

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

RESOLUTION NO. 01-367

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 expired at the end of fiscal year 2000; and

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

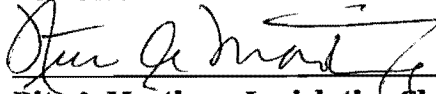
14 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation has participated at the tribal, state, regional and federal
15 level in support of the Re-Authorization.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council supports
17 the Re-Authorization of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, P.L. 94-437.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appropriations Committee is hereby authorized and directed
19 to bring this request to the appropriate agencies, members, and committee of
20 Congress.

21 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH. Day
22 of JULY, 2001 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,417.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST;
23 -0- NOT VOTING; and [0] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (c)(2)
24 of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'Odham
25 Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs
26 (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

16th day of July, 20 01

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ATTEST:

Julianna Saraficio
Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

09 day of July, 20 01.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 16th day of July, 20 01 at 4:57 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

Rita A. Martinez
Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 18th day of July, 20 01

DISAPPROVED

at 9:18 o'clock, A.M.

Edward D. Manuel
EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 19th day of

July, 20 01, at 11:42 o'clock, A.M.

Julianna Saraficio
Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: SUPPORTING THE RE-AUTHORIZATION OF THE INDIAN HEALTH CARE IMPROVEMENT ACT, P.L. 94-437

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

DATE: JULY 09, 2001

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
CHUKUT KUK 248.1	1. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Juanita Homer)	124.05	X			
	2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan)	124.05	X			
HICKIWAN 167.3	1. SHIRLEY MOLINA ()	83.65	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	83.65	X			
GU VO 188.3	1. FERN SALCIDO ()	94.15	X			
	2. EMILIO LEWIS (Michael Flores)	94.15	X			
SAN LUCY 160.7	1. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (John W. Lawson, Sr.)	80.35	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	80.35	X			
PISINEMO 174.7	1. BARBARA SALVICIO (Alex Antone)	87.35	X			
	2. PATRICIA CRUZ (Johnson Jose)	87.35	X			
GU ACHI 230.7	1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ ()	115.35	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON (Jerome Joaquin)	115.35	X			
BABOQUIVARI 317.7	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	158.85	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Lucilda Norris-Valenzuela)	158.85	X			
SAN XAVIER 184.7	1. TONY BURRELL ()	92.35	X			
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	92.35	X			
SCHUK TOAK 144.5	1. MARY FLORES ()	72.25	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS (Frances B. Conde(Francisco))	72.25	X			
SELLS 416.1	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ()	208.05	X			
	2. EVELYN JUAN ()	208.05	X			
SIF OIDAK 184.7	1. ISIDRO LOPEZ ()	92.35	X			
	2. RITA A. MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose)	92.35	X			
TOTAL		2,417.5	2,417.5	-0-	-0-	[-0-]

**PASSED VOTES