March 31, 2014

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert
Speaker
18th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Halbert:

This is to inform you that I have signed and designated the following Congressional Act as Public Law No. 18-51:

Congressional Act No. 18-55, "AN ACT TO AMEND FURTHER SECTION 934 OF TITLE 54 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS ENACTED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-50 AND AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-83, 18-06 AND 18-16, TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE SET FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TAX REFORM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Sincerely,

Manny Mori
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
Legislative Counsel, CFSM
Library, CFSM
PIO, FSM
March 3, 2014

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. 18-55, "AN ACT TO AMEND FURTHER SECTION 934 OF TITLE 54 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS ENACTED BY PUBLIC LAW 17-50 AND AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-83, 18-06 AND 18-16, TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE SET FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TAX REFORM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2014, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures
An Act

TO AMEND FURTHER SECTION 934 OF TITLE 54 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS ENACTED BY PUBLIC LAW 17-50 AND AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-83, 18-06 AND 18-16, TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE SET FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TAX REFORM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ISAAC V. FIGIR
DATE: MARCH 20, 2014

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
S.C.R. NO. 18-130 – MARCH 27, 2014
FIRST READING: MARCH 28, 2014
SECOND READING: MARCH 31, 2014

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 18-55

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-141, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on March 31 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2014, 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.

Dohsis Halbert
Speaker
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD SPECIAL SESSION, 2014

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-141, C.D.1

PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-51

AN ACT

To amend further section 934 of title 54 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as enacted by Public Law 17-50 and amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-83, 18-06 and 18-16, to extend the deadline set for the implementation of the tax reform, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 934 of title 54 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as enacted by Public Law No. 17-50, and as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-83, 18-06 and 18-16, is hereby further amended as follows:

"Section 934. If any of the four states of the Federated States of Micronesia have not passed into law value added tax legislation as of midnight May 31, 2014, this act is null and void."

CBL 18-152
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.

March 31, 2014

Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia