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UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES

RESOLUTION No. 94-45-TN

SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE RULES AMENDMENT TO INCOME

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 language contained in the proposed changes to 25 CFR Part 20 as published in the Federal Register/Volume 59. No. 67 Thursday April 7, 1994/Proposed Rules \P 20.20 (2)(d) and \P 20.20 (2)(e) is contrary to self

determination.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the USET Board of Directors direct the president

of USET to contact by June 6, 1994 David Hickman, Division of Social Services, BIA Central Office, to amend the proposed rules to read: ¶ 20.20 (d) to read (d) when determining eligibility for programs provided under this part, cash as distributed per capita, Trust funds shall be disregarded and will not be counted as a resource, and the language contained in ¶

20.20 (e) should be totally removed from the proposed rules.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Nashville, Tennessee on May 27, 1994.

Eddie Tullis, President

United South and Eastern Tribes

Keller George, Secretary

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