## UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. C-87-192

WHEREAS,

The United South and Eastern Tribes is an intertribal council made up of seventeen Federally recognized Indian Tribes in the south and eastern United States; and

WHEREAS,

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, a member of the intertribal council, has developed a position paper concerning the impact of reductions in funding for Indian Health Service and the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and

WHEREAS,

These reductions will have severe and long lasting impact inhibiting all of the member tribes in their efforts toward self determination;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Executive Committee of United South and Eastern Tribes supports the position paper and calls upon the United States Congress to take immediate action to alleviate the concerns stated therein.

## CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Executive Committee Meeting held in Nashville, Tennessee, December 15 through 17, 1987, at which a quorum was present.

Joel M. Frank President

United South and Eastern Tribes

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Secretary

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