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A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to Supreme Court jurisdiction over offenses included in the principal major crime, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Jurisdiction over offenses included in major crime.

2 Whenever an accused is charged by information filed in the Supreme
3 Court with a crime that comes within the definition of a major
4 crime under Public Law No. 1-134, the National Criminal Code, the
5 Supreme Court shall have exclusive jurisdiction over all criminal
6 offenses arising out of the same act, transaction, or omission as
7 did the principal major crime.

8 Section 2. Applicability and effect. This act shall not apply
9 to nor shall it affect any criminal matters referred to in section
10 1 which have been given final disposition prior to the effective
11 date of this act.

12 Section 3. Effective date. This act shall become law upon
13 approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia
14 or upon its becoming law without such approval.

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Date:

May 12/82

Introduced by:

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