



The Métis Nation of Canada (MNOC), since January 21st, 2009, has advocated for the recognition of all Indigenous people in Canada.

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LETTER FROM THE FOUNDER



Greetings Métis Brothers and Sisters.

In this edition of our newsletter I am drawing your attention to the serious topic of discrimination. The Government of Canada discriminates against the majority of Indigenous people in Canada.

The Métis Nation of Canada is willing to initiate a Class Action Law Suit to

ask the Government of Canada to end discrimination; to recognize all Indigenous people equally in dignity and rights.

Who determines who is Indigenous? And who is not? Who makes the rules and definitions of who is Indigenous?

- Indian
- Inuit
- Métis

When do we as Canadian citizens say to the Government, something is not right with what you are doing to a segment of the population? A 70% majority of Indigenous people in Canada do not get recognition or support from the Federal Government. When do we as citizens say, enough of the segregation of Indigenous people in Canada? Food for thought!

Regards,

Bryce D. Fequet

Definition of Segregation

⇒ The act or process of segregating; the state of being segregated..

⇒ The separation or isolation of a race, class or ethnic group by enforced or voluntary residence in a restricted area by barriers to social intercourse, by separate educational facilities or by other discriminatory means.

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Canadian Indigenous Verification Agency Inc.

CIVA was established 2017-01-04. It was founded to put in place one Registry system for the purpose of delivering quality services and programs to all Indigenous people of Canada and to help cut waste of taxpayers dollars being spent by the Government of Canada on multiple registry systems for Indigenous people - Indian, Inuit and Métis .

Having a single registry system would remove the justification for the cost of running multiple systems for the same identifiable group. The Government of Canada is guilty of this and so is the Métis National Council.

For example, \$52,000,000 (that we know of) was spent to register 64,000 Western Métis. This was done through five separate registry systems for the same identifiable group consisting of:

- Ontario Métis Nation
- Manitoba Métis Federation
- Saskatchewan Métis Nation
- Alberta Métis Nation
- Métis Nation of British Columbia

CIVA informed Prime Minister Trudeau on June 1st 2017 – no reply;

CIVA also informed the Indigenous Ministers – no reply;

CIVA informed public servants, same result – no reply!

If you agree with our vision of one registry system for all Indigenous People in Canada and would like to help us move this forward, please send a token contribution by e-transfer to: indigenounation@outlook.com

Your contribution will assist with the legal work involved in moving CIVA forward as it considers all options with Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada – Government of Canada.





CANADA'S POPULATION



Canada's population has increased every year since Confederation in 1867.

Except for New Brunswick, all territories and provinces increased in population from 2011 to 2016.

In terms of percent change, the fastest-growing province or territory was Nunavut with an increase of 12.7% between 2011 and 2016, followed by Alberta with 11.6% growth.

New Brunswick's population **decreased** by 0.5% between 2011 and 2016.

INDIGENOUS NATION



CANADA

The Indigenous Nation of Canada was founded to help all Indigenous people, Indian, Inuit and Métis. www.indigenousnation.ca

As mentioned in our last edition of this newsletter, Indigenous Nation of Canada is currently in its beginning stages, to becoming a Nationwide Foundation to help support and deliver quality services and programs to ALL Indigenous people.

Indigenous Nation of Canada was founded on the belief that all human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights.

When those dignities and rights are taken from you; deliberately and systematically, even to the point of diminishing your ability to recognize that you ever had any dignity or rights, it is in my opinion, criminal. It is also a breach of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms.

For more information about the Indigenous Nation of Canada go to: www.indigenousnation.ca or email indigenousnation@outlook.com

Indigenous Population

Between 2006 and 2011 the number of individuals identifying as First Nations people increased by almost 25%, Métis by 16.3% and Inuit by 18.1 %.

Changes in data collection methods over the years has impacted population measurement, however the data below taken from the 2016 Census depicts an overview of the percentages of Indigenous people according to Province or Territory.

PROVINCE/TERRITORY	TOTAL POPULATION	% OF CANADIAN POPULATION	% IDENTIFYING AS INDIGENOUS
Ontario	13,448,494	38.3%	2.40%
Quebec	8,164,361	23.2%	1.80%
British Columbia	4,648,055	13.2%	5.40%
Alberta	4,067,175	11.6%	6.20%
Manitoba	1,278,365	3.6%	16.70%
Saskatchewan	1,098,352	3.1%	15.60%
Nova Scotia	923,598	2.6%	3.70%
New Brunswick	747,101	2.1%	3.10%
Newfoundland and Labrador	519,716	1.5%	7.10%
Prince Edward Island	142,907	0.4%	1.60%
Northwest Territories	41,786	0.1%	51.90%
Nunavut	35,944	0.1%	86.30%
Yukon	35,874	0.1%	23.10%
TOTALS	35,151,728	100.0%	4.30%



Membership Rates and Renewals

The **MNOC National Registration**

Application Form is available on our website.

www.metisnationofcanada.org

Membership Rates:

Adults:

3 years \$65

5 years \$100

Seniors and Youth under 18:

3 years \$35

5 years \$50

**Is YOUR
Membership up
to date??**

Children 12 and under are free.