

RESOLUTION OF THE  
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE  
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 71-86 and contracts prepared pursuant thereto requires at least an annual revaluation of the stumpage rates for the Fort Apache Timber Company to be effective each July first, and has provision for review and adjustment at not less than three-month intervals if subsequent circumstances warrant an interim adjustment, and

WHEREAS, this revaluation has been made and has been discussed in detail with the Forestry Committee, and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs revaluation indicates a ratio (royalty) percentage of 24% to 32% and Fort Apache Timber Company's revaluation indicates a negative stumpage return, and

WHEREAS, the Forestry Committee after considering the problems of determining an equitable stumpage rate for Fort Apache Timber Company recommend that the current 16% ratio (royalty) percentage be used until next Tribal Fiscal Year, when the Tribal needs will be known, a revaluation again will be made, and

WHEREAS, the Forestry Committee recommends that the annual reappraisal period be made April 1st each year rather than July 1st.

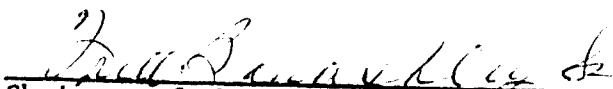
BE IT RESOLVED by the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council that Fort Apache Timber Company be charged 16% of their gross sales F.O.B. mill less purchased lumber for stumpage effective July 1, 1972.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the stumpage valuation system herein specified shall supercede any other pricing arrangement of forest products, not covered by specific contract reference, under the terms and conditions of the several contracts between the White Mountain Apache Tribe, its subsidiary enterprise, the Fort Apache Timber Company.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that revaluations may be made annually April 1st each year and may be made at not less than three-month intervals. It is herein established that these intervals shall be the customary calendar quarters and any adjustment that may result shall be effective as of the first day of the quarter that the request for revaluation was made i.e. the first day of January, April, July or October, depending on the circumstances.



The foregoing resolution was on December 6, 1972 duly adopted by a vote of 9 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on May 29, 1958, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

  
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Secretary of the Tribal Council