



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19536
FSM CONGRESS

January 9, 2017

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Nineteenth Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-141:

Congressional Act No. 19-142, entitled: "TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$700,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2017, TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE DEFUNDED PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to express our appreciation to Congress for the passage of the Act. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-536
FSM CONGRESS

December 19, 2016

His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941



Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-142, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$700,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2017, TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE DEFUNDED PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2016, 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



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-536
FSM CONGRESS

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION
DECEMBER 08 – 14, 2016

An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$700,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2017, TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE DEFUNDED PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ALIK L. ALIK

DATE: DECEMBER 14, 2016

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – DECEMBER 16, 2016

FIRST READING: DECEMBER 16, 2016

SECOND READING: DECEMBER 17, 2016

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-536
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 19-142

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-240, C.D.1,
C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on December 17 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2016,
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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Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

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

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-240, C.D.1,
C.D.2

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$700,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, to provide funding for the defunded programs and activities of the government of the state of Kosrae, to fund public projects and social programs for the People of the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Title. To appropriate the sum of \$700,000 from
2 the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the
3 fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, for the purpose of funding
4 the defunded programs and activities of the government of the
5 state of Kosrae and to fund public projects and social programs
6 for the people of state of Chuuk. The sum appropriated herein
7 shall be apportioned as follows:

8	1. Kosrae State Government defunded programs and	
9	activities	\$ 100,000
10	2. state of Chuuk.....	600,000
11	(a) At-Large.....	90,000
12	(i) Leaders/Patients travel/community	
13	outreach and advocacy program	25,000
14	(ii) Housing renovation/	
15	improvement/repair	30,000
16	(iii) Contributions to state/	
17	municipal and community activities, events and	
18	programs	35,000

1	(b) Election District No. 1.....\$	90,000
2	(i) Feasibility study for a	
3	seaport in the Mortlock region	90,000
4	(c) Election District No. 2.....	115,000
5	(i) Food security program.....	20,000
6	(ii) Housing and community	
7	Halls rehabilitation	40,000
8	(iii) Travel needs.....	30,000
9	(iv) Fishing project.....	15,000
10	(v) Youth events/activities.....	5,000
11	(vi) POL/Freight/Charter.....	5,000
12	(d) Election District No. 3.....	110,000
13	(i) Fishing project.....	30,000
14	(ii) Multipurpose building.....	30,000
15	(iii) Food relief program.....	30,000
16	(iv) Community outreach	
17	and advocacy program	20,000
18	(e) Election District No. 4.....	90,000
19	(i) Fishing project.....	30,000
20	(ii) Community outreach and	
21	advocacy programs	30,000
22	(iii) Low income housing repair.....	30,000
23	(f) Election District No. 5.....	105,000
24	(i) POL/Freight/Charter.....	30,000
25	(ii) Solar street lights/installment.	60,000

1 (iii) Citizens, leadership
2 community outreach program\$ 15,000"

3 Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
4 dates.

5 All funds appropriated by this act shall be
6 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
7 accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited
8 to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottees
9 shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so
10 much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the
11 purposes specified in this act, and that no obligations are
12 incurred in excess of the sums appropriated. The allottee of
13 the funds appropriated under subsection 1(1) of this act
14 shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae or his designee.
15 The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections
16 1(2)(a), 1(2)(c) and 1(2)(f) of this act shall be the
17 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of
18 funds appropriated under subsection 1(2)(b) of this act shall
19 be the Mortlock Island Development Authority (MIDA). The
20 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 1(2)(d) of
21 this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority
22 (SNDA). The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
23 1(2)(e) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
24 Authority (FDA). The authority of the allottee to obligate
25 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,

1 2018.

2 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
3 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
4 becoming law without such approval.

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1/9/17, 2016

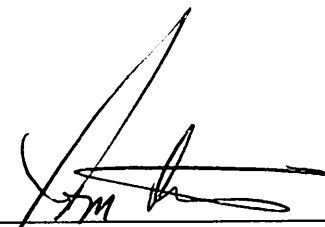
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Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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