FOURTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2007

C.R. NO. 14-122

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sadness and condolences of the Fourteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia at the passing of Chief Andrew B. Ruepong of the State of Yap.

WHEREAS, Chief Andrew B. Ruepong of the State of Yap passed away recently; and

WHEREAS, Chief Ruepong was a distinguished citizen and one of the three paramount chiefs of the State of Yap; and

WHEREAS, the Chief was the devoted husband of Mona Lisa Mongon and the loving father of ten children; and

WHEREAS, the late Chief was respected in the State of Yap and throughout the Micronesian region for his hard work and many contributions to the well-being of his fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, Chief Ruepong worked as a teacher, an Economic Development Advisor, an Administrative Officer of the Yap State Legislature, Mayor of Rull, Justice of the Yap State Court and, most recently, Political Advisor for the Council of Pilung; and

WHEREAS, the Members of the Fourteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia join the family and friends of Chief Andrew B. Ruepong, as well as the people of the State of Yap in mourning his untimely passing; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Fourteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2007, that the Congress, on behalf of the people of the Federated States of
Micronesia, wishes to express to the family and friends of the late Chief Andrew B. Ruepong, and the people of the State of Yap, its sadness and condolences at his passing;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, Governor of the State of Yap and the family of Chief Andrew B. Ruepong.

Date: 3/29/07

Introduced by: /s/ Isaac V. Figir

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