A RESOLUTION

Requesting the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to inquire into the judicial practices of Judge Richard Benson, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia.

1. WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia has been informed that the possibility exists that Judge Richard Benson, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia, may have been involved in some type of judicial impropriety; and

2. WHEREAS, Justice Richard Benson has not been, and is not by this resolution, accused of any wrongdoing; and

3. WHEREAS, it is important to ensure that rumors do not undermine the integrity of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia or of Justice Richard Benson; now, therefore,

4. BE IT RESOLVED by the Third Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 1983, that the Congress be requested to inquire into the judicial practices of Judge Richard Benson, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia, Justice Richard Benson, and the President of the Federated States of Micronesia.

Date: 6/5/83

Introduced by: [Signature]

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