

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 24-07

RE: COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

JANUARY 13, 2026

The Honorable Esmond B. Moses
Speaker, Twenty-Fourth Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Third Regular Session, 2026

Dear Speaker Moses:

Your Committee on Credentials, to which was referred the review of the credentials of the Yap at large member-elect, Andrew R. Yatilman, for the Twenty-Fourth Congress, begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee on Credentials has carefully reviewed the qualifications and eligibility of the Yap at large member-elect, Andrew R. Yatilman, as certified by our National Election Director after the November 12, 2025, Special Election for the Yap at-large Congressional Seat. A copy of the National Election Director's official certifications contained in the communication dated November 17, 2025, are attached hereto and made part of this report.

Your Committee on Credentials finds, based on our careful review and deliberations, that the Yap at large member-elect, Andrew R. Yatilman, possesses all of the qualifications and is eligible to serve and be a member of the Twenty-Fourth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia. Thus, it is recommended that the credentials of the Yap at large member-elect, Andrew R. Yatilman, be accepted and that he takes the Oath of Office as a Member of the Twenty-Fourth Congress of the Federated States of

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Micronesia in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the Federated States of Micronesia.

Your Committee on Credentials is in full accord with the credentials of the Yap at large member-elect, Andrew R. Yatilman and recommends that, pursuant to Article IX Section 9 of the FSM Constitution, Congress finds the member-elect eligible to serve and allows him to receive the Oath of Office to serve as a Senator and Member of the Twenty-Fourth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia.

Respectfully submitted,

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Robson U. Romolow, Chairman

/s/ Andy P. Choor
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/s/ Merlynn Abello-Alfonso
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