July 21, 2022

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. 22-138, which was adopted by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2022.

Sincerely,

Jessica Lynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
A RESOLUTION

TO APPROVE AND ACCEPT A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF $144,220 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, TO SUPPORT AND FUND THE UNIVERSAL NEWBORN HEARING SCREENING AND INTERVENTION PROGRAM, FOR THE BUDGET PERIOD FROM APRIL 01, 2022, TO MARCH 31, 2023, INCLUDING ALL THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE ASSISTANCE.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FLORENCIO S. HARPER (BY REQUEST)
DATE: JULY 19, 2022

ADOPTED: JULY 22, 2022

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
A RESOLUTION

To approve and accept a grant in the amount of $144,220 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, to support and fund the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening and Intervention Program, for the budget period from April 01, 2022, to March 31, 2023, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2022, the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), issued the Notice of Award for financial assistance in the amount $144,220 to fund and support the program entitled: “Universal Newborn Hearing Screening and Intervention” for the budget period from April 01, 2022, to March 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this is to fund and support the continuation of the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening and Intervention Program and its related activities in the FSM; and

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

BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated states of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2022, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the $144,220 grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, to fund the Universal Newborn Hearing
Screening and Intervention Program, including all the terms and conditions thereof; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Affairs, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs, and the Secretary of the Department of Justice.

ADOPTED: July 22, 2022

Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress

ATTEST:

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
FSM Congress