICATIONS PARTICULIÈRES**

BETWEEN:)	
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STURGEON LAKE CREE NATION)	
)	Jeffrey R. W. Rath, David Khan, Paul Reid
)	and Mark C. Freeman, for the Claimant
Claimant)	
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– and –)	
)	
HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT)	
OF CANADA)	
As represented by the Minister of Indian)	Linda Maj and Amy Martin-LeBlanc, for the
Affairs and Northern Development)	Respondent
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Respondent)	
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ORDER

Honourable Harry Slade, Chairperson

WHEREAS the Preamble to the *Specific Claims Tribunal Act*, SC 2008, c 22, recognizes that it is in the interests of all Canadians that the specific claims of First Nations be addressed and resolved for the greater goal of promoting reconciliation between First Nations and the Crown and the development and self-sufficiency of First Nations;

AND WHEREAS Rule 3 of the *Specific Claims Tribunal Rules of Practice and Procedure*, SOR/2011-119, establishes that the “Tribunal may make any order that is necessary to secure the just, timely or cost-effective resolution of [a] specific claim”;

AND WHEREAS the Claimant and the Respondent have agreed to settle this Claim on the terms set out in the Settlement Agreement ratified by the members of the Claimant First Nation on June 29, 2017;

THEREFORE UPON READING correspondence on behalf of the Claimant and the Respondent confirming the Settlement Agreement, **AND NOTING CONSENT OF THE PARTIES** as set out in their letter and draft order dated April 6, 2018 (attached to this Order);

THE TRIBUNAL ORDERS THAT:

[1] This Claim is hereby dismissed without costs to any Party; and

[2] Such dismissal is for all purposes of the same force and effect as if Reasons for Decision had been pronounced after a full hearing on the merits.

HARRY SLADE

Honourable Harry Slade, Chairperson

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April 6, 2018

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The Honourable Harry Slade
Registry of the Specific Claims Tribunal of Canada
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My Lord:

Re: File # SCT-6001-15
Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation v Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada

The wording proposed by the Court in the Direction dated April 5, 2018, is acceptable to all parties. Please find enclosed a revised Consent Dismissal Order incorporating the suggested wording.

Sincerely,



Paul Emerson Reid

Attachment

cc: Linda Maj (linda.maj@justice.gc.ca)
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