

### The President

Palikir, Pohnpei Federated States of Micronesia

> PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-36/ 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. 21-167:

Congressional Act No. 21-174, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85, 18-104, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-34, 20-38 AND 21-144, BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE AND OFFER A TECHNICAL AMENDMENT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

David W. Panuelo

President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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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. 21-174, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85, 18-104, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-34, 20-38 AND 21-144, BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE AND OFFER A TECHNICAL AMENDMENT, 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



## PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-36

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

PUBLIC LAW No. 21-167

### An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85, 18-104, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-34, 20-38 AND 21-144, BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE AND OFFER A TECHNICAL AMENDMENT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: WESLEY W. SIMINA

DATE: JULY 8, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN - JULY 9, 2020

FIRST READING: - JULY 9, 2020

SECOND READING: - JULY 10, 2020

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 2L 361
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-174

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-260)

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

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### A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 15-32, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85, 18-104, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-34, 20-38 and 21-144, by amending section 1 thereof, for the purpose of changing the use of certain funds previously appropriated therein to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State, to offer a technical amendment, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 15-32, as amended

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2	by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78,
3	16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-67,
4	18-104, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-38 and 21-144, is hereby
5	further amended to read as follows:
6	"Section 1. The sum of \$3,780,000, or so much thereof,
7	is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
8	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year
9	ending September 30, 2008, for the purpose of funding
10	public projects and social programs for the people in
11	each state of the Federated States of Micronesia. The
12	fund shall be apportioned on the basis of \$250,000 or
13	less per member of Congress as follows; PROVIDED THAT,
14	an increase of \$300,000 is for Yap State.
15	(1) State of Kosrae \$ 500,000
16	(a) High School Lunch Program
17	and past expenses incurred relating to the

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1	implementation of the program \$	48,000
2	(b) Bachelor Degree Program	80,000
3	(c) Lelu Community projects/programs	10,000
4	(d) Malem Community projects/programs	10,000
5	(e) Utwe Community projects/programs	10,000
6	(f) Tafunsak Community projects/programs	10,000
7	(g) Kosrae Women Association	10,000
8	(h) Promotion and travel for	
9	Tourism Office	10,000
10	(i) Kosrae State Government subsidy	100,000
11	(j) Medical referrals for non-insured	
12	and non-employed Kosraeans; PROVIDED THAT,	
13	reprogramming of this funding is not	
14	allowed	20,000
15	(k) Supplemental funding for fuel	
16	for Caroline Voyager	-0-
17	(1) Tafunsak multipurpose	
18	building renovation	20,000
19	(m) Outboard motors/fishing gears/POL	8,950
20	(n) Kosrae Senior Citizens Meeting Halls	
21	(i) Lelu Senior Citizen	30,000
22	(ii) Tafunsak Senior Citizen	19,691
23	(iii) Malem Senior Citizen	30,000
24	(iv) Utwa Senior Citizen	30,000
25	(o) Supplemental funding for a	

1	Master's Degree Program\$	8,000
2	(p) Tafunsak Youths' musical instruments	5,000
3	(q) KCSO's subsidy	5,000
4	(r) National Government debts to ABCOR	
5	Construction	12,000
6	(s) Kosrae Women Christian Associations	
7	(i) Lelu Women Christian	
8	Association	2,000
9	(ii) Tafunsak Women Christian	
10	Association	2,000
11	(iii) Malem Women Christian	
12	Association	2,000
13	(iv) Utwa Women Christian	
14	Association	2,000
15	(v) Walung Women Christian	
16	Association	2,000
17	(t) Kosrae Community in Pohnpei State	2,000
18	(u) Computer and computer accessories	1,050
19	(v) Tafunsak Senior citizens' land	
20	acquisition and purchase of building materials	10,309
21	(2) State of Yap	800,000
22	(a) Chamber of Commerce (matching	
23	fund) the funding shall not be expended unless th	ne
24	Chamber of Commerce contributes a 50% of	
25	either in kind and/or monetary contribution	

