A RESOLUTION

Authorizing the President to submit the Recommended National Government Compact Budget Request, as revised pursuant to Congress's recommendations, to the United States under Article V of the Fiscal Procedures Agreement.

- 1 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia and the
- 2 United States of America have entered into a Compact of
- 3 Free Association, as amended; and
- 4 WHEREAS, title 55 of the Code of the Federated States
- of Micronesia, at section 103(4)(d), requires the President
- of the Federated States of Micronesia to submit to Congress
- 7 a Recommended National Government Compact Budget Request
- 8 for the ensuring fiscal year; and
- 9 WHEREAS, title 55 of the Code of the Federated States
- 10 of Micronesia, at section 103(5)(b), permits the Congress,
- 11 by resolution, to recommend changes to the Recommended
- 12 National Government Compact Budget Request in any respect
- 13 consistent with the Compact, as amended; and
- 14 WHEREAS, title 55 of the Code of the Federated States
- of Micronesia, at section 303(4), as amended, sets the
- 16 National Government share of Compact Budget Requests for
- 17 Fiscal Years 2015 and thereafter, except Supplemental
- 18 Education Grants under section 105 of the Amended Compact

- 1 and after JEMCO funds the College of Micronesia-FSM, a zero
- 2 percent (0%); and
- 3 WHEREAS, the Recommended National Government Budget
- 4 Request submitted by the President to Congress for Fiscal
- 5 Year 2016 reflects the current law and requests Education
- 6 Sector Grant in the amount of \$1,000,000 to fund the
- 7 College of Micronesia-FSM, and Supplemental Education
- 8 Grants under Section 105 of the Amended Compact for the
- 9 National Department of Education in the amount of \$366,598
- 10 and for College of Micronesia-FSM in the amount of \$689,948
- 11 and the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of
- 12 Micronesia concurs with the President's proposed funding
- 13 level; now, therefore,
- 14 BE IT RESOLVED by the Nineteenth Congress of the
- 15 Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session,
- 16 2015, that Congress recommends the President submit the
- 17 National Government Compact Budget Request as set forth in
- 18 the Recommended National Government Compact Budget Request
- 19 for Fiscal Year 2016; and adopted by Education Committee
- 20 Standing Committee Report No. 19-02
- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pursuant to title 55 of
- 22 the Code of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia,
- 23 section 103(7), the President of the Federated States of
- 24 Micronesia is hereby authorized to submit the National
- 25 Government Compact Budget Request, in conformity with the

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     terms of this resolution, to the United States of America
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     under Article V of the Fiscal Procedures Agreement; and
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          BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
     resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
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     States of Micronesia, and to the Embassy of the United
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     States of America in Kolonia, Pohnpei.
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   Date: 5/28/15
                                Introduced by: /s/ Isaac V. Figir
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