

UNITED SOUTHEASTERN TRIBES, INC.
Resolution USET 73-14

A Resolution Requesting Full Funding for the
Indian Education Act of 1972

WHEREAS, American Indian students have educational needs which cannot be met unless additional educational resources are channeled through local and Indian educational agencies, and

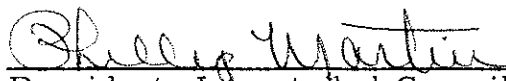
WHEREAS, the United States Congress acknowledged these needs by passage of the Indian Education Act of 1972, Title IV of P. L. 92-318, which was signed into law by the President of the United States, and \$36 million dollars was the figure approved by the United States Senate to fund the Act for FY 1973, which figure was subsequently reduced to \$18 million dollars in conference with the House Committee, and

WHEREAS, \$18 million dollars is not nearly enough to implement the Indian Education Act of 1972 and meet the educational needs of Indian students,

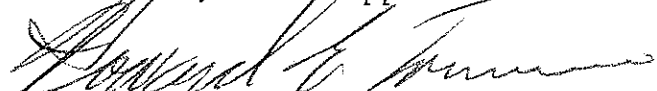
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., does hereby request that the U. S. Senate and the U. S. House of Representatives take action to appropriate funds under this act for FY 1974 at the \$80 million dollar level.

CERTIFICATION


This is to certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., properly convened and held in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, June 21-22, 1973, the above resolution was duly adopted, by a unanimous vote of 18 in favor, none opposed.




President, Inter-tribal Council
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.
Chairman, Mississippi Band of Choctaws



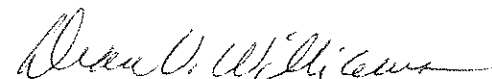
Secretary, Inter-tribal Council
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.
Chairman, Seminole Tribe of Florida




John Crowe
Principal Chief, Eastern Band
of Cherokee Indians



Buffalo Tiger
Chairman, Miccosukee Tribe
of Indians of Florida



Dean Williams, President
Seneca Nation of Indians of New York



Leroy Burgess
Chairman, Chitimacha Tribe of
Louisiana