

RESOLUTION NO. 79-24

WHEREAS, The United South and Eastern Tribes is an inter-tribal council representing ten federally recognized American Indian Tribes in the Eastern United States, and

WHEREAS, The United South and Eastern Tribes Board of Directors has been apprised of the situation which exists at the Institute of American Indian Arts (IAIA) located at Santa Fe, New Mexico, and have reviewed and considered a recently completed audit report on IAIA, and

WHEREAS, The Board of Directors of USET, Inc. has considered the proposed transfer of the art program presently at Santa Fe to an accredited established junior college, Haskell Institute, at Lawrence, Kansas, and

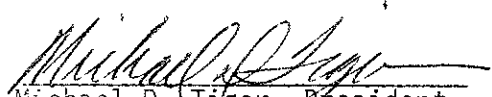
WHEREAS, The Board of Regents of Haskell Institute, as well as the Directors of Indian Education, have favorably considered this proposal, now

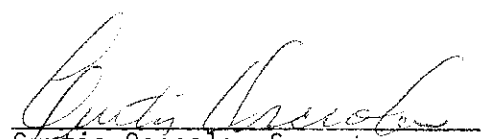
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Board of Directors of USET, Inc. supports and endorses the transfer of the BIA program at Santa Fe to Haskell Institute in Lawrence, Kansas and that such a transfer is in the best interest of Indian art and Indian self-determination, and now

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the USET, Inc. Board of Directors supports the utilization of the Santa Fe campus for the betterment and improvement of educational opportunities for Indian children.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that at a meeting of the full Board of Directors of the United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc., properly convened and held in Cherokee, North Carolina on June 27 - 29, 1979, the above resolution was duly adopted.

  
Michael D. Tiger, President

  
Curtis Osceola, Secretary

UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.