## A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$266,665 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, to fund the project entitled "Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases (ELC)" and related services, to support capacity development for merging infectious disease control in the Federated States of Micronesia, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

- 1 WHEREAS, on July 17, 2020, the United States of America,
- 2 through its Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for
- 3 Disease Control and Prevention, extended to the Government of the
- 4 Federated States of Micronesia, through its Department of Health
- 5 and Social Affairs, a grant in the amount of U.S.D \$266,665, as
- 6 evidenced by the Notice of Grant Award No. 5 NU50CK000513-02-00;
- 7 WHEREAS, the grant was awarded for the specific purpose of
- 8 funding the project entitled: "Epidemiology and Laboratory
- 9 Capacity for Infectious Diseases (ELC)" for the budget period from
- 10 August 1, 2020 through July 31, 2021 to support the development of
- 11 the FSM's capacity in the control of emerging infectious disease
- 12 in the FSM; and
- 13 WHEREAS, section 210(2) of the Code of the Federated States
- 14 of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, requires that for foreign
- 15 financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by Congress
- 16 by resolution; now, therefore,
- 17 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated
- 18 States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2020, that Congress
- 19 hereby approves and accepts the \$266,665 grant from the U.S.

1 Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease 2 Control and Prevention, to fund the ELC Project in the FSM, including all the terms and conditions thereof; and 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Affairs and Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs. 8 Date: 8/21/20 9 Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper Florencio S. Harper 10 (by request) 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

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