## A RESOLUTION

To approve a foreign financial assistance to the Federated States of Micronesia in the total amount of \$4,000,000 from the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

- 1 WHEREAS, the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat has agreed to
- 2 make a financial contribution to the Federated States of
- 3 Micronesia in the amount of \$4,000,000; and
- 4 WHERAS, the financial assistance is intended to support the
- 5 implementation of the Pacific Environment Community Fund Project;
- 6 and
- 7 WHEREAS, the Pacific Environment Community Fund Project is a
- 8 nationwide FSM project that harnesses alternative energy source
- 9 (solar, in particular) aimed at producing up to 150 kwp capacity
- 10 of grid-connected solar PV systems in each of the four States; and
- 11 WHEREAS, this critical initiative enhances the efficiency and
- 12 reliability of power supply considering the prevailing
- 13 difficulties encountered by the state utilities; and
- 14 WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the
- 15 Federated States of Micronesia provides that for an agreement on
- 16 foreign financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by
- 17 Congress by resolution; now, therefore,
- 18 BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated
- 19 States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2012, that Congress
- 20 hereby accepts the \$4,000,000 financial assistance from the

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1 Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat, including all the terms and
   conditions of the assistance; and
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        BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
   resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
 5 of Micronesia.
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   Dated: 9/27/12 Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper
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