A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere gratitude and appreciation to the Government of Guam for hosting the 12th Festival of Pacific Arts 2016.

WHEREAS, the Festival of Pacific Arts is recognized as a major international cultural event, and is the largest gathering in which Pacific people unite to gain respect for, and appreciation of, one another within the context of the changing Pacific; and

WHEREAS, the Government of Guam hosted this year 12th Festival of Pacific Arts, which started on May 22 and continues through June 4, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Government of Guam overcame many obstacles in the preparation and execution of plans, programs, and requisite logistics which served many participants from the twenty-two countries, including the delegations from the four states of the Federated States of Micronesia, with the assistance of broad community participation and cooperation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2016, that Congress hereby expresses its sincere gratitude and appreciation to the Government of Guam for its dedicated service as the host of the 12th Festival of Pacific Arts 2016;
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia and the Governor of Guam.

Date: 5/30/16

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