EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2014

C.R. NO. 18-186

A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$710,888 from the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, to assist in funding the FSM Department of Education, Office of Special Education Program, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, the United States through the Department of 1 2 Education, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative 3 Services, issued a Notice of Award of financial assistance on July 01, 2014, in the amount of \$710,888; and 4 5 WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant is to assist in funding the implementation of programs and services for eligible children with 6 7 disabilities, including their families throughout the FSM; and WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the 8 Federated States of Micronesia provides that for an agreement 9 10 on foreign financial assistance to be valid it must be approved 11 the Congress by resolution; and

12 WHEREAS, the FSM Government expresses appreciation to the 13 United States for the federal grant programs made available to 14 the Federated Stats of Micronesia; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Special Session, 2014, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the \$710,888 grant from the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, to assist in funding the FSM

1 Department of Education, Office of Special Education Program, including all the terms and conditions thereof; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, and the United States Embassy in Kolonia. Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper Date: <u>7/9/14</u> Florencio S. Harper (by request)