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RESOLUTION # 5-6-88-C

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a Treaty Tribe recognized by the laws of the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe has placed education of Oneida people as its highest priority, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe has followed the progress of HR5, and has sought to provide testimony at duly noticed hearings, and

WHEREAS, a JOM workshop was held in Minneapolis, Minnesota on April 26 and 27, 1988 by BIA representatives which did not comply with the consultation process set forth in Section 8111 of HR5, and which was disputed thoroughly by the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe on the grounds that the consultation and voting process were inequitable.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe fully supports the contentions of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe regarding Section 8111 of HR5, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe hereby asserts its sovereign right to be consulted regarding all provisions of any legislation that will effect the education of Oneida and other Indian People.

<u>C E R T I F I C A T I O N</u>

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of 9 members, of whom 5 members constitutes a quorum. 5 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 13 day of May 1988; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 4 members for; 0 members against, 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Anella Cornelius, Tribal Secretary Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin