UNITED SOUTHEASTERN TRIBES, INC.

RESOLUTION USET-72-16 USET CONTRACTING FOR I.H.S.

- WHEREAS, the Indian Health Service has utilized the Sarasota office to administer the health program for the Southeastern Indians, and
- WHEREAS, the management direction of this office has been retained by the Federal Government which has not always been consistent with the wishes of the Tribal leadership, and
- WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., has determined that the operation of the Sarasota office be consistent with their desires,
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Indian Health Service consider contracting with the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., to secure management services and direction for the USET Program Area effective no later than January 1, 1973.
- THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President, United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., is hereby authorized to execute such contractual arrangements with the Indian Health Service.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that a meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., properly convened and held in New Orleans, Louisiana, November 27-29, 1972, the above resolution was duly adopted.

> President, Inter-tribal Council United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.

> Secretary, Inter-tribal Council United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.