EIGHTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD SPECIAL SESSION, 1995

A RESOLUTION

To ratify the "Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons."

- WHEREAS, the "Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear 1
- Weapons" ("Non-Proliferation Treaty"), was signed on July 1,
- 1968, in Washington D.C., Moscow, and London, and entered into 3
- force on March 5, 1970, after ratification by the United States, 4
- the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and the United Kingdom, 5
- along with forty other States; and 6
- WHEREAS, the Non-Proliferation Treaty provides the 7
- international framework for preventing the spread of nuclear 8
- weapons, providing global and regional security, and assuring 9
- international trade and cooperation in the peaceful uses of 10
- nuclear energy; and 11
- WHEREAS, the Non-Proliferation, reduction, and eventual 12
- elimination of nuclear weapons are critical to world peace, as 13
- well as the security of the people and environment of the 14
- Federated States of Micronesia; and 15
- WHEREAS, the Non-proliferation Treaty has served to enhance 16
- regional and international security and stability and is 17
- approaching universal adherence; and 18
- WHEREAS, accession and strict adherence to the Non-19
- Proliferation Treaty by the Federated States of Micronesia will 20
- support efforts to strengthen the international Non-21
- Proliferation regime and will demonstrate the strong position of 22
- the Federated States of Micronesia in favor of Non-23
- Proliferation, reduction, and eventual elimination of nuclear 24
- weapons; now, therefore 25

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighth Congress of the Federated 1 States of Micronesia, Third Special Session 1995, that, pursuant to section 2(b) of article IX of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Congress hereby ratifies the "Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons"; and 5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon the receipt of this 6 resolution by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or the Secretary of External Affairs, he shall lodge an instrument of accession pursuant to the Treaty; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this 10 11 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated 12 States of Micronesia. 13 Date: 3/22/95 Introduced by 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

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