EIGHTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIRST REGULAR SESSION, 1993

C.B. No. $\sqrt{-+}$

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 6-56, 6-105, 7-20 and 7-31, by adding a new section 504 to create a National Flag, National Flagstaff and procedures for rendering a flag of the Federated States of Micronesia "official," and for other purposes.

	BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:
1	Section 1. Title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of Micro-
2	nesia is hereby further amended by adding a new section 504 of chapter
3	5 to read as follows:
4	"Section 504. National Flagstaff, National Flag and
5	official flags of the Federated States of Micronesia.
6	(1) The President shall erect and maintain a
7	flagstaff of no less than 50 feet in height directly in
8	front of, and within 100 feet of, the main entrance to the
9	Chamber of the Congress of the Federated States of
10	Micronesia. This flagstaff shall be called the 'National
11	Flagstaff.'
12	(2) The President shall create, maintain, and display
13	on the National Flagstaff a flag no less than five feet
14	wide and eight feet long. Regardless of its overall size,
15	the flag must have a width which bears a ratio to its
16	length of 1 to 1.9. This flag shall be called the
17	'National Flag.'
18	(3) The term 'official flag of the Federated States
19	of Micronesia' as used in this section means a flag which
20	has been displayed for any length of time on the National
21	Flagstaff.
22	(4) Only an official flag of the Federated States of
23	Micronesia may be displayed on buildings, flagstaffs,
24	masts, halyards, flagpoles, or any other display mechanism
25	owned or operated by the Federated States of Micronesia.

1	(5) A flagged vessel of the Federated States of
2	Micronesia must display an official flag of the Federated
3	States of Micronesia.
4	(6) The President shall designate a National
5	Government employee who will be responsible for displaying
6	the National Flag and rendering a flag of the Federated
7	States of Micronesia 'official' by displaying the flag on
8	the National Flagstaff."
9	Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
10	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming
11	law without such approval.
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13	Date: 5-21-93 Introduced by: Isaac V. Figir
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