

UNITED SOUTHEASTERN TRIBES, INC.  
RESOLUTION USET 73-15

RE: CONTINUATION OF HEAD START FOLLOW THROUGH PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Head Start Follow Through program has proven to provide immense educational benefits to many Indian children who belong to tribal groups affiliated with the United Southeastern Tribes, and

WHEREAS, it is highly desirable that this program continue so that efforts to upgrade the quality of education of Indian children might be maintained, and

WHEREAS, it is reported that plans have been unveiled which would abandon this program,

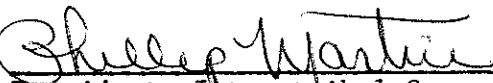
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., in session at its regular quarterly meeting in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, this 22nd day of June, 1973, that this organization express its abhorrance and complete opposition to any such plans which would reduce the quality of Indian Education, and


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Director of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., be directed to bring this expression of concern to appropriate governmental agencies including the White House, the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, and key members and committees of Congress, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., seek and encourage individual Indian tribes and other Indian organizations to likewise take timely action to work toward the continuation of the Follow Through program.


CERTIFICATION

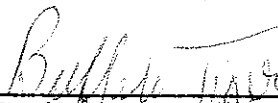
This is to certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., properly convened and held in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, June 21-22, 1973, the above resolution was duly adopted, by a unanimous vote of 18 in favor, none against.

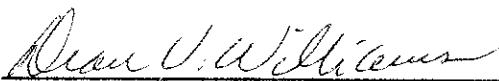
  
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President, Inter-tribal Council  
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.  
Chairman, Mississippi Band of Choctaws


  
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Secretary, Inter-tribal Council  
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Chairman, Seminole Tribe of Florida

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John Crowe  
Principal Chief, Eastern Band  
of Cherokee Indians

  
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Buffalo Tiger  
Chairman, Miccosukee Tribe  
of Indians of Florida

  
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Dean Williams, President  
Seneca Nation of Indians of New York

  
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Leroy Burgess  
Chairman, Chitimacha Tribe of  
Louisiana