

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

WHEREAS, Mr. Vincent Craig, Tribal Commissioner of Justice, has informed the Tribal Council that Chief Judge Marvin Ethelbah's term as presiding judge has recently expired; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Craig further informs the Tribal Council that the Tribal Chairman, pursuant to his executive authority, has acted to temporarily reappoint Chief Judge Ethelbah to his position as Chief Judicial Officer of the Tribe for a term to extend no later than the next regularly scheduled council meeting at which the Tribal Council addresses the issue of the terms of the tribal court judges and acts to fill those positions by reappointments or new selections; and

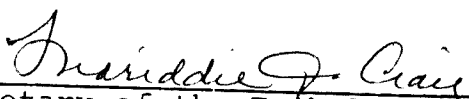
WHEREAS, the Tribal Council wishes to affirm and ratify the action taken by Chairman Johnson pursuant to his executive authority.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby ratifies the actions taken by Tribal Chairman Johnson in temporarily reappointing Chief Judge Marvin Ethelbah as Chief Judicial Officer of the Tribal Court System for a term extending no later than the next regularly scheduled Tribal Council at which time the Tribal Council has an opportunity to act on the issue of reappointment or selection of tribal judicial officers.

The foregoing resolution was on May 12, 1988, duly adopted by a vote of NINE for and ZERO 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 Bylaws 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).



Chairman of the Tribal Council



Secretary of the Tribal Council

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