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Government subsidy system for renewable energy development in indigenous peoples' communities

【Canada】

➤ **Aboriginal & Northern Communities Action Programme (ANCAP):**

The ecoENERGY for Aboriginal and Northern Communities Program 2011-2016 provides funding to Aboriginal and northern communities for renewable energy projects. It supports the development and implementation of renewable energy projects that reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions arising from electricity and heat generation in these communities.

(Reference) <http://www.aadnc-aandc.gc.ca/eng/1100100034548/1100100034562>

➤ **Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) :**

Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) supports Aboriginal peoples (First Nations, Inuit and Métis) and Northerners in their efforts to improve social well-being and economic prosperity; develop healthier, more sustainable communities and participate more fully in Canada's political, social and economic development – to the benefit of all Canadians.

(Reference) <https://www.canada.ca/en/indigenous-northern-affairs.html>

➤ **British Columbia Ministry of Energy Mines & Petroleum Resources:**

The Province is providing more than \$670,000 to support the development of clean, efficient energy supplies and energy conservation projects for First Nations and remote communities. The BC Energy Plan supports First Nations and remote community energy programs to implement alternative energy, energy efficiency, conservation and skills training solutions.

(Reference) https://archive.news.gov.bc.ca/releases/news_releases_2005-2009/2007empr0014-000354.htm

➤ **First Nation Regeneration Fund**

The First Nation Regeneration Fund focuses on renewable energy projects that minimize environmental impact and maximize socio-economic benefits to local First Nations. The Regeneration Fund provides financing that enables First Nations to purchase equity positions in Independent Power Producer (IPP) projects developed in their traditional territories. Financing is made available as a loan to the First Nation. The First Nation then repays its loan through dividends and royalties from the power project. Once the loan is repaid, the dividends and royalties become long-term discretionary income that can be used by the Taku River Tlingit First Nation for economic and social development.

(Reference)

<https://www.canada.ca/en/news/archive/2009/05/government-canada-supports-aboriginal-involvement-green-energy-projects-british-columbia-451679.html>

【United States of America】

➤ **Title 26 of the Energy Policy Act :**

Title XXVI of the Energy Policy Act of 1992, entitled "Indian Energy Resources", established a program for development of energy resources on Indian reservations. The Title is aimed at promoting tribal energy self-sufficiency and fostering employment and economic development on America's Indian reservations.

➤ **Bureau of Indian Affairs(BIA):**

The Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) is an agency of the federal government of the United States within the U.S. Department of the Interior. IA provides services directly or through contracts, grants, or compacts to approximately 1.9 million American Indians and Alaska Natives.