

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Requesting for the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) to support Congressional
Action to recognize and address the health needs of the O'odham in Mexico)

RESOLUTION NO. 2000-542

1 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Traditional Lands are located in Southern Arizona and
2 Northern Sonora, Mexico; and

3 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation has through its Tribal Constitution always recognized
4 Tribal Membership based on O'odham Blood Quantum; and

5 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation has membership residing in traditional land located in
6 Mexico; and

7 WHEREAS, the United States-Mexico Border Health Commission Act, Public Law 103-400
8 authorizes health assessment of the United States-Mexico border areas in identifying,
9 preventing, evaluating and resolving health problems among the residents in border
10 areas, including tribal lands; and

11 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham has a keen interest in addressing the health needs of the
12 O'odham in Mexico.

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

14 1. The Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham Nation requests that the National
15 Congress of American Indians consult and work with the appointed Border Health
16 Commissioners to create congressional action to assist in resolving the health
17 care needs of the O'odham in Mexico.

18 2. The Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham Nation requests for the National
19 Congress of American Indians to direct the appointed Border Health
20 Commissioners in supporting development of health programs to meet the needs
21 of border tribes.

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23 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH. Day**
24 **of NOVEMBER, 2000 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,667.8 FOR; -0-**
25 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 497.7 [09] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
26 **Section 1 (c)(2) & (l) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
27 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
28 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
29 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

9th day of November, 2000

ATTEST:


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

9 day of November, 2000.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 9th day of November, 2000 at 7:20 o'clock, P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 9th day of November, 2000

DISAPPROVED

at 7:48 o'clock, P.M.


EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 9 day of
November, 2000, at 7:49 o'clock, P.M.


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: REQUESTING FOR THE NATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICA INDIANS (NCAI) TO SUPPORT CONGRESSIONAL ACTION TO RECOGNIZE AND ADDRESS THE HEALTH NEEDS OF THE O'ODHAM IN MEXICO

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES ANTONE

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

DATE: NOVEMBER 09, 2000

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF Oidak 171.8	1. MARY ANN ANTONE (Darlene Andrew)	85.9				X
	2. RITA MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose)	85.9				X
SELLS 372.7	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ()	186.35	X			
	2. EVELYN JUAN ()	186.35	X			
SCHUK TOAK 133.4	1. MARY FLORES ()	66.7	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS ()	66.7	X			
SAN XAVIER 165.9	1. TONY BURRELL ()	82.95				X
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	82.95				X
BABOQUIVARI 286.5	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	143.25	X			X
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Edward N. Kisto)	143.25	X			
GU ACHI 209.6	1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ (Louis Johnson)	104.8	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON ()	104.8	X			X
PISINEMO 156.8	1. BARBARA SALVICIO (Alex Antone)	78.4	X			
	2. JOHNSON JOSE ()	78.4	X			
SAN LUCY 128.1	1. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. ()	64.05	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	64.05	X			
GU VO 160.0	1. FERN SALCIDO ()	80.0				X
	2. GLORIA MONTANA (Phillip Antone)	80.0				X
HICKIWAN 158.1	1. SHIRLEY MOLINA ()	79.05	X			
	2. LLOYD FRANCISCO (Susan Sam)	79.05	X			
CHUKUT KUK 222.6	1. KENNETH WILLIAMS ()	111.3	X			X
	2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan)	111.3	X			
TOTAL		2,165.5	1,667.8	-0-	-0-	497.7 [09]

****PASSED VOTES**