UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC

RESOLUTION NO. 93-09NC

SUPPORT FOR THE AROOSTOOK MICMAC TO SECURE THE TRANSFER OF REAL AND PERSONNEL PROPERTY LOCATED AT LORING AIR FORCE BASE

whereas, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc. (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of twenty (20) 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, the Aroostook Band of Micmacs are a federally recognized tribe located in Aroostook County, Maine with urgent needs for housing and other facilities and materials necessary to improve the well-being of their tribal members; and

WHEREAS, Loring Air Force Base is located in Aroostook County, Maine and is scheduled to be closed by the Department of Defense in 1994; and

Loring Air Force Base has many facilities and properties which the Aroostook Band of Micmacs can make use of to improve the lives of their members.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the USET Board fully supports the efforts of the Aroostook Band of Micmacs to secure the transfer of real and personnel property located at Loring Air Force Base from the Department of Defense to the Aroostook Band of Micmac Indians and to the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Health Service, and other federal agencies for the benefit of the Aroostook Band of Micmac Indians.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Cherokee, NC, on May 15, 1993.

Eddie L. Tullis, President

United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

Keller George, Secretary

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