## A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$165,504 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), to fund and support the project entitled "Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases (ELC) in the Federated States of Micronesia", including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

- 1 WHEREAS, on June 29, 2021, the United States of America,
- 2 through its Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for
- 3 Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), extended to the Government
- 4 of the Federated States of Micronesia, through its Department of
- 5 Health and Social Affairs, a grant in the amount of \$165,504 as
- 6 evidenced in the Notice of Grant Award No. 5 NU50CK000513-00; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia
- 8 wishes to express its sincere gratitude to the Government of the
- 9 United States of America for this generous grant; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the grant was awarded for the specific purpose of
- 11 funding the project entitled "Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity
- 12 for the Infectious Disease (ELC)" and related services to support
- 13 capacity development for emerging infectious disease control in
- 14 the FSM; and
- WHEREAS, the project period is from August 1, 2019 to July
- 16 31, 2024, and the budget period for this grant is from August 1,
- 17 2021, through to July 30, 2022; and

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        WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the
   Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), requires for foreign
   financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by Congress
   by resolution, now, therefore,
        BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated
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   States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2021, that Congress
   hereby approves and accepts the $165,504 grant from the U.S.
   Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease
   Control and Prevention, including all the terms and conditions
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  thereof; and
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        BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
   resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
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   of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Health and
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   Social Affairs, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign
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   Affairs, and the Secretary of the Department of Justice.
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                          Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper
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   Date: 7/27/21
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