

RESOLUTION OF THE

NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE  
23RD NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - Fourth Year, 2018

AN ACTION

RELATING TO THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES AND  
NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES ESTABLISHING AND AUTHORIZING THE NAVAJO  
NATION GENETICS POLICY DEVELOPMENT WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A  
GENETICS RESEARCH POLICY FOR THE NAVAJO NATION AND AMENDMENTS TO  
THE NAVAJO NATION HUMAN RESEARCH CODE

BE IT ENACTED:

**Section One. Authority**

- A. The Navajo Nation established the Health, Education and Human Services Committee ("HEHSC") as a Navajo Nation Council standing committee and as such empowered HEHSC to establish policy, promulgate rules and regulations governing health on the Navajo Nation. See 2 N.N.C. §§ 164 (A)(9), 400 (A), 401 (B)(1) (2015); See also CO-45-12.
- B. The Navajo Nation established the Naabik'íyáti' Committee as a Navajo Nation Council standing committee and as such empowered Naabik'íyáti' Committee authority to oversee the conduct and operation of entities of the Navajo Nation not otherwise under the oversight authority of other standing committees. See 2 N.N.C. §§ 164 (A)(9), 700 (A), 701 (A)(2) (2015); See also CO-45-12.
- C. The Naabik'íyáti' Committee has the authority to delegate its responsibilities and authorities to other standing committees and appropriate entities provided that the Committee first approve rules and regulations governing such delegations and to rescind delegations. See 2 N.N.C. § 701 (B).

**Section Two. Findings**

- A. On October 10, 1995, the former Health and Social Services Committee (now Health, Education and Human Services Committee) by Resolution HSSCO-108-95 and on October 25, 1995, the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution CO-106-95 approved the Navajo Nation Health Research Code.

Resolutions CO-106-95 (exhibits omitted) and HSSCO-108-95(exhibits omitted) are attached as **Exhibits A** and **B**, respectively.

- B. In August 2001, the former Health and Social Services Committee and the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board ("Board") held a joint work session in which the Committee directed the Board to not consider any investigations, research or studies regarding genetics and to develop educational material for the public prior to the development of the Navajo Nation policy on genetic studies.
- C. In 2002, the former Health and Social Services Committee by Resolution HSSCAP-20-02 and the former Intergovernmental Relations Committee (now Naabik'iyáti' Committee) by Resolution IGRJN-86-02, approved the moratorium on genetic research conducted within the Navajo Nation until the Navajo Nation Health Research Code has been amended and approved by the Navajo Nation Council. Resolutions HSSCAP-20-02 (exhibits omitted) and IGRJN-86-02 (exhibits omitted) are attached as **Exhibits C and D**, respectively.
- D. In 2002, the former Health and Social Services Committee by Resolution HSSCAP-21-02, the former Education Committee by resolution ECAP-19-02, the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution CAP-16-02, approved amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code thereby renaming the title as the Navajo Nation Human Research Code and is now codified at 13 N.N.C § 3251, et seq. Resolutions HSSCAP-21-02 (exhibits omitted), ECAP-19-02 (exhibits omitted) and CAP-16-02 (exhibits omitted) are attached as **Exhibits E, F, and G**, respectively.
- E. On November 13 and 14, 2017, a meeting by the "Navajo Genetics Policy Development Working Group" which consisted of Council Delegates and representatives from the Office of Navajo Government Development, Navajo Nation Human Research Review Board, Navajo Epidemiology Center, Navajo Nation Department of Health, and various universities, was held in Window Rock, Arizona. Meeting discussions included "Genetic Moratorium Background Information and Documents," "Navajo Genetic Perspectives Study Overview," "Policy Development and Draft Policy Recap," and "Decision Making Framework." The group decided to seek formal authorization from the Navajo Nation to proceed with policy development regarding genetics research within the jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation.

- F. It is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation to authorize the establishment of the Navajo Nation Genetics Policy Development Working Group ("Working Group") which may include integral community stakeholders such as the Office of Navajo Government Development, Navajo Department of Health, the Navajo Nation Human Research Review Board and other stakeholder entities as necessary.

