WHEREAS, the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes is an organization which unites the tribal governments of the Cherokee, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Muscogee (Creek), and Seminole Nations, representing over 400,000 Indian people throughout the United States, and

WHEREAS, There is a proliferation nationwide in the expansion of wireless communication systems, particularly in construction of “Cellular telephone” towers; and

WHEREAS, Federal permits are required for such undertakings as may affect historic properties or traditional cultural, religious and/or sacred sites related to, or of importance to, a federally recognized Tribe may be affected; and;

WHEREAS, The significant and growing number of such inquiries from these companies and/or their agents, requesting information applicable to these concerns and which require extensive research in order to make competent reply has placed undue staffing and economic burdens upon the Tribes and their Preservation Offices.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes of Oklahoma hereby adopts the attached form as a standard response form.
CERTIFICATION

Adopted by the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes of Oklahoma meeting at
the Choctaw Community Center, McAlester, Oklahoma on July 7, 2000, by a vote of 23
for, 0 against, and 0 abstentions.

Chadwick Smith Signed  Greg E. Pyle Signed
Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief  Gregory E. Pyle, Chief
Cherokee Nation  Choctaw Nation

Perry Beaver Signed  Jerry Haney Signed
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Muscogee (Creek) Nation  Seminole Nation

Kennedy Brown Signed for
Bill Anoatubby, Governor
Chickasaw Nation