

#### Tsi Nahò:ten Karihwanákere Nó:nen'k

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#### Ratsénhaienhs Martin Leborgne issues letter of apology for inappropriate actions in regard to letter of complaint

#### For Immediate Release

(Kahnawake – 4, Kenténha/October 2017) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke (MCK) wishes to inform the community that Ratsénhaienhs Martin Leborgne has given a written letter of apology to two community members in relation to a complaint made to Chief & Council on 8, Seskehkó:wa/September, 2017.

Ratsénhaienhs Leborgne forwarded a copy of the complaint to his business partners, Groupe Vespo. While Ratsénhaienhs Leborgne stated his objective was to immediately address the situation and problems alleged in the complaint, releasing the complaint and accompanying information without written permission was deemed inappropriate by Chief & Council.

The letter of apology was signed by Ratsénhaienhs Leborgne at this past Monday's Council meeting.

Please take note that MCK Operations has been delegated to address any substantive issues brought forth in the complaint.

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