



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

June 23, 2020

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-319
FSM CONGRESS

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twenty-First Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-136 :

Congressional Act No. 21-133, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-18, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39, 17-65, 18-27, 18-80, 19-13, 19-108, 20-34, 20-109, 21-26, AND 21-108, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING SOCIAL PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS IN CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency David W. Panuelo
President
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Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-133, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-18, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39, 17-65, 18-27, 18-47, 18-80, 19-13, 19-108, 20-34, 20-109, 21-26 AND 21-108, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING SOCIAL PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS IN CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, 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



TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION
MAY 11 - 30, 2020

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-319
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An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-18, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39, 17-65, 18-27, 18-47, 18-80, 19-13, 19-108, 20-34, 20-109, 21-26 AND 21-108, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING SOCIAL PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS IN CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: MAY 20, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 21, 2020

FIRST READING: – MAY 21, 2020

SECOND READING: – MAY 29, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-133

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-198)

We hereby certify that on May 29 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020,
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

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

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-198

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 16-18, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39, 17-65, 18-27, 18-47, 18-80, 19-13, 19-108, 20-34, 20-109, 21-26 and 21-108, by amending section 2 thereof, to change the allottee and lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding social programs and projects in Chuuk state, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 16-18, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 16-24, 17-14, 17-39, 18-27, 18-80, 19-13,
3 19-108, 20-109 and 21-26, is hereby further amended to read as
4 follows:

5 "Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
6 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
7 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
8 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
9 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
10 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
11 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
12 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
13 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
14 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
15 under subsections 1 and 2 of section 1 of this act shall
16 be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia
17 or his designee, EXCEPT THAT the allottee of funds

1 appropriated under subsections 2(a), (b), (c), (d), (e),
2 (f), (g), (j), (n(i)), (p), (q) and (r) of this act
3 shall be the Mayor of Lelu Municipal Government; the
4 allottee of funds appropriated under sections 1(4)(a)
5 and 1(4)(f) shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his
6 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
7 section 1(4)(b) shall be the Mortlock Islands
8 Development Authority; the allottee of funds
9 appropriated under section 1(4)(c) of this act shall be
10 the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee;
11 the allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(4)(d)
12 shall be the Faichuk Development Authority; the allottee
13 of funds appropriated under section 1(4)(e) shall be the
14 Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee
15 of funds appropriated under section 1(1) of this act
16 shall be the Governor of the State of Yap. The
17 authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated
18 by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2022."

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David W. Panuelo
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