

RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere appreciation of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to Madeleine Bordallo for her many years of support to the Federated States of Micronesia while she served as the Delegate to the U.S. House of Representatives from the Guam at Large District.

1 WHEREAS, Madeleine Bordallo has had an important and active
2 career in government serving the people of Guam; and

3 WHEREAS, Madeleine Bordallo admirably served as a member
4 of the Guam Legislature from 1981-1983; and 1987-1995; and

5 WHEREAS, Madeleine Bordallo was the Lieutenant Governor of
6 Guam from 1995-2003, and became the Delegate to the U.S. House
7 of Representatives from Guam for the at Large District in 2003
8 where she served until 2017; and

9 WHEREAS, Madeleine Bordallo has supported measures and
10 programs favorable to the Federated States of Micronesia
11 including the REAL ID Act Modification for the Freely
12 Associated States Act which allows citizens from the Freely
13 Associated States to apply for REAL ID Act compliant drivers
14 licenses, and Madelein Bordallo also introduced a bill to allow
15 citizens of the Freely Associated States to enroll in the
16 AmeriCorps program, and she has been a loyal voice in the U.S.
17 House of Representatives for our Nation; and

18 WHEREAS, in one of her final acts as a representative in
19 the U.S. House of Representatives Madeleine Bordallo introduced

1 House Resolution 1157 titled Reaffirming the Strong Commitment
2 of the United States to the Countries and Territories of the
3 Pacific Islands Region, which part reads 'encourages continued
4 support for the Compacts of Free Association which enhance the
5 strategic posture of the United States in the Western Pacific,
6 reinforce the United States regional commitment, preempt
7 potential adversaries from establishing positional advantage
8 and further self-governance, economic development, and self-
9 sufficiency of the Freely Associated States'; and

10 WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of
11 Micronesia wishes to express its sincere appreciation to
12 Madeleine Bordallo for her dedicated work on behalf of the
13 Federated States of Micronesia and sends its best wishes for
14 her future endeavors; now, therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twentieth Congress of the
16 Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session,
17 2019, that Congress hereby expresses its sincere
18 appreciation to Madeleine Bordallo for her many years of
19 support to the Federated States of Micronesia while she
20 served as the Delegate to the U.S. House of
21 Representatives from Guam at Large District; and

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