UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. 92-27LA

USET BOARD TO ENDORSE THE N.C.A.I. RESOLUTIONS

- WHEREAS, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated(USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of twenty-one(21) 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, USET is firmly committed to the goal of advancing the health care status of Indian people to the highest level possible; and
- WHEREAS, the USET Board has established the USET Health Director's Committee for the purpose of reviewing issues of concern and policy regarding health care programs for and/or affecting USET member tribes, and to provide the Board with proposed recommendations and resolutions for the Board's consideration; and
- WHEREAS, USET, in the past, has formally supported actions and resolutions adopted by the National Congress of American Indians; and
- WHEREAS, the USET Health Committee has reviewed resolutions regarding Health issues passed at the 1993 Annual Convention of the NCAI, that was held in Reno, Nevada, December 3, 1993; and
- WHEREAS, USET has passed previous resolutions pertaining to the issues addressed in the NCAI resolutions; and
- WHEREAS, the resolutions passed by NCAI were:

Resolution No. NV-93-208, "Resolution that Provisions for Health Care Services Occur with a Government-to-Government Relationship that Honors and Meets the Federal Government's Trust Responsibility";

Resolution No. NV-93-256, "Resolution for Establishing an Indian Health Service(IHS) Elder Health Care Task Force";

Resolution No. NV-93-257, "Resolution for Culturally Appropriate Planning, Research and Evaluation of Elder Health Issues";

Resolution No. NV-93-259, "Resolution for Improved Accessibility to Health Care Services for the Elderly";

Resolution No. NV-93-260, "Resolution for Elder Nursing Home Facilities";

Resolution No. NV-93-267, "Resolution Regarding the Health Security Act".

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the USET Board of Directors endorses the above cited resolutions that were adopted by NCAI.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Annual Board meeting at which a quorum was present in Lafayette, LA on December 8, 1993.

Eddie L. Tullis, President

United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

Keller George, Secretary

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