

UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. B-89-257

APPOINTMENT OF A REPRESENTATIVE TO ATTEND THE HEARING FOR THE
EASTERN AREA TRIBES AND THE RESULTING ACTIONS TO BE DISSEMINATED
TO ALL USET TRIBES, SO THEY MAY RESPOND APPROPRIATELY

WHEREAS, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of 18 federally-recognized tribes; and

WHEREAS, the BIA Office of Indian Education Programs element 10 (Central Office) FY 90 funds have been reduced by 17 percent; and

WHEREAS, a realignment of BIA central office responsibilities is being proposed by OIEP to meet these reductions, including the provision of regional offices and the replacement of area/agency offices with field offices; and

WHEREAS, hearings are scheduled to be held throughout various parts of the nation for tribes to become informed of the realignment and have input regarding the effect of the realignment on the availability of technical assistance from OIEP to the tribes; and


WHEREAS, the hearing for the Eastern Area Tribes is scheduled for December 15, 1989 in Nashville, Tennessee, and

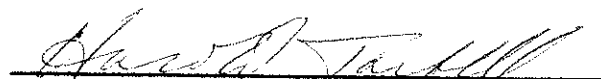
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the USET Board appoint a representative to attend this hearing on behalf of the USET tribes to ensure that the needs of the USET tribes are not overlooked, and that the realignment that is conducted be fair and equitable for all tribes; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT following the hearings, all comments, concerns, and resulting actions arising from the hearing are disseminated to all USET tribes as expeditiously as possible so tribes may respond appropriately.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Houston, Texas; November 15, 1989.


Joel M. Frank, President
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.


Harold Tarbell, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.