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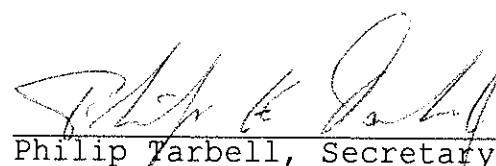
**ADEQUATE FUNDING FOR TRIBAL HUMAN NEED PRIOR TO FOREIGN AID**

- WHEREAS**, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of twenty-one (21) federally recognized tribes; and
- WHEREAS**, the actions taken by the USET, Inc. Board of Directors officially represent the intentions of each member tribe, as the Board of Directors is comprised of delegates from the member tribes leadership; and
- WHEREAS**, the funding to federally recognized Indian tribes has failed to adequately provide for and meet the need of Indian children and families; and
- WHEREAS**, the federal government has a binding government to government relationship with recognized Indian tribes as sovereign nations; and
- WHEREAS**, the federal government continues to provide foreign aid dollars to countries worldwide.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the USET Board of Directors direct the president of USET to contact the appropriate personnel in Washington, D.C. to recommend that prior to foreign aid funding the President of the United States as well as Congressmen and Senators from the states provide funding to adequately meet the needs of the children and families of federally recognized Indian tribes.

**CERTIFICATION**

This resolution was duly passed at the Washington Impact Week meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Washington, D.C., on February 23, 1995.

  
Keller George, President

  
Philip Tarbell, Secretary

*"Because there is strength in Unity"*