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A RESOLUTION

Approving the proposed 1997-1998 distribution of goods and services pursuant to section 115 of title 24 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia.

1 WHEREAS, under a fishing agreement between the Micronesian
2 Maritime Authority of the Federated States of Micronesia ("MMA")
3 and the Federation of the Japan Tuna Fisheries Cooperative
4 Association, the National Offshore Tuna Fisheries Association of
5 Japan and the Japan Far Seas Purse Seine Fishing Association
6 ("the Organizations"), the Organizations have agreed to provide
7 a portion of the fees in the form of goods and services for the
8 period from August 10, 1997 to August 9, 1998; and

9 WHEREAS, under section 115 of title 24 of the Code of the
10 Federated States of Micronesia, MMA is required to submit a
11 proposed distribution of goods and services pursuant to a
12 fishing agreement to Congress for approval; and

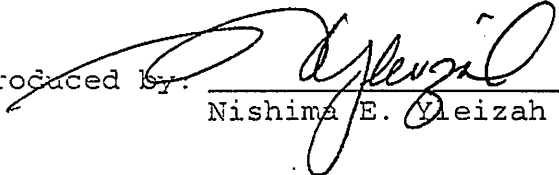
13 WHEREAS, pursuant to a practice of rotating the annual
14 distribution of goods and services among the states, MMA has
15 proposed that the 1997-1998 distribution, valued at yen
16 74,000,000, or approximately \$600,000, be made to the State of
17 Pohnpei; now, therefore

18 BE IT RESOLVED by the Tenth Congress of the Federated
19 States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 1998, that the
20 Congress hereby approves the proposed 1997-1998 distribution of
21 goods and services from the Organizations to the State of
22 Pohnpei; and

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
2 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
3 States of Micronesia, the Executive Director of the MMA and to
4 the Governor of the State of Pohnpei.

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6 Date: 2/17/98 Introduced by: 
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