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Per Capita Distribution

Section 13.1 of the Trust Agreement dated February 6, 2015 reads as follows:

“One of the purposes of the Trust is to enable Chippewas of the Thames First Nation, by means of the Per Capita Distribution Account, to effect a Per Capita Distribution in the amount of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500 CAD) to each Qualifying Member as soon as it is practicable following receipt of the Compensation from Canada, subject to Article 12 above.”.

The definition of a Qualifying Member can be found in the same Trust Agreement and reads as follows:

“means a Member that was both a Member and alive during the period from the day the written offer was received from Canada (March 27, 2012) and the day of the Vote (March 23, 2013) and who has reached the age of twenty one or has reached the age of 18 and graduated from high school or local equivalent, whichever occurs first;”

If you meet the definition of a Qualifying Member as per the above definition then you will need to do the following to receive your one-time Per Capita Distribution (PCD) payment.

- 1) Complete and return the Per Capita Distribution Form:
 - Form CF001- If you would like your payment in Canadian Funds
 - Form CF002 – If you would like your payment in US funds, which will be converted from Canadian Funds at the applicable Exchange Rate.
- 2) A copy of the front and back of your status card. If you do not have a Status Card then another piece of government issued photo id that has your signature on it.
- 3) If you are aged 18-20 you will need to provide proof of graduation by either providing:
 - Original Diploma so that it may be photocopied by staff, or
 - Original transcript so that it may be photocopied by staff, or
 - Certified copies of either of the above documents, or
 - Copy of diploma or transcript along with a name and phone number from someone at the school where you graduated who can verify that you graduated.
 - Please call for requirements needed for *Local Equivalent*
- 4) If you would like your payment by Direct Deposit, the account will need to be in your name and you will need to provide the following:
 - Void Cheque or
 - Direct Deposit information form

If you have any questions feel free to contact our office Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. EST.