

UNITED SOUTHEASTERN TRIBES, INC.

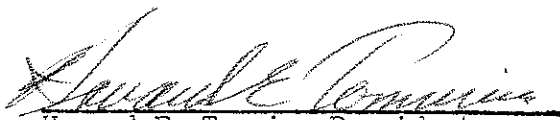
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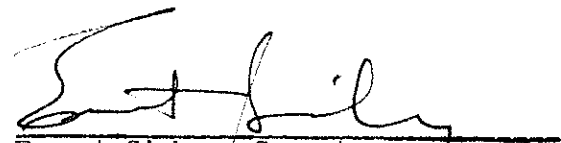
RE: LEAA Funding Level

- WHEREAS, LEAA is cutting its current funding level a possible 25% to 30%, and
- WHEREAS, this determination will have a great adverse affect on the existing Indian LEAA programs, and
- WHEREAS, with a reduction of LEAA funds to Indian programs LEAA will have to discontinue some or cut most Indian programs not less than 50%, and
- WHEREAS, the State, Justice, Commerce and Judiciary Appropriations Committee has no Indian representation, and
- WHEREAS, the State, Justice, Commerce and Judiciary Appropriations Committee should have Indian representation or influence to the funding level of LEAA to Indian Tribes, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc. Board of Directors strongly urges LEAA not to reduce its current funding levels to the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., and that the Indian Desk of LEAA not have a reduction in funding, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the State, Justice, Commerce and Judiciary Appropriations Committee should, in this funding year appoint or select Indian representation to their Committee.

  
Howard E. Tommie, President  
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.

  
Ernest Sickey, Secretary  
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.