

A Resolution to Recognize Taiwan as an Independent Nation

- 1 **WHEREAS,** The People’s Republic of China continues to exert economic and military pressure on
2 Taiwan; and
- 3 **WHEREAS,** Taiwan functions as a sovereign democratic nation with an independent government and
4 economy; and
- 5 **WHEREAS,** Recognizing Taiwan would reaffirm United States support for democratic allies in the Indo-
6 Pacific region; and
- 7 **WHEREAS,** The United States’ current policy of strategic ambiguity has increased geopolitical tensions
8 with China; now, therefore, be it
- 9 **RESOLVED,** That the Congress here assembled formally recognize Taiwan as an independent nation;
10 and, be it
- 11 **FURTHER RESOLVED,** That the United States establish full diplomatic relations with Taiwan, including an
12 exchange of ambassadors.