



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia



June 21, 2022

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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-276
FSM CONGRESS

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 22-124 :

Congressional Act No. 22-120, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-49, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-68, 16-76, 17-06, 17-10, 17-23, 17-30, 17-32, 17-45, 17-82, 17-85, 18-28, 18-45, 18-59, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106, 19-110, 20-108 21-16 AND 21-122, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-274
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May 24, 2022

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

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Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 22-120, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-49, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-68, 16-76, 17-06, 17-10, 17-23, 17-30, 17-32, 17-45, 17-82, 17-85, 18-28, 18-45, 18-59, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106, 19-110, 20-108, 21-16 AND 21-122, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2022, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-276
FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION
MAY 04 – [23] 27, 2022
(EXTENDED BY C.R. NO. 22-130, ADOPTED 05/23/22)

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-49, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-68, 16-76, 17-06, 17-10, 17-23, 17-30, 17-32, 17-45, 17-82, 17-85, 18-28, 18-45, 18-59, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106, 19-110, 20-108, 21-16 AND 21-122, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND B. MOSES

DATE: MAY 13, 2022

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 13, 2022

FIRST READING: – MAY 16, 2022

SECOND READING: – MAY 24, 2022

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-276
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 22-120

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-198)

We hereby certify that on May 24 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2022,
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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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2022

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-198

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 16-49, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 16-68, 16-76, 17-06, 17-10, 17-23, 17-30, 17-32, 17-45, 17-82, 17-85, 18-28, 18-45, 18-59, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106, 19-110, 20-108, 21-16 and 21-122, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of extending the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in each of the states, and for other purposes.

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


1 Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 16-49, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 17-10, 17-45, 17-85, 18-28, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106,
3 19-110, 20-108, 21-16 and 21-122, is further hereby amended to
4 read as follows:

5 "Section 6. 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 law, 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 no
13 obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
14 appropriated. The allottee of funds appropriated under
15 sections 2 and 4 of this act shall be the President of
16 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;
17 PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under

1 section 4(1)(b) shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
2 Authority and the allottee of the funds appropriated
3 under section 4(1)(j) shall be the Mayor of Kolonia Town
4 Government. The allottee of funds appropriated under
5 section 3 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap State.
6 The allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
7 5(1), 5(6) and 5(7) of this act shall be the Governor of
8 Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds
9 appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be
10 the Mortlock Islands Development Authority (MIDA). The
11 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of
12 this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government
13 or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under
14 subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern
15 Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds
16 appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be
17 the Faichuk Development Authority. The funds
18 appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,
19 2024."

1 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
2 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
3 becoming law without such approval.

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7 June 21, 2022

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11 David W. Panuelo
12 President
13 Federated States of Micronesia