

TWELFTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

TWELFTH SPECIAL SESSION, SEPTEMBER, 2020

L.R. No. 12-192

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A RESOLUTION

To further extend the Governor's Declaration of a State of Emergency made on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 as amended and extended.

1           **WHEREAS**, the Governor made a Declaration of a State of Emergency on March 17<sup>th</sup>,  
2 2020 (the Declaration of a State of Emergency) ;and

3           **WHEREAS**, members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature on April 13, 2020  
4 considered whether to extend the Declaration of a State of Emergency which had by then been  
5 amended, pursuant to Section 13 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Kosrae and then  
6 resolved to extend the Declaration of a State of Emergency as amended for a period of another  
7 thirty (30) days from April 17, 2020.

8           **WHEREAS**, members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature on May 13, 2020  
9 considered whether to extend the Declaration of a State of Emergency as amended, pursuant to  
10 Section 13 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Kosrae and then resolved to extend the  
11 Declaration of a State of Emergency as amended for a period of another thirty (30) days from  
12 May 17, 2020

13           **WHEREAS**, members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature on June 15, 2020 considered  
14 whether to extend the Declaration of a State of Emergency as amended, pursuant to Section 13  
15 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Kosrae and then resolved to extend the  
16 Declaration of a State of Emergency as amended for a period of another thirty (30) days from  
17 June 17, 2020

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1       **WHEREAS**, members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature on July 10, 2020 considered  
2 whether to extend the Declaration of a State of Emergency as amended, pursuant to Section 13 of  
3 Article V of the Constitution of the State of Kosrae and then resolved to extend the Declaration  
4 of a State of Emergency as amended for a period of ninety (90) days from 18 July, 2020 and  
5 expires on October 15, 2020

6       **WHEREAS**, members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature pursuant to Section 13  
7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Kosrae considered the Declaration of State of  
8 Emergency as amended and extended ; and

9       **WHEREAS**, members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature after noticing that the  
10 Declaration of State of Emergency as amended and extended is due to expire on 15 October,  
11 2020 and perceiving that COVID-19 still remains a threat in regards to which precautionary  
12 measures need to be further established, maintained and supplemented and thereby perceiving  
13 that it is essential that the Declaration of State of Emergency as amended and extended which  
14 will expire on 15 October, 2020 thereafter be extended by 90 days to enable the Kosrae State to  
15 continue to be in a state of preparedness to adequately respond to the threat posed by COVID-19

16 ; NOW AND THEREFORE

17       **BE IT RESOLVED**, by members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature that pursuant  
18 to Article V, Section 13 of the Kosrae State Constitution that the Declaration of State of  
19 Emergency as amended and extended be further extended for a period of ninety (90) days from  
20 16 October, 2020 and expires on January 13, 2021.”

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to

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the Honorable Carson K. Sigrah, Governor of the State of Kosrae.

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Date: 9.29.20

Introduced by: 

Tulensa W. Palik