



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-308
FSM CONGRESS

September 26, 2012

The Honorable Isaac V. Figir
Speaker
17th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei State, FM 96941



Dear Speaker Figir:

I am pleased to inform you that I have designated the following Congressional Act as Public Law No. 17-62.

Congressional Act No. 17-59, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 3 OF PUBLIC LAW NO.11-27, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25,12-72, 15-56, 15-68 and 17-58, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR THE STATE OF YAP, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES ."

I would like to express my appreciation to Congress for making the appropriate modifications and necessary technical amendments to specify the individual public projects and social programs that are to receive funds under this law. The appropriate modifications along with the technical amendments in this act, makes the appropriation and implementation process more fair and transparent.

Thank you in advance for your kind attention to this important matter.

With warm personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,


Manny Mori
President

Enclosures:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Acting Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
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Office of the Chief Clerk

September 18, 2012



His Excellency Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Mori:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 17-59, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 3 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 11-27, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56, 15-68 AND 17-58, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR THE STATE OF YAP, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2012, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures

PUBLIC LAW No. 17- 62



SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FIFTH REGULAR SESSION
SEPTEMBER 10 - 29, 2012

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-308
FSM CONGRESS

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 3 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 11-27, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56, 15-68 AND 17-58, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR THE STATE OF YAP, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: JOSEPH J. URUSEMAL

DATE: SEPTEMBER 17, 2012

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – SEPTEMBER 17, 2012

FIRST READING: SEPTEMBER 17, 2012

SECOND READING: SEPTEMBER 18, 2012

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-308
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 17-59

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 17-169)

We hereby certify that on September 18 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Regular Session, 2012, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required under article IX, section 20, of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia.

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Isaac V. Figir
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIFTH REGULAR SESSION, 2012

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 17-169

PUBLIC LAW No. 17-62

AN ACT

To further amend section 3 of Public Law No. 11-27, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56, 15-68 and 17-58, to change the use of certain funds previously appropriated therein for the State of Yap, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 11-27, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72,
3 15-56, 15-68 and 17-58, is hereby further amended to read as
4 follows:

5 "Section 3. The sum of \$1,000,000, or so much
6 thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated
7 from the General Fund of the Federated States of
8 Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30,
9 2000, for the purpose of funding infrastructure
10 projects, roads, and other economic and social
11 projects and programs in the State of Yap. The funds
12 appropriated under this section shall be apportioned
13 as follows:

14	(1) Dugor/Bael road	\$	100,000
15	(2) Gargey land development		-0-
16	(3) Weloy municipal office construction .		100,000
17	(4) Deechmur, Tomil men's house project .		50,000
18	(5) Outer island agriculture		

1	development/cultural programs	\$ 117,250
2	(6) Yap's social development seminars ...	24,543
3	(7) Wulu Village, Fanif power	
4	and road extension	25,000
5	(8) Atliw women's community project	20,000
6	(9) Rumuu lothog men's house project	50,000
7	(10) V6AI equipment purchase	77,413
8	(11) (a)Outer island infrastructure	
9	development projects including projects	
10	for outer island communities on Yap	
11	proper (matching funds) PROVIDED THAT	
12	the Department of Finance and Administration	
13	shall allot only \$50,000 of these funds	
14	until such time as the full amount is available	
15	through recovery of funds previously	
16	allotted in error	223,489
17	(b) For payment of outstanding	
18	debts for Yapese students enrolled at	
19	the COM-FSM Institution as of	
20	September 30, 2008 and an eligible	
21	recipient shall receive funding if she	
22	or he meets two conditions: (1) the	
23	student is currently enrolled at the	
24	college and (2) the student is	
25	maintaining a 2.00 GPA	20,000

1	(12) Yap Delegation Office including	
2	Delegation Office land lease	\$ 17,351
3	(13) Beechial box-culvert bridge	30,000
4	(14) Scholarship for Yapese for graduate	
5	school studies or studies in high-priority	
6	fields, including aviation and civil	
7	engineering. Funds may be used	
8	for transportation expenses of student	
9	to or from place of study	40,000
10	(15) Okau village water service extension	5,000
11	(16) Completion of Ngulu Women's House and	
12	dispensary buildings	4,451
13	(17) Training and participation of Outer	
14	Island athletes in regional games and Outer	
15	Island Youth Sports Programs	7,000
16	(18) Travel and meeting expenses for	
17	Delegation to visit the Outer Islands	
18	of Yap.	15,000
19	(19) funds shall be used for mitigation	
20	programs for the people living on the outer	
21	islands of Yap whose taro patches and small	
22	subsistent farms are affected by salt water	
23	intrusion or sea level rise.	35,750
24	(20) Outer Islands High School improvement projects	
25	(a) Sports equipment and activities	5,000

1 (b) Classroom ceiling fans \$ 5,000
2 (c) Computer lab equipment 6,000
3 (d) Roofing materials for OIHS library 8,000
4 (e) Staff office and conference room repair 7,000
5 (21) Musical instruments Neighboring Islands
6 Central High School (NICHs), Mogmog Youth
7 Club, and Tegailap Youth 6,753"

8 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
9 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
10 becoming law without such approval.

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September 26, 2012

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Manny Mori
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President
Federated States of Micronesia

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