

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-297

RE: C.R. NO. 18-266/EX AFF

SUBJECT: APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF
\$44,220 TO FUND THE HIV CARE GRANTS IN THE FSM.

APRIL 17, 2015

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert
Speaker, Eighteenth Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Seventh Special Session, 2015

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on External Affairs, to which was jointly
referred C.R. No. 18-266 entitled:

"A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT IN THE
AMOUNT OF \$44,220 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
AND HUMAN SERVICES, HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES
ADMINISTRATION, TO FUND THE HIV CARE GRANTS IN THE
FSM, INCLUDING ALL THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE
GRANT.",

begs leave to report as follows:

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

On April 15, 2015 your Committee held hearings regarding
the above-captioned C.R. No. 18-266 jointly with the
Committee on Health and Social Affairs. Your Committee
agrees that support for our people with HIV is necessary.
Your Committee on Health and Social Affairs is supportive
of the program this grant will support, and as the
activities proposed under the grant are squarely in its

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purview, therefore, your Committee on External Affairs
defers to their conclusions regarding the grant under
consideration in C.R. No. 18-266.

Your Committee is satisfied regarding the overall positive
impact this grant would have on the health of our citizens.
Your Committee on External Affairs is in accord with the
intent and purposes of C.R. No. 18-266, and concurs with
the Committee on Health and Social Affairs in recommending
its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Yosiwo P. George
Yosiwo P. George, chairman

/s/ Berney Martin
Berney Martin, vice chairman

/s/ Tiwiter Aritos
Tiwiter Aritos, member

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

/s/ Isaac V. Figir
Isaac V. Figir, member
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/s/ Victor Gouland
Victor Gouland, member

/s/ Bonsiano F. Nethon
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