



Association of Pacific Island Legislatures

American Samoa
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
FSM, State of Chuuk
FSM, State of Kosrae
FSM, State of Pohnpei
FSM, State of Yap
Island of Guam
Republic of Kiribati
Republic of the Marshall Islands
Republic of Nauru
Republic of Palau
State of Hawaii

A RESOLUTION

APIL Resolution No. 51-BOD-06

“Requesting the Digital Society Foundation to explore possibilities for improving the delivery of Legislative services in the area of information and communication technology and to better serve the Legislatures in fulfilling and strengthening their oversight and Legislative functions in the APIL and authorizing Digital Society Foundation to seek funding from the United Nations Development Program (UNDP), Pacific Islands Forum, World Bank and other funding bodies on behalf of the APIL for such projects.”

1 **WHEREAS**, Digital Society Foundation has been formed to assist developing communities
2 gain social and economic benefits from digital-age Information and Communications Technologies
3 (ICT); and

4 **WHEREAS**, the APIL formed a sister organization partnership with the Digital Society
5 Foundation to assist APIL member entities with Information and Communication Technology; now,
6 therefore,

7 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Directors of the Association of Pacific Island
8 Legislatures, 51st Board Meeting, December 1-3, 2010, Colonia, Yap, Federated States of
9 Micronesia, that the Board of Directors, on behalf of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures,
10 hereby requests Digital Society Foundation to explore possibilities for improving the delivery of
11 Legislative services in the areas of information and communication technology and to better serve
12 the Legislatures in fulfilling and strengthening their oversight and Legislative functions in the APIL
13 and authorizing Digital Society Foundation to seek funding sources from the United Nations
14 Development Program (UNDP), Pacific Islands Forum, World Bank and other funding bodies on
15 behalf of the APIL for such projects; and

1 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the APIL President shall certify, and the APIL
2 Secretary shall attest, to the adoption of this resolution and that copies of the same shall be
3 thereafter transmitted to the President and CEO of Digital Society Foundation and to the Chief
4 Executives and Legislative Presiding Officers of each member legislature of the Association of
5 Pacific Island Legislatures.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED ON THE 3RD DAY OF DECEMBER, 2010.


REBLUUD KESOLEI
PRESIDENT


ALIK J. ALIK
SECRETARY

