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.

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

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

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

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

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

BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2013, that Congress hereby expresses its sincere sadness and condolences 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; and

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

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