



Indigenous Reality

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Primary Maker

Carla Hemlock (Mohawk)

Medium

Wool, quilted synthetic velvet, polyester ribbon, glass beads, sequins

Description

Wall hanging of black velvet, quilted on the bias, with red wool applied as a border around the top half; lower part is cut in long strips. Red and white wool are applied as two doves and a flower in the center, with "INDIGENOUS" and "REALITY" beaded on the doves, and "SCREAMS," "UNHEARD," "RACIALLY," "PROFILED" on the flower petals. "HONOR," "PRIDE," "DIGNITY," and "LOVE" are beaded in white at the corners of the borders, and "SYSTEMIC

RACISM," "VIRAL VIDEOS," "EXTERMINATION POLICIES," and "WHEN DOES IT STOP?" applied in black to the edge of the red border. A red and white beaded looped trim is applied at the sides of the hanging.

Dimensions

Overall: 73 1/2 × 51 × 3/4 in. (186.7 × 129.5 × 1.9 cm) Other (see description): 41 × 32 1/2 × 1/4 in. (104.1 × 82.6 × 0.6 cm)