
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 20-155, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 20-177, 20-188, 21-61, 21-88, 21-119, 21-150, 22-08, 22-43 and 22-119, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei State, 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. 20-155, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 20-177, 20-188, 21-119, 21-150, 22-43 and 22-
3 119, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
5 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
6 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
11 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
12 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
14 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
15 State or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee of
16 funds appropriated under subsection 2(c) of this act
17 shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated

1 States of Micronesia or his designee. The allottee of
2 funds appropriated under section 3 of this act shall be
3 the Governor of Kosrae State or his designee. The
4 allottee of funds appropriated under section 4 of this
5 act shall be the President of the Federated States of
6 Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee
7 of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c) of this
8 act shall be the [~~Governor of Pohnpei State~~] Secretary
9 of the Department of Health and Social Affairs or his
10 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
11 subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b) and 4(3)(h) of this act
12 shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the
13 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
14 4(2)(c), 4(2)(d), 4(2)(e) and 4(2)(g) of this act shall
15 be the Secretary of the Department of Transportation,
16 Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the
17 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
18 4(3)(a), 4(3)(e) and 4(3)(f) of this act shall be the
19 Luhken Moanlap of Kitti; the allottee of funds
20 appropriated under subsection 4(3)(g) of this act shall
21 be the Secretary of the Department of Education or his
22 designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under
23 subsection 4(3)(d) of this act shall be the Secretary of
24 the Department of Resources and Development or his
25 designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under

1 subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the
2 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee of
3 the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act
4 shall be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority
5 (MIDA); the allottee of funds appropriated under
6 subsection 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno
7 Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of
8 the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act
9 shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority;
10 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
11 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
12 Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate
13 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September
14 30, 2024.”

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

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19 Date: 1/10/24

Introduced by: /s/ Peter M. Christian
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