RESOLUTION OF THE WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe is organized under the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984), as amended, to exercise certain rights of home rule and be responsible for the general welfare of its membership, and
- WHEREAS, the constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe designates the Tribal Council as the sole governing body of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and
- WHEREAS, Public Law 94-437, the Indian Health Care Improvement Act provides the means by which recognized Indian Tribes can establish Health Professions Recruitment Programs to stimulate interest and success, among tribal members, in the various health career fields, and
- WHEREAS, such a program was established last year through the joint efforts of the tribe and the Indian Health Service, and said program did make a significant contribution to the awareness and success of Tribal members in the various health career fields, and
- WHEREAS, the continuation of this effort is essential for the achievement of the Tribe's long range goal to overcome the lack in the tribal membership, of trained professionals in the field of medicine and the allied health professionals.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the White Mountain Apache Tribe desires to exercise its right of self-determination by applying for a grant, title, "Section 102 Health Professions Recruitment Program", and that the Tribal Chairman is authorized to sign the application.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that administrative responsibility for the Health Professions Recruitment Program shall rest with the Tribal Health Authority in accordance with Tribal Resolution No. 78-22.

The foregoing resolution was on June 07, 1979 duly adopted by a vote of 10 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on May 29, 1958, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

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