
A RESOLUTION

Expressing the deep appreciation of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia for the outstanding loyalty, professionalism, and dedicated service that Petrus Tun has provided to the people of Micronesia.

1 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun was an outstanding Member of the Congress of
2 Micronesia from 1966 until the convening of the First Congress of the
3 Federated States of Micronesia; and

4 WHEREAS, during the Fifth and Sixth Congresses of Micronesia,
5 Petrus Tun diligently guided the Senate Committee on Education and
6 Social Affairs as its chairman; and

7 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun diligently asserted the interests of Micronesia
8 while serving as special advisor to the delegation of the United States
9 at the United Nations Trusteeship Council in 1971; and

10 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun served on the Special Joint Task Force of the
11 United States Departments of Interior and Health, Education and Welfare
12 and guided the task force to a better understanding of the needs of the
13 Micronesian people; and

14 WHEREAS, through his tireless and dedicated efforts as chairman of
15 the Committee on General Provisions of the Micronesian Constitutional
16 Convention, Petrus Tun was an inspirational leader of the Constitutional
17 Convention; and

18 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun chaired the Senate Committee on Judiciary and
19 Governmental Operations during both the Seventh Congress of Micronesia
20 and the Interim Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

21 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun served as a member of the Status Commission
22 and as chairman of its Committee on Transition; and

23 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun served with distinction and honor as the first
24 Vice President of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

25 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun nobly and unselfishly volunteered not to run for

1 reelection so that the honor of the vice presidency would be bestowed
2 upon a Senator from another State; and

3 WHEREAS, Petrus Tun will continue to shoulder important respon-
4 sibilities in the Federation by serving on the Federated States of
5 Micronesia Status Commission and chairing the Plebiscite Commission;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, it is the sense of the Congress that Petrus Tun is deserving
8 of the most sincere gratitude and the highest praise and honor for his
9 unwavering loyalty, professionalism, and dedicated service to his people;
10 now, therefore,

11 BE IT RESOLVED by the Third Congress of the Federated States of
12 Micronesia, First Regular Session, 1983, that the Congress hereby commends
13 Petrus Tun for his unwavering loyalty, professionalism, and service to
14 the Congress of Micronesia, the Micronesian Constitutional Convention,
15 the Interim Congress, the National Government of the Federated States of
16 Micronesia, and all the people of Micronesia; and

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Congress hereby commends Petrus Tun
18 for his outstanding and lasting contribution to the cause of Micronesian
19 self-government; and

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be
21 transmitted to Petrus Tun, the President of the Federated States of
22 Micronesia, and the Governor and Speaker of the legislature of each State
23 of the Federated States of Micronesia.

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25 Date: 5/25/83

Introduced by:

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