

## AN ACT

To amend Sections 2 and 6 of Public Law No. 1-6, to delete the word "Director" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Secretary", and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 1-6 is amended to read as  
2 follows:

3               "Section 2. Departments.

4               (1) There shall be the following departments which shall  
5 be responsible for major programs or administrative support  
6 areas in the Government of the Federated States:

7                       (a) Department of Finance;

8                       (b) Department of Social Services;

9                       (c) Department of External Affairs; and

10                      (d) Department of Resources and Development.

11               ~~design~~(2) The Administrative head of each department shall be  
12 designated as a "Secretary".

13       Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 1-6 is amended to read as  
14 follows:

15               "Section 6. Appointment and Advice and Consent.

16               (1) The President shall nominate and, with the advice and  
17 consent of the Congress, as provided in Article X, Section 2 (d)  
18 of the Constitution, shall appoint the secretaries of departments  
19 and their deputies, if any, and the heads of the offices of the  
20 Attorney General, Budget, Planning and Statistics, and the Public  
21 Defender, and their deputies, if any; including the secretaries,  
22 deputies and heads of departments and offices established by



1 subsequent law; PROVIDED, that nothing herein shall be  
2 construed to require the appointment of the deputies named  
3 above.

4 (2) The President or his designee may appoint officers  
5 and employees not included in Subsection (1) of this section,  
6 without advice and consent of the Congress; PROVIDED, that such  
7 appointments are not inconsistent with the provisions of this  
8 chapter or other laws of the Federated States.

9 (3) The President shall not resubmit the nomination of  
10 any person to the Congress for its action if the same Congress  
11 shall have previously rejected such nomination, unless the  
12 Congress shall by resolution authorize such resubmission."

13 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the President  
14 of the Federated States of Micronesia, or upon its becoming law without  
15 such approval.

16

17

18

19

20

21


22

23

24

25

July 23, 1980

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Tosiwo Nakayama  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia