



24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL LEGISLATION SPONSORSHIP WITHDRAWAL

I, HONORABLE KEE HUN BERRY, JR. Primary
Sponsor of proposed legislation hereby withdraw my
sponsorship of the proposed legislation. The legislation
tracking number is 0134-19.

If there are any co-sponsors, they may re-sponsor the same
bill by beginning a new legislation.

SPONSOR SIGNATURE:

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DATE:

8/20/19

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0134-19

DATE: May 23, 2019

TITLE OF RESOLUTION: AN ACTION RELATING TO NAABIKI'IYATI';
ESTABLISHING A NEGOTIATING TEAM FOR P.L. 638 CONTRACTS

PURPOSE: This bill will establish a negotiating team for P.L. 638 contracts.

This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committees. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each Council Delegate to review each proposed resolution in detail.

5-DAY BILL HOLD PERIOD: 2019-05-28
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PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - First Year, 2019

INTRODUCED BY

Kae Allen Begay Jr
(Prime Sponsor)

TRACKING NO. 0134-19 R. Lopez

AN ACTION

RELATING TO NAABIK'IYATI'; ESTABLISHING A NEGOTIATING TEAM
FOR P.L. 638 CONTRACTS

BE IT ENACTED:

Section One. Findings

1. The Indian Self Determination and Education Assistance Act allows Indian tribes some control over management of federal programs that impact tribal government, its members and resources. P.L. 93-638. See also, www.doi.gov.
2. Navajo Nation negotiates and receives several federal grants for numerous programs it manages pursuant to P.L. 93-638 contracts.
3. Prior to final acceptance of funds under P.L. 93-638 contracts, it is necessary that the Navajo Nation adequately negotiate terms on funding amounts.

Section Two. Establishing 638 Negotiating Team

The Naabik'iyáti' Committee of the Navajo Nation Council hereby establishes a negotiating team for all proposed or anticipated Navajo Nation P.L. 93-638 contracts.

1 The negotiating team shall consist of five (5) members, representing the Navajo Nation
2 Office of the President/Vice President, the Office of the Speaker, the Office of the
3 Controller, the Attorney General and the program seeking federal funds under contract.
4 Upon recommendation of the entities named herein, the Naabik'íyáti' Committee shall
5 confirmed the appointments.
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7 **Section Three. Duties and Responsibilities**

8 The duties and responsibilities of the Negotiating Team shall be as follows:

- 9 1. The entity shall only exist for the duration of the 24th Navajo Nation Council.
 - 10 2. The Negotiating Team shall meet periodically, upon duly-called meetings.
 - 11 3. The Negotiating Team shall not delay contract reviews and the approval process
12 under Navajo law. The authority of the Negotiating Team shall be limited to providing
13 recommendations and serving as an advisory role to Navajo Nation officials responsible
14 for 638 contracting.
 - 15 4. Notwithstanding the establishment of the Negotiating Team herein, the Navajo
16 Nation's procedural requirements of Title 2 for federal contracts shall remain the same.
 - 17 5. Except for necessary expenses and subject to available program funds, members
18 attending meetings shall not be compensated.
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Re : AN ACTION RELATING TO NAABIKI'YATTI'; ESTABLISHING A
NEGOTIATING TEAM FOR P.L. 638 CONTRACTS

If the proposed resolution is unacceptable to you, please contact me at the Office of Legislative Counsel and advise me of the changes you would like made to the proposed resolution. Also, you have a similar bill request under OLC Request Form # 19-239-1. I recommend that you consult with the Office of the President/Vice President, the Attorney General and OMB regarding that proposal and assess/consider any significant concerns (particular on Title 2 and the separation of powers). Ahéhee'.

OLC # 19-63-1

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SPONSOR: Kee Allen Begay Jr.

TITLE: An Action Relating To NAABIK'IYATI'; Establishing A Negotiating Team For P.L. 638 Contracts

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Digital Comments received:

Comments Supporting	<i>None</i>
Comments Opposing	<i>None</i>
Inconclusive Comments	<i>None</i>



Legislative Tracking Secretary
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10.3.19 8:23am

Date/Time

24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE REPORT First Year 2019

The **NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE** to whom has been assigned:

NAVAJO LEGISLATIVE BILL #0134-19

An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti'; Establishing a Negotiating Team for P.L. 638 Contracts

*Sponsored by: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr.
Co-Sponsored by: Honorable Rickie Nez*

Has had it under consideration and reports the same that the legislation **WAS TABLED AND REMAINS WITH THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE.**

Respectfully Submitted,


Honorable Seth Damon, Chairman
NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE

8 August 2019

TABLING MOTION

Motion to table legislation 0134-19 for 30 days.

Motioned by: Honorable Daniel E. Tso

Seconded by: Honorable Jamie Henio

Vote: 11 in Favor, 04 Opposed (Chairman Damon Not Voting)

MAIN MOTION

Motioned by: Honorable Daniel E. Tso

Seconded by: Honorable Pernell Halona

Vote: VOTE PENDING

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8/8/2019

Naa'bik'iyati Committee Meeting

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Table Legislation 0134-19 For
30 days

PASSED

MOT Tso, D
SEC Henio, J

Yea : 11

Nay : 4

Excused : 4

Not Voting : 3

Yea : 11

Begay, E
Begay, P
Charles-Newton

Halona, P
Henio, J
Tso, C

Tso, D
Tso, E
Walker, T

Wauneka, E
Yellowhair

Nay : 4

Tso, O

Nez, R

Daniels

Brown

Excused : 4

Stewart, W

James, V

Freeland, M

Begay, K

Not Voting : 3

Crotty

Smith

Yazzie

Presiding Chair: Damon