

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sadness and condolences of the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia at the passing of Hugo Chavez, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

1           WHEREAS, President Hugo Chavez passed away on March 5,  
2 2013, at the age of 58; and

3           WHEREAS, at the time of his passing Hugo Chavez was  
4 president of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, a position  
5 he held since 1999; and

6           WHEREAS, President Hugo Chavez served his country with  
7 merit and dedication for over 40 years; and

8           WHEREAS, during his presidency his guidance and  
9 leadership earned him the support and respect of his people,  
10 the region and the international community, particularly for  
11 his initiatives in economic and social programs to enhance  
12 the welfare of the citizens of his country; and

13           WHEREAS, the Members of the Seventeenth Congress of the  
14 Federated States of Micronesia join the family, friends,  
15 colleagues and the citizens of the country of the Bolivarian  
16 Republic of Venezuela in mourning the passing of President  
17 Hugo Chavez; now, therefore,

18           BE IT RESOLVED, that the Seventeenth Congress of the  
19 Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2013,  
20 wishes to express to the family, friends, colleagues and

1 citizens of the country of the Bolivarian Republic of  
2 Venezuela its sadness and condolences at the passing of  
3 President Hugo Chavez; and

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that certified copies of this  
5 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated  
6 States of Micronesia and to the Permanent Representative of  
7 the Federated States of Micronesia to the United Nations for  
8 transmission to the Permanent Representative of the  
9 Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the United Nations.

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11 Dated: 5/01/13

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