



Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe

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**Tribal Council Resolution
2006 - 08
Amendment to TCR#2000-30 Tobacco Minimum Pricing**

WHEREAS, the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribal Council is the duly recognized governing body of the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe and is responsible for promoting the health, safety, education and general welfare of all community members, and;

WHEREAS, in 2000 the Tribal Council adopted TCR#2000-30 regarding minimum pricing for tobacco products; and,

WHEREAS, the Compliance Department has requested an amendment to TCR#2000-30 because invoices have been changed to reflect the \$4.00 over invoice. This allows an advantage for the individual who has a wholesale and retail tobacco license; and,

WHEREAS, a poll was conducted and the retail stores indicated that a minimum pricing should be set on local products and the retail sale of individual packs should reflect the minimum price of a ten (10) pack carton; and,

WHEREAS, TCR#2000-30 currently reads as follows:

"Minimum pricing shall be set at four-dollars (\$4.00) over invoice cost from all licensed wholesale distributors of the Tribe".

WHEREAS, the proposed change shall read as follows:

"Retail minimum price of locally manufactured tobacco products will be as follows:

- a) *Rollies (bagged cigarettes) \$10.00*
- b) *Packaged (cartons) \$13.00*
- c) *The price per pack will be no less than the minimum carton retail price divided by ten. Ten packs per carton. Example: a carton cost is \$13.00 divided by 10 packs equals \$1.30 per pack retail minimum.*

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the St. Regis Mohawk Tribal Council hereby adopts the above amendment to Tribal Council Resolution #2000-30 effective immediately.

THE SAINT REGIS MOHAWK TRIBAL COUNCIL

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CERTIFICATION: This is to certify that the St. Regis Mohawk Tribal Council pursuant to the authority vested therein duly passed the above resolution.

Patricia Thomas
Patricia Thomas, Tribal Clerk

January 19/06
Date