

A RESOLUTION

Approving and adopting the Nation Wide Integrated Disaster Risk Management and Climate Change Policy for the Federated States of Micronesia.

1           WHEREAS, the Office of Environment and Emergency  
2 Management has prepared the Nation Wide Integrated Disaster  
3 Risk Management and Climate Change Policy for the Federated  
4 States of Micronesia, in consultation with the State  
5 Governments and other relevant stakeholders; and

6           WHEREAS, the aim of this policy is to promote development  
7 that proactively integrates the management of disaster and  
8 climate related hazards by investing in disaster risk  
9 management, climate change adaptation and green house gas  
10 emissions reduction, as part of the quest to secure a  
11 sustainable future for the Federated States of Micronesia; and

12           WHEREAS, the policy seeks to support the Nation's  
13 Strategic Development Plan 2004 to 2023 with attainment of  
14 strategic outcomes for Economic Resilience, Food, Water, and  
15 Energy Security, Safe Infrastructure and Secure Settlement,  
16 Waste Management, and Education; and

17           WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the Nation that the  
18 plan be approved and adopted to develop a strategic integrated  
19 approach to disaster and climate risk management for the Nation;  
20 now, therefore,

1 BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated  
2 States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2013, that  
3 Congress hereby approves and adopts the Nation Wide Disaster  
4 Risk Management and Climate Change Policy for the FSM; and

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
6 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated  
7 States of Micronesia, the Governors of each State of the  
8 Nation, the Presiding Officers of each State Legislature, and  
9 the Director of the Office of Environment and Emergency  
10 Management.

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12 Date: 9/17/13

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper  
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(by request)

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