

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Appointments of Representative Cynthia Manuel and Representative
Grace Manuel as the National Indian Health Board Tucson Area Representative
and Alternate)

RESOLUTION NO. 07-427

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the power to consult "with the**
2 **Congress of the United States and appropriate federal agencies regarding federal**
3 **activities that affect the Tohono O'odham Nation" and to consult "on behalf of the**
4 **Tohono O'odham Nation with Federal, State and local governments and other Indian**
5 **tribes or their departments, agencies, or political subdivisions, or with private**
6 **persons or organizations on all matters within the authority of the Tohono O'odham**
7 **Council.;" and**

8 **WHEREAS, the National Indian Health Board ("NIHB") is a nonprofit organization that consults**
9 **with the United States Congress and federal agencies on national Indian health**
10 **policies and advocates to improve health care delivery to all Native Americans; and**

11 **WHEREAS, NIHB's membership consists of the area health board in each Indian Health Service**
12 **("IHS") area and, in an IHS area where there is no health board, the NIHB designates**
13 **an organization within that area as the member; and**

14 **WHEREAS, the IHS Tucson Area has no health board and the Tohono O'odham Nation has**
15 **appointed a representative and an alternate to the NIHB for many years; and**

16 **WHEREAS, in accordance with Article III, Section 2 of the Amended Constitution and By-laws of**
17 **the NIHB, NIHB representatives are required to be tribal officials such as council**
18 **members, health board members, or health directors; and**

19 **WHEREAS, Legislative Council Representative Evelyn Juan-Manuel was previously appointed as**
20 **the NIHB Tucson Area representative, but no longer serves as a member of the**
21 **Legislative Council Health and Human Services Committee, which is the standing**
22 **committee with primary oversight jurisdiction over health-related matters; and**

23 **WHEREAS, the Health and Human Services Committee recommends that Representative Cynthia**
24 **Manuel replace Evelyn Juan-Manuel as the NIHB Tucson Area representative and that**
25 **Representative Grace Manuel serve as Representative Cynthia Manuel's alternate.**

26 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby:**

- 27 **(1) appoints Representative Cynthia Manuel as the NIHB Tucson Area**
28 **representative and appoints Representative Grace Manuel as Representative**
29 **Cynthia Manuel's alternate; and**

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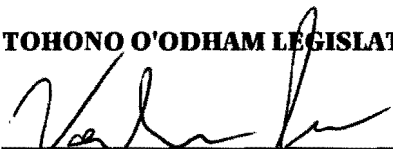
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(2) requests that the NIHB recognize Representative Cynthia Manuel as the official NIHB Tucson Area representative and Representative Grace Manuel as Representative Cynthia Manuel's alternate.


BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that an appointment made pursuant to this Resolution shall supercede any prior appointment to NIHB and shall immediately expire if the appointed representative no longer serves on the Health and Human Services Committee for any reason.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH Day of JULY, 2007 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,534.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1(b), 1(c)(2), 1(f), and 1(j) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

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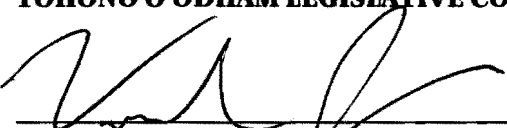

Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman
13 day of July, 2007

ATTEST:


Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary
09 day of July, 2007.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 13 day of July, 2007 at 5:17 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.

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APPROVED

on the 15 day of July, 2007

DISAPPROVED

at 2:00 o'clock, P.M.



NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 16 day of

July, 2007, at 9:35 o'clock, A.M.



Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING APPOINTMENTS OF REPRESENTATIVE CYNTHIA MANUEL AND REPRESENTATIVE GRACE MANUEL AS THE NATIONAL INDIAN HEALTH BOARD TUCSON AREA REPRESENTATIVE AND ALTERNATE

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN EVELYN JUAN MANUEL

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN KIMBERLY LISTO

DATE: JULY 09, 2007

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 316.9	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	158.45	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE ()	158.45	X			
CHUKUT KUK 264.8	1. ETHEL GARCIA ()	132.40	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ()	132.40	X			X
GU ACHI 227.9	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	113.95	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL ()	113.95	X			
GU VO 199.2	1. GRACE MANUEL ()	99.60	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES ()	99.60	X			X
HICKIWAN 172.0	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ()	86.00	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	86.00	X			
PISINEMO 182.4	1. CHESTER ANTONE ()	91.20	X			X
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ()	91.20	X			
SAN LUCY 181.1	1. LORRAINE EILER ()	90.55	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	90.55	X			
SAN XAVIER 196.5	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ (Adam P. Andrews)	98.25	X			
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	98.25	X			
SCHUK TOAK 154.6	1. FRANCES B. CONDE (Frederick Jose)	77.30	X			
	2. PHYLLIS CACHORA (Agnes Joaquin)	77.30	X			
SELLS 444.7	1. KIMBERLY LISTO ()	222.35	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ()	222.35	X			
SIF OIDAK 194.4	1. WAVALENE ROMERO ()	97.20	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	97.20	X			
TOTAL		2,534.5	2,534.5	-0-	-0-	[02]

****PASSED VOTES**