## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend section 8 of title 54 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Law Nos. 10-68, 13-21, 13-60 and 15-24, to provide that the States shall receive seventy percent of certain taxes collected beginning October 1, 2013, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 805 of title 54 of the Federated States
- 2 of Micronesia as amended by Public Laws Nos. 10-68, 13-21, 13-60
- 3 and 15-24 is hereby further amended to read as follows:
- 4 "Section 805. <u>Distribution</u>.
- Micronesia shall pay eighty percent of the net taxes

  collected pursuant to section 221(9) of this title and,

  beginning [January 1, 2004] October 1, 2013 and

  continuing thereafter, [fifty] seventy percent of all

  other net taxes collected pursuant to sections 121, 141,

  and 221 of this title into the Treasury of the State

  Government to which the taxes are attributable for

appropriation by the State Legislature.

(2) 'Net taxes' as used in subsection (1) of this section means gross collections of taxes, penalties, interest, or other related charges less refunds."

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        Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
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3 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
4 becoming law without such approval.
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