

A RESOLUTION

To approve an FSM Infrastructure Section Grant from the United States Department of Interior to fund the ADSL Coverage Expansion Project for Fiscal Year 2011.

1 WHEREAS, the Government of United States, through the U.S.
2 Department of Interior, has transmitted to the Government of
3 the Federated States of Micronesia a Notification of Grant
4 Award of a Compact of Free Association Infrastructure Sector
5 Grant in the amount of \$360,000; and

6 WHEREAS, the source of this grant is from the FSM
7 Infrastructure Sector Grant allocation approved by JEMCO for
8 fiscal year 2011; and

9 WHEREAS, the grant is being made available to the
10 Government of the Federated States of Micronesia to implement
11 and develop the expansion of the Asynchronous Digital
12 Subscriber Line (ADSL) to provide internet connectivity to each
13 participating school and dispensary in each of the States of
14 the Federated States of Micronesia; and

15 WHEREAS, the Grant is critical to the success of the
16 programs in the Federated States of Micronesia; and

17 WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the
18 Federated States of Micronesia requires that foreign financial

1 assistance be approved by Congress by resolution; now,
2 therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventeenth Congress of the
4 Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2011,
5 that Congress hereby approves the funds pursuant to the terms
6 and conditions of the FSM Infrastructure Section Grant to fund
7 the ADSL Coverage Expansion Project for Fiscal Year 2011; and

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
9 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
10 States of Micronesia and the Secretary of the United States
11 Department of Interior Office of Insular Affairs.

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13 Date: 7/27/11

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper
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