

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Request for Congressional Support for the Re-Authorization of the Indian Health
Care Improvement Act, P.L. 94-437)**

RESOLUTION NO. 01-120

1 **WHEREAS, the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, P.L. 94-437 was first enacted in 1976 to**
2 **address Indian Health Disparities, to increase the number of Health Care**
3 **Professionals Serving Indian Communities, to authorize services to Urban Indian**
4 **Populations, to rectify Indian Health Care facility problems and to provide access to**
5 **Indian Patients to other health care resources such as Medicare/Medicaid; and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Indian Health Care Improvement Act provides comprehensive directives to the**
7 **Federal Government with regard to Indian Health; and along with the Snyder Act of**
8 **1921, provides overall guidance and authority for the programs of the U.S. Indian**
9 **Health Services; and**

10 **WHEREAS, the Indian Health Care Improvement Act is scheduled to expire at the end of fiscal**
11 **year 2000; and**

12 **WHEREAS, National Indian Organizations and Tribes participated and consulted with the Indian**
13 **Health Service and Federal Government to advise on the Re-Authorization and**
14 **proposed language changes to the Indian Health Care Improvement Act; and**

15 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation has participated at the tribal, state, regional and federal**
16 **level in support of the Re-Authorization.**

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:**

- 18 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is requesting Congressional support for**
19 **the re-authorization of Indian Health Care Improvement Act, P.L. 94-437 with its**
20 **proposed changes.**
- 21 **2. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council authorizes and directs the**
22 **Appropriations Committee to lobby agencies, members and Committees of**
23 **Congress for the re-authorization of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, P.L.**
24 **94-437 with its proposed changes.**

25 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH Day**
26 **of MARCH, 2001 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,165.5 FOR; -0-**
27 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [06] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
28 **Section 1 (j) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**
29 **O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**
30 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**
31 **Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

9th day of March, 20 01

ATTEST:



Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

09 day of March, 20 01.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 9th day of March, 20 01 at 3:24 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 March, 20 01

DISAPPROVED

at 3:35 o'clock, P.M.



EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 09th day of
March, 20 01, at 3:42 o'clock, P.M.



Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: REQUEST FOR CONGRESSIONAL SUPPORT FOR THE RE-AUTHORIZATION OF THE INDIAN HEALTH CARE IMPROVEMENT ACT, P.L. 94-437

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN MARY ANN ANTONE

SECOND: COUNCILMAN KENNETH WILLIAMS

DATE: MARCH 09, 2001

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			X
SELLS 372.7	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ()	186.35	X			X
	2. EVELYN JUAN ()	186.35	X			
SCHUK TOAK 133.4	1. MARY FLORES ()	66.7	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS ()	66.7	X			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			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Edward N. Kisto)	143.25	X			X
GU ACHI 209.6	1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ (Louis Johnson)	104.8	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON ()	104.8	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			X
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	64.05	X			
GU VO 160.0	1. FERN SALCIDO ()	80.0	X			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			
	2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan)	111.3	X			
TOTAL		2,165.5	2,165.5	-0-	-0-	[06]

**PASSED VOTES