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RESOLUTION NO. 18-12

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF M. TODD HEMBREE AS ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE CHEROKEE NATION

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government on behalf of the Cherokee people;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation is a federally recognized Indian Nation with a historic and continual government to government relationship with the United States of America;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article VII, Section 13 of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation, the Principal Chief is authorized to appoint the Attorney General subject to confirmation by the Council of the Cherokee Nation.

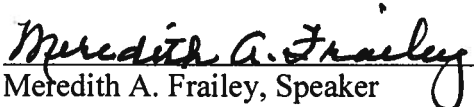
WHEREAS, the terms of office for the Attorney General shall be for five years beginning January, 2012 and ending January, 2017.

WHEREAS, M. Todd Hembree is duly qualified to fill this position.


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that M. Todd Hembree is hereby confirmed as the Attorney General for the Cherokee Nation, to fulfill the duties of Attorney General as specified in Article VII, Section 13 of the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation for a term beginning January, 2012 and ending January, 2017.

CERTIFICATION

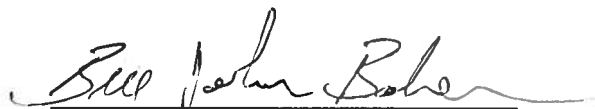
The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 26th day of January, 2012, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.


Meredith A. Frailey, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:


Don Garvin, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 27th day of January, 2012.



Bill John Baker, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



Charles Head, Secretary of State
Cherokee Nation

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Administrative Clearance

Program/Project Manager

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Department Director:

[Signature] 1/3/2012
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Executive Director:

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Controller: (If Needed)

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Government Resources Dept:

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Administration Approval:

gb 1/5/2012
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

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Legislative Aide:

[Signature] 1/5/12
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Standing Committee:

Rules

1/26/12
Next Meeting Date

Chairperson:

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Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

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Date

**Cherokee Nation
Act /Resolution Proposal Form**

Act

Resolution

TITLE: A Resolution Confirming the Appointment of M. Todd Hembree as Attorney General of the Cherokee Nation

DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Bill John Baker

RESOLUTION PRESENTER: BILL JOHN BAKER

SPONSOR: _____

NARRATIVE:

The Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government in behalf of the Cherokee people;

The Cherokee Nation is a federally recognized Indian Nation with a historic and continual government-to-government relationship with the United States of America;

Pursuant to Article VII Section 13 of the Cherokee Nation Constitution (1999) the Principal Chief is authorized to appoint the Attorney General and confirmed by the Council of the Cherokee Nation;

M. Todd Hembree is duly qualified to fill this position;

The term of the office for the Attorney General shall be for a term beginning January, 2012 and ending January, 2017.