

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the sincere condolences and sadness to the family of the late Daniel Kahikina Akaka, at his passing on April 6, 2018.

1 WHEREAS, Daniel Kahikina Akaka, age 93, was born on
2 September 11th, 1924 and passed away on April 6, 2018 in
3 Honolulu, Hawaii

4 WHEREAS, Daniel Kahikina Akaka was an American educator and
5 politician who was a United States Democratic Senator from
6 Hawaii from 1990 to 2013, the first U.S. Senator of Native
7 Hawaiian ancestry

8 WHEREAS, Daniel Kahikina Akaka served in the U.S. Army
9 Corps of Engineers during World War II.

10 WHEREAS, Daniel Kahikina Akaka attended the University of
11 Hawaii, where he received his bachelor's and master's degrees.

12 WHEREAS, Daniel Kahikina Akaka originally was a high school
13 teacher, he went on to serve as a principal for six years and in
14 1969, the Department of Education hired him as a chief program
15 planner

16 WHEREAS in the 1970s, Daniel Kahikina Akaka served in
17 various governmental positions until he was elected to the
18 United States House of Representatives in 1976 to represent
19 Hawaii's 2nd congressional district, comprising all of the state
20 outside the inner ring of Honolulu, a position to which he was
21 re-elected seven times.

1 WHEREAS, Daniel Kahikina Akaka is survived by his wife Mary
2 Mildred Chong, whom he married in 1948; a daughter, Millannie,
3 four sons, Daniel Jr., Gerald, Alan, and Nicholas; and many
4 grandchildren and great-grandchildren, now, therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated
6 States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2017, that the
7 Congress hereby expresses its sincere condolences and sadness to
8 the family of the late Daniel Kahikina Akaka at his passing on
9 April 6, 2018; and

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
11 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
12 States of Micronesia and the Department of Foreign Affairs

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14 Dated: 5/28/18

Introduced by: /s/ Wesley W. Simina
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