

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Endorsing Section 904 of S. 1665; The Farm Credit Act)

RES. NO. 335-87

1 WHEREAS, Senator John Melcher has submitted to Indian tribes for review and
2 comment section 904 of S. 1665, the Farm Credit Act of 1987, which
3 will protect reservation land interests which are foreclosed by the
4 Farmer's Home Administration by guaranteeing the right of first
5 purchase of foreclosed land interests to the Indian borrower, his
6 family, other tribal members or the tribe, and by providing that, if
7 not so purchased, the foreclosed land interests shall be held in
8 trust, respectively by the Secretaries of Agriculture and the
9 Interior, until such time as tribal members or the tribe are able to
10 reacquire such interests; and
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12 WHEREAS, section 904 of S. 1665 classifies the Congressional intent, protects
13 reservation lands from possible purchase and encroachment by
14 non-Indians; and serves the interests of Indian borrowers, their
15 families and tribes.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council that the Tohono O'odham Nation
17 strongly supports the provisions of section 904 of S. 1665 and directs
18 that the appropriate officers of the Council and Nation to so advise
19 Senators John Melcher, Dennis DeConcini and John McCain as well as the
20 Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit.
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22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Official Delegate to the National Congress of
23 American Indians is hereby authorized and directed to do everything
24 necessary to implement the purposes of this resolution.

25 The foregoing resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council on the 15th
26 day of September, 1987, at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote
27 of 1,514.0 for; -0- against; 126.0 not voting; and 03 absent, pursuant to the
28 powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (j) of Article VI of the Constitu-
29 tion of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on
30 January 18, 1986, and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -
31 Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act
32 of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson

17th day of September, 1987.

ATTEST:

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Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary

17th day of September, 1987.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 17th day of September, 1987, at 2:25 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

Harriet Toro
Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson

APPROVED) on the 18th day of September, 1987, at
 DISAPPROVED) 2:55 o'clock, P.M.

Enos J. Francisco, Jr.
For ENOS J. FRANCISCO, JR., Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to Legislative Secretary on the 18th day of September,
1987, at 4:45 o'clock, P.M.

Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha
Legislative Secretary

MOVED: MAX JOSE

SUBJECT: ENDORSING SECTION 904 of S. 1665;

SECOND: EDWARD MANUEL

THE FARM CREDIT ACT

DATE: SEPTEMBER 15, 1987

RESOLUTION OR ORDINANCE # 335-87

DISTRICTS	REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF Oidak 138.0	1. Nicholas Jose (Letitia Garcia) 2. Willard Juan, Sr. (Melissa Gregorio)	69.0 69.0	X X			
SELLS 257.0	1. Andrew Patricio (Daniel Lopez) 2. Fred Stevens ()	128.5 128.5	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 105.0	1. Julia Carrillo (JoAnn Francisco) 2. Joseph Juan (Frances Francisco)	52.5 52.5	X X			
SAN XAVIER 126.0	1. Eugene Enis (Michael Rios) 2. Tony Felix (Carmelita Mattias)	63.0 63.0			X X	X
BABOQUIVARI 241.0	1. Kenneth Chico, Sr. () 2. Joann Garcia (Frances Miguel)	120.5 120.5	X X			
GU ACHI 158.0	1. Percy Lopez () 2. Fernando Joaquin ()	79.0 79.0	X X			
PISINEMO 116.0	1. Johnson Jose () 2. Edward Manuel (Alex Antone)	58.0 58.0	X X			
SAN LUCY 85.0	1. Max Jose (Dewey Ortega) 2. John Reno ()	42.5 42.5	X X			X
GU VO 117.0	1. Virgil Lewis (Roy Montana) 2. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano)	58.5 58.5	X X			X
HICKIWAN 128.0	1. Henry Ramon (Billy Manuel) 2. Lloyd Francisco (Eleanor Santos)	64.0 64.0	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 169.0	1. Rosita Ruiz (Rosemary Lopez) 2. Harriet Toro (Marvin Thomas)	84.5 84.5	X X			
TOTALS		1640.0	1,640.0	-0-	126.0	03