

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sadness and condolences of the Fourteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia at the passing of Chief Andrew B. Ruepong of the State of Yap.

1           WHEREAS, Chief Andrew B. Ruepong of the State of Yap passed  
2 away recently; and

3           WHEREAS, Chief Ruepong was a distinguished citizen and one of  
4 the three paramount chiefs of the State of Yap; and

5           WHEREAS, the Chief was the devoted husband of Mona Lisa  
6 Mongon and the loving father of ten children; and

7           WHEREAS, the late Chief was respected in the State of Yap and  
8 throughout the Micronesian region for his hard work and many  
9 contributions to the well-being of his fellow citizens; and

10           WHEREAS, Chief Ruepong worked as a teacher, an Economic  
11 Development Advisor, an Administrative Officer of the Yap State  
12 Legislature, Mayor of Rull, Justice of the Yap State Court and,  
13 most recently, Political Advisor for the Council of Pilung; and

14           WHEREAS, the Members of the Fourteenth Congress of the  
15 Federated States of Micronesia join the family and friends of  
16 Chief Andrew B. Ruepong, as well as the people of the State of Yap  
17 in mourning his untimely passing; now, therefore,

18           BE IT RESOLVED by the Fourteenth Congress of the Federated  
19 States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2007, that the  
20 Congress, on behalf of the people of the Federated States of

1 Micronesia, wishes to express to the family and friends of the  
2 late Chief Andrew B. Ruepong, and the people of the State of Yap,  
3 its sadness and condolences at his passing;

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
5 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States  
6 of Micronesia, Governor of the State of Yap and the family of  
7 Chief Andrew B. Ruepong.

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9 Date: 3/29/07

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