**American Indian Tribes (United States): Categorizing the “Type” of Tribal Governance**

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1. List of Federally Recognized Tribes: <http://www.bia.gov/cs/groups/webteam/documents/document/idc1-029026.pdf>

2. Three Types of Federal Recognition

* By Act of Congress,
* By the administrative procedures under 25 C.F.R. Part 83, or (<http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?tpl=/ecfrbrowse/Title25/25cfr83_main_02.tpl>)
* By decision of a United States court see <http://www.bia.gov/FAQs/>

3. Indian Reorganization Act: <http://www.uintahbasintah.org/papers/indianreorganizationact.pdf>

4. Indian Reorganization Act Era Constitutions and Charters: <http://thorpe.ou.edu/IRA.html>

5. Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: <https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/43/chapter-33>

6. Terminated Tribes and Public Law 280: <http://maps.thefullwiki.org/Indian_termination_policy>

7. State Recognized Tribes: <http://www.ncsl.org/research/state-tribal-institute/list-of-federal-and-state-recognized-tribes.aspx#State>

8. Indian Self Determination & Education Assistance Act: <https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/25/chapter-14/subchapter-II>

* Tribal Funding under ISDEA: “Notwithstanding any other provision of law, including but not limited to the Indian Self-Determination Act of 1975, as amended [25 U.S.C. 450f et seq.], on and after November 29, 1999, funds available to the Department of the Interior for Indian self-determination or self-governance contract or grant support costs may be expended only for costs directly attributable to contracts, grants and compacts pursuant to the Indian Self-Determination Act of 1975 and on and after November 29, 1999, funds appropriated in this title [1] shall not be available for any contract support costs or indirect costs associated with any contract, grant, cooperative agreement, self-governance compact or funding agreement entered into between an Indian tribe or tribal organization and any entity other than an agency of the Department of the Interior.” Cite: <https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/25/450j-3>

9. Approximately 400 non-federally recognized tribes; Between 2007-2010, 26 of the 400 entities received funding from the federal government due to status as a state recognized tribe or as a non-profit. Cite: <http://gao.gov/assets/600/590102.pdf>