January 25, 2019

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I transmit herewith a certified copy of Congressional Resolution No. 20-176, which was adopted by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2019.

Sincerely,

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant from the government of the People’s Republic of China in the amount of RMB 21,201,800, to fund the China-aided reconstruction project of the Kahmar Bridge in the state of Pohnpei, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

Introduced by Senator: Florencio S. Harper (by request)

Date: January 22, 2019

Adopted: January 22, 2019

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1  WHEREAS, on September 18, 2015, the Government of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia and the Government of the
3 People’s Republic of China signed the Economic and Technical
4 Cooperation Agreement, followed by the signing of the Exchange
5 of Letters between the Government of the Federated States of
6 Micronesia and the Government of the People’s Republic of China
7 on January 15th and 30th, 2018, confirming that the Chinese
8 Government agrees to undertake the China-aided Reconstruction
9 Project of Kahmar Bridge in the state of Pohnpei with a grant
10 in the amount of RMB 21,201,800; and
11  WHEREAS, section 210 (2) of title 55 of the Code of the
12 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended,
13 requires that for foreign financial assistance to be valid its
14 must be approved by Congress by resolution; and
15  WHEREAS, the FSM government expresses appreciation to the
16 Government of the People’s Republic of China for the financial
17 assistance made available to the Federated States of
18 Micronesia; now, therefore,
19  BE IT RESOLVED by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated
States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2019, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the RMB 21,201,800 grant from the Government of People's Republic of China for the China-aided Reconstruction Project of the Kahmar Bridge in the state of Pohnpei, including all the terms and conditions thereof; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of Federated States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure and the Chinese Embassy in Palikir.

ADOPTED: January 22, 2019

Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress

ATTEST:

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
FSM Congress