



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia



June 21, 2022

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-279
FSM CONGRESS

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. 22-127 :

Congressional Act No. 22-123, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-59, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-63, 17-66, 17-70, 17-77, 17-86, 18-21, 18-29, 18-64, 18-83, 19-18, 19-113, 20-126, 21-25, 21-86 AND 21-130, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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May 26, 2022

His Excellency David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia
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Office of the
President FSM

Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 22-123, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-59, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-63, 17-66, 17-70, 17-77, 17-86, 18-21, 18-29, 18-64, 18-83, 19-18, 19-113, 20-126, 21-25, 21-86 AND 21-130, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, 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

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-279
FSM CONGRESS

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. 17-59, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-63, 17-66, 17-70, 17-77, 17-86, 18-21, 18-29, 18-64, 18-83, 19-18, 19-113, 20-126, 21-25, 21-86 AND 21-130, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND B. MOSES

DATE: MAY 16, 2022

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 17, 2022

FIRST READING: – MAY 17, 2022

SECOND READING: – MAY 24, 2022

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-279
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 22-123

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-201)

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. 22-201

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 17-59, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-63, 17-66, 17-70, 17-77, 17-86, 18-21, 18-29, 18-64, 18-83, 19-18, 19-113, 20-126, 21-25, 21-86 and 21-130, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of extending the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in each of the states, 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. 17-59, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 17-63, 18-21, 18-64, 18-83, 19-18, 19-113,
3 20-126, 21-25 and 21-130, hereby further amended to read as
4 follows:

5 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and
6 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
7 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for
8 in 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
12 used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and
13 that no 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
16 Yap State; EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of funds
17 appropriated under subsection 2(a) shall be the

1 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his
2 designee and the allottee of funds appropriated under
3 subsection 2(c) shall be the President of COM-FSM or
4 his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated
5 under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the
6 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his
7 designee; EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of funds
8 appropriated under subsection 3(a) of this act shall
9 be the Mayor of Lelu Municipal Government or his
10 designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under
11 subsection 4(3)(1) shall be the Land Grant Project
12 Coordinator. The allottee of funds appropriated under
13 subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the
14 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee
15 of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of section
16 5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands
17 Development Authority; the allottee of funds
18 appropriated under subsection 5(3) of this act shall
19 be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his
20 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
21 subsection 5(4) of section 5 of this act shall be the
22 Executive Director of the Southern Namoneas
23 Development Authority; the allottee of funds
24 appropriate under subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this
25 act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The

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

4 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
5 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
6 becoming 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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