## A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$60,000 from the United Nations Environment Programme to fund Phase IV of the Institutional Strengthening Programme under the mandate of the Montreal Protocol, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

- 1 WHEREAS, the United Nations Environment Programme extended to
- 2 the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia a grant in
- 3 the amount of \$60,000 as evidenced by a Small Scale Funding
- 4 Agreement signed by both parties; and
- WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant is to fund the FSM's
- 6 implementation of the Montreal Protocol's mandate to explicitly
- 7 oversee the phase out process of ozone depleting substances through
- 8 Phase IV of the Institutional Strengthening Programme under the
- 9 Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer; and
- 10 WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the Federated
- 11 States of Micronesia provides that for an agreement on foreign
- 12 financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by Congress by
- 13 resolution; and
- 14 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia is grateful and
- 15 appreciative to the United Nations Environment Programme for the
- 16 benevolent assistance and gesture of strengthening friendly and
- 17 cooperative relations; now, therefore,
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated
- 19 States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2015, that Congress
- 20 hereby approves the \$60,000 grant from the United Nations Environment

1 Programme, to fund Phase IV of the Institutional Strengthening under 2 the mandates of the Montreal Protocol, including all the terms and 3 conditions thereof; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution 5 be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of 6 Micronesia, and the Office of Environment and Emergency Management. 7 8 Date: <u>1/23/15</u> Introduced by: <u>/s/ Florencio S. Harper</u> Florencio S. Harper 9 (by request) 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

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