



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-41
FSM CONGRESS

June 16th, 2017

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twentieth FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

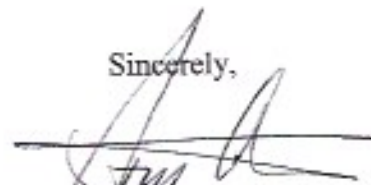
I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 20-14:

Congressional Act No. 20-12: "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 AND 9 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-118, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-125, 19-131, 19-135, 19-146, 19-160, AND 20-01, IN ORDER TO APPROPRIATE \$797,065 OF ADDITIONAL FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2017, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS, TO CORRECT FOR A TECHNICAL ERROR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Although I have signed this Act, I have done so with serious reservations about some of the appropriations that Congress had made. For example, this Act include an appropriation of \$140,000 for travel for the Speaker and Members of Congress, bringing the total amount appropriated for travel for Speaker and Members of Congress during FY 2017 to \$802,381. Give Congress's recent refusal to appropriate funding for the operations of several executive branch agencies, this particular appropriation raises serious issues for me about how we are all supposed to be working together to ensure that we have an effective government. I signed this Act in the hope that we can meet and confer about ways to make our government operate more effectively.

Thank you.

Sincerely,


Peter M. Christian
President



xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



Office of the Chief Clerk

CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

P.O. Box PS 3

Palikir, Sokehs Pohnpei State, FM 96941

Tel: (691) 320-2324 / 2338 Fax: (691) 320-5122

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-41
FSM CONGRESS

May 26, 2017



His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 20-12, "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 AND 9 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-118, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-125, 19-131, 19-135, 19-146, 19-160, AND 20-01, IN ORDER TO APPROPRIATE \$797,065 OF ADDITIONAL FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2017, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS, TO CORRECT FOR A TECHNICAL ERROR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2017, 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



Office of the Speaker

CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

P.O. Box PS 3 Palikir, Sokehs
Pohnpei State, FM 96941
Tel: (691) 320-2324 / 2338
Fax: (691) 320-5122

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-41
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 20-12

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-24, C.D.1, C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on May 24 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2017, 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.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wesley W. Simina".

Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis".

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

AN ACT

To amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 and 9 of Public Law No. 19-118, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-125, 19-131, 19-135, 19-146, 19-160, and 20-01, in order to appropriate \$797,065 of additional funds from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 2017, to change the use of certain funds, to correct for a technical error, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 19-118, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 19-125, 19-131, 19-135, 19-146, 19-160, and
3 20-01, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 1. Title. The title of this act is as
5 follows: To appropriate the sum of \$75,125,510 from
6 the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia
7 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, for the
8 purpose of funding the operations of all branches of
9 the National Government of the Federated States of
10 Micronesia, its agencies, various programs, grants,
11 subsidies and contributions and Capital and Human
12 Resources Development. The National Government's
13 share of the Amended Compact funds has been reduced to
14 zero; EXCEPT THAT, the National Government will retain
15 10 percent of the Supplemental Education Grant funds
16 as is reflected in the budget for the Department of
17 Education. The sum appropriated herein shall be

1 apportioned as follows:"

2 Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 19-118, as amended
3 by Public Laws Nos. 19-125, 19-135, 19-146, 19-160, and 20-01,
4 is hereby further amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 2. Operating Expenses of the Executive Branch.
6 The sum of \$18,523,317 or so much thereof as may be
7 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
8 of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
9 year ending September 30, 2017, for the purpose of
10 funding the operations of the Executive Branch of the
11 National Government during the fiscal year 2017. The
12 sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as
13 follows:

14 (1) Office of the President.

15 The sum of \$1,422,567, or so much thereof as may be
16 necessary, for the operations of the Office of the
17 President during the fiscal year 2017. The sum
18 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

19	Personnel	\$	470,067
20	Travel.....		260,000
21	Contractual Services		591,000
22	OCE		99,000
23	Fixed Assets		2,500

24 (2) Department of Foreign Affairs.

25 The sum of \$4,563,881, or so much thereof as may be

necessary, for the operations of the Department of Foreign Affairs during the fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

Personnel	\$ 1,488,332
Travel	333,710
Contractual Services (of which \$100,000, previously earmarked for the New York Mission, shall be used to pay the FSM Washington Embassy Legal Advisor's fees).....	2,365,087
OCE	307,202
Fixed Assets	69,550

(3) Department of Finance and Administration.

The sum of \$2,567,058, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the operations of the Department of Finance and Administration during the fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

Personnel	\$ 1,731,879
Travel (where \$20,000 is to be used for the personnel exchange travel of the Division of Customs & Tax Administration).	235,401
Contractual Services	273,966
OCE	245,812
Fixed Assets	80,000

(4) Department of Resources and Development.

1 The sum of \$1,259,931, or so much thereof as may be
 2 necessary, for the operations of the Department of
 3 Resources and Development during the fiscal year 2017.
 4 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as
 5 follows:

6	Personnel.....	\$	829,195
7	Travel		188,698
8	Contractual Services (where \$30,000 is to be used		
9	for the Trade Advisor contract under the Division		
10	of Trade and Investment).....		78,250
11	OCE		162,288
12	Fixed Assets		1,500

13 (5) Department of Transportation,
 14 Communications and Infrastructure.

15 The sum of \$2,591,256, or so much thereof as may be
 16 necessary, for the operations of the Department of
 17 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure
 18 during the fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated
 19 herein shall be apportioned as follows:

20	Personnel (where \$100,000 is to be used for		
21	Overtime Pay for Crew Members within the		
22	Marine Division)	\$	652,077
23	Travel		252,355
24	Contractual Services.....		1,618,579
25	OCE		68,245

1 Fixed Assets\$ -0-

2 (6) Department of Health and Social Affairs.

3 The sum of \$779,279, or so much thereof as may be
4 necessary, for the operations of the Department of
5 Health and Social Affairs during the fiscal year 2017.
6 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as
7 follows:

8	Personnel	\$ 448,765
9	Travel	130,246
10	Contractual Services.....	108,617
11	OCE	90,151
12	Fixed Assets	1,500

13 (7) Department of Education.

14 The sum of \$804,247, or so much thereof as may be
15 necessary, for the operations of the Department of
16 Education during the fiscal year 2017. Of the total
17 amount of funds appropriated herein, \$366,598 shall be
18 deemed to come from funds available under the
19 Supplemental Education Grant. The sum appropriated
20 herein shall be apportioned as follows:

21	Personnel	\$ 408,511
22	Travel	154,793
23	Contractual Services	168,393
24	OCE	70,050
25	Fixed Assets	2,500

1 (8) Department of Justice.

2 The sum of \$3,085,352, or so much thereof as may be
 3 necessary, for the operations of the Department of
 4 Justice during the fiscal year 2017. The sum
 5 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

6	Personnel	\$ 2,383,171
7	Travel	134,212
8	Contractual Services.....	235,006
9	OCE	296,213
10	Fixed Assets	36,750

11 (9) Office of the Public Defender.

12 The sum of \$943,732, or so much thereof as may be
 13 necessary, for the operations of the Office of the
 14 Public Defender during the fiscal year 2017. The sum
 15 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

16	Personnel	\$ 663,970
17	Travel	70,812
18	Contractual Services.....	101,050
19	OCE	86,900
20	Fixed Assets	21,000

21 (10) Office of Environment and Emergency Management.

22 The sum of \$310,196, or so much thereof as may be
 23 necessary, for the operations of the Office of
 24 Environment and Emergency Management during the fiscal
 25 year 2017. The sum appropriated herein shall be

1 apportioned as follows:

2	Personnel	\$	181,464
3	Travel		90,066
4	Contractual Services.....		18,450
5	OCE		20,216
6	Fixed Assets		-0-

7 (11) Office of National Archives, Culture and
8 Historic Preservation.

9 The sum of \$195,818, or so much thereof as may be
10 necessary, for the operations of the Office of
11 National Archives, Culture and Historic Preservation
12 during the fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated
13 herein shall be apportioned as follows:

14	Personnel	\$	123,701
15	Travel		34,503
16	Contractual Services.....		10,425
17	OCE		19,892
18	Fixed Assets		7,297"

19 Section 3. Section 3 of Public Law No. 19-118, as
20 amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-125, 19-135, 19-146, and
21 19-160, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

22 "Section 3. Operating Expenses of the
23 Legislative Branch. The sum of \$6,266,568, or
24 so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby
25 appropriated from the General Fund of the

Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, for the operations of the Legislative Branch of the National Government during fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Speaker and Members.

