

Media Inquiries: Gene Diabo (450) 632-7500 ext. 2254 gene.daibo@mck.ca

Technical Contact: Winona Polson-Lahache Chief Political Advisor

Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke

Kahnawà:ke Mohawk Territory P.O. Box 720 JOL 1B0

Tel: (450) 632-7500 **Fax:** (450) 638-5958

As per the MCK Communications Protocol, all media requests must be arranged through the Public Relations / Communications Unit Tsi Nahò:ten Karihwanákere Nó:nen'k **PRESS RELEASE**

Meeting with Quebec Ministers deemed positive

For Immediate Release

(Kahnawake – 11, Ohiari'kó:wa/July 2016) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke (MCK) would like to inform the community that Friday's meeting with Quebec's Minister of Finance Carlos Leitáo and Minister of Native Affairs Geoffrey Kelley has been deemed a success.

Grand Chief Joseph Tokwiro Norton, letsénhaienhs Gina Deer, MCK Chief Political Advisor Winona Polson-Lahache and project leader Lloyd Phillips attended the meeting held late Friday morning in Montreal.

"We're very pleased at how productive the meeting went," said letsénhaienhs Deer. "We addressed Bill 74 (the Quebec anti-Internet gaming legislation), taxation issues and the relationship between Kahnawà:ke and Quebec. Minister Leitáo has made a commitment to meet with again in the very near future, so we are considering this a success."

-30-