

A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$220,000 from the Global Environment Facility, including all the terms and condition of the assistance.

1           WHEREAS, the Global Environment Facility extended to the  
2 Government of the Federated States of Micronesia a grant in the  
3 amount of \$220,000 as evidenced by the attached Project  
4 Identification Form; and

5           WHEREAS, the grant explicitly provides for a particular  
6 purpose in the thematic area of biodiversity; and

7           WHEREAS, the grant is critical to prepare national  
8 biodiversity, revise national biodiversity strategies and  
9 undertake clearing house mechanism activities in the FSM per its  
10 obligations as a party to the Convention on Biological Diversity;  
11 and

12           WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the  
13 Federated States of Micronesia provides that for an agreement  
14 on foreign assistance to be valid it must be approved by  
15 Congress by resolution; and

16           WHEREAS, the FSM Government expresses appreciation to the  
17 Global Environment Facility for the grant assistance made  
18 available to the Federated States of Micronesia; now,  
19 therefore,

20           BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated

1 States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2013, that Congress  
2 hereby approves and accepts the \$220,000 grant from Global  
3 Environment Facility, including all the terms and conditions  
4 thereof; and

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copies of this  
6 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States  
7 of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Resources and  
8 Development the Global Environment Facility.

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10 Date: 12/5/13

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper  
Florencio S. Harper  
(by request)

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