A RESOLUTION

Respectfully requesting the President of the Federated States of Micronesia to take such actions as are necessary to encourage the bottling of drinking water in the Federated States of Micronesia.

1 WHEREAS, clean, pure drinking water is essential to the health and safety of the people of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

2 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia has abundant fresh water resources; and

3 WHEREAS, currently all bottled drinking water sold in the Federated States of Micronesia is imported from abroad at great expense to the people of this Nation; and

4 WHEREAS, the production of bottled drinking water in the Federated States of Micronesia would decrease or eliminate the importation of bottled water from abroad, thereby enhancing economic development in the Nation; and

5 WHEREAS, the existence of a consistent locally produced supply of bottled drinking water would enhance the health and welfare of the people of the Federated States of Micronesia; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventh Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 1991, that the Congress hereby respectfully requests the President of the Federated States of Micronesia to take immediate steps to encourage the production and marketing of bottled drinking water in the Federated States of Micronesia; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President report the proposed action to be taken to the Congress within 45 days of the receipt of this resolution; and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Resources and Development and the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources.

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