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December 09, 2022

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. 22-142, which was adopted by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2022.

Sincerely,

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION
NOVEMBER 28 – DECEMBER 07, 2022

A RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING THE SINCERE APPRECIATION OF THE TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA TO FLOYD K. TAKEUCHI FOR HIS LONG CAREER IN PHOTOGRAPHY AND JOURNALISM THAT HAS FOCUSED ON THE PACIFIC AND CONTRIBUTED TO A GREATER POSITIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA IN THE WORLD.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FLORENCIO S. HARPER

DATE: SEPTEMBER 06, 2022

ADOPTED: DECEMBER 01, 2022

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere appreciation of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to Floyd K. Takeuchi for his long career in photography and journalism that has focused on the Pacific and contributed to a greater positive understanding of the Federated States of Micronesia in the world.

1 WHEREAS, Floyd K. Takeuchi was born in Majuro Atoll in 1953
2 and was raised there giving him a life-long affinity for the
3 Pacific and an unsurpassed understanding of the region where he
4 has spent over 50 years as a photographer and journalist; and

5 WHEREAS, during Floyd K. Takeuchi's long career he has worked
6 on stories as far ranging as the second evacuation of Bikini
7 Atoll, the political status negotiations that led to the
8 independence for the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic
9 of the Marshall Islands and Palau; and

10 WHEREAS, he has interviewed presidents, prime ministers and
11 kings, as well as, covering the financial markets in Asia and
12 Hawaii; and

13 WHEREAS, he has been Editor-Publisher of Hawaii Business
14 Magazine and President/Chief Operating Officer of Pacific Basin
15 Communications, he has been named Small Business Journalist of the
16 Year by the United States Small Business Administration, these are
17 only a few of his many accomplishments; and

18 WHEREAS, since 2009 Floyd K. Takeuchi has operated his own
19 communications company in Hawaii and has worked on many large

1 documentary projects in our region, he has published five
2 illustrated books that produced many long photo essays and works
3 with a private foundation in Tokyo to further education and
4 understanding in the Pacific, and

5 WHEREAS, Floyd K. Takeuchi continues to promote the interests
6 and understanding of our people, in his upcoming seventeenth
7 photography exhibit in Honolulu, Hawaii, he will showcase nine
8 women of Micronesian descent that have been highly successful,
9 thus continuing to push back against negative stereotypes and
10 discrimination; and

11 WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
12 wishes to express its sincere appreciation to Floyd K. Takeuchi
13 for his dedicated work that has greatly benefited the people of
14 the Federated States of Micronesia; now, therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated
16 States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2022, that Congress
17 hereby expresses its sincere appreciation to Floyd K. Takeuchi for
18 his long career in photography and journalism that focused on the
19 Pacific and contributed to a greater positive understanding of the
20 Federated States of Micronesia; and

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
3 of Micronesia and Floyd K. Takeuchi

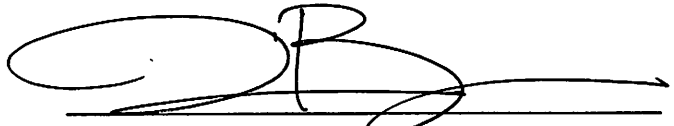
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7 ADOPTED: December 01, 2022

Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress

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ATTEST:



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