A RESOLUTION

Urging the President to search for alternate medical referral locations in light of the number of citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia that are unable to receive necessary and appropriate medical treatment at the currently designated overseas medical facilities.

WHEREAS, a number of citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia suffer from serious injury or disease that necessitate they be referred outside of the country to a medical facility that has the necessary and appropriate medical resources and professionals to fully treat the individual’s condition; and

WHEREAS, many of these same citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia in need of medical referral outside of the country are unable to be referred to the currently designated overseas medical facilities; and

WHEREAS, the health and welfare of the people of the Federated States of Micronesia is of primary concern to its government; and

WHEREAS, numerous alternate overseas medical facilities exist in our region, including several possible medical facilities in China; now, therefore,
BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventeenth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2011,
that the Congress hereby urges the President to search for
alternate overseas medical referral locations, including those
appropriate medical facilities in China, for referral of
citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia suffering from
serious injury or disease that necessitate such referral; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
States of Micronesia.

Date: 7/25/11

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