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The Office Of The
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## PICURIS TRIBAL RESOLUTION NO. 14-05 PICURIS TRIBAL COURT

WHEREAS, the Picuris Pueblo is a federally recognized sovereign nation and is governed by the Traditional Council and an elected Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the Picuris Pueblo recognizes the need to revise their Domestic Relations Statutes in the Law and Order Code to ensure effective and timely adjudication of those matters which can adversely affect the Pueblo's integrity and sovereignty, and

WHEREAS, the Picuris Pueblo Tribal Council recognizes the need to address those matters relating to Dissolution of Marriage, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to establish our authority as a Sovereign Nation to regulate all aspects of Domestic Relations, and

WHEREAS, the Picuris Pueblo is committed to maintaining a Contemporary Court which uses both Modern and Customary Law in a culturally appropriate manner and to further revise the Law and Order Code to better meet the current needs of the Picuris Pueblo and to maintain a strong and sovereign Nation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Picuris Pueblo Tribal Government approves and authorizes the foregoing resolution which revises the Domestic Relations Statutes [Chapter 16] of the Law and Order Code to include Dissolution of Marriage.

Passed this 20th day of May 2005 by a vote of: 6 for, 0 against, and 0 abstaining.

Richard Mermejo, Governor

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Manuel Archuleta, Lt. Governor

Emmett Archuleta, 1st War Chief

Waylon Martinez, 2nd War Chief

Mike Simbolo, 3rd War Chief

Shaun Snake. 2nd Fiscale

ATTEST:

Sherry Archuleta, Tribal Secretary