



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-135  
FSM CONGRESS

October 6, 2021

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 22-51:

Congressional Act No. 22-43, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 21-201, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-219, 21-223, 21-229, 21-241, 22-28 AND 22-31, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 5 AND 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE AND ALLOTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to thank the 22<sup>nd</sup> FSM Congress for the passage of this act.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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September 28, 2021

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. 22-43, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 21-201, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-219, 21-223, 21-229, 21-241, 22-28 AND 22-31, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 5 AND 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk, Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures





PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-135  
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TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION  
SEPTEMBER 13 – OCTOBER 02, 2021

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 21-201, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-219, 21-223, 21-229, 21-241, 22-28 AND 22-31, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 5 AND 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FLORENCIO S. HARPER

DATE: SEPTEMBER 21, 2021

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – SEPTEMBER 22, 2021

FIRST READING: – SEPTEMBER 22, 2021

SECOND READING: – SEPTEMBER 24, 2021

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress







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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-135  
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 22-43

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-86, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on September 24 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, 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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jessicalynn Reyes".

Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2021

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-86, C.D.1

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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 21-201, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 21-219, 21-223, 21-229, 21-241, 22-28 and 22-31, by amending sections 5 and 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund priority infrastructure projects and other public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State, and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 21-201, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 21-219, 21-223, 21-229, 21-241 and 22-28, is  
3 hereby further amended to read as follows:

4           "Section 5. Of the \$8,400,000 appropriated under this  
5 act, \$3,600,000 shall be apportioned for priority  
6 infrastructure projects and other public projects and  
7 social programs for the people of Chuuk State.

8 state of Chuuk.....\$     3,600,000

9           (1) At Large.....600,000

10           (a) Chuuk State Registrar of  
11 Corporation office subsidy .....20,000

12           (b) Municipal offices  
13 construction/improvements .....25,000

14           (c) Municipal docks/seawalls  
15 maintenance and improvements .....40,000

16           (d) Municipal roads/bridges improvement  
17 And beautification .....30,000

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1	(e) Chuuk Students' Financial Assistance \$	40,000
2	(f) Fishing Projects.....	70,000
3	(g) Housing renovations/improvements.	100,000
4	(h) Allottee's Administrative Support/	
5	costs (including prior obligations and	
6	salaries and benefits) .....	45,000
7	(i) Contributions to State, Municipal	
8	and Community activities, events and programs	
9	(including prior obligations).....	125,000
10	(j) Women's Home Economic Projects..	-0-
11	(k) Community and Family water projects	25,000
12	(l) Power Generators/solar lighting	
13	systems and accessories .....	25,000
14	(m) Land transportation.....	55,000
15	(n) Tonoas Roads Improvement	
16	and Maintenance .....	-0-
17	(2) Election District No. 1.....	600,000
18	(a) Fishing Projects.....	100,000
19	(b) Solar freezers and lighting systems	100,000
20	(c) Housing renovations and improvement	100,000
21	(d) Municipal and Communities	
22	multipurpose facilities .....	90,000
23	(e) Mortlockese in Pohnpei Meeting Halls	10,000
24	(f) Chuuk Diocese building completion	20,000
25	(g) Students' financial assistance..	65,000

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1	(h) Municipal and Communities	
2	activities, events and programs .....	\$ 40,000
3	(i) Water tanks .....	25,000
4	(j) Office of the Governor,	
5	Chuuk State subsidy .....	15,563
6	(k) MIDA's operation .....	14,437
7	(l) Community, Municipal and Traditional	
8	Special Occasions .....	20,000
9	(3) Election District No. 2 .....	600,000
10	(a) Weno Goodwill Game .....	50,000
11	(b) Municipal Governments' subsidy..	40,000
12	(c) Administrative support costs ....	20,000
13	(d) Housing and Community Halls	
14	renovation .....	150,000
15	(e) Fishing Project .....	40,000
16	(f) Repatriation of Human Remains...	10,000
17	(g) Road improvement and maintenance	60,000
18	(h) Sewing project .....	10,000
19	(i) Land transportation .....	40,000
20	(j) Weno Municipal Office administrative	
21	costs/activities/programs .....	20,000
22	(k) POL/Freight/Charters .....	30,000
23	(l) Youth activities/beautification	
24	project .....	10,000
25	(m) Travel Needs .....	10,000



