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**UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.**

Resolution No. 94-20-DC

**THIRTY PERCENT (30%) REDUCTION OF INTERIM RULE**

**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,** the Eastern Association of Indian Housing Authorities is desirous of providing housing for our people that is economically feasible for them to afford; and

**WHEREAS,** the 30 percent rule causes a burden for families attempting to achieve an acceptable increased standard of living and also serves as a disincentive for families seeking needed increased income; and

**WHEREAS,** the DHUD Secretary has expressed his desire to reduce the 30 percent rule to 20 percent; and

**WHEREAS,** the number of housing units in the Indian Housing program is a minor figure in the overall housing picture and will not have any great effect in the areas of operating subsidies.

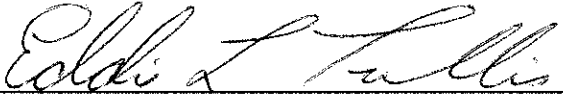
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Eastern Association of Indian Housing Authorities call upon DHUD Secretary Cisneros to prepare and introduce an administrative bill that supports and recommends the reduction of the 30 percent rule for Indian housing to a level of 20 percent.


*“Because there is strength in Unity”*

**USET RESOLUTION 94-20-DC**

**CERTIFICATION**

This resolution was duly passed at the Washington Impact Week meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Washington, D.C., on February 24, 1994.

  
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Eddie L. Tullis, President  
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

  
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Keller George, Secretary  
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.