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TENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FIRST REGULAR SESSION, 1997 C.B. N

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 54 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by further amending section 805, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 7-41 and 9-139, to provide that the States shall receive one hundred percent of the net taxes on wages and salaries and gross revenues, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

1	Section 1. Section 805 of title 54 of the Code of the Federated States of
2	Micronesia, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 7-41 and 9-139, is hereby further
3	amended to read as follows:
4	"Section 805. <u>Distribution of revenues</u> .
5	(1) The treasurer of the Federated States of Micronesia
6	shall pay one hundred percent of the net taxes collected pursuant
7	to sections 121 and 141 of this title, eighty percent of the net
8	taxes collected pursuant to section 221(9) of this title, and fifty
9	percent of all other net taxes collected pursuant to sections 1214
10	141/ and 221 of this title, into the treasury of the State
11	government to which the taxes are attributable for appropriation
12	by the State legislature.
13	(2) 'Net taxes' as used in subsection (1) of this section
14	means gross collections of taxes, penalties, interest, or other
15	related charges less refunds and less the cost of administration.
16	(3) 'Cost of administration' as used in subsection (2) of
17	this section means the cost determined to be allocatable to each
18	State by the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia when
19	making appropriations for the operating expenses of the Customs
20	and Revenue Divisions.
21	(4) The revenue office in each State may administer the
22	taxes of the State in which located, but those duties shall not
23	interfere with the administration of taxes imposed by the laws of
24	the Federated States of Micronesia. All costs in excess of those
25	funded by appropriations of the Congress of the Federated States

1	of Micronesia required for the administration of State taxes shall
2	be borne entirely by the State."
3	Section 2. This act shall take effect on the first day of the fiscal year
4	following its becoming law.
5	Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of
6	the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such
7	approval.
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