

## FOREST COUNTY POTAWATOMI TRIBAL COURT

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**In re the Adoption of Court Rule 17**

**Appointment of Appellate Judges**

**Dated: March 17, 2006**

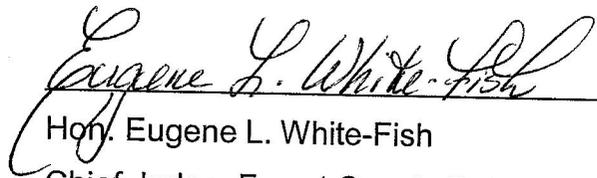
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Pursuant to its power under Sec. 1.04 of the Tribal Court Code the Court hereby orders as follows:

### **Court Rule 17 Appointment of Appellate Judges**

- 1) Under Section 1.30 of the Tribal Court Code, the Forest County Potawatomi Tribal Appellate Court is to consist of one Forest County Potawatomi Tribal Judge who was not the trial judge and two judges from other tribal courts approved by the Executive Council.
- 2) The Chief Judge shall identify by random draw a Forest County Potawatomi tribal judge who was not the trial judge and that judge shall serve as one of judges on the appellate panel.
- 3) When a Notice of Appeal is received by the Clerk of Court, the Forest County Potawatomi judge designated to sit on the appellate panel shall assemble the appellate panel to hear the appeal. The Clerk of Court shall assist with the assembly of the panel.
- 4) In order to complete the appellate panel, the Clerk of Court shall contact the Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association or its successor and request that the names of two judges from other tribal courts be forwarded to the Forest County Potawatomi judge designated to sit on the appellate panel.
- 5) The Forest County Potawatomi Tribal Judge identified under (2) and the two judges identified by the Wisconsin Tribal Judges Association or its successor shall consist of the appellate panel.

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006

  
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Hon. Eugene L. White-Fish

Chief Judge, Forest County Potawatomi Tribal Court