

**IN THE NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIAL COURT
OF AND FOR THE NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIBE
LAME DEER, MONTANA 59043**

IN RE THE ADMINISTRATION OF:)) TEMPORARY INMATE STAY TO PAY RATES) REMANDED TO B.I.A./O.J. S) CORRECTIONS CUSTODY) BY THIS NORTHERN CHEYENNE) TRIAL COURT) _____)	A.O. 2026-005 Chief Judge C. Elkshouder, Jr
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The Purpose of this Administrative Order is to establish temporary stay-to-pay rates in accordance with Title V, Rule 31 (C.) (4.) of the Revised Law and Order Code of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe, until such a time that the Northern Cheyenne Tribal Council may ratify annual stay-to-pay rates.

The Stay-To-Pay rate for Inmates incarcerated and remanded to the custody of B.I.A./O.J. S Corrections under the Old Law and Order Code Provided that any person who was serving their court ordered Fine per day was given \$20.00 per day. Under the Provisions of the Revised Law and Order Code of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe, the Court shall annually set such stay-to-pay rates by rule, subject to the ratification of the Tribal Council.

Until such a time when the Tribal Council convenes and is able to approve the Stay-To-Pay rates for FY2026; this court adopts this Temporary Stay-To-Pay Rates:

Northern Cheyenne Inmates who have and are serving a Court Ordered Fine shall be eligible to have \$75 applied to their fine per day. Northern Cheyenne Inmates who have and are serving Court Ordered Fine(s) and are inmate workers shall be eligible to have \$150.00 applied to their fine per day per inmate work day; which must be at least eight (8) hours and must provide a timesheet to this Court to verify Inmate work was assigned. All Inmate Workers must be approved by this Northern Cheyenne Court prior to being authorized to serve as an Inmate Worker.

This Administrative Order shall become Null and Void upon Tribal Council Ratification of FY2026 Stay-To-Pay Rates for Northern Cheyenne Inmates.

ORDERED THIS 9TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2025.

NORTHERN CHEYENNE COURT
CERTIFIED COPY
 CLERK OF COURT:
 BY: Asia Strange Owl
 DATED: 10/9/2025

