



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-535
FSM CONGRESS

January 5, 2017

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Nineteenth Congress of the of the Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

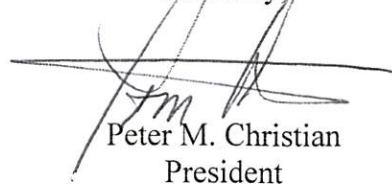
Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-140:

Congressional Act No. 19-141, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-133, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO DEAPPROPRIATE AN AMOUNT OF \$700,000 FROM THE INFRASTRUCTURE PRIORITY PROJECTS FUNDING FOR THE STATES OF KOSRAE AND CHUUK AND TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to express our appreciation to Congress for the passage of the act, especially for the States' priority infrastructure projects. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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December 19, 2016

His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
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Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-141, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-133, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO DEAPPROPRIATE AN AMOUNT OF \$700,000 FROM THE INFRASTRUCTURE PRIORITY PROJECTS FUNDING FOR THE STATES OF KOSRAE AND CHUUK AND TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2016, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures



NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION
DECEMBER 08 – 14, 2016

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-133, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO DEAPPROPRIATE AN AMOUNT OF \$700,000 FROM THE INFRASTRUCTURE PRIORITY PROJECTS FUNDING FOR THE STATES OF KOSRAE AND CHUUK AND TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ALIK L. ALIK

DATE: DECEMBER 14, 2016

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN – DECEMBER 16, 2016

FIRST READING: DECEMBER 16, 2016

SECOND READING: DECEMBER 17, 2016

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
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ACT NO. 19-141

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-239, C.D.1,
C.D.2, C.D.3)

We hereby certify that on December 17 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2016,
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.

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Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis".

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

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-239, C.D.1,
C.D.2, C.D.3

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Law No. 19-133, by amending sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 thereof, to deappropriate an amount of \$700,000 from the infrastructure priority projects funding for the states of Kosrae and Chuuk and to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein to fund priority infrastructure projects in the states of Pohnpei and Chuuk, 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. 19-124 is hereby
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 1. The sum of \$11,300,000, or so much thereof
4 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
5 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
6 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, for the
7 purpose of funding priority infrastructure projects in
8 all of the four states. The funds appropriated under
9 this section shall be apportioned as follows:

10 Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 19-124 is hereby
11 amended to read as follows:

12 "Section 2. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this
13 act, \$1,750,000 shall be apportioned for priority
14 infrastructure projects in the state of Yap.

15 (1) state of Yap..... \$1,750,000

16 (a) Ulithi Community Health Center repair,
17 renovation, and purchase of necessary medical

1 equipment\$ \$150,000
2 (b) Woleai Community Health Center repair,
3 renovation and medical equipment purchase .. 150,000
4 (c) Yap Southern Water System Improvement
5 projects; PROVIDED THAT, such funding is matched
6 by the state of Yap..... 150,000
7 (d) Outer Islands elementary schools
8 repair and renovations 550,000
9 (e) As much as is necessary for the
10 purchase of real property in Guam or Honolulu;
11 PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that no funds shall be
12 disbursed until the property is identified in
13 the Project Control Document..... 750,000
14 Section 3. Section 3 of Public Law No. 19-124 is hereby
15 amended to read as follows:
16 "Section 3. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this
17 act, \$900,000 shall be apportioned for priority
18 infrastructure projects in the state of Kosrae.
19 (1) state of Kosrae..... \$ 900,000
20 Section 4. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by
21 Public Law No. 19-133, is hereby further amended to read as
22 follows:
23 "Section 4. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this
24 act, \$3,000,000 shall be apportioned for priority
25 infrastructure projects in the state of Pohnpei.

1	state of Pohnpei.....	\$ 3,000,000
2	(1) At Large.....	975,000
3	(a) Pohnpei delegation	
4	office building	250,000
5	(b) Kolonia Town tennis	
6	courts upgrade... ..	150,000
7	(c) Kepin Souna, Nett	
8	road maintenance... ..	35,000
9	(d) Nanmwaht-Nanwel, road	
10	maintenance.....	50,000
11	(e) Sand and coral materials	
12	for pavement	100,000
13	(f) Parem kep new road extension ..	50,000
14	(g) Lahkir Marina, Kitti	50,000
15	(h) Community power extensions	25,000
16	(i) Palikir Pah road improvement ..	50,000
17	(j) Kitti road paving	50,000
18	(k) Madolenihmw road paving	50,000
19	(l) Wone Catholic Church road paving	35,000
20	(m) Pohn Awak, Pahnpe, U road maintenance	10,000
21	(n) Madolenihmw road maintenance ..	50,000
22	(o) Seinwar road maintenance	20,000
23	(2) Election District No. 1	675,000
24	(a) Totopai road	30,000
25	(b) Road maintenance	50,000

