STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-212

RE: C.R. NO. 18-208/W&M

SUBJECT: NOMINATION OF MS. EVELYN ADOLPH TO SERVE AS A

MEMBER OF THE JOINT TRUST FUND COMMITTEE

SEPTEMBER 24 2014,

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert Speaker, Eighteenth Congress Federated States of Micronesia Fifth Regular Session, 2014

Dear Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways & Means, to which was referred Congressional Resolution 18-208, entitled:

"A RESOLUTION TO CONFIRM THE NOMINATION OF MS. EVELYN ADOLPH TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE JOINT TRUST FUND COMMITTEE, ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO THE TRUST FUND AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, IMPLEMENTING SECTIONS 215 and 216 OF THE COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS AMENDED, AND PUBLIC LAW No. 15-70, AS AMENDED.",

begs leave to report as follows:

The intent and purpose of this act is expressed in its title.

Your committee on Ways and Means has reviewed C.R. 18-208 and concluded that Ms. Adolph has outstanding credentials, which qualify her for this appointment.

Your committee points out that the nominee is a citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia, therefore she may fill the vacant position for the FSM representative on the Joint Trust Fund Committee. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-212

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Your committee notes that the nominee is the current Director of the Office of Statistics, Budget and Economic Management, Overseas Development Assistance, and Compact Management (SBOC). She has done an excellent job in leading SBOC during her tenure with the Department. She also has extensive experience in financial and economic affairs.

Upon review of the nominee and her qualifications your committee is satisfied that the nominee is fit for service as a member of the Joint Trust Fund Committee, as a FSM representative. Therefore, your Committee on Ways and Means recommends Ms. Evelyn Adolph be confirmed as a member of the Joint Trust Fund Committee.

CONCLUSION

Your Committee on Ways and Means is in accord with the intent and purpose of C.R. No. 18-208, and recommends its adoption in the form attach hereto.

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Respectfully submitted,

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