

A RESOLUTION

Approving Airport Improvement Program project grant agreements between the Federated States of Micronesia and the United States.

1 WHEREAS, the United States, acting on behalf of the United
2 States Secretary of Transportation and through the Federal
3 Aviation Administration, has offered the Federated States of
4 Micronesia grants for Airport Improvement Program Project Nos. 3-
5 64-0001-05, 3-64-0002-05, 3-64-0002-05, 3-64-0002-06, 3-64-0003-
6 08, 3-64-0004-5, and 3-64-0004-06; and

7 WHEREAS, Airport Improvement Program Projects Nos. 3-64-0001-
8 05, 3-64-0002-05, 3-64-0003-08 and 3-64-0004-05 will fund ninety-
9 five percent (95%) of the costs of purchasing Aircraft Rescue and
10 Fire Fighting vehicles with protective clothing for the
11 international airports in each State; and

12 WHEREAS, Airport Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0002-06
13 will fund ninety-five percent (95%) of the costs of procuring
14 design services for the construction of an Aircraft Rescue and
15 Fire Fighting building and the rehabilitation of Runway 9/27,
16 taxiway and apron for the Pohnpei State International Airport; and

17 WHEREAS, Airport Improvement Program Projects No. 3-64-0004-
18 06 will fund ninety-five (95%) of the costs of repairing or
19 replacing the Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting shed, security
20 perimeter fence, rotating beacon, wind cones, apron lights,
21 communications equipment, airfield lighting and signage, threshold

1 lights, distance remaining and guidance signage, and terminal
2 building for the Yap State International Airport; and

3 WHEREAS, the Federated States of Micronesia, through the
4 Secretary of Foreign Affairs, has accepted the six aforementioned
5 Airport Improvement Program project grants and executed agreements
6 for each grant; and

7 WHEREAS, these grants qualify as program funds received from
8 the United States pursuant to sections 221(a), 221(c) and 224 of
9 the Compact of Free Association, and each grant is for a sum that
10 exceeds \$50,000; and

11 WHEREAS, section 211 of title 55 of the Code of the Federated
12 States of Micronesia requires Congressional approval by resolution
13 of all program funds for \$50,000 or more received from the United
14 States pursuant to sections 221(a), 221(c) and 224 of the Compact
15 of Free Association; and

16 WHEREAS, the six aforementioned Airport Improvement Program
17 project grant agreements also require that a resolution has been
18 duly adopted as an official act of Congress; now, therefore

19 BE IT RESOLVED by the Thirteenth Congress of the Federated
20 States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2005, that the grant
21 agreement for Airport Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0001-05
22 is hereby approved;

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant agreement for Airport
24 Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0002-05 is hereby approved;

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant agreement for Airport

1 Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0002-06 is hereby approved;

2 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant agreement for Airport

3 Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0003-08 is hereby approved;

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant agreement for Airport

5 Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0004-05 is hereby approved;

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant agreement for Airport

7 Improvement Program Project No. 3-64-0004-06 is hereby approved;

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this

9 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States

10 of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs,

11 the Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communication

12 and Infrastructure, and the Governor of each State

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14 Date: 1/17/05

Introduced by: /s/ Henry C. Asugar

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