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April 04, 2023

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
P.O. Box PS 3  
FSM Congress  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina

I transmit herewith a certified copy of Congressional Resolution No. 22-200, C.D.1, C.D.2, which was adopted by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2023.

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  
SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION  
APRIL 03 – 07, 2023

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# A RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THAT THE PRESIDENT MAKE NO ALTERATION TO THE  
DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND  
REITERATING THE ONE CHINA POLICY AS THE OFFICIAL POLICY OF THE FSM.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN

DATE: MARCH 15, 2023

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ADOPTED: APRIL 04, 2023

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

A RESOLUTION

Requesting that the President make no alteration to the diplomatic relations with the People's Republic of China and reiterating the One China Policy as the official policy of the FSM.

1           WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia  
2 is very aware of our Nation's unique position as a pacific  
3 island nation with economic, geographic, political and  
4 environmental significance, and while it has a small population  
5 and modest incomes compared to many of its large neighbors, it  
6 is important to those neighbors, and that our Nation's  
7 leadership has always striven to protect our culture and  
8 tradition, and independence, as well as, the best interests of  
9 its citizens since the founding of the Nation in 1979, and this  
10 has been done, in part, by declaring one of its primary foreign  
11 policies to all the nations of the world that it is 'a friend to  
12 all and an enemy to none'; and

13           WHEREAS, the small population of our Nation has worked in  
14 favor of many of our successes and allowed for consulting and  
15 contribution from our National and State Governments, consensus  
16 and continuity has been achieved after careful study and it has  
17 produced consistent policy and united government in many areas,  
18 including foreign affairs, diplomatic relationships achieved  
19 after significant study and review by a broad group of our  
20 government leaders has led to an increase in our Nation's

1 participation in global and regional organizations, an increase  
2 in development aid, training and education opportunities,  
3 funding in infrastructure, health and education, and many other  
4 benefits, but equally important it has led to security, peace  
5 and stability; and

6       WHEREAS, the foreign policy and diplomatic relations of the  
7 Federated States of Micronesia have taken years, and in some  
8 cases decades to establish with other nations, our Nation's  
9 diplomatic relations with the People's Republic of China is an  
10 example of hard work, consultation and study by our Department  
11 of Foreign Affairs, in conjunction with consultation with a  
12 broad segment of our National and State Government leadership,  
13 and it has produced a diplomatic relationship with the People's  
14 Republic of China that has significantly benefited the Federated  
15 States of Micronesia; and

16       WHEREAS, after many years of strong diplomatic relations  
17 with the People's Republic of China, including recognizing its  
18 One China policy the Congress of the Federated States of  
19 Micronesia strongly urges that its diplomatic relationship with  
20 the People's Republic of China remain unchanged absent an in-  
21 depth study, consultation with this Congress and a broad segment  
22 of National and State Governments, and compelling evidence of  
23 any negative impact this diplomatic relationship has had on this  
24 Nation; now, therefore,

1 BE IT RESOLVED, that the Congress reiterates that the One  
2 China Policy is the official policy of the FSM; and

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the  
4 Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2023,  
5 that the Congress hereby requests that the President make no  
6 alteration to the diplomatic relations with the People's  
7 Republic of China; and

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this  
9 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated  
10 States of Micronesia.

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14 ADOPTED: April 04, 2023

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ATTEST:

  
Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
FSM Congress

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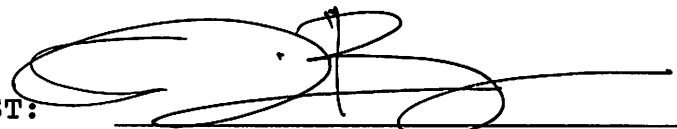
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Chief Clerk  
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