C.B. No. 19-48

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To authorize the President of the Federated States of Micronesia to enter into negotiation with the State of Pohnpei for the purpose of guaranteeing a loan to the Pohnpei Port Authority by the Asian Development Bank, in accordance to terms set forth in section 1401 of title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. The President of the Federated States of
- 2 Micronesia is hereby authorized to enter into negotiations with
- 3 the State of Pohnpei for the purpose of having Pohnpei State
- 4 guarantee in turn a guarantee by the National Government of a
- 5 \$16.4 million loan by the Asian Development Bank to the Pohnpei
- 6 Port Authority. For the protection of the National Government the
- 7 quarantee negotiated with Pohnpei State shall contain the terms
- 8 found in section 1401 of title 55 of the Code of the Federated
- 9 States of Micronesia. The quarantee agreement shall be submitted
- 10 to Congress for ratification and become effective upon
- 11 ratification.
- 12 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
- 13 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
- 14 becoming law without such approval.

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