

November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Office of the Prime Minister  
80 Wellington Street  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A2

Dear Mr. Harper and staff,

**LETTER OF REJECTION AND NON-CONSENT.**

This is a letter of non-consent to the imposed First Nations Education Act (FNEA). This document (FNEA) will ultimately take away my Treaty entitlements to a culturally relevant education, as well as the opportunity to learn in a manner that helps me to understand who I am as an Indigenous person and how I fit into the world.

The First Nations Education Act has been played out to be something that will benefit us as people. The FNEA have been falsely revered as 'solutions' to all of our problems. I don't believe that the solutions to our problems will come from legislation, nor will a solution come from books. It is sad and disheartening to know that the consent has been manufactured for our people by our own people with the intentions of the agenda of the conservative government. The Treaty Obligation and Promise to Education between the federal government and the Indigenous Nations are still as strong as the day that they were made; we have to remember that.

This letter is a statement to reject any imposed legislation because it will give all jurisdiction of our education to the province.

Love,

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