## A RESOLUTION

To approve the grant from the United States Secretary of Labor under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Title 1, National Emergency Grant (NEG) to the Federated States of Micronesia referenced in the amount of \$2,350,000 for the purposes of providing temporary jobs for eligible dislocated workers and to assist in the cleaning and restoration activities in the State of Chuuk following the wake of Tropical Storm Chata'an.

- 1 WHEREAS, the Secretary of Labor of the United States has
- 2 approved a National Emergency Grant to the Federated States of
- 3 Micronesia for humanitarian financial assistance in the amount of
- 4 \$2,350,000, of which \$1,150,000 will be awarded initially to Chuuk
- 5 State; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the purpose of this Tropical Storm Chata'an project
- 7 is to create temporary jobs for eligible dislocated workers who
- 8 were temporarily or permanently dislocated and to assist in
- 9 cleaning and restoration activities in the State of Chuuk
- 10 following the wake of Tropical Storm Chata'an, and as authorized
- 11 under Title 1 of the Workforce Investment Act Section 173(d); and
- 12 WHEREAS, pursuant to Title 55 of the Code of the Federated
- 13 States of Micronesia Section 210(2), the grant award may be
- 14 utilized only after the Congress has approved the agreement for
- 15 the acceptance or receipt of the grant award; now, therefore
- 16 BE IT RESOLVED by the Thirteenth Congress of the Federated
- 17 States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2003, that the
- 18 Congress hereby approves the grant amount and grant period;

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be tra 2 Federal Project Officer, United States Department of Labor, San 3 Francisco Regional Office. 5 Date: <u>8/25/03</u> Introduced by: /s/ Henry C. Asugar 

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