A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of $150,057 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, to fund the FSM Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Disease Capacity Building Program from August 01, 2016, to July 31, 2017, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, the United States through the Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, issued a Notice of Award with grant number: NU50CK00381-03-01 on August 04, 2016, in the amount of $150,057; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant is to fund the FSM Project entitled: “Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Disease Capacity Building” specifically for the enhancement of infection disease investigation, outbreak control, testing, surveillance, and information systems in the FSM; and

WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia provides that for an agreement on federal financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by Congress by resolution; and

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

BE IT RESOLVED by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2016, that Congress
hereby approves and accepts the $150,057 grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, to fund the FSM Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infections Disease Capacity Building 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, the Secretary of Health and Social Affairs and the United States Embassy in Kolonia.

Date: 12/16/16

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper

Florencio S. Harper (by request)