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Keith Myiow's motion dismissed by Federal Court of Canada

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(Kahnawá:ke – 12, Ohiarí:ha/June 2006) The Federal Court of Canada today dismissed the motion of Keith Myiow filed on 7, Ohiarí:ha/June 2006. Mr. Myiow was asking the Federal Court to quash the decision taken by Angus L. Montour, former Electoral Officer, on 2 Ohiarí:ha/June 2006 with respect to his candidacy; Mr. Myiow was also asking the Federal Court of Canada to make him a candidate for the upcoming elections for the Mohawk Council of Kahnawá:ke (MCK).

In light of the decision from the Court of Kahnawá:ke taken on 9, Ohiarí:ha/June 2006, which has already quashed the above-mentioned decision of Mr. Montour (and has appointed Darlene Alfred as the new Electoral Officer), the Federal Court deemed that Mr. Myiow's motion was premature and that, in any event, the Federal Court of Canada did not have the jurisdiction to order an interim measure to make Mr. Myiow a candidate for the upcoming MCK elections.

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