The INTER-TRIBAL COUNCIL of the FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

NUMBER 99-<u>02</u> SUPPORT FUNDING FOR THE CHOCTAW NATION HOSPITAL

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 300,000 Indian people throughout the United States, and

WHEREAS.

The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma has invested \$26 Million in building a 37-bed, 52-exam room outpatient healthcare center, and;

WHEREAS,

David Brown Signed for Bill Anoatubby, Governor

Chickasaw Nation

All of the \$26 Million is totally tribally funded form the Choctaw Nation;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,

That the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes of Oklahoma does hereby support the funding for additional staffing and equipment in the amount of \$4.557 million for the Choctaw Nation Hospital form the federal government and IHS.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes meeting held Tahlequah, Oklahoma on January 15, 1999, by a vote of $\underline{24}$ for, $\underline{0}$ against, and 0 abstentions.

Joe Byrd Signed	Greg E. Pyle Signed
Joe Byrd, Principal Chief	Gregory E. Pyle, Chief
Cherokee Nation	Choctaw Nation
Perry Beaver Signed	Jerry Haney Signed
Perry Beaver, Principal Chief	Jerry Haney, Principal Chief
Muscogee (Creek) Nation	Seminole Nation
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