ADVISORY COUNCIL PROPOSED SUSPENSION
OF SECTION 106 REGULATIONS

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 Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) has proposed to suspend its Section 106 Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the proposed suspension will undermine severely the continuing efforts of USET Tribes and, indeed, all Federally recognized Tribes, to regularize the enforcement of the National Historic Preservation Act; and

WHEREAS, without clear guidance, the potential exists for avoidance of compliance with the Section 106 Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the original premise for the suspension has been obviated by the corrective actions currently being taken by the ACHP; therefore, be it

RESOLVED the USET Board of Directors calls upon the ACHP not to go forward with the suspension but, rather, to vote on a final re-adoption of the current Regulations at the forthcoming (Nov. 16th-17th) meeting.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Annual Meeting, at which a quorum was present in Verona, NY on Thursday, November 2, 2000.

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

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

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