A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount the \$283,060 from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR), to assist the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, Department of Health and Social Affairs, in its project entitled: "FSM Public Health and Hospital Emergency Preparedness", including terms and conditions of the assistance.

- 1 WHEREAS, on July 12, 2021, the U.S. Department of Health and
- 2 Human Services, through its Office of the Assistant Secretary for
- 3 Preparedness and Response (ASPR), issued a Notice of Award of
- 4 financial assistance in the amount of \$283,060 to provide funding
- 5 assistance to the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia
- 6 and its Department of Health and Social Affairs in its Public
- 7 Health and Hospital Emergency Preparedness (PHHEP) projects; and
- 8 WHEREAS, this is the third year of the five-year project
- 9 period, and this grant will provide funding for the FSM Public
- 10 Health and Hospital Emergency Preparedness Program to support the
- 11 States' Departments of Health Services to improve their capacities
- 12 in responding to health emergency and disaster; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia
- 14 wishes to express its sincere gratitude and appreciation to the
- 15 Government of the United States for this generous grant; and
- WHEREAS, section 210(2) of Title 55 of the Code of the
- 17 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, requires
- 18 that for foreign financial assistance to be valid is must be

1 approved by Congress by resolution; now, therefore, 2 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, that Congress hereby approves and accepts this \$283,060 grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness & Response, to fund the Public Health and Hospital Emergency Preparedness Project and related activities, including all the terms and conditions of the 9 assistance; and 10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States 11 of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs, 12 13 the Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Affairs, the Secretary of the Department of Finance and Administration and the 14 15 Secretary of the Department of Justice. 16 Date: 9/16/21 Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper Florencio S. Harper 18 (by request) 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

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