A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by enacting a new section 119A thereof to exempt the employees of the National Weather Service from the operation of the title, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new section 119A to read as follows:

"Section 119A. Inapplicability of this title to the National Weather Service.

(1) Nothing in this title is intended to apply to employees of the National Weather Service.

(2) The National Weather Service shall adopt an independent personnel system and, in accordance with that system, may contract for the services of employees upon such terms and conditions as it sees fit.

(3) All recruitment of employees for the National Weather Service shall be subject to the requirements of title 51."
Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Date: 9/9/05

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