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A RESOLUTION

Ratifying the Fishing Agreement and the Goods and Services Agreement recently concluded between the Micronesian Maritime Authority and the Federation of Japan Tuna Fisheries Co-operative Associations, the National Offshore Tuna Fisheries Association of Japan, the Japan Far Seas Purse Seine Fishing Association, and the Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Associations of Japan.

1 WHEREAS, the Micronesian Maritime Authority concluded on July
2 26, 1984, agreements with the Federation of Japan Tuna Fisheries
3 Co-operative Associations, the National Offshore Tuna Fisheries Asso-
4 ciation of Japan, the Japan Far Seas Purse Seine Fishing Association,
5 and the Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries
6 Co-operative Associations of Japan, which agreements granted fishing
7 rights to said associations in the extended fishery zone of the
8 Federated States of Micronesia and further provided for the supply of
9 goods and services for the development of fisheries in the Federated
10 States of Micronesia; and

11 WHEREAS, said agreements require the approval by resolution of
12 the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, pursuant to 24
13 F.S.M.C. 406(1), as amended by Public Law No. 3-10, before they can
14 become effective; and

15 WHEREAS, the vessels involved in said agreements are more than
16 10 vessels; and

17 WHEREAS, said agreements will benefit the Federated States of
18 Micronesia by generating fisheries revenue and by providing goods
19 and services for the development of fisheries in the Federated States
20 of Micronesia; now, therefore,

21 BE IT RESOLVED by the Third Congress of the Federated States of
22 Micronesia, Third Special Session, 1984, that the Congress approves
23 and ratifies said agreements; and


24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution
25 be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia,

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1 the Governor of Ponape, the Speaker of the Ponape State Legislature,
2 the Governor of Kosrae, the Speaker of the Kosrae State Legislature, the
3 Governor of Yap, the Speaker of the Yap State Legislature, the Governor
4 of Truk, the Speaker of the Truk State Legislature, the Executive
5 Director of the Micronesian Maritime Authority of the Federated States
6 of Micronesia, the president of the Federation of Japan Tuna Fisheries
7 Co-operative Associations, the president of the National Offshore Tuna
8 Fisheries Association of Japan, the president of the Japan Far Seas
9 Purse Seine Fishing Association, and the president of the Federation
10 of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Associations
11 of Japan.

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13 Date: 8/8/84

Introduced by: 
John Haglelgam
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