The sum of \$3,684,511, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the operations of the Office of the Speaker and Members of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

Personnel	\$	430,530
Travel		802,381
Contractual Services; PROVIDED THAT, \$100,000 of such sum is for the Congress Medical Assistance Program including past FY-2016 invoices.....		2,451,600
OCE		-0-
Fixed Assets		-0-

(2) Staff Offices.

The sum of \$2,092,057, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the operations of the Congress staff offices during fiscal year 2017. The sum

1	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as	
2	follows:	
3	Personnel	\$ 944,275
4	Travel	205,252
5	Contractual Services (of which \$5,000	
6	shall be used to pay overdue housing	
7	allowances from FY 2016)	495,030
8	OCE.....	246,000
9	Fixed Assets.....	201,500

10 (3) Congress Delegation Offices.

11 The sum of \$490,000, or so much thereof as may be
 12 necessary, for the operations of the Congress delegation
 13 offices during the fiscal year 2017. Of the amounts
 14 appropriated for contractual services within each
 15 Delegation Office, up to a maximum of \$25,000 per
 16 Member, at the Delegation Offices' discretion, may be
 17 used for Member Representation. The sum appropriated is
 18 apportioned as follows:

19 (a) Kosrae Delegation Office

20	Travel.....	\$ -0-
21	Contractual Services.....	70,000
22	OCE.....	-0-
23	Fixed Assets.....	-0-
24	TOTAL.....	70,000

25 (b) Pohnpei Delegation Office

1	Travel.....	\$	10,000
2	Contractual Services.....		100,000
3	OCE.....		30,000
4	Fixed Assets.....		-0-
5	TOTAL.....		140,000
6	(c) Chuuk Delegation Office		
7	Travel.....		10,000
8	Contractual Services.....		160,000
9	OCE.....		30,000
10	Fixed Assets.....		10,000
11	TOTAL.....		210,000
12	(d) Yap Delegation Office		
13	Travel.....		10,000
14	Contractual Services.....		30,000
15	OCE.....		25,000
16	Fixed Assets.....		5,000
17	TOTAL.....		70,000"

18 Section 4. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-118, is hereby
 19 further amended to read as follows:

20 "Section 4. Operating Expenses of the National
 21 Judicial Branch. The sum of \$1,453,371, or so
 22 much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby
 23 appropriated from the General Fund of the
 24 Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
 25 year ending September 30, 2017, for the

1 operations of the Judicial Branch of the
 2 National Government during the fiscal year 2017.
 3 The sum appropriated by this section shall be
 4 apportioned as follows:

5	Personnel.....	\$	899,127
6	Travel.....		161,525
7	Contractual Services.....		182,694
8	OCE.....		178,025
9	Fixed Assets.....		32,000"

10 Section 5. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-118,
 11 is hereby amended to read as follows:

12 "Section 6. Operating Expenses of Agencies of
 13 the National Government. The sum of \$1,994,660,
 14 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is
 15 hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
 16 Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
 17 year ending September 30, 2017, for the
 18 operations of the following boards, commissions
 19 and agencies during the fiscal year 2017. The
 20 sum appropriated by this section shall be
 21 apportioned as follows:

22 (1) National Oceanic Resource Management
 23 Authority (NORMA).

24 The sum of \$529,934, or so much thereof as may
 25 be necessary, for the operations of NORMA for

the fiscal year 2017. The sum appropriated
herein shall be apportioned as follows:

Personnel	\$	235,794
Travel.....		160,000
Contractual Services.....		69,240
OCE.....		54,900
Fixed Assets.....		10,000

(2) Board of Regents (COM-FSM).

The sum of \$105,000, or so much thereof as may
be necessary, for the operations of the Board of
Regents, COM-FSM during the fiscal year 2017.

The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
as follows:

Personnel.....	\$	-0-
Travel.....		-0-
Contractual Services.....		-0-
OCE.....		105,000
Fixed Assets.....		-0-

(3) FSM Banking Board.

The sum of \$214,369, or so much thereof as may
be necessary, for the operations of FSM Banking
Board during the fiscal year 2017. The sum
appropriated herein shall be apportioned as
follows:

Personnel	\$	88,273
-----------------	----	--------

1	Travel.....	\$	77,138
2	Contractual Services.....		22,725
3	OCE.....		22,253
4	Fixed Assets.....		3,980

5 (4) FSM Insurance Board.

6 The sum of \$297,929, or so much thereof as may
7 be necessary, for the operations of FSM
8 Insurance Board during the fiscal year 2017.

