A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of $467,114 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” and related services to support capacities for emerging infectious disease control in the FSM, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, on April 23, 2020, the United States through the Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, extended to the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, through the FSM Department of Health and Social Affairs, a grant in the amount of $467,114, as evidenced by the Notice of Grant No. 6NU50CK000513-01-02; and

WHEREAS, the grant was awarded for the specific purpose of funding the project entitled: “Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases” for the budget period from August 01, 2019, to July 31, 2020, that aims at reducing incidence and burden of infectious diseases throughout the Nation; and

WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, requires that for foreign financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by Congress by resolution; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the $467,114 grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 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 the Department of Health and Social Affairs and the Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

Date: 5/21/20

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper

Florencio S. Harper
(by request)