GEORGI. TRIBE OF EASTERN CHEROKEES, INC.

RESOLUTION NO 2-78 APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL RECOGNITION

Whereas: The Health, Education, Employment, Social, Economic and Cultural Development and General Welfare of the Eastern Tribe of Cherokees in Georgia are of prime concern and

Whereas: The Federal Government has established procedures that enable an Indian group to apply for Federal acknowledgement of said status, and

Whereas: The Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokees, Inc. qualifies for such acknowledgement as outlined in Sec. 54.7, Federal Regulation dated Tuesday, September 5, 1978, and

Whereas: The Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokees, Inc. possesses legal authority to apply for such acknowledgement.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: that a petition be filed requesting the Secretary to acknowledge tribal existence in accordance with criteria outlined in Sec. 54.7, Fed. Reg. dated Sept. 5,1978, sub.par: (a) through (g) and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: that Mr. Thomas B. Mote, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokees, Inc. acting as official representative be directed and authorized to act in connection with the petition application.

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Member

Member