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FURTHER AMENDING THE CERTIFICATION AND DECLARATION ISSUED ON JULY 10, 2023 PERTAINING TO CHUUK'S JULY 4, 2023 SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE WINNING CANDIDATE, AS AMENDED ON JULY 21, 2023, TO INCLUDE THE CERTIFIED RESULTS OF THE REFERENDUM ISSUED ON SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 ON THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS RECEIVING THE REQUIRED THRESHOLDS AS MANDATED BY THE FSM CONSTITUTION INCLUSIVE OF A PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PASSED BY THE STATE OF POHNPEI IN THE SAID ELECTION (FURTHER AMENDED VERSION IN YELLOW).

WHEREAS, THE CERTIFIED AND DECLARED RESULT OF THE WINNING CANDIDATE FOR THE STATE OF CHUUK, AS AMENDED AND THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS RECEIVING THE NECESSARY THRESHOLDS AS REQUIRED BY THE FSM CONSTITUTION ISSUED ON JULY 10, 2023 DID NOT INCLUDE THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS FOR THE STATE OF CHUUK; AND

WHEREAS, THE CHUUK COUNTING AND TABULATION COMMITTEES IN MOST OF THE POLLING PLACES DID NOT COUNT AND TALLY THE BALLOTS FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS FOR THE EXCEPTION OF THE MORTLOCKS OR ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 1; AND

WHEREAS, BASED ON A MOTION FILED AT THE FSM SUPREME COURT, CHUUK NATIONAL ELECTION ACTING COMMISSIONER RAIN HAS BEEN ORDERED TO COUNT THE UNCOUNTED POLLING PLACES FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS; AND

WHEREAS, THE COUNTING AND TABULATION COMMITTEE IN THE STATE OF CHUUK HAS COMPLETED AND THOROUGHLY COUNTED AND TALLIED ALL BALLOTS CAST IN THE SAID ELECTION INCLUSIVE OF ALL KINDS OF ABSENTEE BALLOTS; AND

WHEREAS, THE NATIONAL ELECTION ACTING COMMISSIONER OF STATE OF CHUUK HAS CERTIFIED THE RESULTS OF THE JULY 4, 2023 REFERENDUM ON SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 ON THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED UPON ME AS THE NATIONAL ELECTION DIRECTOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 711(1) OF TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, I HEREBY OFFICIALLY CERTIFY

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THE TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED BY THE WINNING CANDIDATE AND THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS RECEIVING THE REQUIRED THRESHOLDS AS MANDATED BY THE FSM CONSTITUTION FOR THE STATE OF CHUUK. THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT ON THE THRESHOLD IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI WAS RATIFIED BUT IT WAS MISTAKENLY RECORDED AS NOT MEETING THE ¾ THRESHOLDS IN THE JULY 10, 2023 CERTIFIED RESULTS. THIS IS AN ADDITIONAL AMENDMENT THAT THE POHNPEI REGISTERED VOTERS CASTING THEIR VOTES IN THE JULY 4, 2023 REFERENDUM HAVE RATIFIED.

CHUUK STATE:

| <u>Winning Candidate</u> | <u>Total Votes Received</u> | <u>Election District</u> |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Fabian Sitan Nimea | 3,615 | AT-LARGE |

| <u>Amendments:</u> | <u>Percentage</u> |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Dual Citizenship | 86.71% |
| Eligibility for Congress | 84.71% |
| Healthy Environment | 86.58% |
| Independent Prosecutor | 86.14% |
| Land Case Jurisdiction | 83.04% |
| Presidential Veto | 83.39% |
| Revenue Distribution | 86.39% |
| Revenue Sharing | 86.17% |
| Threshold | 84.47% |

KOSRAE STATE

| <u>Winning Candidate:</u> | <u>Total Votes Received</u> | <u>Election District</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| YOSLYN G. SIGRAH | 697 | AT-LARGE |

| <u>Amendments:</u> | <u>Percentage</u> |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Dual Citizenship | 86.6% |
| Eligibility for Congress | 86.0% |
| Healthy Environment | 93.0% |
| Independent Prosecutor | 86.5% |
| Land Case Jurisdiction | 85.7% |
| Presidential Veto | 84.8% |
| Revenue Distribution | 87.3% |

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