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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL TO THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR A CHEROKEE LEAD CERTIFICATION PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised sovereign rights of self-government in behalf of the Cherokee people;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation is a federally recognized Indian Nation with a historic and continual government to government relationship with the United States of America;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation operates the Office of Environmental Programs;

WHEREAS, Cherokee Nation desires to develop a Cherokee Nation Lead Certification/Accreditation Program to certify lead-based paint activities in the Tribal Jurisdiction.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Cherokee Nation Council authorizes Environmental Programs to submit a proposal to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6/Air Toxics Division: Cherokee Nation Lead Certification/Accreditation Program and that Chad Smith, Principal Chief (or his designee) shall be authorized to execute all official matters in this regard.