9 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
10 as follows:

11	Personnel	\$	116,175
12	Travel.....		76,420
13	Contractual Services.....		85,255
14	OCE.....		20,079
15	Fixed Assets.....		-0-

16 (5) FSM Postal Services.

17 The sum of \$847,428, or so much thereof as may
18 be necessary, for the operations of the National
19 Postal Services during the fiscal year 2017.

20 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
21 as follows:

22	Personnel.....	\$	508,346
23	Travel.....		65,165
24	Contractual Services.....		161,867
25	OCE.....		112,050

1 Fixed Assets..... \$ -0-

2 Section 6. Section 8 of Public Law No. 19-118, as amended by
3 Public Laws Nos. 19-125, 19-135, 19-160, and 20-01, is hereby
4 amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 8. Grants, Subsidies and Contributions. The
6 sum of \$13,267,799, or so much thereof as may be
7 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
8 of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
9 year ending September 30, 2017 for the following grants,
10 subsidies and contributions during fiscal year 2017.
11 The sum appropriated by this section shall be
12 apportioned as follows:

13 (1) Office of the President.

14 (a) Asia Pacific Inst. Broadcasting
15 Development (AIBD).....\$ 4,500
16 (b) Asia Pacific Broadcasting Union 800
17 (c) Pacific Island News Association 350
18 (d) 2023 Action Plan Implementation -0-
19 (e) Asia Pacific Investment 250
20 (f) Former Presidents' allowance.... 50,000
21 (g) Joint Committee on Compact

22 Review and Planning (JCRP)

23 (i) Initial Committee Operations 200,000
24 (ii) Fees for Legal Counsel
25 Washington, D.C. legal and lobbying services 1,000,000

1	(2) <u>Department of Foreign Affairs.</u>	
2	(a) The Forum Secretariat.....\$	46,000
3	(b) Secretariat for Pacific Community	56,000
4	(c) UN Membership Fees and related	
5	contributions to UN bodies and agencies ...	70,000
6	(d) ESCAP.....	5,000
7	(e) East-West Center.....	5,000
8	(f) ACP Cotonou Membership Fees....	25,000
9	(g) SPC Office Rental and outstanding	
10	prior years rental cost.....	45,000
11	(h) Diplomatic Relations between FSM	
12	and China (PRC).....	-0-
13	(i) Pacific Island Forum.....	-0-
14	(3) <u>Department of Finance and Administration.</u>	
15	(a) OCO Membership.....	14,024
16	(b) Financial Management System -	
17	Maintenance Fee	55,000
18	(c) CTA.....	9,000
19	(d) ADB, IMF, and Budget, Finance	
20	Policy Consultations.....	25,000
21	(e) Macro Economist Advisor	200,000
22	(f) Global Forum membership fee	26,000
23	(4) <u>Department of Resources and Development.</u>	
24	(a) PIDP.....	15,000
25	(b) FFA.....	38,918

1	(c) Coordinating Committee for	
2	Offshore Mineral Prospecting.....	\$ -0-
3	(d) Pacific Asian Travel Association	
4	(PATA).....	5,000
5	(e) United Nations Development	
6	Program (UNDP).....	30,000
7	(f) Micronesian Challenge Endowment	
8	Fund.....	50,000
9	(g) Seaframe.....	-0-
10	(h) Food Agriculture Organization	
11	(FAO).....	4,800
12	(i) Western Forestry Leadership	
13	Coalition.....	530
14	(j) Matching to SPC Projects	60,000
15	(k) Micronesian Challenge	10,000
16	(l) Micronesian Cruise Association .	2,500
17	(m) South Pacific Tourism Organization	15,000
18	(n) International Animal Health	
19	Organization	23,000
20	(o) SPC Site Rental.....	-0-
21	(p) IRENA.....	250
22	(q) Micronesia Trade Commission	30,000
23	(r) Convention on Biological Diversity	
24	(CBD).....	1,000
25	(s) IFAD.....	500

