

## INDIAN REGISTRY PROGRAM for:

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**Re: Bill C-3 Passed (the McIvor Case)**

Jan. 13, 2011

On Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Bill C-3 received Royal Assent. It is hoped that legislation on this Bill will be passed by Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>, 2011 or shortly after.

At that time, you would be entitled to apply to be registered into Indian status IF:

1. Your Grandmother lost her Indian status as a result of marrying a Non Indian.
2. Is one of your parents registered, or entitled to be registered, under Sub-section 6(2) of the Indian Act?
3. Were you born on or after September 4, 1951?

(NOTE: IF you were born **BEFORE** Sept. 4, 1951 you are NOT a McIvor applicant)

Those that can answer YES to ALL of the above questions would be eligible to apply for registered Indian status **AS SOON AS THE LEGISLATION OFFICIALLY BECOMES LAW**. Watch the news media for further info. At that time, application forms will be available & the application form will also serve as an application for a status card. All applicants must provide an **ORIGINAL** Birth certificate which contains the names of both of their parents, when they apply. IF you are going to apply, under the provisions of Bill C-3 (the McIvor case) please send my office a copy of your application form & a copy of your birth certificate. If Ottawa has any problems with your application, I will be able to assist them if I have copies of the documentation here. (If you don't send me copies to retain here, then the processing of your application could be delayed.)

I will be traveling to all the villages in Feb. and will advise you as soon as my schedule is set up. I will be able to assist any Bill C-3 applicants at that time.

Yours truly,

Alrita Leask  
Indian Registry Administrator