## UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. 91-13

## ELDERLY HOUSING UNITS QUALIFICATION FOR RANKING

WHEREAS, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of nineteen (19) federally recognized tribes; and

whereas, the actions taken by the USET, Inc. Board of Directors officially represent the intentions of each member tribe, as the Board of Directors is comprised of delegates from the member tribes leadership; and

WHEREAS, there is a real and pressing need for elderly housing in Indian country; and

WHEREAS, the current regulation provide a preference for single-family groups; and

WHEREAS, the Eastern Association of Indian Housing Authorities are desirous of providing housing for our elderly members.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Board of Directors of USET request the Department of Housing and Urban Development to amend their regulations to enable the construction of housing for elderly tribal members by the separate ranking in GROUP I and do not restrict new housing on the basis of bedroom size, the IHAs not HUD should make that determination on the basis of local need.

## CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Tampa, Florida; on May 15, 1991.

Eddie L. Tullis, President United South and Eastern

Tribes, Inc.

Lovelin Poncho, Secretary United South and Eastern

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