A RESOLUTION

Establishing a plan to fund a budget deficit recorded by the National Government at the close of fiscal year 2003.

- 1 WHEREAS, the President of the Federated States of Micronesia
- 2 has informed Congress that a National Government budget deficit
- 3 existed at the close of fiscal year 2003; and
- 4 WHEREAS, title 55, chapter 1 of the Code of the Federated
- 5 States of Micronesia contemplates that the President shall submit
- 6 to Congress recommendations for addressing any such budget
- 7 deficit, but no such recommendations have been submitted; and
- 8 WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the nation that a plan
- 9 be established for covering the deficit recorded at the close of
- 10 fiscal year 2003; now, therefore,
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Thirteenth Congress of the Federated
- 12 States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2004, that the
- 13 National Government budget deficit recorded at the close of fiscal
- 14 year 2003 shall be funded, in four equal annual amounts, from
- 15 local revenues collected by the National Government in fiscal
- 16 years 2004 through 2007.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
 2 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
 3 of Micronesia, the FSM Secretary of Finance and Administration,
 4 and the Governor of each State.
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