

A RESOLUTION

Ratifying the amendment, signed in July 2013, of the Third Arrangement Implementing the Nauru Agreement Concerning Cooperation in the Management of Fisheries of Common Interest.

1 WHEREAS, Congress adopted Congressional Resolution No.
2 16-151 on January 10, 2011, ratifying for the Federated States
3 of Micronesia the Third Arrangement Implementing the Nauru
4 Agreement Concerning Cooperation in the Management of
5 Fisheries of Common Interest; and

6 WHEREAS, the Third Implementing Arrangement imposes
7 certain measures for the conservation of fishery stock,
8 including restriction on fishing activities on the high
9 seas pockets within the PNA Region; and

10 WHEREAS, on July 2013, at the 7th Ministerial Meeting in
11 Honiara, Solomon Islands, an amendment of the Third Implementing
12 Arrangement was adopted in order to remove the closure of the
13 Eastern High Seas from January 1, 2014; now therefore,

14 BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated
15 States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2013, that the
16 amendment of the Third Arrangement Implementing the Nauru
17 Agreement Concerning Cooperation in the Management of Fisheries
18 of Common Interest, as attached the hereto, is hereby ratified
19 pursuant to the authority granted in article IX, section 4 of the
20 Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 resolution be transmitted to President of the Federated States of
3 Micronesia.

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5 Date: 9/11/13

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper
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