A RESOLUTION

Conveying sincere condolences to the government and people of the
People's Republic of China, and in particular to the family of the late
Deng Xiaoping, and expressing the deep sorrow and profound sense of
loss felt by the Members of the Ninth Congress and people of the
Federated States of Micronesia upon learning of the tragic loss to the
world of this great leader.

1   WHEREAS, His Excellency the paramount leader of the Communist

2 Party of People's Republic of China, the Honorable Deng Xiaoping,

3 passed away on February 19, 1997; and

4   WHEREAS, Chairman Xiaoping, a renowned world leader,

5 dedicated his life to his country, its political stability and

6 progressive economic reforms; and

7   WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia and People's

8 Republic of China have, since the two countries established

9 diplomatic ties, endeavored to foster a cordial, friendly and

10 mutually beneficial relationship; and

11   WHEREAS, the Members of the Ninth Congress are deeply

12 saddened by the passing and loss of a highly respected world

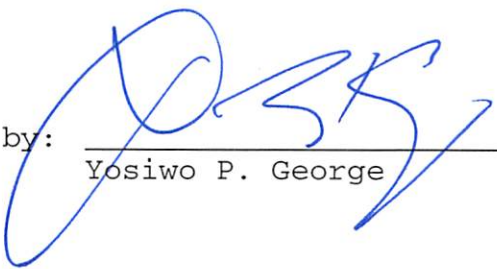13 leader; now, therefore,

14   BE IT RESOLVED by the Ninth Congress of the Federated States

15 of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 1997, that the Ninth

16 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia hereby conveys, on

17 behalf of the people of the Federated States of Micronesia,

18 sincere condolences to the government and people of the People's

19 Republic of China, and in particular to the family of the late

20 Deng Xiaoping, and expresses the deep sorrow and profound sense of

21 loss felt by the Members upon learning of his passing; and

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1   BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this

2   resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States

3   of Micronesia, the Ambassador of the People's Republic of China to

4   the Federated States of Micronesia, and His Excellency Jiang

5   Zemin, President of the People's Republic of China.

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8   Date: ___03/19/97___   Introduced by: _____

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