

A RESOLUTION

Ratifying the Standard Basic Assistance Agreement (SBAA) between the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) and the United Nations Development Program (UNDP).

1 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia, recognizing its
2 position as a developing country with aspiration to promote social
3 and economical progress and better standards of life for its
4 people; and

5 WHEREAS, the United Nations Development Program was
6 established for the purpose of supporting and supplementing the
7 national effort of developing countries as solving the most
8 important problems of their economic development and to promote
9 social progress and a better standard of life; and

10 WHEREAS, the FSM desiring such assistance from the UNDP for
11 the benefit of its people; and

12 WHEREAS, in the spirit of friendly cooperation the Standard
13 Basic Assistance Agreement (SBAA) was drawn up and entered into by
14 the FSM National Government and UNDP to facilitate the FSM request
15 for assistance from the UNDP; and

16 WHEREAS, the SBAA embodies the basic conditions under which
17 the UNDP and its executing agencies shall assist the FSM; and

18 WHEREAS, the SBAA is subject to ratification by the FSM and
19 shall come into force upon receipt by UNDP of notification from
20 the FSM of its ratification; now, therefore,

21 BE IT RESOLVED by the Sixteenth Congress of the Federated

1 States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2009, that the
2 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia hereby ratifies the
3 SBAA between the FSM and the UNDP;

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
5 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
6 of Micronesia and to the Secretary of the Department of Foreign
7 Affairs and a copy to the UNDP Resident Representative, UNDP Fiji
8 Multi-Country Office for FSM.

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10 Date: 5/12/09

Introduced by: /s/ Joe N. Suka

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