

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

WHEREAS, a negotiating committee and the Tribal Forestry Committee have been working on a possible acquisition of the present Cibecue sawmill from Western Pine Sales for some time, so the Tribal Enterprise can manufacture all its own timber, and

WHEREAS, complete agreement on the method of acquisition has not been reached.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Attorney will immediately review all correspondence in this matter to see if a proposed letter of agreement will be effective in avoiding any legal action and will render his opinion in writing in this matter at an early date.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if the Tribal Attorney believes that a letter of agreement will suffice, he will immediately try to secure such an agreement from Western Pine Sales which will fulfill the intent of Resolution No. 71-69.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if no agreement is reached on the above, that Fort Apache Timber Company be authorized to bid on the next sale and any and all future sales that will be made for manufacture at Cibecue.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that only ten million board feet per year be put up for open bid, starting in late 1971, for manufacture at Cibecue.

The foregoing resolution was on February 3, 1971 duly adopted by a vote of 8 for and 0 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 By-Laws 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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