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A SENATE RESOLUTION

To amend Rule 2 Section 2.6 of S.R. No. 18-25-SR-01 by inserting a new subsection j creating for the position of a deputy sergeant at arms, and for other purposes.

1           **WHEREAS**, the Eighteenth Chuuk State Legislature convened its First Regular  
2 Session, April, 2025; and

3           **WHEREAS**, the Senate, Eighteenth Chuuk State Legislature adopted the Rules of  
4 Procedure of the Senate, Seventeenth Chuuk State Legislature to govern the conduct of  
5 business at all sessions of the Senate; and

6           **WHEREAS**, the current Senate Rules of Procedure provides for the position of  
7 Sergeant at -Arms with his duties and responsibilities; and

8           **WHEREAS**, it is the finding of the Senate that a Deputy Sergeant at-Arms is needed  
9 to assist the Senate Sergeant at Arms in the performance of his duties and responsibilities; and

10           **WHEREAS**, Section 2.6 of Rule 2 of S.R. No. 18-25-SR-01 is hereby amended to  
11 read as follows:

12           **“Section 2.6. Sergeant-at-Arms.** It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms:

- 13           a. To attend all schedule sessions of the House, unless excused by the Speaker.
- 14           b. To maintain order among those present as spectators under direction of the chair.
- 15           c. To give notice to the presiding officer of the attendance of any person with  
16           communications or otherwise.
- 17           d. To attend upon committees if so requested.
- 18           e. To serve all orders or process directed by the Speaker and to execute the commands  
19           of the Senate.
- 20           f. To make all required arrests of members or other persons and to restrain the same  
21           in custody.
- 22           g. To have charge of and responsibility for the postal requirements of the Senate.
- 23           h. To prevent anyone from entering the floor or the Senate chamber during session  
24           except members of the Senate, authorized employees and guests of the Senate.

- 1 i. To execute all other requirements of his office.
- 2 j. There shall be a Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms who may be hired and removed by the
- 3 President. The Deputy Sergeant at- Arms shall assist the Sergeant at- Arms in all
- 4 his duties and responsibilities, and any other duties as assigned by the President of
- 5 the Senate.

6 **BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Senate, Eighteenth Chuuk State Legislature, First Regular

7 Session, Second Special Session, November, 2025 that the Senate hereby amends its Rules of

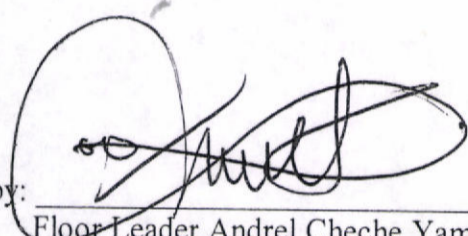
8 Procedure and it shall take effect upon adoption by the Senate; and

9 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted

10 to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Chuuk State Legislature; the Governor of the

11 State of Chuuk; and the Chief Justice of the Chuuk State Supreme Court.

Date: Nov. 13, 25

Introduced by:   
Floor Leader Andre Cheche Yamamoto