

## CORPORATION OF THE NATION MUNICIPALITY

### BY-LAW 15-2026

**BEING A BY-LAW TO APPOINT AN INTEGRITY COMMISSIONER FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE NATION MUNICIPALITY AND TO RENEW CONTRACT WITH JEAN-JACQUES LACOMBE FOR 2027-2028**

**WHEREAS** Section 223.3 of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25*, as amended (“The Municipal Act”) authorizes a municipality to appoint an Integrity Commissioner who reports to Council and who is responsible for performing in an independent manner the functions assigned by the municipality with respect to any or all of the responsibilities set out in section 223.3 of the *Municipal Act*, including, but not limited to, the application of the Code of Conduct for Members of Council;

AND WHEREAS the Office of the Integrity Commissioner and a Complaint Protocol for the Code of Conduct for Members of Council was established under By-law 78-2025.

AND WHEREAS The Nation Municipality established a Code of Conduct (POL-CL-08-2025) for the members of the Municipal Council, policy number POL-CL-08-2025 under By-law number 91-2025, as amended from time to time.

AND WHEREAS Council deems it expedient to renew the contract with the Integrity Commissioner Jean-Jacques Lacombe, for the purpose of investigating formal complaints under the Code of Conduct for members of Council.

**Now THEREFORE the Council of The Nation Municipality enacts as follows:**

1. That Jean-Jacques LaCombe of Société Professionnelle LaCombe, be hereby appointed as the Integrity Commissioner for the Corporation of The Nation Municipality Pursuant to section 223.3 of the *Municipal Act*.
2. That the Service Agreement between the Corporation of The Nation Municipality and Société Professionnelle LaCombe with respect to the position of Integrity Commissioner, be hereby adopted and forming part of this By-law as Schedule “A”.
3. That the Mayor and the Clerk be authorized to execute the said Service Agreement annexed hereto as Schedule “A” on behalf of the Corporation of The Nation Municipality.
4. That this By-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of its passing.

Passed in Open Council this 27th day of April, 2026

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Francis Brière, MAYOR

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Aimée Roy, CLERK