RESOLUTION OF THE PAPAGO TRIBAL COUNCIL (Opposition to amend of 25 U.S.C. 1407, Affecting Per Capita Payments)

RES. NO. 49-86

WHEREAS, the United States Senate has, by enactment of Section 772 of the Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985, S. 1730, attempted to amend Section 7 of 3 the Act of October, 1973, 25 U.S.C. 1407, in order to apply a \$2,000 limit on uncounted income to Social Security Act programs, and for 6 purposes of all Federally assisted programs, to calculate the \$2,000 limit on the aggregate of all per capita payments received in a year by 8 all members of a family unit; and 9

WHEREAS, the United States House of Representatives has, by a companion bill, H.R. 3128, refused to follow the Senate's lead and amend 25 U.S.C. 1407, and the Senate-House Conference Committee did on December 19, 1985 direct the General Accounting Office to conduct a study of the effect of such amendment; and

WHEREAS, the effect of the amendment would peremptorily alter the Federal treatment of per capita distributions of Tribal funds among Tribal members, and the consequences thereof would fall most harshly on the neediest of Tribal families as more fully appears in a letter dated December 10, 1985, from the Honorable Morris K. Udall, Chairman of the Committee on Interior Insular Affairs, to the Honorable Harold E. Ford, Chairman of the Committee on Public Assistance and Unemployment Compensation, a copy of which is attached hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Papago Council that it thanks the Honorable Morris K. Udall for taking the lead in opposing the amendment of 25 U.S.C. 1407 proposed by S. 1703, and urgently requests the Honorable Barry Goldwater and Dennis DeConcini and other members of Congress to refuse to change the Federal treatment presently and historically given per capita distributions of Tribal funds among Tribal members.

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RES. NO. 48-86 (Opposition to amend of 25 U.S.C. 1407, Affecting Per Capita Payments) Page Two (2) The foregoing Resolution was duly enacted by the Papago Council on the 13th day of February, 1986, at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1640.0 for; -0- against; -0- not voting; and -01 absent, pursuant to the authority vested in the Council by Section 2 (\overline{d}) of Article V of the Constitution and By-laws of the Papago Tribe as amended, ratified by the Papago Tribe on December 12, 1936, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on January 6, 1937, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984). Said Resolution is not subject to review by the Secretary of Interior and is effective as of the date of its enactment by the Papago Council. THE PAPAGO COUNCIL JOSIAH MOORE, Chairman ATTEST:

MOVED: Rosemary Lopez SUBJECT: Opposition to Amendment of 25 U.S.C. 1407 Affecting Per Capita Payments SECOND: Kenneth Chico RESOLUTION OR ORDINANCE # 49-86 DATE: 02/13/86 NOT AGAINST VOTING ABSENT FOR OF VOTES DISTRICTS REPRESENTATIVES 1. Elliott Lewis (Eugene F. Jose) 69.0 SIF OIDAK Χ 2. Nicklos Jose 69.0 138 Χ X (Letitia Garcia) 128.5 1. Andrew M. Patricio SELLS Χ (Nora Alvarez) 128.5 2. Fred Stevens X 257 (Dennis E. Jose) 52.5 1. Joseph Juan SCHUK TOAK Χ 52.5 2. Julie Carrillo 105 Χ (Jo Ann Francisco) 63.0 1. JOHNY XXXXXXXXXXX SAN XAVIER Χ (Austin Nunez) 63.0 2. Tony Felix 126 X (Carmelita Mattias) 1. Joann Garcia 120.5 BABOQUIVARI Χ (Edward N.Kisto) 2. Kenneth Chico, Sr. 120.5 241 Χ (Frances Miguel) 1. Angelo J. Joaquin, Sr (Jonas R. Robles) 79.0 GU ACHI X 79.0 2. Fernando Joaquin 158 X (Fred Adams, Jr.) 58.0 **PISINEMO** Χ (Sylvester Manuel) 58.0 2. Johnson Jose 116 Χ (Edward D. Manuel) 1. John Reno 42.5 SAN LUCY Χ 85 X 42.5 (Dewey I. Ortega) Χ 58.5 1. Cross Antone GU VO (Fern E. Salcido) 2. Virgil Lewis Χ. 58.5 117 (Roy Montana 1. Henry A. Ramon 64.0 Χ HICKIWAN (Pablo Baptisto) 2. Lloyd Francisco 64.0 128 X_{X} (Eleanor Santos) Rosemary Lopez
(Anita C. Clark) CHUKUT KUK 84.5 Χ 2. Harriet Toro 84.5 169 Χ (Marvin J.Thomas) 1640.0 TOTALS 1640.0 -0--0-01