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RESOLUTION No. 11/94-14FL

AGENCY SUPERINTENDENT FOR EDUCATION

- WHEREAS,** The United South and Eastern Tribes (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of twenty-one (21) federally recognized tribes; and
- WHEREAS,** the actions taken by the USET 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 position of Superintendent for Education at the South and Eastern Agency has been vacated; and
- WHEREAS,** the tribes in the Eastern Area are offended by the practice of placement of unwanted individuals into staff positions serving USET tribes. The Director, Office of Indian Education programs has already placed an individual into the position of Acting Agency Superintendent for Education without consideration of the wishes of USET tribes; and
- WHEREAS,** the detail of an Acting Agency Superintendent for Education from outside the staff of the South and Eastern States Agency is unnecessary. The utilization of current qualified staff members on a rotation basis is more cost effective and would be less disruptive in continuing educational services; and
- WHEREAS,** Public Law 95-561 requires an Agency School Board be made up of each of the eight school systems under the South and Eastern States Agency. The South and Eastern Agency School Board has the right to be consulted on staffing for the South and Eastern States Agency Office on both the temporary and permanent positions. The South and Eastern States Agency School Board opposes the detail without consultation; and
- WHEREAS,** the USET Board supports the law requiring the BIA to consult with and implement the input of the South and Eastern States Agency Board in the selection of the action and permanent Superintendents.

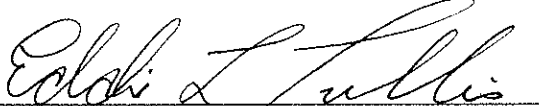
“Because there is strength in Unity”

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the USET Board supports the utilization of current staff members on a rotating basis when the current detail of acting superintendent ends on January 15, 1995. The utilization of current qualified staff members on a rotating basis is more cost effective and would be less disruptive in continuing educational services.


NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the USET Board supports the hiring of an individual to the South and Eastern States Agency Superintendent position with the advice and consent of the South and Eastern States Agency Board.

CERTIFICATION

This Resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present in Tampa, FL, on the 10th day of November, 1994.



Eddie Tullis, President
United South and Eastern Tribes



Keller George, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes