

# The President

Palikir, Pohnpei Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-360
FSM CONGRESS

July 29, 2020

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-166:

Congressional Act No. 21-168, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-117, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-120, 19-04, 19-08, 19-35, 19-49, 19-59, 19-76, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27 AND 21-114 BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

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Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo

President

Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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July 14 , 2020

His Excellency David W. Panuelo President Federated States of Micronesia Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Panuelo:

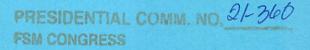
I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-168, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-117, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-120, 19-04, 19-08, 19-35, 19-49, 19-59, 19-76, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27 AND 21-114 BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2020, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis

Chief Clerk, Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures





TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION JULY 1 - 10, 2020

# An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-117, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-120, 19-04, 19-08, 19-35, 19-49, 19-59, 19-76, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27 AND 21-114 BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: PALIKNOA K. WELLY

DATE: JULY 7, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN - JULY 8, 2020

FIRST READING: - JULY 8, 2020

SECOND READING: - JULY 10, 2020

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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ACT NO. 21-168

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-360
FSM CONGRESS

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-254)

We hereby certify that on July 10 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2020, 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.

Wesley W. Simina

Speaker

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis

Chief Clerk

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-254

### AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 18-117, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-120, 19-04, 19-08, 19-35, 19-49, 19-59, 19-76, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27 and 21-114 by amending section 6 thereof, to change the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of the states of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 18-117, as amended

2 by Public Laws Nos. 19-04, 19-59, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117 and

3 21-27, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse 5 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be 6 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in 7 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not 8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The 9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these 10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used 11 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that 12 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum 13 The allottee of the funds appropriated appropriated. 14 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap 15 State; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated 16 under subsection 2(i) shall be the President of COM-FSM. 17 The allottee of funds appropriated under sections 3 and

4 of this act shall be the President of the Federated
States of Micronesia or his designee, PROVIDED THAT, the
allottee of funds appropriated under sections
3(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(f)(g)(h)(i)(j)(k)(l) and (m) shall be
the Mayor of Lelu Town Government; the allotte of funds
appropriation under sections 4(3)(a) and 4(3)(f) of this
act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the
allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(3)(h) of
this act shall be the Meninkeden Lapalap of Madolenimw
and the allottee of funds appropriated under section
4(3)(i) of this act shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kitti.
The allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
5(1), $5(3)$ and $5(6)$ of section 5 of this act shall be
the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The
allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of
section 5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands
Development Authority. The allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 5(4) of section 5 of this
act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development
Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this act shall be the
Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the
allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act
shall lapse on September 30, 2022."
Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by

1 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon 2 its becoming law without such approval. David W. Panuelo President Federated States of Micronesia