1	as it's matching\$	50,000
2	(b) Ruu and Amun villages basketball cou	rts -0-
3	(c) Lands' Acquisition	
4	(Outer Island of Yap)	50,000
5	(d) Southern Yap water system	
6	equipment purchase	25,000
7	(e) Tomil Road repair	25,000
8	(f) Amun bridge	20,000
9	(g) Water extension, Makiy village.	9,000
10	(h) Road improvements, Wanyan village	30,000
11	(i) Bugol women multipurpose building	45,000
12	(j) Travel needs to Asia Pacific Nurse	
13	Leadership Conference in Honolulu, Hawaii .	18,000
14	(k) Falalus and Seliap community	
15	centers repairs	23,000
16	(1) Qapluul village road repair	27,000
17	(m) Gachpar Men's House	50,000
18	(n) Wottegai Road Project	10,000
19	(o) Tugunbinau bridge, Maap	50,000
20	(p) Outer Islands' agriculture	
21	programs and projects (concrete taro	
22	patches, purchase of tools and equipment) .	15,800
23	(q) Pikelot Island watercatchment	
24	and shelter	7,000
25	(r) Outer Islands' Transportation	

needs (boats, two outboard motors for	
Falalus and Faraulap Islands, POL and	
charter and provisioning) \$	102,000
(s) YSPSC subsidy for POL	100,000
(t) Boats & motors for Seliap &	
Tegailap, Woleai	30,000
(u) Meerur men's house repair	16,000
(v) Completion of Wottegai community	
center in Qapluul village	20,000
(w) Mariyong Island Community	
Piggery project	7,000
(x) Grant to Woleai Atoll	
Community Account	6,000
(y) Woleai Airport equipments	
purchase	4,934
(z) Outboard motor for the Office	
of the Yap State Governor	13,000
(aa) Yap Chamber of Commerce subsidy	31,200
(ab) Yap Department of Health Services	
and Office of Administrative Services	
travel needs	9,066
(ac) Pigeol, Wottegai Multi-purpose	
building supplemental	6,000
(3) State of Pohnpei	1,000,000
(a) Pohnpei State At-Large	
	Falalus and Faraulap Islands, POL and charter and provisioning)

(i) Construction and renovation of
roads, bridges, culverts and road drainages
from Palikir to Kolonia\$ -0-
(b) Election District No. 1
(i) 2 <sup>nd</sup> Phase (Baptist School
classroom construction) 99,695
(ii) EDI operation 25,249
(iii) Kolonia Town Ladies Training
Center renovations 10,000
(iv) Tomara Road construction 59,752
(v) Sapwuafik Community
Center Renovations 6,050
(vi) Peidie Road paving 70,000
(vii) Completion of Ipwal Road 18,000
(viii) Sekere retaining wall 9,000
(ix) Soledi Road construction 3,950
(x) Road improvement 8,304
(c) Election District No. 2
(i) Water Delivery Services 40,000
(ii) Students' Financial Assistance 15,000
(iii) Secondary Road Improvement 100,000
(iv) ED2 operation 49,000
(v) Civic Centers 30,000
(vi) Agriculture Fair 3,500
(vii) Enipein Elementary School

1	Teacher's Aide\$	2,000
2	(viii) Kitti Fish Market	-0-
3	(ix) Sports facilities improvement	1,500
4	(x) Outboard Motor for Kitti Police	3,370
5	(xi) Madolenihmw Municipal	
6	Government subsidy	10,000
7	(xii) Kitti/Madolenihmw	
8	Outreach program	10,000
9	(xiii) Grant writer assistance	2,807
10	(xiv) Pohnpei Coconut Processing	
11	Plant repair	6,675
12	(xv) Nanmand Lumber Milling (Pwihno)	3,500
13	(xvi) ED#2 Municipal management	
14	workshop	3,000
15	(xvii) Salapwuk Teacher's Aide	4,000
16	(xviii) NMS cook	-0-
17	(xix) Madolenihmw Cold Storage	4,000
18	(xx) Lukop/Wone ECE	4,552
19	(xxi) Temwen and Nanmadol	
20	water system supply	60,000
21	(xxii) Mand Community Nahs	7,096
22	(d) Election District No. 3	
23	(i) ED #3 Operation	68,566
24	(ii) Students and public	
25	transportation services	28,000

1	(iii) Students' financial assistance \$ 7,524
2	(iv) Youth sports activities 6,056
3	(v) Agriculture Fair 3,000
4	(vi) ED #3 Working Group supplemental 7,526
5	(vii) ED #3 Water System 10,000
6	(viii) U public facilities
7	repairs and maintenance 49,917
8	(ix) Nett public facilities
9	repairs and maintenance 52,557
10	(x) Mwoakilloa public facilities
11	repairs and maintenance and
12	transportation needs 20,000
13	(xi) Pingelap public facilities
14	repairs and maintenance and
15	transportation needs 25,000
16	(xii) Mwoakilloa multipurpose
17	house renovation
18	(xiii) Pohnkeimw Secondary
19	Road paving 50,000
20	(4) State of Chuuk 1,480,000
21	(a) Chuuk State At-Large
22	(i) Public Facilities repair
23	and improvement
24	(ii) Youth Activities'
25	programs and projects 5,000

1	(iii) Students' Financial	
2	Assistance\$	13,860
3	(iv) Low Income Housing subsidy	30,000
4	(v) Farmers and Students' land	
5	transportations	17,000
6	(vi) Leadership exposures	
7	and travel	15,000
8	(vii) Farmers planting tools and	
9	seedling project	14,800
10	(viii) CSCIP operation	5,000
11	(ix) Offices Rental and	
12	Operations Commission	7,000
13	(x) POL and Charter	13,200
14	(xi) At-Large Office Operation.	20,000
15	(xii) Sports facilities	
16	construction (basketball courts)	9,270
17	(xiii) Fishing projects	40,000
18	(xiv) Seawall and Taro	
19	Patches Protection	10,000
20	(xv) Multipurpose building	
21	repair and renovation	5,000
22	(xvi) Feeding program	10,000
23	(xvii) Medical referral and	
24	repatriation of remains	10,000
25	(xviii) OCHAP Community	

1	Hall Construction \$	5,000
2	(xix) Tonoas Municipal Government	
3	inauguration activities	1,000
4	(xx) Udot Municipal Government	
5	inauguration activities	1,000
6	(xxi) Kuttu Municipal Government	
7	inauguration activities	1,000
8	(xxii) Contributions to municipal	
9	events and activities	10,000
10	(b) Election District No. 1	
11	(i) Students' Financial Assistance	-0-
12	(ii) Mortlock Development Commission	
13	outstanding debts (past and present)	8,119
14	(iii) Municipal Governments' subsidy	
15	a. Ta Municipality	3,000
16	(iv) Community Housing improvement/	
17	freight or charter	45,000
18	(v) Leadership Conference	15,000
19	(vi) Leadership travel	10,000
20	(vii) Youth musical instruments.	-0-
21	(viii) Housing Improvement	21,881
22	(ix) Transportation needs	5,851
23	(x) CSCIP	4,149
24	(xi) Sea transportation assistance	7,200
25	(xii) Mortlock Development	

