TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, 2017

C.R. NO. 20-59

A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant from Her Majesty the Queen in the Right of Canada, through the Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade, and Development (DFATD) in the amount of CAD\$98,500, to fund and support the FSM's project entitled: "Strengthening the FSM's Institutions that Promote Gender Equality and CEDAW Awareness Raising to the Relevant Stakeholders and Partner Agencies in the Federated States of Micronesia", including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

1 WHEREAS, Her Majesty's Government or Government of Canada, 2 and the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia entered into a Grant Agreement in the amount of CAD\$98,500 to support and 3 fund the project for Strengthening the FSM's Institutions that 4 Promote Gender Equality and CEDAW Awareness Raising to the 5 6 Relevant Stakeholders and Partner Agencies in the FSM; and 7 WHEREAS, the purpose of this project is to establish national mechanisms to ensure the FSM is in compliance with its obligations 8 under the UN Treaty on CEDAW and to provide training and awareness 9 raising on the UN concluding observations of the FSM CEDAW State 10

11 report to key stakeholders and partners; and

WHEREAS, section 210 (2) of title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, requires that for an agreement on foreign financial assistance to be valid it must be approved by Congress by resolution; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2017, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the grant in the amount of CAD\$98,500

1 from Her Majesty's Government or Government of Canada, to fund the Strengthening the FSM's Institutions that Promote Gender Equality 2 and CEDAW Awareness Raising to the Relevant Stakeholders and 3 4 Partner Agencies Project, including all the terms and conditions 5 thereof; and 6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States 7 8 of Micronesia and the Secretary of the Department of Health and 9 Social Affairs. 10 11 Date: 11/1/17 Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper Florencio S. Harper 12 (by request) 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24