## COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

Resolution of Non-Endorsement of the Video Program "Real Sex 3"

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

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

WHEREAS, the Language and Culture Subcommittee of the Cherokee Nation is charged with the duty of preserving and protecting Cherokee language, culture, and heritage; and

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation Language and Culture Policy adopted by the Tribal Council states in Section IV-E that, "It is the policy of Cherokee Nation to oppose biased, stereotypic, and/or derogatory depiction of Cherokees or American Indians or wherever such representations work to lower the self-esteem of Cherokee youth may be found," and;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cherokee Nation Tribal Council does not endorse or support in any way any of the depictions or representations made in this video program or the airing of the same by HBO.

## CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the <a href="#">14th</a> day of <a href="#">MARCH</a>, 1992 having members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of <a href="#">14</a> yea; <a href="#">0</a> nay; <a href="#">0</a> abstaining.

John A Ketcher, President Council of the Cherokee Nation

Troy Wayne Poteete, Secretary Cherokee Nation Tribal Council

Approved this 14th day of MARCH

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Wilma P. Mankiller

Principal Chief

ATTEST:

Tommy Thompson, Secretary-Treasurer

Cherokee Nation