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November 30, 2020

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I transmit herewith a certified copy of Congressional Resolution No. 21-226, C.D.1, which was adopted by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Ninth Special Session, 2020.

Sincerely,

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
NINTH SPECIAL SESSION
NOVEMBER 16 - 25, 2020

A RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING THE SINCERE CONDOLENCES AND SADNESS OF THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA TO THE FAMILY OF THE LATE HONORABLE ALIK L. ALIK, AT HIS PASSING ON NOVEMBER 7, 2020, AT THE AGE OF 67.

INTRODUCED BY SENATORS: PALIKNOA K. WELLY AND AREN B. PALIK

DATE: NOVEMBER 24, 2020

ADOPTED: NOVEMBER 25, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

NINTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION NO. 21-226, C.D.1

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere condolences and sadness of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to the family of the late Honorable Alik L. Alik, at his passing on November 7, 2020, at the age of 67.

1 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was born in Tafunsak
2 in the state of Kosrae on January 26, 1953, and passed away on
3 November 7, 2020; and

4 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik attended elementary
5 school and high school in the state of Kosrae, the United States
6 International University in Hawaii from 1973 to 1976 and from 1976
7 to 1979 Graceland College in Iowa where he was awarded an
8 internship from the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands to work
9 for the Department of Education; and

10 WHEREAS, after attending Graceland College the late Honorable
11 Alik L. Alik worked as a student counselor at Kosrae State High
12 School for two years before attending a paralegal program in 1982
13 at the University of Hawaii Law School; and

14 WHEREAS, after returning to the Federated States of
15 Micronesia the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was employed as a law
16 clerk at the FSM Supreme Court; and

17 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was hired within a
18 year by the Department of Foreign Affairs as a Foreign Service
19 Officer thus beginning a diplomatic career of distinction; and

1 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik served as the Deputy
2 Chief for the Division of South Pacific Affairs; and

3 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was the 1st FSM
4 Ambassador to Fiji (1989 to 1998), during this period he was also
5 honored with being the Dean of the Diplomatic Corps in Fiji from
6 1992 to 1998; and

7 WHEREAS, following his tenure in Fiji the late Honorable Alik
8 L. Alik served as the Ambassador to Japan from 1998 to 2003; and

9 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was known by his
10 colleagues in the Department of Foreign Affairs, as well as in the
11 National Government as a whole, for his competence, diligence and
12 professionalism; and

13 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik is further
14 distinguished by having a second career in government service
15 beginning in 2003 when he won the Kosrae State at-large four year
16 seat to represent that state as a senator in the Thirteenth
17 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, serving as
18 chairman of the Committee on Resources and Development, during the
19 Fourteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia he
20 assumed the chairmanship of the Committee on External Affairs,
21 providing strong leadership and showing initiative in all the
22 committee endeavors; and

23 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was re-elected as
24 Kosrae State's at-large four year senator in 2007, and in the May
25 2007 reorganization of Congress that he was selected as the Vice-

1 President of the Federated States of Micronesia serving from May
2 11,2007 to May 11, 2015; and

3 WHEREAS, as the Seventh Vice President of the Federated
4 States of Micronesia he was the embodiment of the diplomat, able
5 to represent the Nation on the international stage, he engaged
6 with leaders at the highest level without ever losing sight of
7 interests of the people of our nation; and

8 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik returned to the
9 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia in July 2015 and
10 served in both the 19th and 20th Congress as Vice Chairman of the
11 Committees on Health and Social Affairs, and Transportation and
12 Communication; and

13 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik served at the
14 highest levels of government in the Federated States of Micronesia
15 for most of the first forty years of this Nation's existence,
16 participating in the decisions and shaping the direction of this
17 young Nation, through his dedication and personal integrity he
18 assisted in the forging of a strong foundation for our future
19 generations; and

20 WHEREAS, the Congress of the Federated States of
21 Micronesia strongly believes our Nation has benefited greatly
22 from the late Honorable Alik L. Alik through his leadership,
23 dedication and wisdom as he applied it to his many important
24 government positions spanning over forty years; and

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1 WHEREAS, the late Honorable Alik L. Alik was survived by
2 his wife Mrs. Shra Alik, his two children Greg and Uruslla and
3 four grandchildren; now, therefore,

4 BE IT RESOLVED, by the Twenty-First Congress of the
5 Federated States of Micronesia, Ninth Special Session, 2020,
6 that Congress wishes to express its sincere condolences and
7 sadness to the family of the late Honorable Alik L. Alik, at
8 his passing on November 7, 2020, at the age of 67; and

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
10 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
11 States of Micronesia and the family of the late Honorable Alik
12 L. Alik.

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16 ADOPTED: November 25, 2020

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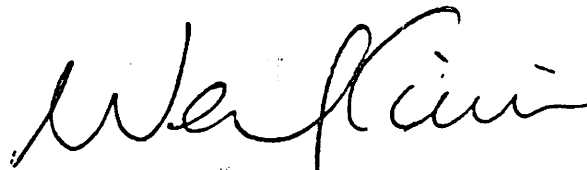
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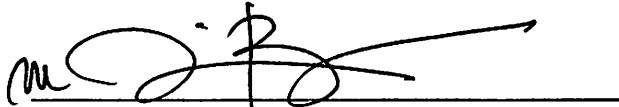
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Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress

ATTEST:



Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
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