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**NOTICE TO CITIZENS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
RESIDING IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**Re: Restoration of Eligibility for the Legal Services
of the Legal Services Corporation**

30 September 2007

Dear FSM Citizen,

I am pleased to inform that the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation, during its meeting on 11 September 2007 in Washington DC, unanimously voted to restore the eligibility of the FSM citizens to its free legal services. About six years ago, the LSC ceased providing legal representation to those FSM citizens residing in the US. The LSC will now serve the needs of our citizens, particularly for advice and counsel on the entire range of civil problems, such as landlord/tenant, debtor/creditor, domestic violence, child support, essential health care, and immigration matters.

The restoration of eligibility goes into effect on 15 October 2007. It applies to all FSM citizens residing in the United States, including Hawaii, Guam, and the Northern Mariana Islands, who might not have otherwise afforded legal representation in civil cases.

The Legal Services Corporation has a network of affiliate offices throughout the United States; please visit its website (www.lsc.gov) to find out its affiliate office near you. The LSC is the parent organization of the Micronesian Legal Services Corporation.

I shall be grateful if you share this information to your fellow citizens, especially those who might stand in need of legal representation. If you have further inquiry, we will be pleased and privileged to assist.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Naich".

James A. Naich
Charge d'Affaires, ad interim