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### ***ISHPI*** CO-FOUNDER, CHAIRMAN, CEO & PRESIDENT NAMED AMERICAN INDIAN SC CHAMBER PRESIDENT

**MOUNT PLEASANT, SC** – Mr. Noah Leask, Co-Founder, Chairman, CEO & President of Ishpi Information Technologies, Inc., (DBA *ISHPI*) has been voted to serve as the President of the American Indian Chamber of Commerce of the Carolinas (AICCC) for a three year term starting in 2012. Prior to accepting the role as President, Leask served on the AICCC Board of Directors as the Member at Large, as a Board Advisor, and as a Committee Chair in 2011. The AICCC was founded to promote commerce opportunities, business education, mentorship programs, and public policy affecting American Indian commerce and development. Mr. Leask, a Native American and member of the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians, graciously accepted the chance to serve the Native American community in this additional capacity. He is originally from Cheboygan, Michigan and now resides in the Charleston, SC area.

"I am humbled by my peers' desire to have me serve as the President of such an amazing organization. I graciously accept this appointment. This is a fantastic opportunity for me to serve my Native American community in a greatly expanded way," said Noah T. Leask. "The AICCC was started nearly a decade ago and it has helped so many Nationwide and Carolina based Native American and Non-Native companies alike. There is a lot of work to do to ensure we keep the positive momentum going as we build on the solid foundation that the previous AICCC Boards, committees, and volunteers have created. We are blessed to have a fantastic and fully committed Board loaded with professionals that fully buy into the AICCC's mission."

AICCC is recognized by the IRS as a 501 (c) (3) and 501 (c) (6) Nonprofit Corporation and is fully chartered by the state of South Carolina. The AICCC will be renamed to the American Indian Chamber of Commerce of South Carolina (AICCCSC). For additional information on AICCC, please visit [www.aicccarolinas.org](http://www.aicccarolinas.org).

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