**Section Three. Authorizing the establishment of the Navajo Nation Genetics Policy Development Working Group to develop a genetics research policy for the Navajo Nation and amendments to the Navajo Nation Human Research Code**

- A. The Navajo Nation Health, Education and Human Services and Naabik'iyáti' Committees hereby authorize the establishment of the Navajo Nation Genetics Policy Development Working Group to develop a genetics research policy for the Navajo Nation and to propose amendments to the Navajo Nation Human Research Code. The Working Group shall exist and operate as authorized pursuant to the 2002 Moratorium on Genetic Research, as outlined in HSSCAP-20-02 and IGRJN-86-02.
- B. In accordance with 2 N.N.C 701 (B), the Naabik'iyáti' Committee hereby delegates oversight authority of the Navajo Nation Genetics Policy Development Working Group to the Health, Education and Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Naabik'iyáti' Committee of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting in Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 11 in Favor and 01 Opposed, on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2018.



LoRenzo C. Bates, Chairperson  
Naabik'iyáti' Committee

Motion: Honorable Jonathan L. Hale  
Second: Honorable Nelson S. BeGaye

Chairperson Bates not voting



CO-106-95

**RESOLUTION OF THE  
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

**Approving the Navajo Nation Health Research Code**

**WHEREAS:**

1. The Navajo Nation Council is the governing body of the Navajo Nation, pursuant to 2 N.T.C. §102 (a); and all powers not delegated are reserved to the Navajo Nation Council, 2 N.T.C. §102 (b); and

2. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council directed the Navajo Division of Health and the Navajo Area Indian Health Service (IHS) Institutional Review Board/Publication Committee to develop a Navajo Nation Health Research Code; and

3. A Navajo Nation Health Research Code was developed to govern all medical, health, behavioral, social science, and other studies that are conducted within the jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation to provide protection, beneficence and justice for individuals and communities participating in research activities. The proposed Navajo Nation Research Act is attached hereto and incorporated as Exhibit "A"; and

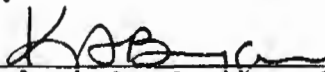
4. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council has reviewed and approved the Navajo Nation Health Research Code and it further recommended to the Navajo Nation Council approval of the same. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council Resolution HSSCO-108-95 is attached hereto and incorporated as Exhibit "B".

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The Navajo Nation Council hereby adopts and approves the Navajo Nation Health Research Code, Title 13 Navajo Tribal Code which is attached and incorporated as Exhibit "A".

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting at Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 56 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstained, this 25th day of October 1995.

  
Kelsey A. Begaye, Speaker  
Navajo Nation Council

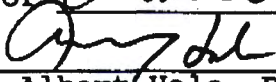
OCT 30 1995  
Date Signed



Motion: Genevieve Jackson  
Second: Ernest Hubbell

**ACTION BY THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH:**

1. Pursuant to 2 N.T.C. Section 1005 (c)(1), I hereby sign into law the foregoing resolution on this 3/15 day of October 1995:



Albert Hale, President  
Navajo Nation

2. Pursuant to 2 N.T.C. Section 1005 (c)(10), I hereby veto the foregoing legislation this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1995 for the reason(s) expressed in the attached letter to the Speaker:

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Albert Hale, President  
Navajo Nation



HSSCO-108-95

RESOLUTION OF THE  
HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

Accepting the Navajo Nation Health Research Code and Recommending  
Approval of the Navajo Nation Health Research Code by the Navajo  
Nation Council

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 2 N.T.C. §§451 and 452 (b)(6), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council was established and continued as a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council with oversight authority over the Navajo Division of Health and Social Services; and
2. Pursuant to 2 N.T.C. §454 (b)(6), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is authorized to recommend legislation relating to health, environmental health and social services; and
3. The primary responsibility of the Navajo Area Indian Health Service (IHS) Institutional Review Board/Publication Committee is to protect the rights and welfare of human subjects recruited to participate in research activities and to protect communities in which research is conducted; and
4. The federal and state agencies lack knowledge of research clearance procedure established by the Navajo Nation and the Navajo Area IHS; and
5. In 1994, a total of 48 requests for research activities and 48 requests for manuscript publications were submitted to the Navajo Area IHS Institutional Review Board/Publication Committee for approval; and
6. In response to a directive of the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, the Navajo Division of Health, the Department of Justice and the Navajo Area IHS Institutional Review Board/Publication Committee developed a Navajo Nation Health Research Code; and
7. The Navajo Division of Health provided a comment period to each Division of the Navajo Nation Executive Branch, Office of the Speaker and Office of Chief Justice, beginning May 26, 1995 and ending September 1, 1995 and it received 3 responses; and
8. The Navajo Division of Health supports the Navajo Nation having a primary authority regarding research activities within the jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation; and

9. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council has determined that the proposed Navajo Nation Health Research Code is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation. The proposed Navajo Nation Health Research Act is attached hereto and incorporated as Exhibit "A", to be codified within Title 13 of the Navajo Tribal Code.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

1. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council accepts the Navajo Nation Research Code which is attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit "A".

2. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council recommends the Navajo Nation Council to approve the Navajo Nation Health Research Code, to be codified within Title 13 of the Navajo Tribal Code.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting at Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 4 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstained, this 10th day of October, 1995.



Vice Chairperson  
Health and Social Services Committee

Motion: Marlene Thomas  
Second: Jack Colorado



HSSCAP-20-02

RESOLUTON OF THE  
HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

**Approving a Moratorium on Genetic Research Studies Conducted Within the Jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation Until Such Time that a Navajo Nation Human Research Code has Been Amended by the Navajo Nation Council**

**WHEREAS:**

1. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§451 and 454(B)(8), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is established with oversight authority over the Division of Health and the Division of Social Services; and
2. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §454(B)(6), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is authorized to recommend legislation relating to health, environmental health and social services; and
3. On October 10, 1995, the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution HSSCO-108-95 and on October 25, 1995, the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution CO-106-95, approved the Navajo Nation Health Research Code. Resolutions HSSCO-108-95 and CO-106-95 are attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and
4. In August 2001, the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council and the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board held a joint work session in which the Committee directed the Review Board not to consider any investigations, research or studies regarding genetics; and
5. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council further directed the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board to develop educational materials to inform the Navajo public through media and public forums prior to developing the Navajo Nation policy on genetic studies; and
6. The Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board agrees with and supports the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council to impose a moratorium to genetic research and study. The Navajo nation Health Research Review Board is coordinating with the Navajo Division of Health Office of Planning, research and Evaluation, the amendment of the Navajo nation Health Research Code, including genetic research related protocols.



**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council hereby approves a moratorium on genetic investigations, research or studies that are conducted within the Navajo Nation until such time that a Navajo Nation Health Research Code has been amended and approved by the Navajo Nation Council.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting at Montezuma Creek, Navajo Nation (Utah), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 6 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstained, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2002.



Jerry Freddie, Chairperson  
Health and Social Services Committee

Motion: Annie Descheny  
Second: Harry Hubbard



IGRJN-86-02

**RESOLUTION OF THE  
INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

Approving a Moratorium on Genetic Research Studies Conducted Within the  
Jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation Until Such Time That the Navajo Nation  
Council Has Developed and Approved a Policy Statement on Genetic Research

**WHEREAS:**

1. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §824(B)(4), the Intergovernmental Relations Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is empowered to authorize, review, approve and accept any and all contracts, grants and associated budgets with the United States, its departments and agencies, for the implementation of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act, as amended upon the recommendation of the standing committee which has oversight of the division, department or program applying for the contract and/or grant; and
2. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§451 and 454(B)(8), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is established with oversight authority over the Division of Health and the Division of Social Services; and
3. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §454(B)(6), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is authorized to recommend legislation relating to health, environmental health and social services; and
4. On October 10, 1995, the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution HSSCO-108-95, and on October 25, 1995, the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution CO-106-95, approved the Navajo Nation Health Research Code. Resolutions HSSCO-108-95 and CO-106-95 are attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and
5. In August 2001, the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council and the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board held a joint work session in which the Committee directed the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board not to consider any and all investigations, research or studies regarding genetics; and
6. The Health and Social Services Committee further directed the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board to develop educational materials to inform the Navajo public through media and public forum prior to developing the Navajo Nation policy on genetic studies; and
7. The Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board is coordinating with the Navajo Division of Health, Navajo Historic Preservation Department, and the Navajo Division of Education to amend the Navajo Nation Health Research Code; and

