A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sadness and condolences of the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia at the passing of the Honorable Ritis Ko Heldart, Lieutenant Governor of Chuuk.

1. WHEREAS, the Lieutenant Governor of Chuuk, the Honorable Ritis Ko Heldart of Nema, Mortlocks, in the State of Chuuk, recently passed away on January 4, 2014; and
2. WHEREAS, the late Ritis Ko Heldart was a Delegate to the Chuuk Constitutional Convention in 1989, the first FSM Constitutional Convention in 1990, and the Nema Municipal Constitutional Convention in 1992, and he shared the benefit of his long and illustrious public service career with both the National Government and the State of Chuuk; and
3. WHEREAS, the late Ritis Ko Heldart served as a Vice Consul General to the FSM Consulate Office in Guam; and
4. WHEREAS, the late Ritis Ko Heldart was a church leader, and Sunday School teacher; and
5. WHEREAS, the late Ritis Ko Heldart was a teacher, a chairman of the Social Studies Department for Chuuk High School, a chairman of the Chuuk Scholarship Board, a member of the Education Curriculum Committee, and Principal of Nema Elementary School; and
6. WHEREAS, the late Ritis Ko Heldart is survived by an extensive family and loved ones; and
7. WHEREAS, the Members of the Eighteenth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia join the family and friends of Lieutenant Governor Heldart in mourning his passing; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2014, expresses its sadness and condolences to the family, friends and colleagues of the Honorable Ritis Ko Heldart at his passing; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted the President of the Federated States of Micronesia and to the family of the late Ritis Ko Heldart.

Date: 1/14/14  Introduced: /s/ Wesley W. Simina
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