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PERSONAL DATA

Date of Birth: August 11, 1945
Place of Birth: Albuquerque, New Mexico
Tribal Affiliation: Pawnee Tribe of Oklahoma
Marital Status: Married, two children

EDUCATION

High School: Farmington, New Mexico, High School, 1963
College: University of New Mexico, B.A., Government, 1967
Law School: University of New Mexico, J.D., 1970

EMPLOYMENT

Native American Rights Fund, Boulder, Colorado, 1970 to present. Executive Director, 1977 to present.

Lecturer, Federal Indian Law, Ethnic Studies Department, University of Colorado - Denver, 1973.

Lecturer, Federal Indian Law, Indian Studies Department, University of California at Berkeley, 1971.

Reginald Heber Smith Fellow, 1970-72.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Colorado Indian Bar Association

Native American Bar Association

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Board of Directors, American Indian Resources Institute, Oakland, California, 1975-present.

Board of Directors, Association on American Indian Affairs, New York, New York,
1977-present.

Board of Directors, National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy, Washington, D.C., 1978-
present.

Board of Directors, Independent Sector, Washington, D.C., 1987-1992.

Board of Directors, National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development, Mesa,
Arizona, 1988-present.

Board of Directors, Natural Resource Defense Council, New York, New York, 1988-present.

Board of Directors, Keystone Center, Keystone, Colorado, 1993-present.

Board of Directors, Environmental and Energy Study Institute, Washington, D.C., 1994-present.

Presidential Appointee, Western Water Policy Review Advisory Commission, 1995-1998