## A RESOLUTION

Supporting the creation of a Special Committee of Congress for the purpose of exploring new sources of financial and technical support for the Federated States of Micronesia.

- 1 WHEREAS, the financial support available under Compact II
- 2 will diminish in the coming year; and
- 3 WHEREAS, our country is in need of immediate, additional
- 4 economic and technical assistance to support the expansion of our
- 5 economy; and
- 6 WHEREAS, there exist numerous governments and non-
- 7 governmental organizations throughout our region and the world
- 8 that have an interest in the development of a stronger economy in
- 9 our country; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Congress should play an active role in the
- 11 identification and development of new sources of economic and
- 12 technical support for our country; now, therefore,
- BE IT RESOLVED that the Thirteenth Congress of the Federated
- 14 States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2003, supports the
- 15 creation of Special Congressional Committee to be composed of the
- 16 Chairmen of the Committees on External Affairs, Ways and Means,
- 17 and Resources and Development to explore new sources of support
- 18 for our country;
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Special Committee report
- 20 back to the Congress during its next regular session concerning

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1 the Committee's progress in identifying and securing new sources
2 of assistance for our country;
        BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
 4 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
 5 of Micronesia.
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7 Date: <u>10/22/03</u>
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