1	(5) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs.</u>	
2	(a) UNFPA... ..	\$ 3,000
3	(b) WHO	4,000
4	(c) FSM Sport Association	-0-
5	(d) PIHOA	20,000
6	(e) Territorial Health	7,000
7	(f) Nurse and Medical Licensing	20,000
8	(g) Red Cross	70,000
9	(h) Vaccine Purchase	50,000
10	(i) UN Women	1,000
11	(j) Maintenance	-0-
12	(k) CEDAW.....	20,000
13	(l) Youth Summit	25,000
14	(m) Pohnpei State Hospital Dialysis	
15	Programs (Services and Travel)	20,000
16	(6) <u>Department of Education.</u>	
17	(a) Aid to Non-Public Schools	600,000
18	(b) Aid to CMI Students	40,000
19	(c) Aid to PCC Students	150,000
20	(d) National Scholarship	2,000,000
21	(e) National Close-Up	75,000
22	(f) Merit Scholarship	300,000
23	(g) COM-FSM Board Meeting	5,000
24	(h) Faithwalk Christian College (FCC)	57,000
25	(i) Caroline College and Pastoral	

1	Institute (CCPI)	\$ 70,000
2	(j) Xavier High School	50,000
3	(k) Scholarship Board Meetings	30,000
4	(l) Travel to Colleges to Meet with	
5	Students Regarding Scholarships	20,000
6	(7) <u>Department of Transportation,</u>	
7	<u>Communication and Infrastructure.</u>	
8	(a) Asia Pacific Telecommunity.	11,000
9	(b) International Telecommunication	
10	Union.....	20,867
11	(c) ICAO.....	28,050
12	(d) FSM Capital Energy.....	600,000
13	(e) Micronesian Shipping Commission	
14	(MSC).....	25,000
15	(f) Fuel and Provisions for Caroline	
16	Voyager and Navigator.....	1,250,000
17	(g) AIP Matching Funds	530,000
18	(8) <u>Department of Justice.</u>	
19	(a) States Joint Law Enforcement:	
20	Kosrae.....	30,000
21	(b) States Joint Law Enforcement:	
22	Pohnpei.....	50,000
23	(c) States Joint Law Enforcement:	
24	Chuuk.....	100,000
25	(d) States Joint Law Enforcement:	

1	Yap.....	\$	30,000
2	(e) Police Academy.....		180,000
3	(f) Ammunition for Sidearm and Long		
4	Rifles.....		25,000
5	(g) Fuel Subsidy.....		-0-
6	(h) Settlements/judgments for cases		
7	against the FSM		88,000
8	(9) <u>Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia</u>		
9	(a) IPU Conference		50,000
10	(b) Climate Change Conferences/COP		
11	Morocco.....		50,000
12	(c) ACP.....		30,000
13	(d) APPU/APPF.....		60,000
14	(e) Staff Upgrade.....		-0-
15	(f) World Bank/IMF Annual Meeting...		50,000
16	(g) FSM/Israel Parliamentarian		
17	Friendship Link.....		50,000
18	(h) MLC Conference.....		-0-
19	(i) FSM/Japan Parliamentarian		
20	Friendship Link.....		-0-
21	(j) China Parliamentary Visit....		-0-
22	(k) FSM Congress/Cuban National		
23	Assembly Parliamentary Relations.....		50,000
24	(l) National Olympic Committee....		-0-
25	(m) FSM-French Parliamentary/ACP ...		50,000

1	(n) Fisheries meetings	\$ 30,000
2	(o) MRA Conference in Japan	-0-
3	(p) Contribution to IPU	-0-
4	(q) IPU Annual Dues	12,500
5	(r) IPU Assembly in Zambia	-0-
6	(s) Crans Montana Forum in Morocco.	-0-
7	(t) Wilshire Conference/ Meetings	
8	with Constituents.....	-0-
9	(u) COFA Alliance National Network .	25,000
10	(v) Travel to MRA meeting	20,000
11	(w) Travel to Investment Advisor	
12	(Wilshire).....	30,000
13	(x) UN Ocean conference	50,000
14	(10) <u>Office of Environment & Emergency Management</u>	
15	(a) UNEP.....	760
16	(b) UNFCCC.....	250
17	(c) UNCCD	120
18	(d) SPREP	10,184
19	(e) Waigani Convention	1,190
20	(f) SPREP-Noumea Convention	1,764
21	(g) Earth Day Activities	15,000
22	(h) EPA Director's Meeting	-0-
23	(i) Bi-Annual Environmental Conference	20,000
24	(j) FSM FEMA Disaster Matching	200,000
25	(k) Basel Convention	501

