

DOMINION OF CANADA,
 PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
 COUNTY OF OTTAWA
 To Wit:

Personally appeared before me, James Martin of Maniwaki the Agent of River Desert Band of Indians at Maniwaki in the Province of Quebec and Peter Tenisco Chief of the said Band of Indians.

AND the said James Martin for himself saith:—

That the annexed Release or Surrender was assented to by a majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of the Maniwaki Reserve of the full age of twenty-one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said Band summoned for that purpose and according to their Rules.

That he was present at such meeting or council and heard such assent given.

That he was duly authorized to attend such council or meeting by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

That no Indian was present or voted at said council or meeting who was not a member of the Band or interested in the land mentioned in the said Release or Surrender.

And the said Peter Tenisco says:

That the annexed Release or Surrender was assented to by him and a majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of the full age of twenty-one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said Band of Indians summoned for that purpose, according to their Rules, and held in the presence of the said James Martin

That no Indian was present or voted at such council or meeting who was not a habitual resident on the Reserve of the said Band of Indians or interested in the land mentioned in the said Release or Surrender.

That he is a Chief of the said Band of Indians and entitled to vote at the said meeting or council.

SWORN before me by the Deponents,
 James Martin and Peter Tenisco at
 the Village of Maniwaki in the County
 of Ottawa this twenty eighth day of
 January A.D., 1895.

JAMES MARTIN,
 his
 PETER x TENISCO.
 mark

J. T. ST. JULIEN,
*Stipendiary Magistrate for the Districts
 of Ottawa Terrebonne & Pontiac.*

Accepted by the Governor in Council on the 4th Feb 1895

JOHN J. MCGEE

Clerk of the Privy Council.

Recorded 1st March 1895
 Liber 138. Folio 467

L. A. CATELLIER

Dep Registrar General of Canada.