

A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting the receipt of a grant (Grant Cooperative Agreement) of assistance from the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") for strengthening public health infrastructure for improved health outcomes, in the amount of \$100,000 for five years, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

1 WHEREAS, the U.S. Center for Disease Control and
2 Prevention ("CDC") extended to the Government of the Federated
3 States of Micronesia a grant of assistance in the amount of
4 \$100,000 (the "Grant") as evidenced by a revised Notice of
5 Grant Award dated November 23, 2010; and

6 WHEREAS, the Grant is to assist the FSM Government, in
7 collaboration with the State governments, in the development
8 and implementation of the Program for Strengthening Public
9 Health Infrastructure for Improved Health Outcomes; and

10 WHEREAS, the purpose of the program for Strengthening
11 Public Health Infrastructure for Improved Health Outcomes is to
12 systematically increase the performance management capacity of
13 public health departments in the Federated States of Micronesia
14 in order to ensure that public health goals are effectively and
15 efficiently met; and

16 WHEREAS, the Grant is critical to the success of the
17 development and implementation of the program in the Federated
18 States of Micronesia; and

1 WHEREAS, section 210 of title 55 of the Code of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia requires that foreign financial
3 assistance be approved by Congress by resolution; now,
4 therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventeenth Congress of the
6 Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2011,
7 that the \$100,000 financial assistance grant from the United
8 States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, including
9 all the terms and conditions thereof, is hereby approved and
10 accepted; and

11 BEI IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Congress is grateful and
12 appreciative to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and
13 Prevention ("CDC") for the benevolent assistance; and

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
15 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
16 States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the FSM Department of
17 Health and Social Affairs, and the Ambassador of the United
18 States.

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20 Date: 7/27/11

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper

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Florencio S. Harper
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