



Department of Foreign Affairs Federated States of Micronesia

INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION

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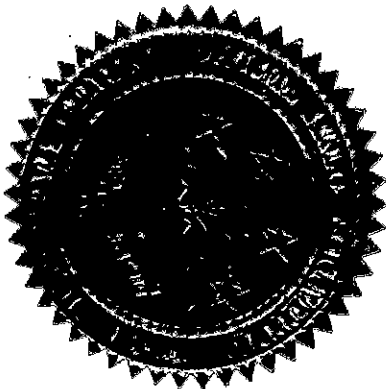
ASIAN AND PACIFIC COCONUT COMMUNITY


WHEREAS, pursuant to subsections 504 (c) and (d) of Title 10 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (hereinafter referred to as "the Code"), the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs negotiated with the Asian and Pacific Coconut Community (hereinafter referred to as "the Community") and formally requested for the admission of the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia as a full participating member of the Community; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 2, Section 2 of the Agreement Establishing the Asian and Pacific Coconut Community¹, the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia was admitted in 1988 as a full fledged member of the Community by the unanimous decision of the then existing members of the Community;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to Article 13 of the Agreement Establishing the Asian and Pacific Coconut Community, the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia hereby accedes to the Agreement establishing the Asian and Pacific Coconut Community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Sebastian L. Anefal, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs under subsections 504 (c) and (d) of Title 10 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, have signed this Instrument of Accession at Palikir, Pohnpei, Federated States of Micronesia, on this 19th day of April, 2004.




Sebastian L. Anefal
Secretary of Foreign Affairs
Federated States of Micronesia

¹ As amended during the Fourteenth APCC Session, 21-31 July 1976, Davao City, Philippines and the Thirty Third APCC Session, 28-31 October 1996, Port Villa, Vanuatu.