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A RESOLUTION

Commending public safety officers from the Federated States of Micronesia upon their graduation from the Micronesian Police Academy in Sitka, Alaska, and recognizing the efforts of those individuals and institutions responsible for organizing and conducting the training program.

1 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia is continuously striving
2 to develop its manpower, setting as its goals increased self-reliance and
3 improved social well-being for its citizens; and

4 WHEREAS, a number of Federated States of Micronesia State and National
5 public safety officers recently attended an intensive 13-week training
6 program at the Alaska Department of Public Safety Academy in Sitka, Alaska,
7 which for the purposes of the program was known as the Micronesian Police
8 Academy; and

9 WHEREAS, the above-mentioned training program involved a rigorous
10 course of study designed to develop the skills and abilities of the
11 participants in essential public safety activities; and

12 WHEREAS, the following public safety officers from the Federated
13 States of Micronesia have graduated from the above-mentioned training
14 course: Siosi Alikxa, Sailas A. Kephas, Canney L. Palsis, Andy L. Robert,
15 and Widmer M. Sigrah, Kosrae State; Anselmo S. Daniel, Sorsios J. Esemanau,
16 Teichy P. Killion, Skinory Siroda Retonong, Kerson Chiwi Rizal, and Elias
17 Heben Sandy, Truk State; Christopher Fugmow, Steven M. Ngalen, Joan M.
18 Philip, and Charles L. Tamankammanged, Yap State; Quirino M. Ladorre,
19 Peter M. Lohn, Berney J. Martin, William L. Panuelo, Joseph P. Roby, and
20 Bert Joe Rodriguez, Ponape State; Tarios D. Ludwig and Lester A. Ruda,
21 FSM Division of Safety and Investigation; and Kohsak M. Keller, Trust
22 Territory of the Pacific Islands (Ponape); and

23 WHEREAS, the following officers were awarded special recognition for
24 their excellent performances at the training program: Lester A. Ruda,
25 class valedictorian and emergency trauma training special award winner;

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1 Sorsios J. Esemanau, class salutatorian; Berney J. Martin, driving award
2 winner; Siosi Aliksa, physical fitness award winner; Christopher Fugmow,
3 firearms award winner; and Steven M. Ngalen (along with Samuel Ngirchokebai
4 of Palau), Commissioner's Commendation for saving the life of a boy who
5 fell into a river near the academy; and

6 WHEREAS, Bryan Vila of the Trust Territory Bureau of Investigation
7 and Ron Reynolds, former Chief of Police for Yap State, were primarily
8 responsible for organizing the training program and contributed
9 considerable time, energy, and support to ensure its successful imple-
10 mentation; and

11 WHEREAS, the Alaska Department of Public Safety generously provided
12 the facilities and instructors for the training program; and

13 WHEREAS, the successful completion of the training program by the
14 above-mentioned officers demonstrates their dedication and hard work
15 and testifies to the efforts of Mr. Vila and Mr. Reynolds and the
16 Alaska Department of Public Safety; and

17 WHEREAS, the training program should result in improved, more self-
18 reliant public safety services for the people of the Federated States
19 of Micronesia; now, therefore,

20 BE IT RESOLVED by the Third Congress of the Federated States of
21 Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 1983, that the Congress commends
22 Public Safety Officers Siosi Aliksa, Sailas A. Kephas, Canney L. Palsis,
23 Andy L. Robert, and Widmer M. Sigrah, Kosrae State; Anselmo S. Daniel,
24 Sorsios J. Esemanau, Teichy P. Killion, Skinory Siroda Retonong, Kerson
25 Chiwi Rizal, and Elias Heben Sandy, Truk State; Christopher Fugmow,

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1 Steven M. Ngalen, Joan M. Philip, and Charles L. Tamankamanged, Yap
2 State; Quirino M. Ladorre, Peter M. Lohn, Berney J. Martin, William L.
3 Panuelo, Joseph P. Roby, and Bert Joe Rodriguez, Ponape State; Tarios D.,
4 Ludwig and Lester A. Ruda, FSM Division of Safety and Investigation; and
5 Kohsak M. Keller, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Ponape) for
6 their outstanding performance at the Micronesian Police Academy in Sitka,
7 Alaska, and urges them to use their newly developed skills conscientiously
8 and diligently to improve the public safety services in the Federated
9 States of Micronesia; and

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Congress expresses its sincere
11 appreciation to Bryan Vila and Ron Reynolds for their efforts in organizing
12 the training program and helping to realize its successful completion; and

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Congress expresses its sincere
14 appreciation to the Alaska Department of Public Safety for its generosity
15 and support in providing the facilities and instructors needed for the
16 training program; and

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be
18 transmitted to Siosi Aliksa, Sailas A. Kephass, Canney L. Palsis, Andy L.
19 Robert, and Widmer M. Sigrah, Kosrae State; Anselmo S. Daniel, Sorsios
20 J. Esemanau, Teichy P. Killion, Skinory Siroda Retonong, Kerson Chiwi
21 Rizal, and Elias Heben Sandy, Truk State; Christopher Fugmow, Steven M.
22 Ngalen, Joan M. Philip, and Charles L. Tamankamanged, Yap State;
23 Quirino M. Ladorre, Peter M. Lohn, Berney J. Martin, William L. Panuelo,
24 Joseph P. Roby, and Bert Joe Rodriguez, Ponape State; Tarios D. Ludwig
25 and Lester A. Ruda, FSM Division of Safety and Investigation;

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1 and Kohsak M. Keller, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Ponape);
2 Bryan Vila; Ron Reynolds; the Director of the Alaska Department of Public
3 Safety; the President of the Federated States of Micronesia; the High
4 Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; the Governor
5 of each State; and the chief public safety officer of each State.

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