A RESOLUTION

APIL Resolution No. 34-GA-01

“Congratulating the Members of the 19th Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia on their 2015 elections and Peter M. Christian and Yosiwo P. George on their selections as the 8th President and the 8th Vice President of the Federated States of Micronesia.”

1 WHEREAS, once every four years, the newly elected Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia selects from among its four year Senators, the President and Vice President of the country; and

2 WHEREAS, on the 11th day of May 2015, Peter M. Christian of Pohnpei and Yosiwo P. George of Kosrae were selected by the 19th FSM Congress as the 8th President and the 8th Vice President of the Federated States of Micronesia, respectively; and

3 WHEREAS, in the second week of July, 2015, the 34th General Assembly of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures has convened in the State of Pohnpei, which is also the site of the capital of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

4 WHEREAS, it is fortunate that the APIL is conducting its 34th General Assembly during the same week as the official inauguration of President Christian and Vice President George; and

5 WHEREAS, the APIL officers and delegates, as well as the APIL presenters, are all privileged to have all been invited to witness this solemn occasion for the inauguration of the FSM’s highest administrative officials; now, therefore,
BE IT RESOLVED by the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures, 34th General Assembly, July 7-10, 2015, Island of Pohnpei, FSM, that the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures hereby congratulates the Members of the 19th Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia on their 2015 elections and Peter M. Christian and Yosiwo P. George on their selections as the 8th President and the 8th Vice President of the Federated States of Micronesia; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the APIL President Kenneth A. Kedi is respectfully requested to lead the APIL delegation to the FSM inauguration ceremonies and to personally convey the congratulations of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures to the new leadership of the Federated States of Micronesia and our best wishes for productive and rewarding terms of office; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the APIL President shall certify, and the APIL Secretary shall attest to the adoption hereof and that copies of the same shall thereafter be transmitted to FSM President Peter M. Christian, to FSM Vice President Yosiwo P. George, to FSM Congress Speaker T.H. Wesley W. Simina, and to the Chief Executives and Legislative Presiding Officers of each member jurisdiction of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED ON THE 9TH DAY OF JULY, 2015.

KENNETH A. KEDI  FERNANDO SCALIEM
PRESIDENT    SECRETARY