### **DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

#### **Bureau of Indian Affairs**

## Receipt of Petition for Federal Acknowledgment of Existence as an Indian Tribe

This is published in the exercise of authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8.

Pursuant to 25 CFR 83.9(a) (formerly 25 CFR 54.8(a)) notice is hereby given that the Federated Coast Miwork, c/o Greg Sarris, 2062 No. Sycamore Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90068; has filed a petition for acknowledgment by the Secretary of the Interior that the group exists as an Indian tribe. The petition was received by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) on February 8, 1995, and was signed by members of the group's governing body.

This is a notice of receipt of petition and does not constitute notice that the petition is under active consideration. Notice of active consideration will be sent by mail to the petitioner and other interested parties at the appropriate time.

Under § 83.9(a) (formerly § 54.8(d)) of the Federal regulations, interested parties and informed parties may submit factual and/or legal arguments in support of or in opposition to the group's petition. Any information submitted will be made available on the same basis as other information in the BIA's files. Such submissions will be provided to the petitioner upon receipt by the BIA. The petitioner will be provided an opportunity to respond to such submissions prior to a final determination regarding the petitioner's status.

The petition may be examined, by appointment, in the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Branch of Acknowledgment and Research, Room 1362–MIB, 1849 C Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20240, Phone: (202) 208–3592.

Dated: March 23, 1995.

#### Ada E. Deer.

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Pursuant to 25 CFR 83.9 (a) (formerly 25 CFR 54.8(a)) notice is hereby given that the Cowasuck Band-Abenaki People, c/o Paul W. Pouliot, 160 Dailey Drive, Franklin, Massachusetts 02038–2951; has filed a petition for acknowledgment by the Secretary of the Interior that the group exists as an Indian Tribe. The petition was received by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) on January 23, 1995, and was signed by members of the group's governing body.

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## Ada E. Deer,

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Pursuant to 25 CFR 83.9(a) (formerly 25 CFR 54.8(a)) notice is hereby given that the Katalla-Chilkat Tlingit Tribe of Alaska, c/o Gary C. Patton, 1001 Boniface Parkway, Suite 45p, anchorage, Alaska 99504; has filed a petition for acknowledgment by the Secretary of the Interior that the group exists as an Indian tribe. The petition was received by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) on February 2, 1995, and was signed by members of the group's governing body.

This is a notice of receipt of petition and does not constitute notice that the petition is under active consideration. Notice of active consideration will be sent by mail to the petitioner and other interested parties at the appropriate time.Under § 83.9(a) (formerly § 54.8(d)) of the Federal regulations, interested parties and informed parties may submit factual and/or legal arguments in support of or in opposition to the group's petition. Any information submitted will be made available on the same basis as other information in the BIA's files. Such submissions will be provided to the petitioner upon receipt by the BIA. The petitioner will be provided an opportunity to respond to such submissions prior to a final determination regarding the petitioner's status.

The petition may be examined, by appointment, in the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Branch of Acknowledgment and Research, Room 1362–MIB, 1849 C Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240, Phone: (202) 208–3592.

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#### Ada E. Deer,

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Pursuant to 25 CFR 83.9(a) (formerly 25 CFR 54.8(a)) notice is hereby given that the Pee Dee Indian Association, Inc., c/o David C. Locklear, P.O. Box 557, McColl, South Carolina 29570; has filed a petition for acknowledgment by the Secretary of the Interior that the group exists as an Indian tribe. The petition was received by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) on January 30, 1995, and was signed by members of the group's governing body.

This is a notice of receipt of petition and does not constitute notice that the petition is under active consideration. Notice of active consideration will be sent by mail to the petitioner and other interested parties at the appropriate time.

Under § 83.9(a) (formerly § 54.8(d)) of the Federal regulations, interested parties and informed parties may submit factual and/or legal arguments in support of or in opposition to the group's petition. Any information submitted will be made available on the