
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 15-32, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85, 18-104, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-34, 20-38, 21-144 and 21-167, by amending section 2 thereof, for the purpose of changing the lapse date of certain 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:

1 Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 15-32, as
2 amended by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-57, 15-63, 17-21, 17-33,
3 17-40, 18-17, 18-85, 19-17, 19-100, 19-157, 20-106, 21-34 and
4 21-144, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and
6 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
7 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for
8 in accordance with applicable laws, including, but
9 not limited to the Financial Management Acts of each
10 of the States, the Financial Management Act of 1979
11 and the amended Compact of Free Association between
12 the United States Government and the Government of
13 the Federated States of Micronesia and its related
14 agreements. The allottee shall be responsible for
15 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may
16 be necessary, are used solely for the purpose

1 specified in this act, and that no obligations are
2 incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The
3 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
4 (4)(a) of section 1 of this act shall be the Governor
5 of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of
6 funds appropriated under subsection 4(b) shall be the
7 Mortlock Islands Development Authority (MIDA). The
8 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(c)
9 of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal
10 Government or his designee. The allottee of funds
11 appropriated under subsection 4(d) of this act shall
12 be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The
13 allottee of fund appropriated under subsection 4(e)
14 of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
15 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
16 subsections 1 and 3 of section 1 of this act shall be
17 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia
18 or his designee, EXCEPT THAT the allottee of the
19 funds appropriated under subsections (1)(a), (b),
20 (c), (d), (h), (j), (l) and (m) of section 1 of this
21 act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Municipal Government
22 and the allottee of funds appropriated under
23 subsection 1(1)(v) of this act shall be the Mayor of
24 Tafunsak Municipal Government or his designee. The
25 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(f)

1 of section 1 of this act shall be the Northwest
2 Islands Development Authority (NIDA). The allottee
3 of funds appropriated under subsection (2) of section
4 1 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of
5 Yap. The funds appropriated by this act shall lapse
6 on September 30, [~~2022~~] 2024."

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

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11 Date: 9/21/22

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