



*The President*  
*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-453  
FSM CONGRESS

May 10, 2019

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I hereby transmit the following Congressional Act, which was re-passed by Congress and became Public Law No. 20-181:

Congressional Act No. 20-180, entitled: "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 305 OF TITLE 3 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS ADDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-19, TO INCREASE THE STATUTORY LIMIT ON THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS THAT CONGRESS MAY APPROPRIATE TO MEMBERS REPRESENTATION FUNDS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

  
Peter M. Christian

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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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. 20-180, "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 305 OF TITLE 3 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS ADDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-19, TO INCREASE THE STATUTORY LIMIT ON THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS THAT CONGRESS MAY APPROPRIATE TO MEMBERS REPRESENTATION FUNDS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Eighth Special Session, 2019, 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





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TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
EIGHTH SPECIAL SESSION  
MAY 6 - 10, 2019

## An Act

TO AMEND SECTION 305 OF TITLE 3 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS ADDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-19, TO INCREASE THE STATUTORY LIMIT ON THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS THAT CONGRESS MAY APPROPRIATE TO MEMBERS REPRESENTATION FUNDS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: DION G. NETH

DATE: MARCH 01, 2018

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

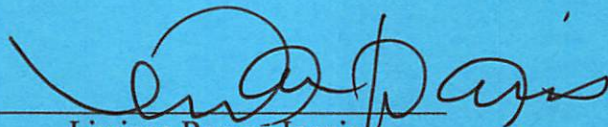
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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress





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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20453  
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 20-180

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-157)

We hereby certify that on May 7 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Eighth Special Session, 2019, 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

TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2018

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-157

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AN ACT

To amend section 305 of title 3 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as added by Public Law No. 20-19, to increase the statutory limit on the amount of funds that Congress may appropriate to Members Representation Funds, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Section 305 of title 3 of the Code of the  
2 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as added by Public  
3 Law No. 20-19, is hereby amended to read as follows:

4           "Section 305. Members' Representation Funds  
5           Appropriation Limits.

6           (1) Congress may appropriate certain funds for  
7           discretionary use by individual members (Representation  
8           Funds) by appropriating funds into the "Speaker and  
9           Members: Contractual Services" line item of the budget,  
10          or any other similar line item within an appropriations  
11          bill. The share of Representation Fund appropriations  
12          dedicated to any particular member of Congress shall not  
13          exceed \$150,000 per fiscal year."

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

May 10, 2019



Peter M. Christian  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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