

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To propose an amendment to section 7 of article IX of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia, for the purpose of empowering Congress to impeach any official of the National Government appointed to office by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

1 Section 1. It is hereby proposed that section 7 of article
2 IX of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia be
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 7. The President, Vice-President, [~~or~~] a
5 justice of the Supreme Court, or any official appointed
6 to office by the President of the Federated States of
7 Micronesia may be removed from office for treason,
8 bribery, or conduct involving corruption in office by a
9 2/3 vote of the members of Congress. When the
10 President or Vice-President is removed, the Supreme
11 Court shall review the decision. When a justice of the
12 Supreme Court is removed, the decision shall be
13 reviewed by a special tribunal composed of one state
14 court judge from each state appointed by the state
15 chief executive. The special tribunal shall meet at
16 the call of the President."

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18 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the

1 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
2 becoming law without such approval.

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4 Date: 3/24/14

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