



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

Resolution No. 58-BOD-05

“Relative to expressing gratitude and appreciation to the Palau National Congress, “Olbiil Era Kelulau” for hosting the 58th Board of Directors’ Meeting of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures.”

1 **WHEREAS**, the 58th Board of Directors’ Meeting of the Association of Pacific
2 Island Legislatures was held in the Republic of Palau, December 6–7, 2017; and

3 **WHEREAS**, the Palau National Congress, “Olbiil Era Kelulau”, graciously
4 provided the support and logistics necessary for the conduct of the meeting and the
5 requirements of those attending; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the Palau National Congress, “Olbiil Era Kelulau”, is represented in
7 the APIL Board of Directors by Senator Kerai Mariur and Delegate Marino Ngamaes,
8 who were very instrumental in making the APIL Board Meeting in the Republic of Palau
9 a memorable and successful one; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the Speaker of the Palau National Congress, the Honorable Sabino
11 Anastacio, and the Senate President, Honorable Hokkons Baules, were very helpful with
12 the organizing of the APIL Board Meeting; and

13 **WHEREAS**, the Palau National Congress and numerous members of its staff
14 extended their hospitality and services to the Board of Directors of the Association of
15 Pacific Island Legislatures; now, therefore,

16 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Directors of the Association of Pacific
17 Island Legislatures, 58th Board Meeting, December 6–7, 2017, Republic of Palau, that the
18 Board of Directors on behalf of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures hereby
19 expresses its gratitude and appreciation to the Palau National Congress for hosting the
20 58th Board of Directors Meeting of APIL; and

1 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that APIL President shall certify, and the APIL
2 Secretary shall attest to the adoption hereof and that copies of the same shall be thereafter
3 transmitted to the President of the Republic of Palau; to the Senate President and Speaker
4 of the Palau National Congress; and to the Chief Executives and Legislative Presiding
5 Officers of the member jurisdictions of the Association of Pacific Island Legislatures.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED ON THE 7th DAY OF DECEMBER, 2017.



ROBERT I. TAULUNG
PRESIDENT



NELSON STEPHEN
SECRETARY

