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Linda, thanks so much for your note. I recognized when I put this together that my knowledge might not be complete particularly in areas that we don't often operate. I intend to do a running errata log as errors and misinterpretations are pointed out to me and update the paper as I go along. I've found a couple already myself and don't expect this to be the last. Thanks again. JohnB

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John-

Reading through the new bible and on page 79....where it says Tribal Trust or Restricted Lands. If a Tribe owns land, it cannot be held in Trust or be restricted. Restricted land is held in Trust for the benefit of the individual land owner...therefore the Tribe cannot own Restricted property. BIA would not manage Tribal land. It is managed by the Tribe and NOT held in unrestricted status.

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