

THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

EIGHTEENTH SPECIAL SESSION, APRIL 2025

L. R. No. 13-161

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A RESOLUTION

Consenting to and confirming the nomination of Mrs. Suzie H. Benjamin to serve as a member of the Kosrae Election Commission.

1 **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 12 of Article V of the Kosrae State Constitution,
2 the Governor has the constitutional authority to appoint members comprising State Boards,
3 Authority, Commissions or Agencies with the advice and consent of the Legislature; and

4 **WHEREAS**, Section 7.102 of Title 7 of the Kosrae State Code established the
5 Kosrae Election Commission as one of the government financed agencies of the State and
6 by Section 7.302 is given the authority to supervise a state election in conformity with Title
7 3 of the Kosrae State Code; and

8 **WHEREAS**, each board member serves for a period of 5 years, pursuant to Section
9 7.301 of Title 7 of the Kosrae State Code; and

10 **WHEREAS**, by Governor's Message No. 13-299, The Acting Governor Arthy G.
11 Nena has nominated Mrs. Suzie H. Benjamin to be a member of the Kosrae Election
12 Commission; and

13 **WHEREAS**, the Standing Committee on Judiciary and Governmental Operations
14 has been assigned to work on the nomination and has concluded its work on the nomination
15 of Mrs. Suzie H. Benjamin; and

16 **WHEREAS**, it is the finding of the Standing Committee on Judiciary and
17 Governmental Operations that the nominee is willing to carry out the duties and

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1 responsibilities of a board member of the Kosrae Election Commission; **NOW &**
2 **THEREFORE**

3 **BE IT RESOLVED**, that this 13th Kosrae State Legislature, on its Eighteenth
4 Special Session, April 2025, hereby consents to and confirms the nomination of Mrs.
5 Suzie H. Benjamin to serve as a member of the Kosrae Election Commission; and

6 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution be
7 transmitted to the Governor of the State of Kosrae, The Honorable Tulensa W. Palik; and
8 to Mrs. Suzie H. Benjamin.

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11 Date: 5/5/25

Introduced by: 

Nena C. Ned