8. On April 02, 2002, the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution HSSCAP-20-02, approved a moratorium on genetic research studies conducted within the jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation. Resolution HSSCAP-20-02 has been attached hereto as Exhibit "C"; and

9. On April 15, 2002, the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution CAP-16-02, amended the Navajo Nation Health Research Code and has been attached as Exhibit "D"; and


10. The professional opinion of the Vice President of the Navajo Nation, as a medical doctor and surgeon, is that this resolution shall not preclude genetic studies which would be called for to make diagnosis in disease states and genetic therapy for disease states, i.e., genetic studies to help confirm radiation damage in cases of uranium radiation exposure where clinical diagnosis is not or is borderline confirmatory.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The Intergovernmental Relations Committee of the Navajo Nation Council approves a moratorium on genetic studies and investigations and genetic research that are conducted within the Navajo Nation until such time that the Navajo Nation Council has developed and approved a Policy Statement on genetic research.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Intergovernmental Relations Committee of the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting at Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstained, this 4th day of June, 2002.



Edward T. Begay, Chairperson  
Intergovernmental Relations Committee

Motion: Andy Ayze  
Second: Ervin M. Keeswood, Sr.



HSSCAP-21-02

RESOLUTION OF THE  
HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

**Supporting the Amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Code and Recommending Approval by the Navajo Nation Council**

**WHEREAS:**

1. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§451 and 454(B)(8), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is established with oversight authority over the Division of Health and the Division of Social Services; and
2. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §454(b)(6), the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council is authorized to recommend legislation to health, environmental health and social services; and
3. On October 10, 1995, the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution HSSCO-108-95 and on October 25, 1995, the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution CO-106-95, approved the Navajo Nation Health Research Code. Resolutions HSSCO-108-95 and CO-106-95 are attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and
4. Until December 1995, the Institutional Review Board/Publication Committee of the Navajo Area Indian Health Service reviewed and approved all requests for health and health-related research and manuscripts for professional publication. Subsequent to adoption of the Navajo Nation Health Research Code, the Navajo Nation Division of Health has contracted the Institutional Review Board function from the Navajo Area Indian Health Service. To date there have been a total of 97 approved research studies on living human subjects, 140 requests for manuscript publication, submitted to the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board for approval; and
5. In response to increased volume of a wide range of research proposals, manuscripts and abstracts regarding living human subjects that are considered by the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board, the Navajo Nation Health Research Code needs to be amended and expanded to assure that research conducted is beneficial, community-based and consistent with Navajo Nation priority and concerns, and to govern all situations and circumstances in which human research will be conducted within the jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation; and
6. The Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board has supported and recommended approval of the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code. The Amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code are hereto attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit "B".



**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

1. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council supports the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code.
2. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council recommends that the Navajo Nation Council approve the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting at Montezuma Creek, Navajo Nation (Utah), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstained, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2002.

  
Jerry Freddie, Chairperson  
Health and Social Services Committee

Motion: Lula Jackson  
Second: Harry Hubbard





ECAP-19-02

RESOLUTION OF THE  
EDUCATION COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

**Recommending that the Navajo Nation Council Amend  
CO-106-95, the Navajo Nation Health Research Code**

**WHEREAS:**

1. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§481 and 482, the Education Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council, which is established to oversee the educational development of the Navajo Nation and develop policies for a scholastically excellent, and culturally relevant education; and

2. The Education Committee of the Navajo Nation Council has the authority to promulgate regulations, policies and procedures to implement Navajo Nation education laws, review and recommend legislation to the Navajo Nation Council, 2 N.N.C. §484; and

3. The Navajo Nation Health Research Code, adopted by the Navajo Nation Council, CO-106-95, developed the Health Review Board to review and approve all requests for health and health-related research activities for professional publications, and

4. In order to adequately address the high volume of research being conducted on the Navajo Nation and the expansion of the research topics that include education-related issues, it is imperative that the Navajo Nation Research Code is amended to include the review and approval of researches related to education matters. The Education Committee of the Navajo Nation Council supports and approves the amendments to the Navajo Nation Research Code (attached and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "A"**), and

5. The Heath & Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution HSSCAP-21-02, approved to amend the Navajo Nation Research Code (see attached **Exhibit "B"**).

