December 13, 2013

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert
Speaker
Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Re: C.A. No. 18-25

Dear Speaker Halbert:

I am writing to inform you that I have designated the following Congressional Act as Public Law No. 18-24:


I am pleased that Congress has taken the initiative to appropriate funding for humanitarian assistance to the affected neighboring areas as a result of typhoon Haiyan which has swept through these areas and has left immeasurable impact and devastation to the essential services, property and life.

Vice President and I along with National Leaders and the people of this nation join Congress in this initiative to assist these affected areas and we hope for a quick recovery, especially in this time of need.

Sincerely,

Manny Mori
President

Enclosure:
December 04, 2013

His Excellency Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Mori:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 18–25, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $225,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2014, FOR THE PURPOSE OF HUMANITARIAN RELIEF EFFORTS FOR VICTIMS OF TYPHOO HAIYAN IN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, THE REPUBLIC OF PALAU, THE STATE OF YAP AND THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2013, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

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

Enclosures
An Act


INTRODUCED BY SENATORS: BERNEY MARTIN AND DOHSIS HALBERT
DATE: NOVEMBER 15, 2013

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEES ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN – NOVEMBER 27, 2013
FIRST READING: NOVEMBER 27, 2013
SECOND READING: DECEMBER 02, 2013

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 18-25

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-88, C.D.1, C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on December 02 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Special Session, 2013, 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.

Donsis Halbert
Speaker
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

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

To appropriate the sum of $225,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, for the purpose of humanitarian relief efforts for victims of Typhoon Haiyan in the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Palau, the State of Yap and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The sum of $225,000 is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014. The funds appropriated under this section shall be used to fund humanitarian relief efforts for victims of Typhoon Haiyan in the Republic of the Philippines, the Republic of Palau, the State of Yap and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam.

2 a) Republic of the Philippines ........... $ 100,000

3 b) Republic of Palau ....................... 50,000

4 c) State of Yap .............................. 50,000

5 d) Socialist Republic of Vietnam ....... 25,000

6 Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.

7 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 this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia. The allottee of the funds appropriated herein shall be responsible for
1 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, 
2 are used solely for the purpose specified herein, and shall report 
3 back to Congress on the status of these funds no later than 
4 September 30, 2014. The authority of the allottee to obligate 
5 such funds shall lapse on September 30, 2014. 
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7 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the 
8 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its 
9 becoming law with such approval.

December 13, 2013

Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia