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A RESOLUTION

Respectfully requesting the Office of the President to create a comprehensive plan for a coordinated HIV/AIDS detection, education and prevention program.

1 WHEREAS, the HIV virus causes the deadly disease of AIDS; and

2 WHEREAS, the HIV virus is rapidly spreading to countries around
3 the world; and

4 WHEREAS, persons with HIV/AIDS must endure immeasurable pain and
5 suffering; and

6 WHEREAS, persons with HIV/AIDS can exhaust scarce medical
7 resources; and

8 WHEREAS, the HIV virus once brought into this country can
9 rapidly spread among the population of the Federated States of
10 Micronesia unless adequate steps are taken; and

11 WHEREAS, the possibility of an HIV viral infection poses a
12 significant risk to citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, a program should be implemented to detect and test for
15 the HIV virus on persons entering the Nation; and

16 WHEREAS, only a comprehensive and coordinated program providing
17 for detection, education, and epidemiological partner notifications
18 will help deter the spread of the deadly scourge of HIV/AIDS in the
19 Federated States of Micronesia; now, therefore,

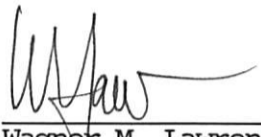
20 BE IT RESOLVED by the Seventh Congress of the Federated States
21 of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 1991, that the Congress hereby
22 respectfully requests the Office of the President to create a
23 comprehensive HIV/AIDS plan and present it to the Congress of the
24 Federated States of Micronesia by February 28, 1992; and

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution

1 be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of
 2 Micronesia, the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States of
 3 Micronesia, the Governors of the four States of the Federated States
 4 of Micronesia, the Speakers of the four State legislatures of the
 5 Federated States of Micronesia, the President of the Senate of the
 6 Chuuk State Legislature, and the chief executive officers of the
 7 municipalities of the States of the Federated States of Micronesia.

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