

A RESOLUTION

To rescind certain reservations to the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination Against Women ("CEDAW").

1 WHEREAS, in 2003 the 13th FSM Congress by CR 13-03 ratified
2 CEDAW with certain reservations; and

3 WHEREAS, since then the Congress has steadfastly supported
4 the principles of equal protection and human dignity; and

5 WHEREAS, it is the sense of Congress that the
6 reservations to CEDAW are no longer necessary; now, therefore,

7 BE IT RESOLVED by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated
8 States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session that the
9 reservations to the ratification of CEDAW found in CR 13-03 are
10 hereby rescinded; and

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President is authorized to
12 so inform the depository of CEDAW.

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
14 resolution be transmitted to the President of the FSM, the
15 Secretary of Foreign Affairs, and the Secretary of Health and
16 Social Affairs.

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18 Date: 1/27/17

Introduced by: /s/ Wesley W. Simina
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