

A RESOLUTION

Requesting that the President direct our representative to the United Nations to use all available means to encourage the member nations to demand China's immediate and unconditional withdrawal from the territory of Tibet.

1           WHEREAS, the United Nations was founded on the principle that  
2 mankind can only achieve a real and lasting peace when every  
3 government recognized the universal rights of every human to enjoy  
4 personal freedom and security from hunger, thirst and harm; and

5           WHEREAS the Peoples' Republic of China has ignored and violated  
6 this principle by engaging in the brutal military takeover of the  
7 sovereign state of Tibet;

8           WHEREAS, the Peoples' Republic of China continues to ignore and  
9 violate this principle by its continued occupation of Tibet and  
10 violation of its citizens' basic human rights; and

11           WHEREAS, the United Nations has done little to remedy these  
12 gross and continuing injustices; now, therefore,

13           BE IT RESOLVED by the Twelfth Congress of the Federated States  
14 of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2001, that the Congress of the  
15 Federated States of Micronesia request that the President direct our  
16 ambassador to the United Nations to use all available means to  
17 encourage the body to demand China's immediate and unconditional  
18 withdrawal from the territory of Tibet.

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