

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 14-105

RE: C.R. NO. 14-76/W&M

SUBJECT: GOODS AND SERVICES AGREEMENT

MAY 18, 2006

The Honorable Peter M. Christian
Speaker, Fourteenth Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Fourth Regular Session, 2006

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred C.R. No. 14-76, entitled:

"A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE 2005/2006 AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE NATIONAL OCEANIC RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY AND THE FEDERATION OF JAPAN TUNA FISHERIES CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION, NATIONAL OFFSHORE TUNA FISHERIES ASSOCIATION OF JAPAN AND JAPAN FAR SEAS PURSE SEINE FISHING ASSOCIATION, CONCERNING THE SUPPLY OF GOODS AND SERVICES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF FISHERIES OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE PERIOD FROM 10TH AUGUST 2005 TO 9TH AUGUST, 2006.",

begs leave to report as follows:

The intent and purpose of the resolution are expressed in its title.

The referenced agreement provides for goods and services valued at ¥37,000,000 Japanese Yen for fisheries development in the Federated States of Micronesia. Your Committee on Ways and Means supports the goal of fisheries development in the FSM and appreciates the provision of goods and services under the agreement. Your Committee further supports the determination that Kosrae State shall be the recipient of the goods and services provided under the agreement.

Your Committee on Ways and Means is in accord with the intent and purpose of C.R. No. 14-76 and recommends its adoption.

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Respectfully submitted,

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