* [The Indian Act](http://laws.justice.gc.ca/en/I-5/)
* [Chief Atleo](http://www.cbc.ca/news/politics/atleo-says-indian-act-blocks-first-nations-progress-1.1026584)
* [Do Away With the Indian Act](http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/manitoba/story/2010/07/20/mb-afn-indian-act-manitoba.html)
* [The Corbiere Decision](http://www.ammsa.com/publications/windspeaker/corbiere-decision-making-waves-0)
* [8th Fire: At The Crossroads](http://www.cbc.ca/8thfire//2011/11/at-the-crossroads.html)

**Answer on a separate sheet in full and complete sentences:**

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| 1.Who makes up the Band government?2. Explain how band councils are elected.3. According to the act (before 1999), who was eligible to vote in Band elections. 4. What affect will the Corbiere decision made by the Supreme Court, have on Reserve elections?5. How long can council members serve on band councils?6. Explain in your own words the powers that the minister of Indian Affairs and/or the Governor in Council have over elections on reserves.7. Suggest reasons as to why First Nations leaders might dislike the Indian Act when it comes to elections on reserves. 8. Although Chief Atleo is no longer head of the AFN he makes a good case for doing away with the Indian Act. Explain four reasons why Atleo wants the Indian Act done away with.9. Watch the 8th Fire video it deals with the Indian Act. Explain 5 problems that the people see with the Indian Act.10. Explain how the People in the 8th Fire feel the Indian Act could be replaced. |
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