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Myiow institutes legal proceedings

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(Kahnawá:ke – 22, Enniskó:wa/March 2006) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawá:ke (MCK) announced today that Keith Myiow has instituted legal proceedings against the MCK.

Mr. Myiow has filed a Motion for Extension of Time to file an Application for Judicial Review. This motion will be heard before the Federal Court of Canada on Monday, 27 Enniskó:wa/March.

If his motion to extend time is granted, Mr. Myiow will then file an Application for Judicial Review for the following purposes:

- 1. to quash the decision taken by Chief & Council on 14, Enníska/February 2006.
- 2. to reinstate him as a chief of the MCK with payment of wages since that date;
- 3. to declare that the MCK has no jurisdiction to remove a chief from an elected position;
- 4. to declare that section 14.1 of the *Regulations Governing the Mohawk Council of Kahnawá:ke* is invalid;
- 5. such other relief that the Federal Court deems just and equitable.

While the Public Disclosure of Documents will continue as scheduled, Mr. Myiow's action means a Public Inquiry, as considered at the Community Meeting of 28 Enníska/ February, may now be looked upon as somewhat redundant and an unnecessary further burden on community resources.

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