1	Community operation\$	22,800
2	(xiii) Pou (Weno) Community	
3	Center Improvement	-0-
4	(xiv) Health and Sanitary project	11,000
5	(xv) ED #1 Operation	11,000
6	(xvi) Administrative Support	
7	costs for Delegation	-0-
8	(xvii) Food Relief Assistance	-0-
9	(xviii) Solar System Project	85,000
10	(c) Election District No. 2	
11	(i) Basketball court	7,000
12	(ii) Meeting Halls	
13	(a) Neoram, Nepukos	10,000
14	(b) Faichu, Eor	6,000
15	(c) Faramas, Sapuk	4,000
16	(d) Neinifach, Mwan	5,000
17	(iii) Public school/bus operation	35,000
18	(iv) Road construction	-0-
19	(v) Repatriation of human remains	6,000
20	(vi) Kokumy cultural celebration	4,000
21	(vii) CSCIP	10,000
22	(viii) NNDA operation	25,000
23	(ix) Housing assistance	15,000
24	(x) Fishing projects	20,000
25	(xi) Medical supplies & equipment	-0-

1	(xii) Leadership travel & exposure \$	10,000
2	(xiii) Public facilities	
3	repair and improvement	33,000
4	(xiv) Purchase of Heavy equipment	
5	and heavy equipment parts	40,000
6	(d) Election District No. 3	
7	(i) Election District No. 3	
8	Operation	3,729
9	(ii) Housing and Community Halls	45,500
10	(iii) Fishing projects	31,490
11	(iv) Fiberglass boats repair	4,818
12	(v) Municipal inauguration	
13	activities	4,278
14	(vi) Sport Tournaments	
15	facilities/supplies	3,000
16	(vii) Feeding Program	10,000
17	(viii) Crafting and sewing projects	7,000
18	(ix) Market/local produce	10,000
19	(x) Project Management	12,500
20	(xi) CSCIP operation	5,000
21	(xii) Subsidy for entrepreneurships	
22	and business start up	10,000
23	(xiii) Nukuno Christian School	
24	solar panels/computers	10,000
25	(xiv) Leadership Travel	15,000

1	(xv)	Youth rehabilitation programs \$	9,000	
2	(xvi)	Mayors Leadership Conference	5,000	
3	(xvii)	Land transportation	12,500	
4	(xviii)	Fishing Projects	16,370	
5	(xix)	Payment for current and		
6	prior obligation	ns	10,000	
7	(xx)	Purchase of fiber class boat	10,000	
8	(xxi	) Humanitarian assistance	14,815	
9	(e) Elec	(e) Election District No. 4		
10	(i)	Students' Financial Assistance	10,000	
11	(ii)	Youth activities and programs	10,000	
12	(iii)	Leadership exposure and travel	15,000	
13	(iv)	FDA operations	20,000	
14	(v)	CSCIP operation	5,000	
15	(vi)	Udot Municipal subsidy	10,000	
16	(vii)	Low income housing grant	40,000	
17	(viii)	Iongkumi fishing project	40,000	
18	(ix)	Fiberglass boats repair	10,000	
19	(x)	Food relief	10,000	
20	(xi)	Land transportation	20,000	
21	(xii)	Polle Municipal subsidy	10,000	
22	(xiii)	ED #4 office operation	30,000	
23	(xiv)	Famachaw farming project	10,000	
24	(xv)	Medical referrals &		
25	repatriation of	remains	10,000	

1	(f) Election District No. 5	
2	(i) POL & Charter \$	59,000
3	(ii) Food Relief	13,846
4	(iii) Rental office space, office	
5	supplies and equipment, communication and	
6	utilities	5,000
7	(iv) Students' Financial	
8	Assistance	-0-
9	(v) Medical referral,	
10	pharmaceuticals and repatriation of	
11	remains	14,426
12	(vi) CSCIP	5,000
13	(vii) Operations (ED #5)	26,728
14	(viii) Project Management	20,000
15	(ix) On the job training subsidy	-0-
16	(x) Land Acquisition for the people	of
17	Halls, Weito and Pattiw Islands	71,000
18	PROVIDED THAT the allottee of this specific	
19	funding shall deposit the funds into the	
20	Special Funds within the General Fund of	
21	the Federated States of Micronesia for	
22	Chuuk Election District No. 5 established	
23	pursuant to Public Law No. 13-83.	
24	(xi) Land filling in Weno	-0-
25	(xii) Transportation needs	15,000"

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