ANNUAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY
JULY 20, 21 & 22, 2010, WINNIPEG, MB

Resolution no. 26/2010

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| TITLE: | Support for an Inquiry into the Shooting Death of John Simon |
| SUBJECT: | Justice / Policing |
| MOVED BY: | Chief Jesse Simon, Big Cove First Nation (Elsipogtog), NB |
| SECONDED BY: | Chief Carol Thompson, Bear River First Nation, NS |
| DECISION: | Carried by Consensus |

WHEREAS:

A. John Simon, a member of the Wagmatcook First Nation, was unjustly shot and killed by an RCMP officer on December 2, 2008.

B. The report into the death of John Simon by the Halifax Regional Police and the RCMP found that the RCMP officer who shot Mr. Simon contravened established RCMP policy and the instructions of his supervisor when he entered Mr. Simon's home without permission.

C. Concerns have also been raised about the role of the RCMP in the preparation of the Halifax Regional Police Services report.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Chiefs-in-Assembly:

1. Support the Wagmatcook Band Council's demands for a full and open federal or provincial Inquiry into the shooting death of John Simon.
2. Mandate the AFN to advocate that any public inquiry into Mr. Simon's death be used as a mechanism to improve the delivery of policing services in First Nation territories.

Certified copy of a resolution adopted on the 22nd day of July, 2010 in Winnipeg, Manitoba

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