August 16, 2016

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Nineteenth Congress 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. 19-98:

Congressional Act No. 19-105: AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO.17-68, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-71, 17-81, 17-84, 17-89, 17-90, 18-03, 18-10, 18-13, 18-32, 18-46, 18-58, 18-87, 18-95, 19-16 AND 19-47, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 6 THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Sincerely,

Peter M. Christian  
President

Enclosures:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court  
Secretary, Department of Justice  
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration  
Legislative Counsel, CFSM  
Library, CFSM  
FSM PIO
August 05, 2016

His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-105, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-68, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-71, 17-81, 17-84, 17-89, 17-90, 18-03, 18-10, 18-13, 18-32, 18-46, 18-58, 18-87, 18-95, 19-16 AND 19-47, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 6 THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR Pohnpei State, and for other purposes.\". which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2016, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

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

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An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-68, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-71, 17-81, 17-84, 17-89, 17-90, 18-03, 18-10, 18-13, 18-32, 18-46, 18-58, 18-87, 18-95, 19-16 AND 19-47, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 6 THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE USE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND B. MOSES

DATE: AUGUST 01, 2016

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – AUGUST 02, 2016

FIRST READING: AUGUST 02, 2016
SECOND READING: AUGUST 03, 2016

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 19-105

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-191, C.D.1, C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on August 03 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth 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.

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

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

To further amend Public Law No. 17-68, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-71, 17-81, 17-84, 17-89, 17-90, 18-03, 18-10, 18-13, 18-32, 18-46, 18-58, 18-87, 18-95, 19-16 and 19-47, by amending sections 4 and 6 therein, for the purpose of changing the use and lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated to fund public projects and social programs for Pohnpei State, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 4 of Public Law No. 17-68, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-71, 17-84, 18-32, 18-46, 18-58, 18-95 and 19-47, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. Of the sum of $5,697,383 appropriated by this act, $219,116 is apportioned to pay the amount owed by the state of Pohnpei to FEMA and $1,200,000 is apportioned for public projects and social programs in the state of Pohnpei.

(1) Amount owed by the state of Pohnpei to FEMA..........................$ 219,116

(2) state of Pohnpei ....................... 1,200,000

(a) At-Large ......................... 300,000

(i) Pohnpei Road Improvement

(material purchase, transportation and equipment rental, tools, etc) .............. 85,000

(ii) Payment of asphalt plant conveyor belt account by PTA to Ace Ocean company .. 15,000
(iii) Mountain trails (labor, tools, equipment) ......................... $ 10,000
(iv) Waterways/channels improvement (labor, POL, tools, equipment) .... 10,000
(v) Pohnpei Outer Islands transportation needs, communications, navigational aid, including charter costs, fuel, channel clearing, boat and outdoor motor purchase ........................................... 35,000
(vi) Aid to non-public high schools ........................................ 20,000
(vii) Pohnpei Sports facilities Improvement (materials purchase, equipment rental and labor) ...................................... 50,000
(viii) Historical sites restoration/maintenance .......................... 15,000
(ix) Traditional leaders conference and travel needs ................... 20,664
(x) Civic leaders’ FSM State visit ............................................. 24,336
(xi) Purchase of vehicle for U Municipal government ................... 15,000
(b) Election District No. 1 ............................................. 300,000
(i) Road improvement— Kolonia .......................................... 35,298
(ii) Other road improvements ........................................... 100,000
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1 (iii) COM-FSM students’ outstanding debt payment ....................... $ 22,000
2 (iv) St. Paul school subsidy 8,000
3 (v) Social Security premium
4 contribution ................................................. 15,000
5 (vi) Classroom upgrade
6 (Palikir school) ....................... 12,000
7 (vii) Medical referrals (travel) 10,000
8 (viii) Need Assessment/monitoring-
9 Election District No. 1 ................... 43,000
10 (ix) Calvary Baptist classroom completion ................................. 54,702
11 (c) Election District No. 2 ........... 300,000
12 (i) Akahk/Enipoas road ............. 15,000
13 (ii) Rohi water system road ...... 15,000
14 (iii) Metipw/Dolopwail road ...... 10,000
15 (iv) Nan Woalin Poahloang road .. 15,000
16 (v) Pwoai Pwoai water system road 15,000
17 (vi) Temwen/Poasihloa road paving 30,000
18 (vii) Toamwaoroahlong water system improvement ............................. 7,380
19 (viii) Sapwalapw water system improvement ..................................... 5,000
20 (ix) Pwok water system improvement 10,000
21 (x) Students financial assistance 15,000

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1. activities and equipment .................. $15,000
   (ii) Youth Associations
3. activities and sporting equipment .......... $15,000
   (iii) ED#3 Office subsidy ................ 45,000
   (iv) Nett Secondary road
6. improvement and maintenance .............. 75,000
   (v) Water system projects
8. improvement ............................... 25,580
   (vi) Youth/Community Center .......... 15,000
   (vii) Dehpek/Takaiou students’
11. support .................................. 15,000
   (viii) Student Financial Assistance 15,000
   (ix) Medical referral support ....... 10,000
   (x) Nett, Awak, Saladak schools
15. buildings improvement ..................... 15,000
   (xi) Pohnpei Senior Citizens
17. Associations program/activities .......... 5,000
   (xii) Farming equipment ............... 4,420
   (xiii) General Road improvement
20. and beautification ....................... 36,222
   (xiv) El Nino mitigation ............... -0-
   (xv) U Municipal inauguration
23. and related cost ........................ 8,778"

Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 17-68, as amended by
Public Laws Nos. 17-71, 18-03, 18-13, 18-58, 18-87 and 19-17, is
here by further amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
State. The allottee of funds appropriated under
sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of
the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee,
EXCEPT THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 1 of section 3 of this act shall be the
Governor of Kosrae; the allottee of funds appropriated
under subsections 3(2)(j), (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), (p),
(q), (r), (s), (t), (u), (v), (w), (x), (y), (z), (aa),
(ab), (ac), (ad), (ae), (af), (ag) and (ah) of section 3
of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Municipal
Government or his designee; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 1 of section 4 of this act
shall be the Governor of Pohnpei State and the allottee
of funds appropriated under subsections 4(c)(xxiii) and
4(c)(xxiv) of section 4 of this act shall be the
Meninkeder lapalap, Madolenihmw Municipal Government.
The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(1)
of this act shall be the President of the Federated
States of Micronesia or his designee. The allottee of
funds appropriated under subsection 5(2)(a) and 5(2)(c)
and 5(2)(f) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk
State or his designee. The allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 5(2)(b) of section 5 of
this act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development
Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 5(2)(d) of section 5 of this act shall be the
Southern Namoneas Development Authority or its designee.
The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
5(2)(e) of section 5 of this act shall be the Faichuk
Development Authority or its designee. The allottee of
funds appropriated under subsection 5(2)(f) of section 5
of this act shall be the Northwest Island Development
Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate
funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September
30, 2017."
Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Aug 17, 2016

Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia