

A RESOLUTION

Requesting the President of the Federated States of Micronesia that in future U.S. grant applications in the area of health individuals whose salaries are paid from these grants and who are performing duties in the four States are specified to be employees of the State Governments rather than employees of the National Government.

1 WHEREAS, many programs under the FSM Department of Health
2 and Social Affairs and the Departments of Health of the four
3 States are funded by U.S. grants; and

4 WHEREAS, currently more than half of the FSM Department of
5 Health and Social Affairs employees under these grants perform
6 their work and have their duty stations in one of the four
7 States; and

8 WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Federated States of
9 Micronesia Article IX assumes all health activities not
10 specifically delegated to the National Government be performed
11 at the State level; now, therefore,

12 BE IT RESOLVED by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated
13 States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2013, that the
14 Congress hereby requests the President of the Federated States
15 of Micronesia that in future U.S. grant applications in the area
16 of health individuals whose salaries are paid from these grants
17 and who are performing duties in the four States are specified

1 to be employees of State Governments rather than employees of
2 the National Government; 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 and the
6 Presiding Officer of each State Legislature.

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8 Date: 5/21/13

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