A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$3,327,595 from the U.S. Department of Education Office of Special Education Programs, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

- 1 WHEREAS, the United States through the Department of
- 2 Education Office of Special Education Programs issued a Grant
- 3 Award Notification of financial assistance on October 1, 2013, in
- 4 the amount of \$3,327,595 for the period beginning July 1, 2013, to
- 5 September 30, 2014; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the purpose of the grant is to fund and support the
- 7 FSM Department of Education's effort to provide special education
- 8 and related services to children with disabilities; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the
- 10 Federated States of Micronesia provides that for an agreement
- 11 on foreign financial assistance to be valid it must be approved
- 12 by Congress by resolution; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the FSM Government expresses appreciation to the
- 14 United States Government for the federal grant programs made
- 15 available to the Federated States of Micronesia; now,
- 16 therefore,
- 17 BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated
- 18 States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2013, that Congress
- 19 hereby approves and accepts the \$3,327,595 grant from the U.S.
- 20 Department of Education Office of Special Education Programs,

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including all the terms and conditions thereof; and
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         BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copies of this
   resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
   of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Education, and
   the United States Embassy in Kolonia.
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                           Introduced by: for /s/ Joseph J. Urusemal
   Date: <u>11/26/13</u>
                                                 Florencio S. Harper
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