



*The President*  
*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

July 27, 2020

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-350  
FSM CONGRESS

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-157:

Congressional Act No. 21-163, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, 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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Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

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Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-163, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2020, 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



ACT NO. 21-163  
(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-251, C.D.1)



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-250  
FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION  
JULY 1 - 10, 2020

PUBLIC LAW No. 21- 157

## An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND B. MOSES

DATE: JULY 7, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – JULY 7, 2020

FIRST READING: – JULY 7, 2020

SECOND READING: – JULY 10, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress





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ACT NO. 21-163

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-251, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on July 10 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special 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

SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-251, C.D.1

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AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$2,100,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk States, and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. The sum of \$2,100,000, or so much thereof as may  
2 be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the  
3 Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending  
4 September 30, 2020, for the purpose of funding public projects and  
5 social programs for the people of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk  
6 states. The funds appropriated under this section shall be  
7 apportioned as follows:

8       Section 2. Of the \$2,100,000 appropriated under this act,  
9 \$300,000 shall be apportioned to fund public projects and social  
10 programs for the people of Yap State.

11           State of Yap.....\$       300,000

12               (a) Power Utility Costs for  
13       Dispensaries using EF2 in the Outer Islands of Yap...       100,000

14               (b) Yap Congressional Delegation  
15       Office Land Acquisition and Construction...       200,000

16       Section 3. Of the \$2,100,000 appropriated under this act,  
17 \$300,000 shall be apportioned to fund public projects and  
18 social programs for the people of Kosrae State.

1	State of Kosrae.....	\$ 300,000
2	(1) At large.....	100,000
3	(a) Municipal drinking water tanks	50,000
4	(b) Legislature building renovation	
5	and furnishing .....	25,000
6	(c) Outboard motors and boats.....	25,000
7	(2) Election District No. 1 .....	200,000
8	(a) Kosrae/PREL Community	
9	Project in Kosrae .....	40,000
10	(b) Funding for flight school at	
11	Global Aviation Center, Farmingdale, New York .....	40,000
12	(c) Preparation for the state of	
13	Hawaii Bar Examination .....	5,000
14	(d) Contribution to Public	
15	building in Tafunsak .....	25,000
16	(e) Scholarship for Kosraean students	40,000
17	(f) Contributions to community events,	
18	Activities, social programs .....	10,000
19	(g) Kosrae High School Lunch Program	20,000
20	(h) Kosrae Delegation referral program	20,000
21	Section 4. Of the \$2,100,000 appropriated under this act,	
22	\$600,000 shall be apportioned to fund public projects and	
23	social programs for the people of Pohnpei State.	
24	State of Pohnpei.....	\$ 600,000
25	(1) At large.....	150,000

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1	(a) Outer Islands of Pohnpei public	
2	projects and social programs .....	\$ 50,000
3	(b) Pohnpei public projects and	
4	social programs .....	100,000
5	(2) Election District No. 1.....	150,000
6	(a) Daini drainage/sidewalk	30,000
7	(b) PICS classrooms chairs outstanding	
8	freight cost .....	12,000
9	(c) Pohras SDA Civic Center maintenance	5,000
10	(d) Contribution to Kolonia Town	
11	Senior Citizens .....	15,000
12	(e) Outer Island Solar Ice Maker/Ice box	15,000
13	(f) POL for Election District No. 1.	15,000
14	(g) Pakin Boat/Installation.....	28,000
15	(h) Water tanks.....	10,000
16	(i) Lady Minto subsidy.....	20,000
17	(3) Election District No. 2.....	150,000
18	(a) Kepinmwomwi road improvement,	
19	Pehleng, Kitti .....	70,000
20	(b) Kahriki, Enpein road improvement	20,000
21	(c) Nipai, Wone road paving.....	30,000
22	(d) Kitti Municipal Court	
23	building renovation .....	30,000
24	(4) Election District. No. 3.....	150,000
25	(a) Nett, Nanpil, Opweding new road.	25,000

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1	(b) Nett, Corona Task Force.....	\$ 10,000
2	(c) Nett Solar Street lights/ 3 Installation .....	20,000
4	(d) U, Adroroi New Road.....	25,000
5	(e) U Corona Volunteers 6 activities/programs .....	35,000
7	(f) Mwoakilloa Lady Minto 8 provisioning/operation .....	10,000
9	(g) Pingelap Lady Minto 10 provisioning/operation .....	10,000
11	(h) Coral Material purchase.....	7,500
12	(i) Tree trimming project.....	7,500
13	Section 5. Of the \$2,100,000 appropriated under this act,	
14	\$900,000 shall be apportioned to fund public projects and social	
15	programs for the people of Chuuk State.	
16	State of Chuuk.....	900,000
17	(1) At large.....	100,000
18	(a) Fishing projects.....	50,000
19	(b) Contribution to State, Municipal 20 and community activities, events and programs .....	50,000
21	(2) Election District No. 1.....	
22	(a) Public projects and social programs	100,000
23	(3) Election District No. 2..... ..	310,000
24	(a) Food Security.....	40,000
25	(b) Fishing Projects.....	20,000



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1	(c) Housing renovation/improvement.\$	30,000
2	(d) Weno Municipal Inauguration.....	10,000
3	(e) Freight/Charter/POL.....	10,000
4	(f) Heavy Equipment purchase.....	200,000
5	(4) Election District No. 3.....	130,000
6	(a) Housing and Multipurpose	
7	Buildings repair/renovation.....	105,000
8	(b) Prior obligations.....	25,000
9	(5) Election District No. 4.....	130,000
10	(a) Solar Power System.....	50,000
11	(b) Fishing projects.....	50,000
12	(c) Land Transportation.....	30,000
13	(6) Election District No. 5.....	130,000
14	(a) Solar Power System.....	75,000
15	(b) Low Income Housing renovation/	
16	rehabilitation.....	10,000
17	(c) Outstanding administrative	
18	support costs.....	15,000
19	(d) POL/Freight/Current and prior	
20	obligations.....	20,000
21	(e) Food relief program.....	10,000

22       Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
23 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
24 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with  
25 applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Financial

1 Management Act of 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for  
2 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be  
3 necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this  
4 act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
5 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated under  
6 section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap or his  
7 designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under  
8 subsection 3(1) of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae or  
9 his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under  
10 subsection 3(2) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town  
11 Government or his designee. The allottee of the funds  
12 appropriated under section 4 of this act shall be the President  
13 of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED  
14 THAT, the allottee of fund appropriated under subsections  
15 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h),  
16 and 4(2)(i) of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department  
17 of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his  
18 designee;" the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection  
19 4(2)(d) of this act shall be the Mayor of Kolonia town  
20 government or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated  
21 under subsections 4(3)(a), 4(3)(b) and 4(3)(c) of this act shall  
22 be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the allottee of funds  
23 appropriated under subsection 4(3)(d) of this act shall be the  
24 Chief Justice of Kitti or his designee. The allottee of the  
25 funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act

1 shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the  
2 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this  
3 act shall be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority (MIDA);  
4 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of  
5 this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his  
6 designee; the allottee of the funds appropriated under  
7 subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas  
8 Development Authority; the allottee of the funds appropriated  
9 under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk  
10 Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to  
11 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September  
12 30, 2022.

13 Section 7. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
14 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
15 becoming law without such approval.

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July 28th

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David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia