

The INTER-TRIBAL COUNCIL of the FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

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A Resolution Establishing a Standing Committee of Health

Resolution No. 13-06

WHEREAS, we, the members of the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes, invoking the will and guidance of Almighty God; we, the members of the Five Civilized Indian Tribes of the state of Oklahoma, in order to secure to ourselves our descendants the rights and benefits to which we are entitled under the laws of the United States of America, and the State of Oklahoma; to enlighten the public toward a better understanding of the Indian race; to preserve Indian cultural values; to enhance and promote general educational opportunity among members of the Five Civilized Tribes; to seek an equitable adjustment of tribal affairs; to secure and to preserve rights under Indian treaties with the United States; and otherwise to promote the common welfare of the American Indians, do hereby establish and submit the following resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes (ITC) is an organization that unites the tribal governments of the Cherokee, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Muscogee (Creek), and Seminole nations, representing over 500,000 Indian people throughout the United States; and,

WHEREAS, the ITC was established in 1949 and shall have power to recommend any legislation to the Congress of the United States and to the state legislature, and the power to consult and advise with the President of the United States, and any federal and state officer and agency; and

WHEREAS, the ITC By-Laws Article II authorizes the ITC President to appoint committees, unless otherwise ordered by the ITC; and

WHEREAS, the ITC is committed to sustaining and improving the health status of American Indians through health care delivery and health programs and recognizes the need to support ITC health systems and work to ensure services are broadly integrated, available, and culturally appropriate as possible; and,


WHEREAS, the establishment of a standing committee that addresses health related policies and programs will promote the common welfare of the American Indians; and

WHEREAS, the Health Committee of ITC will serve as an advisory body to the ITC providing guidance and recommendations regarding rights and benefits as they relate to tribal health care delivery, services, and programs; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes establishes a standing committee of Health.

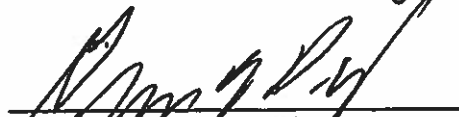
CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes meeting in Durant, Oklahoma on this 1st day of February, 2013, by a vote of All in favor for none against and 0 abstentions.

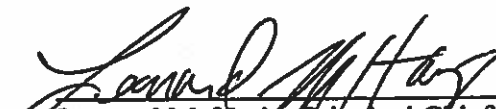


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