A RESOLUTION

Respectfully conveying the profound gratitude and sincere appreciation of the Thirteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to the Honorable Gale Norton, Secretary of the U.S. Department of Interior and to her husband, Mr. John Hughes, for blessing our Nation by their visit.

- 1 WHEREAS, in spite of their hectic and busy schedule, the
- 2 Honorable Gale Norton, Secretary of the U.S. Department of
- 3 Interior, and her husband, Mr. John Hughes, found it important
- 4 enough to spend January 14-15, 2004 visiting the Federated States
- 5 of Micronesia; and
- 6 WHERERAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia,
- 7 speaking on behalf of the citizens of this Nation, finds it
- 8 appropriate to convey profound gratitude and sincere appreciation
- 9 to Secretary Norton and Mr. Hughes for their visit; and
- 10 WHEREAS, it is the sincere hope of the Congress that they
- 11 enjoyed their visit to the FSM; now, therefore,
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Thirteenth Congress of the Federated
- 13 States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2004, that the
- 14 Congress hereby conveys its profound gratitude and sincere
- 15 appreciation to the Honorable Gale Norton, Secretary of the U.S.
- 16 Department of Interior, and to her husband, Mr. John Hughes,
- 17 for blessing this Nation by their visit;

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         BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
 3 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
 4 of Micronesia, the U.S. Ambassador to the Federated States of
 5 Micronesia, and to the Honorable Gale Norton and Mr. Hughes.
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 7 Date: <u>1/26/04</u>
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