

UNITED SOUTHEASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. 77-3

TITLE III, NEPOTISM SECTION

WHEREAS, Title III Indian Programs of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973, is designed to elevate the unemployment and economic circumstances of Indian people in the United States; and

WHEREAS, in the spirit of Self-Determination these programs are administered by members of United Southeastern Tribes, Inc. in the most effective and efficient way; and

WHEREAS, Section 97:163 (b) 1 of the rules and regulations as interpreted by the Department of Labor hampers the self-determination efforts of the administering tribes; in effect, limiting the choice of the most qualified tribal members to administer these programs; and

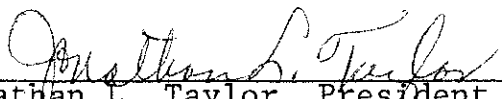
WHEREAS, in Section 97:163 (b) 1, there is a provision for the Secretary of Labor to waive this clause with adequate justification provided by the tribe; and

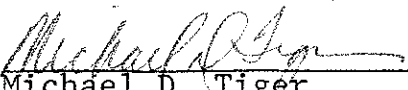
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., in full Board of Directors meeting held at Hollywood, Florida, on February 15-16, 1977, at which a quorum was present, request that the Department of Labor establish procedures to be followed by the member tribes in requesting a waiver; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of United Southeastern Tribes, Inc. directs that those member tribes requesting waiver be granted a hearing as soon as possible.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that a meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., properly convened and held in Hollywood, Florida on February 15-16, 1977, the above resolution was dully adopted.


Jonathan L. Taylor, President
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.


Michael D. Tiger
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