

Statement of Intent

Tsay Keh Dene

1. **What is the First Nation Called?**

Tsay Keh Dene Band

2. **How is the First Nation established?**

Legislation

Please Describe:

The Tsay Keh Dene Band is an Indian Band formally recognized under legislation of Canada (Indian Act, R.S.C. 1985 c.I-5, as amended, and regulations made thereunder).

Is there an attachment?

No

3. **Who are the aboriginal people represented by the First Nation?**

The Tsay Keh Dene Band represents all members of the Band as shown on the Official Band List maintained by the Tsay Keh Dene Band.

4. **How many aboriginal people are represented by the First Nation?**

As of May 3, 1994, the Tsay Keh Dene Band is comprised of 277 members.

Is there any other First Nation that claims to represent the aboriginal people described in questions 3 and 4? If so, please list.

5. **Please list any First Nations with whom the First Nation may have overlapping or shared territory.**

Carrier - Sekani Tribal Council, Kaska Dena Council, Mcleod Lake First Nation, Gitxsan, Wet'suwet'en Tribal Council, Tahltan Tribal Council.

6. **What is the First Nation's traditional territory in BC?**

An area generally bounded to the north by Mt. Trace, to the west by South Pass Peak, to the south by the Nation River, and to the east by Mt Laurier. Attach a map or other document, if available or describe.

Map Available?

Yes

7. **Is the First Nation mandated by its constituents to submit a Statement of Intent to negotiate a treaty with Canada and British Columbia under the treaty process?**

Yes

How did you receive your Mandate? (Please provide documentation)

The submission of this Statement of Intent to negotiate a treaty has been authorized by a vote of the Band membership at a general meeting. Band Council Resolution attached.

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