## TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2022

C.B. No. 22-188

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 21-179, 21-216, 22-17, 22-35 and 22-44 by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of extending the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund 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:

Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by
Public Laws Nos. 21-216 and 22-44, is hereby further amended to
read as follows:

"Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and 4 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall 5 6 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in 7 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not 8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The 9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these 10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that 11 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum 12 13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of 14 Yap or his designee, PROVIDED THAT the allottee of 15 16 funds appropriate under subsection 2(d) of this act shall be the President of COM-FSM. The allottee of the 17

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funds appropriated under subsection 3(1) of this act 1 2 shall be the Governor of Kosrae or his designee. The 3 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 3(2) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town 4 Government or his designee. The allottee of the funds 5 6 appropriated under section 4 of this act shall be the 7 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds 8 appropriated under subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall 9 10 be the Pohnpei State Department of Land and Survey; the allottee of fund appropriated under subsections, 11 12 4(1)(b), 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 13 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), and 4(2)(i) of this act shall be the 14 Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his designee;" the 15 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(d) 16 17 of this act shall be the Mayor of Kolonia Town Government or his designee; the allottee of funds 18 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c), 4(1)(d), 19 20 4(3)(a), 4(3)(b) and 4(3)(c) of this act shall be the 21 Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the allottee of funds 22 appropriated under subsection 4(3)(d) of this act shall 23 be the Chief Justice of Kitti or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections 24 25 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of

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1 Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee of the funds 2 appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be 3 the Mortlocks Island Development Authority (MIDA); the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 4 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal 5 6 Government or his designee; the allottee of the funds 7 appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority; the 8 9 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 10 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate 11 12 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30, [<del>2022</del>] 2024." 13 14 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the 15 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its 16 becoming law without such approval. 17 18 Date: 5/12/22 Introduced by: /s/ Esmond B. Moses Esmond B. Moses 19 20 21 22 23 24 25