

CURRENT:

ARTICLE III-MEMBERSHIP OF TRIBE

**Section 1.** The current membership of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma shall consist of:

- (a) All persons enrolled or entitled to be enrolled on the official annuity (base) roll of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma as of February 19, 1937; and
- (b) All children born of a lawful marriage between members of the Tribe since the date of said roll;
- (c) All children of one-quarter (1/4) or more Pawnee Indian blood born on or after February 9, 1938, of a lawful marriage of an enrolled member.

**Section 2.** The future membership of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma, after the adoption of this Constitution, shall include any individual who applies for membership and possesses at least one-eighth (1/8) degree Pawnee Indian Blood, as amended on January 4, 2003 on Amendment Number 1.

**Section 3.** The Pawnee Business Council shall have power to prescribe rules and regulations covering future membership of the Pawnee Nation, including the approval and loss of membership, provided:

- (i) Such rules and regulations shall be subject to the review of the Nasharo Council;
- (ii) A person shall not be eligible for membership, if enrolled as a member of another Indian Tribe.

REDLINED REVISIONS:

ARTICLE III-~~MEMBERSHIP~~ CITIZENSHIP OF PAWNEE NATION~~TRIBE~~

**Section 1.** ~~The current membership~~ citizenship of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma shall consist of: ~~All persons~~ shall be eligible for citizenship in the Pawnee Nation who provided they are:

- (i) ~~enrolled or entitled to be e~~Enrolled and whose name appears on the official annuity (base) roll of the Pawnee Nation ~~of Oklahoma~~ as of February 19, 1937; and
- (ii) ~~All children born of a lawful marriage between members of the Tribe since the date of said roll;~~
- (ii) Lineally descended from any enrolled citizen listed on the official annuity (base) roll of the Pawnee Nation as of ~~All children of one-quarter (1/4) or more Pawnee Indian blood born on or after~~ February ~~19, 1937~~8, ~~of a lawful marriage of an enrolled member~~citizen.

**Section 2.** ~~The future membership~~ citizenship of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma, after the adoption of this Constitution, shall include any individual who applies for membership citizenship and possesses at least one-eighth (1/8) degree Pawnee Indian Blood, as amended on January 4, 2003 on Amendment Number 1.

**Section 23.** The Pawnee Business Council shall have the power to prescribe rules and regulations covering future ~~membership~~ citizenship of the Pawnee Nation, including the approval and loss of ~~citizen~~membership, provided:

- (i) Such rules and regulations shall be subject to the review of the Nasharo Council;

**Section 3.** ~~No~~A person shall ~~not~~ be eligible for Pawnee Nation ~~membership~~citizenship, if enrolled as a ~~member~~ citizen or member of another Indian Tribe.

SUGGESTED REVISION:

ARTICLE III-CITIZENSHIP OF PAWNEE NATION

**Section 1.** All persons shall be eligible for citizenship in the Pawnee Nation who provided they are:

- (i) Enrolled and whose name appears on the official annuity (base) roll of the Pawnee Nation as of February 19, 1937; and
- (ii) Lineally descended from any enrolled citizen listed on the official annuity (base) roll of the Pawnee Nation as of February 19, 1937.

**Section 2.** The Pawnee Business Council shall have the power to prescribe rules and regulations covering future citizenship of the Pawnee Nation, including the approval and loss of citizenship, provided:

- (ii) Such rules and regulations shall be subject to the review of the Nasharo Council;

**Section 3.** No person shall be eligible for Pawnee Nation citizenship, if enrolled as a citizen or member of another Indian Tribe.