Section 1. For the purposes of this Ordinance, the terms defined in this Section shall have the meaning ascribed to them.

a. Watercraft means any contrivance used or designed for navigation on water other than a seaplane.

b. Motorcraft means any watercraft propelled in any respect by machinery including watercraft temporarily equipped with detachable motors.

c. Director means the Director of the Leech Lake Reservation Department of Natural Resources.

d. License means the authentic document used to designate the numbers assigned a watercraft.

Section 2. Except as hereinafter provided, no Indian shall, after the 1st. day of July, 1982, operate or give permission to operate any watercraft for which a license is required under Section 4 on the waters within the boundaries of the Leech Lake Indian Reservation unless a license for such watercraft has been issued pursuant to this Ordinance.

Section 3. Application for a watercraft license shall be made to the Director of the Leech Lake Reservation Department of Natural Resources in such form as the Director shall prescribe and shall state the name and address of every owner of the watercraft and be signed by at least one (1) owner. The license issued shall be for a period of three (3) years.

Section 4. License fees and regulations for affixing license numbers shall be determined by the Reservation Conservation Commission.

Section 5. Duplicate license shall be issued by the Director upon satisfactory proof of the loss or destruction of a license issued hereunder.

Section 6. Within fifteen (15) days after the transfer of ownership of any watercraft licensed hereunder, the new owner shall give written notice to the Director and pay a transfer fee to the Director of Natural Resources who shall record the change in ownership of said watercraft.

Section 7. Distinguishable licenses shall be issued without the payment of a fee to watercraft owned by the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe or the Leech Lake Band of Chippewas upon application herefor.

Section 8. No license shall be required for the following described watercraft:

a. Watercraft owned by the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe or by any of the Bands comprising the Tribe.

b. Watercraft owned by Indians who do not reside within the boundaries of the Leech Lake Reservation and are temporary being used within the Reservation and are registered elsewhere.

c. Watercraft registered by the State of Minnesota, another State or another Indian Band or Tribe which have not been within the Leech Lake Reservation for more than thirty (30) consecutive days.
WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was duly
adopted on the 23rd day of June, 1982, by a vote of 4 for, 0 against,
and 0 abstaining, at a special meeting of the Leech Lake Reservation
Business Committee, a quorum being present.

Hartley White, Chairman

ATTEST:

Alfred Pemberton, Secretary/Treasurer