## NINTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

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## A RESOLUTION

Encouraging the sovereign nations of the world to recognize the government of the Republic of China.

WHEREAS, Article 1 of the Charter of the United Nations provides in pertinent 1 part that one of its purposes is "To develop friendly relations among nations based 2 on respect for the principle of equal rights and self-determination of peoples, and to 3 take other appropriate measures to strengthen universal peace..."; and 4 WHEREAS, our nation of many islands is founded on a constitution which 5 expresses the sovereignty of peoples who have voluntarily joined themselves 6 together; and 7 WHEREAS, it is evident that the people who live on the island who have 8 designated their land as the "Republic of China" desire to be a sovereign nation, free 9 and independent of any other nation; and 10 WHEREAS, the people of the Federated States of Micronesia, themselves 11 citizens of island states, are in sympathy with the citizens of the Republic of China 12 who wish self-determination; now, therefore, 13 BE IT RESOLVED by the Ninth Congress of the Federated States of 14 Micronesia, First Regular Session, 1995, that the Congress hereby encourages all 15 sovereign nations to extend full and complete recognition to the Republic of China; 16 17 and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Branch of the Federated States 18 of Micronesia in its conduct of foreign affairs consult with the Congress on the 19 subject of this nation extending such recognition; and 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be 21 transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia and to the 22 government of the Republic of China. 23 24 Date: 5/1-//9,7 Introduced by: