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## ESVID RESOLUTION RE: STRESS

IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT ESVID SINCE ITS INCEPTION HAS FOUGHT DILIGENTLY TO BRING A DEEP SENSE OF AWARENESS TO THE BLACK COMMUNITY; IT HAS FOUGHT TO SUSTAIN AND GENERATE BLACK DIGNITY; IT HAS FOUGHT TO PROTECT AND SEEK JUSTICE FOR ITS BLACK CONSTITUENCY; IT HAS FOUGHT TO PREVENT THE SYSTEMATIC METHODS EMPLOYED TO PERPETRATE GENOCIDE UPON BLACK PEOPLE; IT HAS FOUGHT TO BRING BLACK SELF, DETERMINATION TO THIS COMMUNITY; IT HAS FOUGHT TO POINT UP THE CONTRADICTIONS OF A RACIST SOCIETY AND ITS PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT OF WHITES OVER BLACKS; IT HAS FOUGHT TO FEED THE HUNGRY AND TO SHELTER THE DISPOSSESSED; IT HAS FOUGHT TO ELIMINATE THE DETRIMENTAL AFFECTS OF DRUGS UPON BLACK PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITY; IT HAS FOUGHT TO ABSTAIN ITSELF FROM ALL OUTSIDE POLITICAL INFLUENCE EXCEPT THAT COMMUNITY THAT IT FERVENTLY SERVES AND SHALL CONTINUE TO SERVE AND REPRESENT; BE IT RESOLVED:

THAT PUBLIC NOTICE IS GIVEN THIS 26TH DAY OF MARCH 1972

THAT ESVID (THE EAST SIDE VOICE OF INDEPENDENT DETROIT) DOES

HEREBY DECLARE THAT ALL ITS RESOURCES, ITS MANPOWER, ITS ENERGY;

ITS EXPERTISE; AND ITS BLACK COMMUNITY SPIRIT IS NOW ENGAGED

IN THE BATTLE TO ABOLISH STRESS, THE MOST OFFENSIVE, DEGRADING,

GENOCIDAL, HOMOCIDAL, SADISTIC AND PSYCHOTIC, POLICE METHODS

EVER EMPLOYED BY ANY DEPRAYED AND DEGENERATE SOCIETY IN THE

HISTORY OF MANKIND, SHALL CEASE!!!!

THAT THE TPUE CRIMINALS (STRESS) BE BROUGHT TO TRIAL AND
METED OUT PUNISHMENT COMMENSURATE TO THE CRIMES PERPETRATED
AGAINST THE BLACK COMMUNITY. THAT THE TOTAL OPERATION BE
COMPLETELY DISSOLVED AND ABANDONED AND THAT NO LIKE OPERATION
SHALL EVER AGAIN BE INITIATED.

AND TORTURE OF OUR SLAVE FOREFATHERS, THAT WE WILL NO LONGER STAND BY WHILE OUR YOUTH ARE WANTONLY SLAIN, OUR MOTHERS AND WIVES SUFFER UNTOLD GRIEF AND MISERY, OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS ARE EXECUTED IN PLAIN PUBLIC VIEW WITH COMPLETE DISREGARD FOR ANY OF THEIR RIGHTS AND WITH COMPLETE IMPUNITY. THAT WE DO WHOLEHEARTEDLY SUPPORT ANY AND ALL EFFORTS TO ABOLISH STRESS.

SIGNED:

THE TOTAL ESVID FAMILY