

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere sadness and condolences of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to the government and citizens of the People's Republic of China regarding the loss of life and property in the July 23, 2013 earthquake in Gansu province near the city of Dingxi.

1           WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia and the People's  
2   Republic of China have a strong relationship; and

3           WHEREAS, the People's Republic of China recently suffered a  
4   devastating earthquake in the northwest province of Gansu near  
5   the city of Dingxi on July 23, 2013; and

6           WHEREAS, the July 23, 2013 earthquake resulted in the death  
7   of 89 people, leaving over 30,000 homeless and millions of  
8   dollars in property loss; and

9           WHEREAS, the people of our Nation are saddened by the loss  
10  of life and property this natural disaster inflicted on the  
11  People's Republic of China; and

12           The Federated States of Micronesia wishes to express its  
13  sincere sadness and condolences to the People's Republic of  
14  China; now, therefore,

15           BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated  
16  States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2013, that Congress  
17  hereby expresses its sincere sadness and condolences to the  
18  government and citizens of the People's Republic of China  
19  regarding the loss of life and property in the July 23, 2013

1 earthquake in Gansu province near the city of Dingxi; and

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

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7 Date: 9/10/13 Introduced by: /s/ Isaac V. Figir  
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