

Subject: **SURVEYS - ROAD CLOSURES**

## **BACKGROUND**

Roads in a Metis Settlement under the control and management of the Settlement may be closed by Council resolution. This resolution forms the basis for the issuance of a road termination notification by the Settlement Council. Termination of the road creates a Metis Title in the land in the name of the Settlement.

## **REGISTRATION PROCEDURE**

These documents are referred to the Metis Settlements Land Registry for processing.

### **A. BYLAWS**

1. The portion closed must be adequately described in the termination notification. A sketch may be attached to illustrate a metes and bounds description but cannot be used in lieu of such description.

2. **Consolidation of Titles** - If specific portions of a road which is to be closed are to be consolidated with adjoining parcels, each portion to be consolidated must be described separately in the termination notification.

### **B. NOTIFICATIONS**

1. A notification for the termination of a road is issued by Metis Settlement ([FORM MSLR08](#)). It must be executed by the Settlement Chairperson and Settlement Administrator and does not require a witness.

2. **Consolidation of Titles** - If the land in the notification is to be consolidated with adjacent land, the notification must indicate which land the land in the roadway is to be consolidated with. A title is created for the consolidated area.