

**A COMMITTEE PROPOSAL**

Adding a new section to Article VII of the State Constitution relating to the disposition of Chuuk State Supreme Court cases.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE THIRD STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION:

Section 1. Amendment. Article VII of the State Constitution is hereby amended by adding a new section thereto to read as follows:

"Section 15. Decisions of the trial division on a civil or criminal case shall be rendered no later than six months after the end of trial or other submission for decision of each case. Decisions of the appellate division on a civil or criminal case shall be rendered within six months after oral argument or other submission for decision of the appeal. The Legislature shall provide for the enforcement of this provision by statute."

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Camillo Noket  
President  
Third Chuuk State  
Constitutional Convention

Attested to: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary  
Third Chuuk State  
Constitutional Convention