A RESOLUTION

Distributing the goods and services to be made available under the recently concluded agreement between the Micronesian Maritime Authority and the Federation of Japan Tuna Fisheries Co-operative Associations, the National Offshore Tuna Fisheries Association of Japan, the Japan Far Seas Purse Seine Fishing Association, and the Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Associations of Japan.

1 WHEREAS, the Micronesian Maritime Authority did conclude an agreement entitled:

"AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE MICRONESIAN MARITIME AUTHORITY OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA AND FEDERATION OF JAPAN TUNA FISHERIES CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS, NATIONAL OFFSHORE TUNA FISHERIES ASSOCIATION OF JAPAN, JAPAN FAR SEAS PURSE SEINE FISHING ASSOCIATION AND FEDERATION OF NORTH PACIFIC DISTRICT PURSE SEINE FISHERIES CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS OF JAPAN, CONCERNING THE SUPPLY OF GOODS AND SERVICES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FISHERIES OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA"; and

2 WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia did, on August 9, 1984, ratify this agreement, by adoption of Congressional Resolution No. 3-156, C.D.1; and

3 WHEREAS, under the terms of this agreement, goods and services with the value of approximately $60 million will be provided to the Federated States of Micronesia; and

4 WHEREAS, section 415(3) of title 24 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia provides that fees from foreign fishing agreements paid in goods and services shall be distributed by resolution of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

5 WHEREAS, it is the sense of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia that the decision of the chief executives of the Federated States of Micronesia at their meetings in June and July of 1982 regarding goods and services from fishing agreements should be
WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia concurred in the decision of the chief executives to distribute goods and services from fishing agreements for this year to the States of Kosrae and Yap; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Third Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 1984, that the goods and services provided under the agreement referenced above be hereby distributed in monetary value as follows:

Kosrae ................. $26,385,948

Yap .................. $33,614,052; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Governor of Truk State, the Speaker of the Truk State Legislature, the Governor of Ponape State, the Speaker of the Ponape State Legislature, the Governor of Yap State, the Speaker of the Yap State Legislature, the Governor of Kosrae State, the Speaker of the Kosrae State Legislature, and the Executive Director of the Micronesian Maritime Authority.

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