1	(c) Kaselehlia Street sidewalk/	
2	drainage).....	\$ 120,000
3	(d) Pohnpei delegation loop	
4	(New road-pave/wall)	70,000
5	(e) Seidonokawa Road	60,000
6	(f) Sokehs Island circumferential road	
7	paving/materials/equipment	225,000
8	(g) Roofing, track and field bleachers	30,000
9	(h) Mercedes building	
10	supplemental funding	45,000
11	(i) Sekere to Nanpohnmal	
12	road improvement	25,000
13	(j) Airport terminal	
14	beautification project	20,000
15	(3) Election District No. 2 priority	
16	infrastructure projects.....	675,000
17	(a) Pohnlangas Dispensary repair	
18	and improvement	15,000
19	(b) Wone Dispensary repair	
20	and improvement.. ..	15,000
21	(c) Temwen School road paving	30,000
22	(d) Rohi School road paving	40,000
23	(e) Pehleng School road paving	40,000
24	(f) Peilik bridge (Enipein powe) ...	85,000
25	(g) Nankoaloau bridge overlay (Pehleng)	15,000

1	(h) Steinway School classrooms \$	70,000
2	(i) Mwoakot Pah road improvement ...	15,000
3	(j) Kitti road cleaning/beautification	15,000
4	(k) Areu Pah road paving	50,000
5	(l) Nanketiou Bridge (Alohkapw) ...	87,700
6	(m) Nanmwet (Madolenihmw) erosion	
7	protection/drainage	38,000
8	(n) Ohwa Mission School building repair	13,920
9	(o) Pohnsauk (Madolenihmw)	
10	power extension	35,000
11	(p) Nankerpene Bridge repair	25,380
12	(q) Access road paving	
13	(Kaun en Wehi, Kitti)	25,000
14	(r) Kepine (Madolenihmw)	
15	power extension	25,000
16	(s) Pahtakai/Oalioaliwi (Kitti)	
17	road upgrade.	20,000
18	(t) Purchase of coral materials	5,000
19	(u) Tanks/water catchments	10,000
20	(4) Election District No. 3	675,000
21	(a) Kepin Souna, Nett road maintenance	35,000
22	(b) Dien, U road paving/equipment ..	70,000
23	(c) Pahlap, U road paving	70,000
24	(d) Otohi, U road paving	70,000
25	(e) Nett District Park	100,000

1	(f) Road paving (Palipahn Nett) ... \$	100,000
2	(g) Parem/Lenger water systems	
3	improvement/purchase of fiberglass water	
4	tanks/catchments	100,000
5	(h) Pingelap Infrastructure projects	65,000
6	(i) Mwokilloa Infrastructure projects	65,000"

7 Section 5. of Public Law No. 19-124 is hereby amended
8 to read as follows:

9 "Section 5. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this
10 act, \$5,650,000 shall be apportioned for priority
11 infrastructure projects in the state of Chuuk.

12	(1) state of Chuuk.....	5,650,000
13	(a) Land outright acquisition for	
14	Chuuk State.....	3,400,000
15	(b) Road improvement, upgrade/equipment/	
16	municipal docks/bridges.....	1,700,000
17	(c) Ms. Chief Mailo repair	-0-
18	(d) Administration cost & management..	150,000
19	(e) Public safety and jailhouse	
20	supplemental funding	400,000"

21 Section 6. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-124, as
22 amended by Public Law No. 19-124, is hereby further amended to
23 read as follows:


24 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
25 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be

1 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
2 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
3 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
4 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
5 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
6 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
7 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
8 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
9 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of the
10 State of Yap or his designee. The allottee of the funds
11 appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be
12 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
13 his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds
14 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c) through 4(1)(o),
15 4(2)(f), 4(3)(c), 4(3)(d), 4(3)(e), 4(3)(g), 4(3)(k) and
16 4(3)(q), 4(3)(s), 4(4)(b), 4(4)(d), 4(4)(f), shall be
17 the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee
18 of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(b),
19 4(2)(a), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(d) and 4(2)(e) shall be the Mayor
20 of Kolonia Town Government; the allottee of funds
21 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(a), 4(2)(b),
22 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i) and 4(2)(j) shall be the
23 Secretary of the Department of Transportation,
24 Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the
25 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections

1 (4)(3)(i), 4(3)(0) and 4(3)(r) shall be the Pohnpei
2 Utility Corporation (PUC), the allottee of funds
3 appropriated under subsection 4(3)(j) shall be the
4 Lukenmenlap of Kittu. The allottee of the funds
5 appropriated under section 5 of this act shall be the
6 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The authority
7 of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this
8 act shall lapse on September 30, 2017.

9 Section 7. This act shall become law upon approval by the
10 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
11 becoming law without such approval.

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15 1/5/17, 2016

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20 Peter M. Christian
21 President
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