A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of $250,000 from the United States Department of Education, to fund and support the FSM Department of Education, Division of Special Services, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, the United States through the Department of Education issued a Notice of Award on August 31, 2023, to the FSM Department of Education, Division of Special Services for its third-year grant portion of a five-year project as authorized under the United States Individuals with Disabilities Act Amendments of 1997 in the amount of $250,000 for the budget period from August 01, 2023, to July 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant assistance is to fund and support the implementation and improvement of services of the FSM Department of Education, Division of Special Services, towards eligible children with disabilities and their families in the FSM; 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-Third Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2023, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the $250,000 grant from the United
States Department of Education, to fund the FSM Division of Special Services and its activities, 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 Education, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs and the U.S. Embassy in Kolonia.

Date: 9/22/23

Introduced by: /s/ Quincy Lawrence

Quincy Lawrence (by request)