Committee: Rules

Date: 11-01-16 Committee Date: 11-14-16

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### **RESOLUTION NO. 90-16**

### COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

## A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF CRYSTAL RAELYNN JACKSON AS A DISTRICT JUDGE OF THE CHEROKEE NATION DISTRICT COURT

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government in 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, the Cherokee Nation District Court was created and authorized by Title 20, Section 11-12, of the Cherokee Nation Code Annotated (CNCA);

WHEREAS, the Principal Chief is authorized to appoint District Judges of the District Court, subject to majority vote of the Council of the Cherokee Nation;

WHEREAS, a current, sitting, District Judge has a term of office that has expired, leaving a vacancy; and

WHEREAS, Crystal Raelynn Jackson is duly qualified to fill this vacancy.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION,** that Crystal Raelynn Jackson is confirmed to the position of District Judge of the Cherokee Nation District Court for a term of four (4) years, beginning January 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2020.

### **CERTIFICATION**

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the  $\underline{12}^{th}$  day of  $\underline{December}$ , 2016, having  $\underline{17}$  members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of  $\underline{17}$  yea;  $\underline{0}$  nay;  $\underline{0}$  abstaining.

Joe Byrd, Speaker

Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Frankie Hargis, Secretary (

Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 13th day of December 2016.

Bill John Baker, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Chuck Hoskin Jr, Secretary of State

Cherokee Nation

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Signature/Initial	Date
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TITLE:

**DEPARTMENT CONTACT:** 

Principal Chief Bill John Baker

RESOLUTION PRESENTER:

Joe Byrd, Frankie Hargis, Janees Taylor, Bryan Warner, Keith Austin, Victoria Vazquez, Wanda Hatfield, David Walkingstick, David Thornton,

COUNCIL SPONSOR:

Curtis Snell

**NARRATIVE:** 

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