STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-265

RE: C.R. NO. 18-242/EX AFF

SUBJECT: APPROVING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF

\$47,492 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.

JANUARY 28, 2015,

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

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on External Affairs, to which was jointly referred C.R. No. 18-242 entitled:

"A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT ASSISTANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$47,492 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES, TO FUND THE ABSTINENCE EDUCATION PROGRAM IN THE FSM, INCLUDING ALL THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE ASSISTANCE.",

begs leave to report as follows:

The intent and purpose of this resolution are expressed in it title.

On January 26, 2015 your Committee held hearings regarding the above-captioned C.R. No. 18-242 jointly with the Committee on Health and Social Affairs. Your Committee on Health and Social Affairs is supportive of the program this grant will support, and as the activities proposed under the grant are squarely in its purview, therefore, your Committee on External Affairs defers to their conclusions regarding the grant under consideration in C.R. No. 18-242.

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Your Committee on External Affairs is in accord with the intent and purposes of C.R. No. 18-242 and concurs with the Committee on Health and Social Affairs in recommending its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Yosiwo P. George /s/ Berney Martin
Yosiwo P. George, chairman Berney Martin, vice chairman

/s/ Tiwiter Aritos /s/ Peter M. Christian
Tiwiter Aritos, member Peter M. Christian, member

/s/ Isaac V. Figir /s/ Victor Gouland
Isaac V. Figir, member Victor Gouland, member
w/ Reservation

/s/ Bonsiano F. Nethon
Bonsiano F. Nethon, member