STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 18-290

RE: C.R. NO. 18-268/EX AFF

SUBJECT: APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$394,192 TO FUND THE TOBACCO CONTROL AND DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAMS IN

THE FSM.

APRIL 16, 2015

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert Speaker, Eighteenth Congress Federated States of Micronesia Seventh Session, 2015

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on External Affairs, to which was jointly referred C.R. No. 18-268 entitled:

"A RESOULTION APPROVING AND ACCEPTING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$394,192 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, TO FUND THE TOBACCO CONTROL AND DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAMS 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 its title.

On April 14, 2015 your Committee held hearings regarding the above-captioned C.R. No. 18-268 jointly with the Committee on Health and Social Affairs. Your Committee on Health and Social Affairs is supportive of the program this

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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. 18-268.

Your Committee on External Affairs is in accord with the intent and purposes of C.R. No. 18-268 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
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/s/ Isaac V. Figir	/s/ Victor Gouland
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/s/ Bonsiano F. Nethon

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