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		No (2 policies - Tobacco & Smoking Policy & Ceremonial Use of Sacred Medicines Policy)	No (Indoor Air Quality Standard)	Draft Statement only	No	Yes	No (Smudging and kullik lighting	No	No	No (Smudging and other ceremonial use of smoke)	No (Ceremonial Use of Sacred Medicines Policy)	No	No (Smudging and other ceremonies using smoke)	No
Smudging only policy	No													
Covers other cultural practices	Yes	Yes - Pipe Ceremonies	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes - Pipe Ceremonies	Yes-Pipe Ceremonies	Yes	Yes	Yes - Pipe Ceremonies	No	Yes - Pipe Ceremonies
Medicines used for smudging	sage, cedar, tobacco, sweetgrass and other medicines but these would require prior approval	sage, sweetgrass, cedar, tobacco and other sacred medicines	No	tobacco, sage, sweetgrass, cedar	sage, sweetgrass, cedar, tobacco	tobacco, sage, sweetgrass, cedar	juniper, sage, sweetgrass, oil	tobacco, sage, sweetgrass, cedar	tobacco, sage, sweetgrass, cedar	tobacco, sweetgrass, sage, cedar and/or other sacred herbs	Tobacco, Sage, Sweetgrass, Cedar, Kanikanik (green tobacco), Red Willow and Bark	tobacco, sage, sweetgrass, cedar	Not listed	tobacco, sage, cedar
Covers smoking as well as smudging	Pipe	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes - Pipe Ceremonies	Yes-Pipe Ceremonies	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Describes required signage	No		No	Yes	No	Yes-in detail	No	Yes - Pipe Ceremonies	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Describes cultural importance of practices	No	Yes	Yes but vague	Yes but vague	No	Yes-in detail	No	Yes but vague	No	Yes but vague	Yes	Yes but vague	No	Yes but vague
Requires notice (how many hours/days?)	5 working days	48 hours	No	48 hrs	Yes (not indicated)	Yes (not indicated)	No	No	No	48 hours	48 hrs	No	24 hours	48 hrs
Allows for emergency use	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Yes-Not Mentioned	No	No	No	No	No
Designates spaces	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes (not identified)	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes (Outdoors)	Yes
For designated spaces, provides for an initial assessment of ventilation/fire systems	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No but periodic inspections	No	No
Has at least one permanent space designated	Yes but vague	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes but not identified	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes (Outdoors)	Yes
Applies to a building dedicated to Indigenous use	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes but not identified	Yes	Yes but not identified	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Describes legal requirements to protect health and safety	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes-mentions Act	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Allows for periodic review of policy	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes, at least once every five years	Yes	No	Yes - every 10 years
Makes provision for education about practices	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes but vague	No	No
Makes provision for guidance from an Elder(s)	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Explains the voluntary nature of smudging	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Provides for protection of people who may have health reactions	Yes but vague	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No (no mention of allergies)	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No
Addresses smudging in university residences	Yes-not allowed	Yes (Permitted with 48 hours notice)	No	No	No	No	Yes-not allowed	No	No	No	No	Yes-allowed	No	No
Addresses issues with women smudging	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Makes provisions for planning for smudging in new construction or renovations	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No
Date of policy	Effective: Augut 6/04 Revised: May 9/13	Approved: June 23, 2016	Revised: December 2005	Dated: January 28, 2014	Approved June 17, 2016		Effective: 2013-07-04 Review: 2017-07-04	No	Effective: June 22, 2015	Effective: April 9, 2009	Approved: September 9, 2013 Revised: March 13, 2014	Revised: January 2010	Effective: June 8, 2011 Revised: June 2015	Effective: April 25, 2006 Review Date: April 25, 2016