UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. 05/95-03LA

ENDORsing A SURVEY OF THE MEMBER TRIBES OF USET BY THE NASHVILLE AREA OFFICE ON PRIORITIES FOR REDESIGN EFFORTS

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 Directors' 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, the member tribes of USET recognize the special relationship with the Nashville Area Office of the Indian Health Service, and

WHEREAS, the Nashville Area Office is developing a restructuring plan and desires to know what services/functions are most important to the member tribes of USET; and

WHEREAS, the member tribes of USET desire to have input into the development of the plan to restructure the Nashville Area Office, so that the services/functions of the most importance continue to be available,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc. does hereby request that the Nashville Area Office survey the member tribes of USET concerning the importance they place on the various services/functions offered and provided by the Nashville Area Office and the level of staffing needed to perform such services.

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THE BOARD FURTHER RESOLVES to give authority to the Nashville Area Office Redesign Steering Committee to approve the final redesign survey instrument.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors meeting at which a quorum was present, in Lafayette, LA, June 1, 1995.

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

Philip Tarbell, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.