ELEVENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 1999

C.R. NO.

A RESOLUTION

Social Security Board.

Confirming the nomination of Mr. Tiser Lippwe as a member of the FSM BE IT RESOLVED by the Eleventh Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 1999, that the Congress hereby 3 gives its advice and consent to the nomination of Mr. Tiser Lippwe as a member of the FSM Social Security Board; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution 6 be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Governor of the State of Chuuk, and Mr. Tiser 8 Lippwe. 9 10 Introduced by 11 request 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21

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COMMITTEE ON
HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
SOCIAL AFFAIRS

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 11-67

RE: C.R. NO. 11-29

The Honorable Jack Fritz Speaker, Eleventh Congress Federated States of Micronesia Second Special Session, 2000

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Health, Education and Social Affairs (HESA), to which was referred C.R. No. 11-29, entitled:

C.R. No. 11-29, "A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF MR. TISER LIPPWE AS A MEMBER OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA SOCIAL SECURITY BOARD.",

begs leave to report as follows:

The intent and purpose of the resolution are expressed in its title.

The nomination of Mr. Tiser Lippwe was transmitted to Congress via Presidential Communication No. 11-58. This communication states that Mr. Lippwe has the qualifications and experience to serve well on the FSM Social Security Board. This same view was expressed by Governor Walter of Chuuk when he recommended Mr. Lippwe to the President as Chuuk's representative on the FSM Social Security Board.

Your committee has requested and has received the personal views of the nominee in writing, who has indicated his desire and agreement to serve on the Board. Other information provided to your committee reveals that Mr. Lippwe has been working with various financial institutions at the management level for many years. Moreover, he has served in various public service positions, including the FSM National Government and the State Government of Chuuk, as well as being elected a delegate to the Chuuk State Constitutional Convention. Based on his career and educational background, your committee is also of the view that Mr. Lippwe does possess the qualifications and experience to be a member of the FSM Social Security Board and will be a great asset thereto.

Mr. Lippwe will probably bring a fresh and innovative perspective to the Board. His strong background in banking and financial matters will be essential to a basic understanding of the major issues facing the social security program, which is advantageous and well suited to the policy

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roles of the Board, especially in the fund investment and management areas. His responses to our written inquiries appear to show a person who has a serious and professional interest in working with the FSM social security system. It is thus the sense and conclusion of your committee that Mr. Lippwe will serve the interests of the FSM social security system and more importantly, the people of the FSM, who are the ultimate beneficiaries of the FSM social security program.

Your committee would like to offer two amendments as follows:

- 1. Line 2 delete "First Special Session, 1999" and insert "Second Special Session, 2000" in lieu thereof.
- 2. Line 7 after "Micronesia," insert "the Chairman of the Federated States of Micronesia Social Security Board,".

The first amendment is to show the session during which the resolution is considered and the second amendment is to add the Chairman of the FSM Social Security Board as another recipient of the subject resolution.

Therefore, your Committee on Health, Education and Social Affairs is in accord with the intent and purpose of C.R. No. 11-29, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as C.R. No. 11-29, C.D.1.

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