



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-273
FSM CONGRESS

June 21, 2022



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 Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 22-121 :

Congressional Act No. 22-117, 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, 21-114, 21-166, 22-13 AND 22-71, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO EXTEND THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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May 24, 2022

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. 22-117, "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, 21-114, 21-166, 22-13 AND 22-71, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO EXTEND THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2022, 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

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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-273
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TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION

MAY 04 – [23] 27, 2022
(EXTENDED BY C.R. NO. 22-130, ADOPTED 05/23/22)

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, 21-114, 21-166, 22-13 AND 22-71, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO EXTEND THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND B. MOSES

DATE: MAY 12, 2022

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 13, 2022

FIRST READING: – MAY 16, 2022

SECOND READING: – MAY 24, 2022

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-23
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 22-117

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-192)

We hereby certify that on May 24 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2022, 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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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2022

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-192

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, 21-114, 21-166, 22-13 and 22-71, by amending section 6 thereof, to extend the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people in the states of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

2 Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 18-117, as amended by
3 Public Laws Nos. 19-04, 19-59, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27, 21-
4 166, 22-13 and 22-71, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

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

1 of this act shall be the President of the Federated
2 States of Micronesia or his designee, PROVIDED THAT, the
3 allottee of funds appropriated under sections
4 3(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(f)(g)(h)(i)(j)(k)(l) and (m) shall be
5 the Mayor of Lelu Town Government; the allottee of funds
6 appropriated under subsections 4(1) and 4(2)(i) of this
7 act shall be the Secretary of the Department of
8 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his
9 designee; the allottee of funds appropriation under
10 sections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(b), 4(1)(d), 4(3)(a) and 4(3)(f)
11 of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
12 Authority; the allottee of funds appropriated under
13 section 4(3)(h) of this act shall be the Meninkeden
14 Lapalap of Madolenimw and the allottee of funds
15 appropriated under section 4(3)(i) of this act shall be
16 the Luhkenmoanlap of Kitti. The allottee of funds
17 appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and 5(6) of
18 section 5 of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk
19 State or his designee. The allottee of funds
20 appropriated under subsection 5(2) of section 5 of this
21 act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority.
22 The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4)
23 of section 5 of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas
24 Development Authority. The allottee of funds
25 appropriated under subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this

1 act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The
2 authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated
3 by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2024."

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

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June 21, 2022

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David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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