## TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2020

C.R. No. 21-144

## A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere condolences and sadness of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to the family of the late Honorable Camillo Noket, Chief Justice of the Chuuk State Supreme Court, at his passing on May 4, 2020. WHEREAS, the Honorable Camilla Noket, age 76, was born on 1 2 July 16, 1943, in Weno, Chuuk, and passed away on May 4, 2020; 3 and WHEREAS, Camillo Noket attended Xavier High School from 4 5 1960-1963; and 6 WHEREAS, Camillo Noket attended the University of Guam from 7 1963-1964; and WHEREAS, in 1980, Camillo Noket was the first Micronesian 8 9 to pass the FSM bar without formal attendance at a law school; 10 and 11 WHEREAS, Camillo Noket was a member of the Truk State 12 Legislature from 1968-1970 and a co-author of the Truk State 13 Charter; and 14 WHEREAS, in 1970, Camillo Noket was the Chairman of the Truk Fishing Authority, the Chairman of the Truk State Foreign 15 16 Investment Board and a member of the Trust Territory Personnel 17 Board; and

1 WHEREAS, from 1982-1990, Camillo Noket worked for the 2 Micronesian Legal Services Corporation, including serving as the 3 Directing Attorney from 1986-1990; and WHEREAS, in 1988 Camillo Noket was a member of the First 4 Chuuk State Constitutional Convention in 1988 where he served as 5 6 Chair of the Civil Liberties and Traditions Committee; and 7 WHEREAS, Camillo Noket served as the Chair of the Civil Liberties and Traditions Committee for the Second FSM 8 9 Constitutional Convention in 1990; and 10 WHEREAS, in 2020, Camillo Noket was a delegate of the Fourth FSM Constitutional Convention; and 11 12 WHEREAS, in 1990, Camillo Noket's career in the FSM 13 National Government began with his employment as an Assistant 14 Attorney General with the Department of Justice's Division of International Law and he was appointed as the FSM Attorney 15 General from 1992-1998; and 16 17 WHEREAS, Camillo Noket was an Associate Justice of the Chuuk State Supreme Court from 1998-1999; and 18 WHEREAS, from 1999-2006, Camillo Noket was again the 19 20 Directing Attorney of the Micronesia Legal Services Corporation 21 in Chuuk; and 22 WHEREAS, in 2019, Camillo Noket was the President of the 23 Pacific Judicial Council; and WHEREAS, Camillo Noket served as the Chief Justice for the 24 Chuuk State Supreme Court from 2006 until his passing; and 25

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WHEREAS, Camillo Noket is survived by his wife, Anna Noket 1 2 and his 5 children; and. 3 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, that Congress 4 hereby expresses its sincere condolences and sadness to the family 5 6 of the late Camillo Noket at his passing on May 4, 2020; and 7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States 8 of Micronesia and Anna Noket. 9 10 Introduced by: /s/ Wesley W. Simina Date: 5/12/20 11 Wesley W. Simina 12 13 /s/ Victor V. Gouland Victor V. Gouland 14 15 /s/ Robson U. Romolow Robson U. Romolow 16 17 /s/ Tiwiter Aritos Twiter Aritos 18 19 /s/ Derensio Konman Derensio Konman 20 21 /s/ Florencio S. Harper Florencio S. Harper 22 23 24