FOURTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIRST REGULAR SESSION, 2005

PUBLIC LAW NO. 14-35

AN ACT

To establish a date upon which certain funds, previously appropriated for programs and projects in the States, shall lapse, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA: Section 1. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of the laws of the Federated States of Micronesia, including, without limitation, Public Laws Nos. 13-10, 13-16 and 13-44, the authority of any allottee to obligate funds appropriated by the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia prior to May 11, 2001 for public programs and projects in the States shall lapse as of June 30, 2006. Without limiting the generality of this section, the lapse date established herein shall apply to funds appropriated by the following public laws and amendments thereto:

10	P.L. No. 6-28	P.L. No. 6-49
11	P.L. No. 7-35	P.L. No. 7-39
12	P.L. No. 7-107	P.L. No. 8-19
13	P.L. No. 8-24	P.L. No. 8-100
14	P.L. No. 8-73	P.L. No. 8-118
15	P.L. No. 8-115	P.L. No. 9-27
16	P.L. No. 9-51	P.L. No. 9-52
17	P.L. No. 9-67	P.L. No. 9-95
18	P.L. No. 9-100	P.L. No. 10-120
19	P.L. No. 10-126	P.L. No. 10-143

1	P.L. No. 11-27	P.L. No. 11-36
2	P.L. No. 11-44	P.L. No. 11-59
3	Section 2. All funds which a	are subject to the lapse date
4	established by this Act shall reve	ert to a fund entitled "FY 2006
5	Project Fund" that is hereby creat	ed within the General Fund.
6	Such funds shall be held in the FY	2006 Project Fund for use in
7	respect of social and economic dev	velopment projects in the states,
8	subject to appropriation by Congre	ess. Within said FY 2006 Project
9	Fund, the Department of Finance ar	nd Administration shall maintain
10	a separate account for each Electi	on District and for the at-large
11	needs of each State to hold those	lapsed funds that, prior to
12	lapsing, had been appropriated for	projects in such Election
13	District or for such at-large need	ls. Appropriations from the FY
14	2006 Project Fund shall be made to	each Election District and to
15	the at-large needs of each State of	only as permitted by the balance
16	of funds in the account maintained	l for that District or that
17	State's at-large needs.	

Section 3. No later than sixty days following the effective date of this act, the Secretary of Finance and Administration shall submit a report to the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia setting forth (a) a list, broken down by the Election District or State at-large needs to which the funds were appropriated, of all public project accounts with a positive balance of unobligated funds as of June 30, 2006; (b) the amount of the balance in each such account; (c) the total amount, for

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1	each Election District and each State's at-large needs, of the
2	funds that lapsed on June 30, 2006 by virtue of this Act; and (d)
3	the total balance of funds in the FY 2006 Project Fund and each
4	account therein.
5	Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the
6	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
7	becoming law without such approval.
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16	/s/Joseph J. Urusemal
17	Joseph J. Urusemal President
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