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SEVENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD REGULAR SESSION, 1992

C. R. NO. 7-120

A RESOLUTION

To ratify and accede to the Articles of Agreement establishing the International Monetary Fund, the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, the International Finance Corporation, the International Development Association, and to ratify and accede to the Conventions establishing the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency, and the International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes.

- 1 WHEREAS, membership of the Federated States of Micronesia in
- 2 the International Monetary Fund (hereinafter referred to as "the
- 3 Fund"), the International Bank for Reconstruction and
- 4 Development (hereinafter referred to as "the Bank"), the
- 5 International Finance Corporation (hereinafter referred to as
- 6 "the Corporation"), the International Development Association
- 7 (hereinafter referred to as "the Association"), the Multilateral
- 8 Investment Guarantee Agency (hereinafter referred to as "the
- 9 Agency"), and accession to the Convention establishing the
- 10 International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes
- 11 (hereinafter referred to as "the Centre") are important in order
- 12 to enhance the development capabilities of the Nation and to
- 13 achieve the goal of self-sufficiency; and
- 14 WHEREAS, most nations of the world have joined and become
- 15 members of these international organizations and acceded to the
- 16 Convention establishing the International Centre for the
- 17 Settlement of Investment Disputes; and
- 18 WHEREAS, pursuant to section 2(b) of article IX of the
- 19 Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Congress
- 20 of the Federated States of Micronesia is empowered to ratify
- 21 international agreements and conventions such as the Agreements
- 22 and Conventions establishing the respective international
- 23 organizations described above; now, therefore,
- 24 BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventh Congress of the Federated
- 25 States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 1992, that pursuant

- 1 to section 2(b) of article IX of the Constitution of the
- 2 Federated States of Micronesia the Congress hereby ratifies and
- 3 accedes to the Articles of Agreement of the International
- 4 Monetary Fund, the International Bank for Reconstruction and
- 5 Development, the International Finance Corporation, the
- 6 International Development Association, and ratifies and accedes
- 7 to the Conventions establishing the Multilateral Investment
- 8 Guarantee Agency, and the International Centre for the
- 9 Settlement of Investment Disputes, which Articles of Agreement
- 10 and Conventions are incorporated by reference herein as Annex I,
- 11 Annex II, Annex III, Annex IV, Annex V and Annex VI,
- 12 respectively; and
- 13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that with effect from the date of its
- 14 admission to membership in the Fund, the Federated States of
- 15 Micronesia accepts the proposed amendments to the Articles of
- 16 Agreement of the International Monetary Fund approved in
- 17 Resolution No. 45-3 of the Board of Governors of the
- 18 International Monetary Fund, which amendments are incorporated
- 19 by reference herein as Annex VII; and
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Federated States of
- 21 Micronesia agrees to the terms and conditions of the respective
- 22 resolutions of the Board of Governors of the International
- 23 Monetary Fund, the Board of Governors of the International Bank
- 24 for Reconstruction and Development, the Board of Governors of
- 25 the International Finance Corporation, the Board of Governors of

- 1 the International Development Association and the Council of
- 2 Governors of the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency
- 3 relating to the membership of the Federated States of Micronesia
- 4 in the Fund and the Bank, Corporation, Association, and Agency
- 5 respectively; and
- 6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the provisions of Article VIII,
- 7 Section 2(b), Article IX, Sections 2 to 9 inclusive; and Article
- 8 XXI(b) of the Articles of Agreement of the Fund; and the
- 9 provisions of Article VII, Sections 2 to 9 inclusive of the
- 10 Articles of Agreement of the Bank for Reconstruction and
- 11 Development; the provisions of Article VIII, Sections 2 to 9
- 12 inclusive of the Articles of Agreement of the International
- 13 Finance Corporation; the provisions of Article VIII, Sections 2
- 14 to 9 inclusive of the Articles of Agreement of the International
- 15 Development Association; the provisions of Articles 44 to 48
- 16 inclusive of the Convention establishing the Multilateral
- 17 Investment Guarantee Agency; and the provisions of Articles 18
- 18 to 24 inclusive of the Convention establishing the International
- 19 Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes, as well as all
- 20 other provisions of the Articles of Agreement and of the
- 21 Conventions referred to above, shall have full force and effect
- 22 of law in the Federated States of Micronesia upon signature of
- 23 these Articles of Agreement and Convention by the authorized
- 24 representative of the Federated States of Micronesia; and
- 25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President of the Federated

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- 1 States of Micronesia is hereby authorized to designate and
- 2 appoint the Governor and Alternate Governor and other similar
- 3 representatives of the Federated States of Micronesia to the
- 4 Boards or Council of Governors of the respective international
- 5 organizations referred to above and to take all actions which
- 6 are necessary and proper to implement, carry out, and otherwise
- 7 give full force and effect to the provisions of this resolution;
- 8 and
- 9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
- 10 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated

11 States of Micronesia.

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13 Date: 6/08/92

Introduced by:

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