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EIGHTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 1993

C. B. NO. 8-120

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To propose an amendment to section 3 of article III of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia for the purpose of allowing a citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia to be eligible for dual citizenship with a reciprocating nation, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

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7 ~~within 3 years of the effective date of this Constitution,~~  
8 ~~whichever is later, register his intent to remain a citizen~~  
9 ~~of the Federated States and renounce his citizenship of~~  
10 ~~another nation. If he fails to comply with this section,~~  
11 ~~he becomes a national of the Federated States of~~  
12 ~~Micronesia.~~"

13       Section 2. Procedure. Upon this act becoming law, the proposed  
14 constitutional amendment set out in section 1 will become part of the  
15 Constitution after completion of certain procedures and ratification  
16 as required by chapter 7 of title 1 of the Code of the Federated  
17 States of Micronesia.

18       Section 3. Effective date. This act shall become law upon  
19 approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or  
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