A BILL FOR AN ACT

To authorize the secession of the Faichuk islands in Truk State from the Federated States of Micronesia for the purpose of allowing those islands to form a separate and new sovereign nation independent of the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

1. Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this act is to authorize the secession of the Faichuk islands in Truk State from the Federated States of Micronesia for the purpose of allowing those islands to form a separate and new sovereign nation independent of the Federated States of Micronesia.

2. Section 2. Description of affected islands. There is hereby created a new nation which shall be henceforth known as the Republic of Faichuk. It shall be comprised of the inhabited islands of Tol, Fanapanges, Eot, Patta, Polle, Romalum, Udot, and Wonei and all other islands and reefs located in Truk Lagoon, including those situated on or comprising the outer barrier reef, lying west of the State of Truk.

3. Section 3. Secession of Faichuk. Upon the effective date of this act, the Faichuk islands shall be permanently separated from the Federated States of Micronesia and the State of Truk and shall be a separate and new sovereign nation unto itself.

4. Section 4. Effective date. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

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