

A RESOLUTION

To approve a grant application in the amount of \$1,000,000 from the FSM Department of Health and Social Affairs to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, in an effort to reduce underage drinking in the FSM.

1 WHEREAS, alcoholic beverages are widely available to the youth
2 within the FSM; and

3 WHEREAS, it is a prevention priority for the FSM to reduce
4 underage drinking among FSM youth ages 9 to 20;

5 WHEREAS, the FSM Department of Health and Social Affairs has
6 prepared a grant application for a grant to assist in achieving
7 the FSM's objectives in reducing underage drinking among the FSM
8 youth;

9 WHEREAS, this proposed grant application is for a foreign
10 financial assistance in the amount of \$1,000,000;

11 WHEREAS, section 210(2)(c) of title 55 of the Code of the
12 Federated States of Micronesia provides that any first time
13 application for foreign financial assistance shall require the
14 approval by Congress through resolution, now, therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated
16 States of Micronesia, Fourth Special Session, 2020, that Congress
17 hereby approves the grant application for financial assistance in
18 the amount of \$1,000,000 to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health
19 Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human
20 Service, in an effort to reduce underage drinking in the FSM; and

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
3 States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of
4 Justice, the Secretary of the Department of Health and
5 Social Affairs and the Secretary of the Department of
6 Foreign Affairs.

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8 Date: 3/5/20

Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper
Florencio S. Harper
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