

A RESOLUTION

Revoking the declaration of emergency declared by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia on May 11, 2010.

1 WHEREAS, on May 11, 2010, the President of the Federated
2 States of Micronesia has declared a state of emergency to provide
3 the authority to reprogram funds to deal with an urgent need to
4 repair a patrol boat; and

5 WHEREAS, under the FSM Constitution the Congress shall
6 convene within 30 days of the declaration of emergency to consider
7 revocation, amendment or extension of the declaration of
8 emergency; and

9 WHEREAS, Congress is currently in session for its Fourth
10 Regular Session; and

11 WHEREAS, it is the sense of Congress that the reason for the
12 declaration does not rise to the level required for a national
13 state of emergency, which should be reserved for extreme instances
14 endangering the public peace, health and safety; and

15 WHEREAS, the Congress in its oversight authority has the duty
16 to prevent abuse of governmental power; now, therefore,

17 BE IT RESOLVED by the Sixteenth Congress of the Federated
18 States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, that the declaration
19 of emergency of May 11, 2010, is hereby revoked; and

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
2 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
3 States of Micronesia.

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5 Date: 5/19/10 Introduced by: /s/ Fredrico O. Primo
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