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USET Resolution No. 2009:028

REALLOCATION OF BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DISTRICT PROGRAM FUNDS


- WHEREAS,** United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an intertribal organization comprised of twenty-five federally recognized Tribes; and
- WHEREAS,** the actions taken by the USET Board of Directors officially represents the intentions of each member Tribe, as the Board of Directors comprises delegates from the member Tribes' leadership; and
- WHEREAS,** from time to time certain monies originally dedicated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs Central Office through its District Offices to either a specific or non-specific Tribal Justice program become available from either non-use, return or surplus; and
- WHEREAS,** in the past, these non-used, returned or surplus monies have been redistributed outside the District; and
- WHEREAS,** Tribal Justice Programs within the District have continual unmet needs; and
- RESOLVED** the USET Board of Directors calls upon Bureau of Indian Affairs Central Office to return all non-use, return or surplus funds to the District for reallocation; and, be it further
- RESOLVED** the USET Board of Directors calls upon the Bureau of Indian Affairs Central Office to work with Tribes to formulate a process for reallocation of non-use, return or surplus funds in future funding cycles.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Impact Week Meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Arlington, VA, on Thursday, February 12, 2009.



Brian Patterson, President
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.



Robert McGhee, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

“Because there is strength in Unity”