RESOLUTION 85-31

To Encourage and Authorize the Participation of the City of Bloomington in the Sister Cities International Program

WHEREAS, Sister Cities International is committed to the goal of enhancing global understanding by encouraging and serving Sister City relationships between U.S. communities and their citizens, and communities throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, Sister Cities International (SCI) provides program formation and assistance in development of a Sister Cities Program; and

WHEREAS, The Common Council wishes to support the participation of the the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, in such program, and encourages and authorizes the City to become a member of Sister Cities International:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

The Mayor is hereby authorized to notify Sister Cities International of the decision of the City to participate in the program, and initial research should begin, and a committee formed, to investigate and make recommendations to the Mayor and Common Council on selection of particular regions of the world and specific cities that best match the unique characteristics of the Bloomington community.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 7 day of August , 1985.

Tatricia q. Stross PATRICIA GROSS, President Bloomington Common Council

ATTEST:

Fatrica Williams City Clerk PATRICIA WILLIAMS,

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this g day of August, 1985. "August

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SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this 9 day of August <u>Jamiles Allison</u> TOMILEA ALLISON, Mayor

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City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This Resolution, sponsored by Councilmember Service, encourages and authorizes the City's participation in the Sister Cities Program.

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