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May 18, 2026

The Honorable Esmond B. Moses
Speaker
P.O. Box PS 3
FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Moses:

I transmit herewith a certified copy of Congressional Resolution No. 24-124, which was adopted by the Twenty-Fourth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2026.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jessicalynn Reyes". The signature is stylized and written in a cursive-like font.

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



TWENTY- FOURTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION
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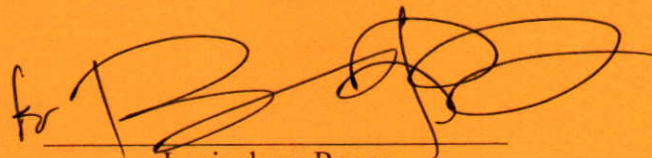
A RESOLUTION

TO CONFIRM THE NOMINATION OF MR. RICKY F. CANTERO TO SERVE AS THE
SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE FEDERATED
STATES OF MICRONESIA.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: JULIO M. MARAR (BY REQUEST)

DATE: MAY 13, 2026

ADOPTED: MAY 18, 2026

for 

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

A RESOLUTION

To confirm the nomination of Mr. Ricky F. Cantero to serve as the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Federated States of Micronesia.

1 WHEREAS, the President of the Federated States of
2 Micronesia has nominated Mr. Ricky F. Cantero to serve as the
3 Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Federated
4 States of Micronesia; and

5 WHEREAS, the nomination is subject to the advice and
6 consent of Congress pursuant to section 2(d), Article X, of the
7 Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia and section
8 207 of title 2 of the Code of the Federated States of
9 Micronesia (Annotated), as amended; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Cantero is an experienced diplomat having
11 served the Department and this Nation for many years; and

12 WHEREAS, having served as Acting Secretary for Foreign
13 Affairs since November 2025 to the present, and previously in
14 various capacities in the government, Mr. Cantero possesses the
15 essential qualifications that render him suitable to serve as
16 the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs; now,
17 therefore,

18 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-fourth Congress of the
19 Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2026,
20 that Congress hereby confirms the nomination of Mr. Ricky F.

1 Cantero to serve as the Secretary of the Department of Foreign
2 Affairs of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
4 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated
5 States of Micronesia, the Governor of each state of the Nation,
6 and Mr. Ricky F. Cantero.

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9 ADOPTED: May 18, 2026

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Esmond B. Moses
Speaker
FSM Congress

ATTEST:



Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
FSM Congress