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WHEREAS, the Indian Claims Commission was created by the Act of Congress of August 13, 1946, 66 Stat. 1049, (25 USC 70) to adjudicate Indian Claims which came into existence between July 4, 1776, and August 13, 1946, and

WHEREAS, under the terms of said act the existence of the Commission was to terminate not later than ten years after its first meeting which date of termination would have been April 10, 1957, and

WHEREAS, the life of the Indian Claims Cosmission has been extended on two different occasions and the Second Session of the S9th Congress also had before it bills to extend the life of the Cosmission, however, due to differences, no action was taken, and

WHEREAS, the life of the said Indian Claims Commission will expire on April 10, 1967, unless an additional extension is granted by the 90th Congress, and

WHEREAS, a total of 370 Claims were filed which were broken down by the Claims Commission into 580 dockets and there still remain 352 claims or dockets in which some action must still be taken (according to the records of the Claims Commission and the Department of Justice), and

WHEREAS, by statements made by the Indian Claims Commission and the Department of Justice it will be impossible to finally dispose of all the pending cases even by April, 1969, and

WHEREAS, it was the intention of the Congress that Indian Tribes should have their day in court by the establishment of the Indian Claims Commission so that they may once and for all have their claims agains the government adjudicated.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Papago Council, that it endorses and respectfully requests and urges the 90th Congress to provide such extension of the life of the Indian Claims Commission to the end that a just completion may be had of all the tribal claims pending before the Commission.

The foregoing Resolution was duly enacted by the Papago Council on December 16, 1966, with a vote of 19 for and 0 against during a

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ATTEST:

THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

APPROVED:

H. Malinda Miguel, Secretary

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