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

- WHEREAS, the preventable disease known as Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) is the concern of all Tribal members; and
- WHEREAS, education is the single most effective weapon against AIDS; and
- WHEREAS, tribal employees have the right to be accurately informed about AIDS; and
- WHEREAS, the attached AIDS Policy, written by Tribal Health Authority, has been reviewed and approved by the Tribal Insurance Company, Tribal Personnel Department, Health Advisory Board, and the Tribal Legal Department; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council wishes to support the efforts made by Health Authority to educate employees of the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe has the authority to establish Personnel Policies; and
- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe is committed to maintaining a healthy work environment by protecting the physical and emotional health and well being of all employees in the work place; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council wishes to reaffirm fair treatment of employees in all aspects of personnel administration.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the attached AIDS Policy to protect all employees.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that it directs the Tribal Personnel Director to implement the AIDS Policy effective immediately.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that it hereby urges all Tribal employees to actively participate in AIDS Prevention activities planned and coordinated by the Tribal Health Authority.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>July 3, 1990</u>, duly adopted by a vote of <u>nine</u> for and <u>zero</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (b) (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).

Acting Chairman of the Tribal Council

Secretary of the Tribal Council

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