## A RESOLUTION

To amend section 1 of rule 5 of the Official Rules of Procedure of the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia by adding a category for Agency or Governmental Authority Communications to the daily Order of Business for Congressional Session.

- 1 WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
- 2 is governed by its Official Rules of Procedure; and
- WHEREAS, rule 15 of the Official Rules of Procedure
- 4 stipulates that a motion is required to amend the said rules; and
- 5 WHEREAS, a Congressional Resolution is a transparent and
- 6 open mechanism for an amendment to the Official Rules of
- 7 Procedure; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the Members of the Seventeenth Congress of the
- 9 Federated States of Micronesia desire to add a category to the
- 10 daily Order of Business for Congressional Session entitled
- 11 "Agency or Governmental Authority Communications"; now,
- 12 therefore,
- 13 BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated
- 14 States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2012, that section 1
- 15 of rule 5 of the Official Rules of Procedure of the Seventeenth
- 16 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia is amended to read
- 17 as follows:
- 18 "RULE 5. ORDER OF BUSINESS
- 19 Section 1. Order of business.

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             (a) Call to Order;
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             (b) Moment of Silent Prayer;
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             (c) Roll Call;
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             (d) Reading of the Journal;
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             (e) Presidential Communications;
             (f) FSM Supreme Court Communications;
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             (g) Member Communications;
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             (h) Departmental Communications;
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            (i) Agency or Governmental Authority
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     Communications;
       [(i)](j) State Communications;
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       [<del>(j)</del>](k) State Supreme Court Communications;
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       [<del>(k)</del>](1) Municipal or Town Communications;
       [<del>(1)</del>](m) Foreign Government Communications;
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       [\frac{(m)}{(n)}] (n) Standing Committee Reports;
       [<del>(n)</del>](o) Special Committee Reports
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       [<del>(o)</del>] <u>(p)</u> Unfinished Business;
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       [<del>(p)</del>] <u>(q)</u> Bill Calendar;
       [\frac{q}{r}] (r) Resolution Calendar;
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       [\frac{(r)}{s}] Introduction of Bills and Resolutions;
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       [<del>(s)</del>](t) Miscellaneous Communications;
       [(t)] (u) Miscellaneous Business;
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       [(u)](v) Announcements;
       [(v)] (w) Recess"; and
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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
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   resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
 3 States of Micronesia.
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 5 Date: 3/22/12 Introduced by: /s/ Wesley W. Simina
                                             Wesley W. Simina
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