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## **Automobile tax information**

## For immediate release

(20, Tsothórha/December 2004) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawá:ke (MCK) wishes to pass important information to community members who pay automobile insurance.

Earlier this year (6 Onerahtokó:wa/May) the Québec Ministry of Revenue announced that Aboriginal people residing on-reserve are no longer subject to the taxes of 5% on automobile insurance premiums <u>and</u> the 9% tax paid to the Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec (SAAQ) when they register or renew their registration or obtain or renew their driver's license.

Revenue Quebec has communicated this information to insurers, insurance brokers and the SAAQ and has instructed them not to collect tax on insurance premiums in such cases.

In the event that Kahnawa'kehró:non have paid this tax on or after 7 Onerahtokó:wa/May 2004, you may apply to Revenue Québec for a refund.

Community members can contact the MCK's tax consultant, John Latour, for more information at (450) 632-7500.

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