

## The President Palikir, Polinpei Federated States of Micronesia

August 7, 2019

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-72
FSM CONGRESS

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 act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-22:

Congressional Act No. 21-17, entitled: "AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156 AND 20-175, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS OF EACH OF THE STATES, 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 <u>30</u>, 2019

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. 21-17, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156 AND 20-175, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2019, 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 SECOND SPECIAL SESSION JULY 16 - 25, 2019

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156 AND 20-175, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: JOSEPH J. URUSEMAL

DATE: JULY 17, 2019

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN - JULY 24, 2019

FIRST READING: - JULY 24, 2019

SECOND READING: - JULY 25, 2019

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis V Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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ACT NO. 21-17

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-34)

We hereby certify that on July 25 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second 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.

Speaker

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis Chief Clerk

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

#### AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156 and 20-175, by amending section 6 thereof, to change the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund priority infrastructure projects and other programs in each of the states, and for other purposes.

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

1	Sect	ion 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended
2	by Public	Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48,
3	20-63 and	20-156, 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		appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
14		under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of the
15		State of Yap or his designee. The allottee of the funds
16		appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be
17		the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or

his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections 3(1)(a) and 3(1(b) of
this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his
designee, the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections $4(1)(c)$ through $4(1)(o)$ , $4(2)(f)$ , $4(3)(k)$ ,
4(3)(q), 4(3)(s), 4(3)(af), 4(4)(b), 4(4)(d) and
4(4)(f), shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority
(PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(b), 4(1)(f), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(d),
4(2)(e), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i), 4(2)(j) and 4(3)(x)
shall be the Secretary of the Department of
Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his
designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections $4(3)(f)$ , $4(3)(i)$ , $4(3)(q)$ $4(3)(w)$ and
4(3)(aa) of this act shall be the Luhk en Moanlap of
Kitti, the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(3)(ad) of this act shall be the Chief
Justice of Madolenihmw or his designee, the allottee of
funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(ae) of this act
shall be the Chief Justice of Kitti or his designee.
The allottee of the funds appropriated under section 5
of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his
designee. The authority of the allottee to obligate
funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September
30, 2020."

1	Section	2.	This act	shall	becom	e law upon	approval	by the
2	President of	the	Federate	d State	es of	Micronesia	or upon	its
3	becoming law	with	nout such	appro	val.			
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