



# Council of the Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation Tribal  
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ADDING NEW ITEMS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY  
BE IT ENACTED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION: SECTION 10-5-72. Runoffs  
There shall be a run off for the Offices of Principal Chief and Deputy Principal Chief for the two to candidates in each of the respective offices  
with exception, if one candidate for each of the respective positions should obtain a simple majority of the votes cast for the respective office.  
A simple majority meaning over 50  
percent or any fraction thereof. In the event of a tie for the last place or places in the Council election, a subsequent election shall be held  
pursuant to rules developed by the Tribal Election Committee.  
Passed by the Cherokee Nation Tribal Council on this 14th day of February , 1987.  
John A. Ketcher, President Nation Council  
Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 14th day of February, 1987.  
Wilma P. Mankiller, Principal Chief Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma  
ATTEST:  
Gary D. Chapman, Secretary/Treasurer  
of the Cherokee Nation