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October 07, 2020

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. 21-210, C.D.1, which was adopted by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2020.

Sincerely,

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

Enclosures



TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FIFTH REGULAR SESSION
SEPTEMBER 14 – OCTOBER 3, 2020

A RESOLUTION

HONORING THE LIFE AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF ONE OF THE LAST FOUNDING FATHERS OF THIS NATION, AND EXPRESSING THE SINCERE CONDOLENCES AND SADNESS OF THE TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA TO THE FAMILY OF THE LATE HONORABLE HILARY TACHELIOL, AT HIS PASSING ON SEPTEMBER 5, 2020.

INTRODUCED BY SENATORS: ISAAC V. FIGIR AND JOSEPH J. URUSEMAL

DATE: OCTOBER 1, 2020

ADOPTED: OCTOBER 2, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the life and achievements of one of the last founding fathers of this Nation, and expressing the sincere condolences and sadness of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to the family of the late Honorable Hilary Tacheliol, at his passing on September 5, 2020.

1 WHEREAS, Hilary Tacheliol was born on March 23, 1940, on the
2 island of Mogmog in Ulithi, Yap, and passed away on September 5,
3 2020, at the age of 80; and

4 WHEREAS, Hilary Tacheliol graduated from Xavier High School
5 in Chuuk in 1963, and from the University of Guam in 1968 earning
6 Bachelors degrees in Political Science and Secondary Education,
7 with a minor in Sociology; and

8 WHEREAS, after graduating from the University of Guam, Hilary
9 Tacheliol returned to Yap and committed to a life of service to
10 the people of Yap and the Federated States of Micronesia for over
11 50 years; and

12 WHEREAS, Hilary Tacheliol was notably known as one of the
13 last remaining founding fathers of the Federated States of
14 Micronesia in his contributions to independence through the FSM
15 Constitution as a delegate from Yap to the Micronesian
16 Constitutional Convention of 1975 in Saipan; and

17 WHEREAS, some of Hilary Tacheliol's significant contributions
18 to the development and growth of the State of Yap and the
19 Federated States of Micronesia include the following:

20 ▪ An educator in various schools across Yap, including

- 1 being the first native Vice Principal for the Outer
2 Islands High School in the late 1960's;
- 3 ▪ A Yap District Official, including working as the
4 District Administrative Representative and Deputy
5 District Administrator in the early 1970's;
 - 6 ▪ The first Lieutenant Governor of the State of Yap from
7 January 8, 1979, to January 12, 1987;
 - 8 ▪ A Cabinet Member and Consultant to various Governors of
9 Yap State in subsequent Administrations; including
10 serving as Director of Youth and Civic Affairs, Director
11 of Administrative Office, Special Advisor and Consultant
12 to the Governor; from 1987 to his retirement from
13 government services in 2003;
 - 14 ▪ The longest serving member on the FSM Development Bank's
15 Board of Directors from 1991 to 2015 holding different
16 leadership positions on the board including being
17 Chairperson in 1995;
 - 18 ▪ The Chief of Mogmog island, and Acting Chairman of the
19 Council of Tamol until his passing; and

20 WHEREAS, Hilary Tacheliol's work in government and the
21 communities, his leadership, generosity, work ethic, humorous
22 character and wisdom will be greatly missed by our Nation; and

23 WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
24 strongly believes our Nation has benefited greatly from the late
25 Honorable Hilary Tacheliol through his leadership and dedication

1 to his many government and community positions spanning over 50
2 years; now, therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED, by Twenty-First Congress of the Federated
4 States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2020, that Congress
5 hereby honors the life and achievements of a founding father of
6 this Nation, and expresses its sincere condolences and sadness to
7 the family of the late Honorable Hilary Tacheliol, at his passing
8 on September 5, 2020, at the age of 80 years old; and

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
10 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
11 of Micronesia, the Chairman of the Council of Pilung, the Chairman
12 of the Council of Tamol, the Governor of the state of Yap, the
13 Speaker of the 10th Yap State Legislature and the family of the
14 late Honorable Hilary Tacheliol.

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17 ADOPTED: October 2, 2020



Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress

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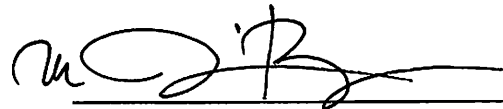
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ATTEST:



Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
FSM Congress

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