



UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

USET Resolution No. 2000:85

U. S. ARMY ALTERNATE PROCEDURES

- WHEREAS**, United South and Eastern Tribes Incorporated (USET) is an intertribal organization comprising twenty-four (24) 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 comprises delegates from the member tribes' leadership; and
- WHEREAS**, the U. S. Army and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation representatives have met in an open meeting with members of the USET Culture and Heritage Committee during the Semi-Annual Meeting in Houston, TX, for an initial briefing concerning the proposed Alternate Procedures; and
- WHEREAS**, a limited review of a complex proposal with far reaching ramifications affecting tribal interests and sovereignty was presented to the USET Culture and Heritage Committee; and
- WHEREAS**, federal statutes and regulations require proper and formal consultation with federal agencies, especially in regard to proposals of such import; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED** the USET Board of Directors hereby requests and requires formal and meaningful consultation prior to the U.S. Army's comment period deadline, to take place in Washington, DC or other appropriate location, with funding to be provided by the U.S. Army.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Semi-Annual Board Meeting, at which a quorum was present in Houston, TX Thursday, June 8, 2000.

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

Beverly Wright, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.