A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 13-84, by amending sections 1 and 2 thereof to change the use of certain funds appropriated therein, to change the allottee, 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. 13-84, as amended by Public Law No. 14-03, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The sum of $240,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the fund entitled 'Public Projects for Chuuk Election District No. 5' within the General Fund, to provide funding for public projects in Chuuk Election District No. 5. The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Junior high school hot lunch ........$ [5,000] -0-
(2) Tuition, room and board assistance for students for the Northwest region of Chuuk at the College of Micronesia main campus ... 16,100
(3) Strategy/planning meeting of the leaders of the Northwest region
   (a) POL and charter boats ........[20,000] 48,400
   (b) Travel allowance and rental ...[5,000] -0-
   (c) Supplies and materials ........[1,500] -0-
   (d) Venue rental and refreshments .[2,900] -0-"
Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 13-84 is hereby amended to read as follows:

(4) Replanting and rehabilitation project for all thirteen islands in Halls, Weito and Pattiw Islands
   (a) POL and charter boats ........... $ 20,000
   (b) Packing materials ..................... 500
   (c) Planting materials cost ........... 5,000

(5) Supplemental copra subsidy, to be distributed on the basis of weight of semi-processed copra .......... [10,000] –0–

(6) Development Authority operations, contractual services ......................... 10,000

(7) Costs of referral, pharmaceuticals and repatriation of human remains .... [25,000] 35,000

(8) Medicine and medical supplies
   a) Cost of medicine and medical supplies .................... [34,000] 20,000
   b) Transportation and POL .................. 5,000

(9) Relief assistance
   a) Food costs .............................. 30,000
   b) Transportation and POL ............. 5,000

(10) Drydocking debt balance .............. 30,000

(11) Desalination project assembly ........ 5,000

(12) Northwest students' grants for tuition .................................................. 10,000"
“Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.

(1) All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed, administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable law, including but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottee of the funds appropriated under section 1 of this act shall be the Chuuk State Commission on Improvement Projects Pattiw Development Authority.

(2) The allottee of the funds appropriated herein shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified herein. The authority of the allottee to obligate such funds shall not lapse until fully expended.”

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

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