1	(l) DAEF Matching Funds for FY 2016 \$	200,000
2	(m) Build Resilience to Disaster &	
3	Climate Risk in the Outer Islands	75,150
4	(n) Prior Year Obligations	16,415
5	(11) <u>Office of National Archives, Culture and</u>	
6	<u>Preservation</u>	
7	(a) UNESCO	4,000
8	(b) NCSHPO	2,760
9	(c) PARBICA	100
10	(d) PIALA	100
11	(e) WHC	54
12	(f) Library Fee	50
13	(12) <u>Other Grants, Subsidies and Contributions.</u>	
14	(a) State Judiciary Subsidy: Kosrae	35,000
15	(b) State Judiciary Subsidy: Pohnpei	55,000
16	(c) State Judiciary Subsidy: Chuuk .	55,000
17	(d) State Judiciary Subsidy: Yap ...	35,000
18	(e) COM-FSM Treaty Obligation	25,000
19	(f) Micronesian Legal Services	
20	Corporation	250,000
21	(g) MLFC Loan Payment	200,000
22	(h) Single Audit Fee	445,000
23	(i) Staff Housing	510,000
24	(j) Recruitment and Repatriation ...	223,218
25	(k) FSM Social Security Administration	1,000,000

1	(l) FSM National Government	
2	Employee's Health Insurance Plan	\$ -0-
3	(m) General Election (March 7, 2017)	391,840
4	(n) NORMA- WCPFC Tuna Commission Fee	108,504
5	(o) Trade Fairs (\$10,000 for Each of	
6	the Four FSM States).....	40,000
7	(p) Yap Catholic High School	
8	Robotics Competition and other school needs	10,000
9	(q) Independence Day activities....	50,000"

10 Section 7. Section 9 of Public Law No. 19-118, as amended

11 by Public Laws Nos. 19-125, 19-131, 19-135, 19-146 and 19-160,

12 is hereby further amended to read as follows:

13 "Section 9. Capital and Human Resources Development.

14 The sum of \$32,476,363, which includes \$556,074 in SEG

15 funding that was previously omitted, or so much

16 thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated

17 from the General Fund of the Federated States of

18 Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30,

19 2017, for the following capital improvements,

20 development programs, and projects and human resources

21 development. Of the total amount of funds

22 appropriated herein, \$1,802,096 shall be deemed to

23 come from funds available under the Amended Compact

24 from the Supplemental Education Grant and \$9,545,500

25 shall be deemed to come from funds available under the

Amended Compact from Compact Sector Grants. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) College of Micronesia - FSM.

(a) College of Micronesia-FSM....	\$ 3,800,000
(b) FSM Fisheries and Maritime Institute (FMI).....	833,915
(c) College of Micronesia-FSM SEG Funding.....	689,948
(d) COM-FSM Infrastructure Improvement.....	8,545,500

(2) Department of Finance and Administration

(a) FSM Warehouse Lease and Maintenance to include a rehab warehouse building for storage	100,000
(b) PCD Awareness Initiative	15,000
(c) Staff Upgrade.....	-0-

(3) Department of Resources and Development

(a) FSM Association of Chamber of Commerce/Support to COC.....	67,000
(b) State Trade Fairs Enhancing Value Addition	-0-
(c) R&D SNLC	50,000
(d) FSM Tourism Development Framework	-0-
(e) National Trade Facilitation	

1	Committee	\$	-0-
2	(f) Food Security Production		-0-
3	(g) Secretariat/Hosting Conference,		
4	Equipment/Materials		-0-
5	(h) Implement National Tourism		
6	Policy/Tourism Investment Plan		-0-
7	(i) Assistance to states for Tourism		
8	Investment Plan Implementation to be divided as		
9	follows:.....	2,000,000	
10	(i) Yap State.....	500,000	
11	a. Yap Tourism Destination		
12	Project.....	120,000	
13	b. Other Tourism Projects in		
14	Accordance with Yap Tourism Plan, PROVIDED THAT;		
15	no funds may be used for travel or operation of		
16	Tourism Office.	380,000	
17	(ii) Kosrae State	500,000	
18	(iii) Pohnpei State	500,000	
19	(iv) Chuuk State	500,000	
20	(j) Phase II Foreign Investment Review		-0-
21	(k) Fortieth Session of the Governing		
22	Council of International Fund for		
23	Agriculture Development	8,827	
24	(l) National Coastal Fisheries		
25	Monitoring Team: Ongoing Monitoring		

