A RESOLUTION

To confirm the nomination of Mr. Kandhi Elieisar to serve as a member of the Board of Directors of the National Oceanic Resource Management Authority (NORMA) representing the FSM National Government.

1. WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Law No. 15-38, section 201(1), which amended title 24 of the Code of the Federated States, as amended, the Federated States of Micronesia, established five member Board of Directors for the National Oceanic Resource Management Authority; and

2. WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Law No. 15-38, sections 201(1)(b), as amended, the President appoints one at-large member representing the FSM National Government to the Board of Directors of the FSM National Oceanic Resource Management Authority; and

3. WHEREAS, the President has appointed Mr. Kandhi Elieisar to serve on the Board of Directors representing the FSM National Oceanic Resource Management Authority; and

4. WHEREAS, Mr. Kandhi Elieisar has experience and qualifications which make him a suitable candidate to serve on the Board of Directors, based on numerous other outstanding credentials which are summarized in his BIODATA, a copy of which is attached hereto and is incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein for all purposes; and

5. WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Law No. 15-38, section 202(1)(b), as amended, the appointment is subject to the advice and consent of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia; and
WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Law No. 15-38, section 201(1), as amended, board members are appointed to serve a two year term; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Sixteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2009, that the appointment of Mr. Kandhi Elieisar to serve as a member of the Board of Directors of the National Oceanic Resource Management Authority; be confirmed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Board of Directors of the National Oceanic Resource Management Authority, Executive Director for National Oceanic Resource Management Authority and Mr. Kandhi Elieisar.

Date: 9/19/09

Introduced by: /s/ Joe N. Suka

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(by request)