June 10, 2020

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 to become Public Law No. 21-117:


Thank you.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
June 00, 2020

His Excellency David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-137, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-54, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 20-04, 20-56, 20-82, 20-127 AND 21-20, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 2 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR YAP AND CHUUK STATES, 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,

[Signature]

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

Enclosures
An Act


INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: MAY 20, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN – MAY 26, 2020
FIRST READING: – MAY 27, 2020
SECOND READING: – MAY 29, 2020

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 21-137

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-205, C.D.1)

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.

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. 19-54, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 20-04, 20-56, 20-82, 20-127 and 21-20, by amending sections 2 and 6 thereof, to change the use, allottee and lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for Yap and Chuuk States, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 19-54 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. Of the sum of $4,800,000 appropriated by this act, $700,000 is apportioned for public projects and social programs in the state of Yap.

state of Yap .......................... $ 700,000

(a) Tagreng channel dredging ........... 20,000

(b) Falalis Island Community boat

and motor ........................................ 19,000

(c) Eauripik Multi-purpose center

repair and typhoon shutters ............... 39,000

(d) Daboich Look Out Youth Organization 10,000

(e) Pigeol, Wottegai Multi-purpose Center 53,000

(f) Amin, Maap Youth Organization .. 10,000

(g) Fadray, Ulithi Community

boat and motor .......................... 19,000

(h) Yap Delegation Renovation and land
Acquisition ........................................ $ 500,000

(i) Tagailep Elementary School

Renovation Project ............................... 30,000" 

Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-54, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-75, 19-99, 19-129, 20-04, 20-127 and 21-20, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date. All fund appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws including, but not limited to, the 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; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 3(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (t), (u), (v), (ag), (ar) and (as) of this act shall be the Mayor of Utwe Municipal Government or his designee;
the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 3(k), (w), (x), (y), (z), (aa), (ab), (ac), (ad), (ae), (af), (ah), (ai), (aj), (ak), (al), (am), (an), (ao), (ap) and (aq) of this act shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriate under subsections (1)(a), (b), (c), (e), (f), and 4(2) shall be the Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; he allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(d), 4(3)(b), 4(3)(d), 4(3)(e), 4(3)(h), 4(3)(k) and 4(3)(l) shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA). The allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act
shall lapse on September 30, 2022.”

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.

June 10th, 2020

David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia