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 Nation

hereby applies for membership in the Animal Care & Community Enhanced Safety Society (“ACCESS”)

with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to act as the Nation’s liaison.

 Representative

This application is based on our understanding that:

1. ACCESS is a registered Society in British Columbia.
2. ACCESS will represent its membership, including Indigenous Nations, only regarding animal-related matters, as the organization carries out its mission to:

*Influence how resource allocation decisions are made provincially and federally while developing and delivering solutions to help underserved communities access the animal-related funding and services they need to keep all of their residents healthy and safe.*

*By networking Indigenous communities, as well as animal service partners like animal rescue groups, animal shelter providers, dog trainers, veterinary teams, etc., ACCESS will work to improve access to essential services and the wellbeing of animals (dogs, cats and even wild animals around our communities) as well as the health and safety of children, youth, adults, and elders.*

1. ACCESS will ensure that all ACCESS personnel conduct themselves professionally and with integrity, maintaining the reputation of the Nation during the performance of its business.
2. ACCESS will not commit the Nation to any contract or agreement without written consent of the Nation.

Signed by:

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Representative of the Nation

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Date

{Please attach any required Council Resolutions or other relevant supporting information}