



# Department of Foreign Affairs Federated States of Micronesia

## INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION

WHEREAS, the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against Safety of Maritime Navigation ("the Convention") was adopted by Resolution of the International Maritime Organization in Rome on March 10, 1988;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 17 of the Convention, the Convention is open to accession by any State;

WHEREAS, the Twelfth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia adopted Congressional Resolution No. 12-36 on January 30, 2002 acceding to the Convention;

NOW THEREFORE, I, the Acting Secretary of Foreign Affairs of the Federated States of Micronesia, hereby execute this Instrument of Accession on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2002, and direct that it be deposited with the Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization forthwith.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lorin S. Robert", is written over a horizontal line.

Lorin S. Robert  
Acting Secretary

