

FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIRST REGULAR SESSION, 1979

CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION NO. 1-2

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the appreciation and gratitude of the members of the First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia for the efforts of the Federated States of Micronesia Installation Committee in planning and carrying out the installation of the Constitutional Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, the inauguration of President Tosiwo Nakayama and Vice President Petrus Tun, and the convening of the First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia.

1 WHEREAS, the installation of the Constitutional Government of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia, the inauguration of President Tosiwo
3 Nakayama and Vice President Petrus Tun and the convening of the First
4 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia represent a significant
5 advancement toward the goal of achieving full self-government in
6 Micronesia; and

7 WHEREAS, this moment in the history of the islands of Micronesia
8 required a ceremony both dignified and festive, both solemn and joyous;
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10 WHEREAS, the members of the Federated States of Micronesia
11 Installation Committee faced formidable problems in planning and
12 carrying out appropriate ceremonies to mark this moment of history, all
13 of which they solved with grace and good humor; and

14 WHEREAS, by means of some special relationship to God, hard praying,
15 or other means unknown, the Federated States of Micronesia Installation
16 Committee arranged an Inauguration Day on May 15, 1979, without copious
17 quantities of Ponapean liquid sunshine; and

18 WHEREAS, all Installation events and ceremonies were distinguished
19 by a high degree of civility and serious purpose, to the honor of all
20 who participated in them; now, therefore,

21 BE IT RESOLVED by the First Congress of the Federated States of
22 Micronesia, First Regular Session, 1979, that the members of Congress

1 hereby express their gratitude and appreciation to all persons involved
2 in the work of the Federated States of Micronesia Installation Committee;
3 and

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Resolution be
5 transmitted to Kikuo Apis, Brian Farley, Sintaro Ezra, Ieske Iehsi,
6 Sam McPhetres, Fehpa Ifamilik, Tadao Sigrah, Nishima Siron, Ben Ruan,
7 Asterio Takesy, Tony Mateme, Herman Semas, Jacob Yoon, Yosiwo George,
8 Eshiel Malen, Aloysius Tuath, Gabriel Ayin, Dwight Heine and Kasio Mida.

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10 Adopted: May 24, 1979

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