

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-28

RE: C.R. NO. 18-34/H&SA

SUBJECT: APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT  
ASSISTANCE OF \$10,000 FOR THE CEDAW AND  
CRC STATE REPORTING PROJECT

JULY 24, 2013

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert  
Speaker, Eighteenth Congress  
Federated States of Micronesia  
First Special Session, 2013

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Health and Social Affairs, to which was jointly referred C.R. No. 18-34, entitled:

"A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT ASSISTANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000 FROM THE UNITED NATIONS ENTITY FOR GENDER EQUALITY AND THE EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN, TO FUND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVENTION ON ELIMINATION OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN AND THE CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD STATE REPORTING PROJECT, INCLUDING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE ASSISTANCE.",

begs leave to report as follows:

The intent and purpose of the resolution are expressed in its title.

The President has transmitted Congressional Resolution No. 18-34 to Congress through Presidential Communication No. 18-41 on July 4, 2013.

Your Committee understands that the funding is to monitor and report on the progress of this nation's implementation of the Convention on Elimination of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW) and the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC). Your Committee notes that the proposed use of the said funding is for a good cause.

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**Recommendations of your committee**

Your Committee on Health and Social Affairs is in accord with the intent and purpose of C.R. No. 18-34 and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as C.R. No. 18-34.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Tony H. Otto  
Tony H. Otto, chairman

Tiwiter Aritos, vice chairman

/s/ Peter M. Christian  
Peter M. Christian, member

/s/ Yosiwo P. George  
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/s/ Florencio S. Harper  
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/s/ Joseph J. Urusemal  
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