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The Education Committee of the Navajo Nation Council hereby recommends that the Navajo Nation Council approve the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code, as attached and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "A"** to this resolution.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Education Committee of the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting at Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of (6) in favor, (0) opposed, and (1) abstained, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2002.



Andy R. Ayze, Chairperson

Education Committee

**NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

Motion: Calvin Kirk

Second: Emerson Jackson, Sr.



CAP-16-02

RESOLUTION OF THE  
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

Approving the Amendments to the  
Navajo Nation Health Research Code

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §102 (A), the Navajo Nation Council is the governing body of the Navajo Nation; and

2. On October 25, 1995, the Navajo Nation Council by Resolution CO-106-95 approved the Navajo Nation Health Research Code. Resolution CO-106-95 is attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and

3. The Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution HSSCAP-21-02, attached hereto as Exhibit "B", approved and recommended to the Navajo Nation Council approval of amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code; and

4. The Education Committee of the Navajo Nation Council, by Resolution ECAP-19-02, attached hereto as Exhibit "D", approved and recommended to the Navajo Nation Council approval of amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code; and

5. Until December 1995, the Navajo Area Indian Health Service Institutional Review Board/Publication Committee reviewed and approved all requests for health and health-related research and manuscripts for professional publication. Subsequent to adoption of the Navajo Nation Health Research Code, the Navajo Nation Division of Health has contracted the Institutional Review Board function from the Navajo Area Indian Health Service. To date there have been a total of 97 requests for research studies on living human subjects, 140 requests for manuscript publication, submitted to the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board for approval; and

6. In response to increased volume of a wide range of research proposals, manuscripts and abstracts regarding living human subjects that are considered by the Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board, the Navajo Nation Health Research Code needs to be amended and expanded to assure that research

conducted is beneficial, community-based and consistent with Navajo Nation priority and concerns, and to govern all situations and circumstances in which human research will be conducted within the jurisdiction of the Navajo Nation; and

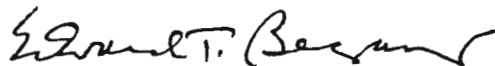
7. The Navajo Nation Health Research Review Board has reviewed and supported the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code and the Health and Social Services Committee of the Navajo Nation Council deems it to be in the best interests of the Navajo Nation to approve the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code. The amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code are hereto attached as Exhibit "C".

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Navajo Nation Council approves the amendments to the Navajo Nation Health Research Code, attached hereto as Exhibit "C".

#### CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting in Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona) at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 47 in favor, 18 opposed and 1 abstained, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2002.



Edward T. Begay, Speaker  
Navajo Nation Council

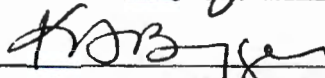
April 24, 2002

Date

Motion: Joe Salt  
Second: Robert Ortiz

**ACTION BY THE NAVAJO NATION PRESIDENT:**

1. I hereby give notice that I will not veto the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. Section 1005 (C) (10), on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 2002.

  
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Kelsey A. Begaye, President  
Navajo Nation

2. I hereby veto the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. Section 1005(C)(10) this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2002 for the reason(s) expressed in the attached letter to the Speaker.

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Kelsey A. Begaye, President  
Navajo Nation



# NAVAJO NATION

RCS# 788

2/12/2018

Naa'bik'iyati Committee

05:59:36 PM

Amd# to Amd#

Legislation No. 0030-18:

PASSED

MOT Hale

Establishing and Authorizing the

SEC BeGaye, N

NN Genetics Policy Development

Working Group to Develop...

**Yea : 11**

**Nay : 1**

**Excused : 1**

**Not Voting : 11**

## **Yea : 11**

Begay, NM  
BeGaye, N  
Chee

Damon  
Filfred  
Hale

Phelps  
Shepherd  
Slim

Tsosie  
Witherspoon

## **Nay : 1**

Tso

## **Excused : 1**

Begay, S

## **Not Voting : 11**

Bates  
Begay, K  
Bennett

Brown  
Crotty  
Daniels

Jack  
Perry  
Pete

Smith  
Yazzie