

Dated for reference the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20

**INTERSPOUSAL CONTRACT**

(Pursuant to Part 2 of the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Law)

*[To be completed by "Spouses" as defined in s. 4 of the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Law]*

BETWEEN:

**Name**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Address**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(hereafter the "Husband")

AND:

**Name**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Address**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(hereafter the "Wife")

**WHEREAS** the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation has taken control of its reserve lands and resources pursuant to the *Framework Agreement on First Nation Land Management* and has enacted the *Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Land Code* effective the 1st day of December 2000.

**AND WHEREAS** pursuant to the *Framework Agreement on First Nation Land Management* and the *Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Land Code*, the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation has enacted the *Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Law* (hereafter known as the Lheidli T'enneh MRPL) prescribing the rules and procedures

applicable on the breakdown of a marriage to the use, occupancy and possession of Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Land, and the division of interests in that land;

**AND WHEREAS** the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation has provided rights and remedies, without discrimination on the basis of sex, to Spouses who have or claim interests in Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Land upon the breakdown of their marriage;

1. the children of the Spouses, if any, should have a right to remain undisturbed in the matrimonial home;
2. each Spouse should have an equal right to possession of the matrimonial home;
3. each Spouse should be entitled to an undivided half interest in the matrimonial home as a tenant in common;
4. the rules and procedures shall not discriminate on the basis of sex; and
5. only Members of the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation are entitled to hold a permanent interest in Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Land or a charge against a permanent interest in Lheidli T'enneh First Nation Land.

**THE SPOUSES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:**

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Husband - print name)* *(Wife - print name)*

agree to be bound by the provisions of the Lheidli T'enneh Matrimonial Real Property Law

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF:**

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Husband - print name)* *(Wife - print name)*

have sets their hands as of the dates inscribed at a place with British Columbia.

**SIGNED AND DELIVERED**

by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Husband - print name)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Husband - signature)*

in the presence of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Witness - print name)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Witness - signature)*

**SIGNED AND DELIVERED**

by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Wife - print name)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Wife - signature)*

in the presence of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Witness - print name)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Witness - signature)*