

A RESOLUTION

Ratifying the Amendment in 2010 of the Cotonou Agreement between the European Community and the African, Caribbean and Pacific Group States to which the Federated States of Micronesia is a partner.

1 WHEREAS, the FSM signed the Cotonou Agreement on June 23,
2 2000, and the Revised Cotonou Agreement in December 2005; and

3 WHEREAS, the Revised Cotonou Agreement complements and
4 strengthens the partnership of its members, to ensure
5 consistency with the international agenda for development,
6 deepens the political dimension of the partnership and broadens
7 the cooperation framework to include new important security
8 issues;

9 WHEREAS, the Cotonou Agreement was further amended in 2010
10 to strengthen the objectives of the Cotonou Agreement; and

11 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia needs to
12 ratify the Amendment to ensure access to its benefits,
13 including funding made available under the Economic Development
14 Fund; now, therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated
16 States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2014, that
17 Congress hereby ratifies the Amendment of the Cotonou Agreement
18 in 2010, behalf of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be
2 transmitted to the President of the Federated States of
3 Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs,
4 the Governor of each State of the Nation, and the National
5 Authorizing Officer.

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7 Date: 3/24/18

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