1	Program, Assess Impacts of CEAFM	
2	Program and Climate Change	\$ 13,736
3	(m) Civil Organization & NGOs.....	-0-
4	(n) Chamber of Commerce: Chuuk State	50,000
5	(o) Chamber of Commerce: Kosrae State	50,000
6	(p) Chamber of Commerce: Pohnpei State	50,000
7	(q) Chamber of Commerce: Yap State.	50,000
8	(4) <u>Department of Transportation,</u>	
9	<u>Communications and Infrastructure</u>	
10	(a) Operation and Dry-Docking of	
11	Caroline Voyager and Navigator	1,200,000
12	(b) Capital Improvement Project:	
13	Chuuk- Weno Secondary Road and Heavy	
14	Equipment Purchase.	300,000
15	(c) Capital Improvement Project:	
16	Kosrae- Walung Water Channel	300,000
17	(d) Capital Improvement Project:	
18	Pohnpei: Capital Road Improvement	300,000
19	(e) Capital Improvement Project:	
20	Yap - Preparation for the 2018	
21	Micro Games	300,000
22	(f) Outer Island Airport	1,000,000
23	(g) FSM National Government Computer	
24	Network	277,420
25	(h) ICT/World Bank Program Open	

1	Access Entity	\$ 500,000
2	(i) Interim Payment to Contractor for	
3	Weno, Chuuk Road Project	447,000
4	(j) PMU Operations	200,000
5	(5) <u>Department of Justice</u>	
6	(a) Slipping of FSS Independence ...	750,000
7	(b) Satellite Phone and Usage Billings	-0-
8	(c) Patrol Boats Major Maintenance	
9	Project.....	125,000
10	(d) Anti-Human Trafficking Enforcement,	
11	Campaign, and Investigation.....	100,000
12	(6) <u>Office of Environment & Emergency Management</u>	
13	(a) Fostering Sustainable Solid	
14	Waste Management.....	-0-
15	(7) <u>President's Office</u>	
16	(a) FSM Trust Fund	7,500,000
17	(b) National Staff Upgrading	-0-
18	(c) FSM Economic Develop. Project ..	-0-
19	(d) Implementation of ODA Policy ...	50,000
20	(e) 2016 Development Partners Meeting	-0-
21	(f) Compact Review Committee	50,000
22	(g) Printing of Ballots for	
23	Constitutional Question	8,390
24	(8) <u>National Election</u>	
25	(a) Voter ID Card and New Voter	

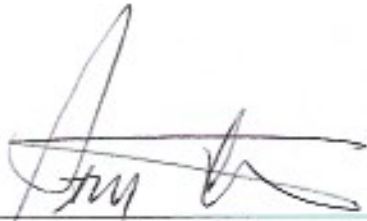
1	Registration Project	\$ 50,000
2	(9) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs</u>	
3	(a) Health Services Special	
4	Pathologist	58,000
5	(b) Environment: Food & Water Lab	
6	Testing.....	78,000
7	(c) Medical Specialist Team	195,000
8	(d) Health data management	208,500
9	(e) Chuuk Food Safety Office	50,000
10	(f) Doctors: Foundation Project	127,500
11	(g) MOE-BHWP Med	20,000
12	(10) <u>Department of Education</u>	
13	(a) National Dept. of Education- 3	
14	Initiatives Projects	404,792
15	(b) Data collection & reporting	
16	(SEG Initiative)	556,074
17	(c) Teacher and Principal Academies	
18	(SEG Initiative)	556,074
19	(d) Aid to COM-FSM Students	260,000
20	(11) <u>Insurance Board</u>	
21	(a) Improve and Strengthen the	
22	Country's Insurance Statutory and	
23	Regulatory Framework	50,000
24	(b) In-House Consultant/ On Site	
25	Examination and Investigation of Affairs	

1	of Captive Insurance. \$	-0-
2	(12) <u>Other Capital and Human Resource Development</u>	
3	(a) FSM Mission Repair and Maintenance	-0-
4	(b) State Judiciaries: Renovation of	
5	Chuuk State Supreme Court	25,000
6	(c) Upgrade: FSM internet to fiber	
7	optic..... ..	-0-
8	(d) Congress Committee Room	
9	renovations..... ..	105,687"

10 Section 8. This act shall become law upon approval by the
 11 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
 12 becoming law without such approval.

13
 14
 15
 16
 17
 18
 19
 20
 21
 22
 23
 24
 25

6/16, 2017


 Peter M. Christian
 President
 Federated States of Micronesia