1	(n) Students financial assistance..\$	20,000
2	(o) Contributions to Chuuk	
3	Associations abroad .....	10,000
4	(p) Food Relief Program.....	70,000
5	(q) Piss-Paneu land acquisition for	
6	FSM Telecom Tower .....	10,000
7	(4) Election District No. 3.....	600,000
8	(a) Housing, Multi-purpose renovation	
9	and improvements .....	150,000
10	(b) Humanitarian Assistance.....	60,000
11	(c) SNDA Administrative costs	
12	(current & prior obligations) .....	40,000
13	(d) Students Financial Assistance...	20,000
14	(e) Fishing Projects.....	105,000
15	(f) Sewing Projects.....	30,000
16	(g) Land Transportation.....	65,000
17	(h) Office space rental.....	8,000
18	(i) Contribution to Municipal,	
19	Community event/activities, and programs ...	40,000
20	(j) Contribution to Southern Namoneas	
21	Off-island association/org .....	10,000
22	(k) Expenses for diseased/human remains	22,000
23	(l) Business Startup.....	-0-
24	(m) POL/Charters/Freights.....	20,000
25	(n) Solar power/lights.....	10,000

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1	(o) Southern Namoneas Student	
2	tuition at Xavier High School .....	\$ 5,000
3	(p) Souther Namoneas boat and	
4	outboard motor .....	15,000
5	(5) Election District No. 4 .....	600,000
6	(a) Fishing projects .....	100,000
7	(b) Solar Freezers .....	50,000
8	(c) Food Relief Program .....	50,000
9	(d) Municipal Governments' subsidy..	100,000
10	(e) Road improvement .....	30,000
11	(f) Students' financial assistance..	30,000
12	(g) Housing repair/renovation .....	100,000
13	(h) Ice Plant .....	30,000
14	(i) Land Transportation .....	30,000
15	(j) Human Remain Repatriation .....	30,000
16	(k) Faichuk Development Authority	
17	administrative support costs .....	30,000
18	(l) Tolensom Municipal Inauguration.	20,000
19	(6) Election District No. 5 .....	600,000
20	(a) Community, Municipal activities,	
21	events, programs .....	50,000
22	(b) Low Income/Community housing	
23	renovation/rehabilitation .....	60,000
24	(c) Tamatam Land Acquisition .....	-0-
25	(d) Solar Power System .....	100,000

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1	(e) Solar Freezers .....	\$ 50,000
2	(f) Fishing project .....	40,000
3	(g) Food Relief program .....	30,000
4	(h) Prior and Current obligation on	
5	POL/Freight/Charters .....	50,000
6	(i) Northwest Annual Leadership Summit	20,000
7	(j) Municipal Gym .....	-0-
8	(k) Municipal Community Center .....	-0-
9	(l) Students' financial assistance ..	20,000
10	(m) Land Transportation .....	60,000
11	(n) Prior and Current administrative	
12	support costs .....	40,000
13	(o) Musical instrument .....	15,000
14	(p) POL/Freight/Charters .....	20,000
15	(q) Outstanding debts to Mortlock Islands	
16	Development Authority (MIDA) .....	12,000
17	(r) Water tanks .....	23,000
18	(s) Patients travel .....	10,000"

19 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 21-201, as amended by  
20 Public Law No. 21-219, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

21 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
22 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be  
23 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
24 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not  
25 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The



1 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
2 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used  
3 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that no  
4 obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
5 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
6 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap  
7 State or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated  
8 under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President  
9 of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;  
10 PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under  
11 subsection 3(1) of this act shall be the Governor of  
12 Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee of funds  
13 appropriated under subsection 3(2) of this act shall be  
14 the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his designee; the  
15 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1) and  
16 4(2) of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department  
17 of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or  
18 his designee; EXCEPT THAT the allottee of funds  
19 appropriated under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c),  
20 4(2)(e), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i), 4(2)(j), and 4(2)(k) of this  
21 act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the  
22 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(d) of  
23 this act shall be the President of the COM-FSM, the  
24 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(g) of  
25 this act shall be the FSM Telecommunications Corporation.

1           The allottee of funds appropriated under subsections  
2           4(3)(a), 4(3)(b), 4(3)(d), 4(3)(f), 4(3)(i), 4(3)(m) and  
3           4(3)(t) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation  
4           Authority; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
5           subsections 4(3)(c), 4(3)(e), 4(3)(g), 4(3)(h), 4(3)(j),  
6           4(3)(k), 4(3)(l), and 4(3)(o) of this act shall be the  
7           Meninkeder of Madolenihmw; the allottee of funds  
8           appropriated under subsections 4(3)(n) and 4(3)(q) of this  
9           act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Health and  
10          Social Affairs or his designee; the allottee of funds  
11          appropriated under subsections 4(3)(p), 4(3)(r) and  
12          4(3)(s) of this act shall be the Vice President of the  
13          Federated States of Micronesia; The allottee of the funds  
14          appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(2)(j) and 5(6) of  
15          this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his  
16          designee; the allottee of the funds appropriated under  
17          subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlocks Island  
18          Development Authority (MIDA); the allottee of funds  
19          appropriated under subsection 5(3) of this act shall be  
20          the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee the  
21          allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4)  
22          of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development  
23          Authority; the allottee of the funds appropriated under  
24          subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk  
25          Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to

1 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on  
2 September 30, 2023."

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

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Oct 06<sup>th</sup>, 2021

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David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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