A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere sadness and condolences of the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to the People’s Republic of China regarding the tragic loss of life, property, business and agriculture due to the floods of July 2012 in the northeast and southeast regions of the People’s Republic of China.

WHEREAS, the People’s Republic of China and the Federated States of Micronesia enjoy a close and beneficial relationship, and the Federated States of Micronesia greatly appreciates the People’s Republic of China as one of its main development partners; and

WHEREAS, the People’s Republic of China has suffered devastating flooding in its northeast and southeast regions, including within the city of Beijing, which has resulted in the deaths of 79 people, the evacuation of over 50,000 individuals and enormous loss of property, business and agriculture in July 2012; and

WHEREAS, the government and the people of the Federated States of Micronesia are deeply saddened by the multiple and severe effects of the July 2012 flooding disaster in the People’s Republic of China; and

WHEREAS, the Members of the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia wish to express its sadness and condolences to the people and the government of the People’s Republic of China; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Seventeenth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2012, wishes to express its sadness and condolences to the people and government of the People’s Republic of China regarding the tragic loss of life, property, business and agriculture as a result of the July 2012 flooding in the northeast and southeast regions of their country; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to President of the Federated States of Micronesia and the Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

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