
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend section 12 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-169, 22-181, 22-204, 23-08 and 23-13, to change the allottee of funds previously appropriated therein to fund Capital and Human Resources Development of the National Government, and for other purposes.

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

2 Section 1. Section 12 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by
3 Public Laws Nos. 22-169, 23-08 and 23-13, is hereby further
4 amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 12. Allotment and Management of Funds and
6 Lapse Dates.

7 (1) General provisions.

8 (a) All funds appropriated by this act shall be
9 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
10 accordance with applicable law, including, but not
11 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979.

12 (b) The allottees shall be responsible for
13 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be
14 necessary, are used solely for the purposes specified
15 in this act, and that no obligations are incurred in
16 excess of the sums appropriated.

17 (2) Allottees. The allottees of the funds
18 appropriated by this act are as follows:

19 (a) Section 2 - the allottee of these funds shall

1 be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia;

2 (b) Section 3 - the allottee of these funds shall
3 be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States
4 of Micronesia;

5 (c) Section 4 - the allottee of these funds shall
6 be the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the
7 Federated States of Micronesia;

8 (d) Section 5 - the allottee of these funds shall
9 be the Public Auditor of the Federated States of
10 Micronesia;

11 (e) Sections 6 through 9 - the allottee of these
12 funds shall be the President of the Federated States of
13 Micronesia; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that for the following
14 subsections of sections 8 through 9 of this act:

15 (i) Sections 8(1)(f) - the allottee of these
16 funds shall be the Chair of the Joint Committee on
17 Compact Review and Planning;

18 (ii) Section 8(8)(a) - the allottee of these
19 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

20 (iii) Section 8(8)(b) - the allottee of these
21 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Pohnpei;

22 (iv) Section 8(8)(c) - the allottee of these
23 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Chuuk;

24 (v) Section 8(8)(d) - the allottee of these
25 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Yap;

1 (vi) Section 8(8)(1) – the allottee of these
2 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

3 (vii) Section 8(11) – the allottee of these
4 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the
5 Federated States of Micronesia;

6 (viii) Section 8(12)(a) – the allottee of these
7 funds shall be the President of the College of
8 Micronesia-FSM;

9 (ix) Section 8(12)(d) through (g) – the
10 allottee of these funds shall be the Chief Justice of
11 the respective State Supreme Court;

12 (x) Section 8(12)(h) – the allottee of these
13 funds shall be the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court
14 of the Federated States of Micronesia;

15 (xi) Section 8(12)(mm) – the allottee of these
16 funds shall be the Chief Executive Officer of OAE;

17 (xii) Section 9(1) (a) through (e), (f)(ii) and
18 f(iii) – the allottee of these funds shall be the
19 President of the College of Micronesia-FSM;

20 (xiii) Section 9(1)(f)(i) the allottee of these
21 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the
22 Federated States of Micronesia;

23 (xiv) Sections 9(4)(c) and (g) – the allottee
24 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of
25 Kosrae;

1 (xv) Sections 9(4)(d) and (h) – the allottee
2 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of
3 Pohnpei;

4 (xvi) Sections 9(4)(e) and (i) – the allottee
5 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of
6 Chuuk;

7 (xvii) Sections 9(4)(f) and (j) – the allottee
8 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of
9 Yap;

10 (xviii) Section 9(12)(g), (l), (m) and (o) – the
11 allottee of these funds shall be the Secretary of the
12 Department of Transportation, Communications and
13 Infrastructure;

14 (xix) Section 9(12)(h) and (n) – the allottee
15 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of
16 Yap;

17 (xx) Section 9(12)(i) – the allottee of these
18 funds shall be the Mayor of Weno;

19 (xxi) Section 9(12)(k) – the allottee of these
20 funds shall be the Secretary of the Department of
21 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure;

22 (xxii) Sections 9(12)(j) – the allottee of these
23 funds shall be the Public Utility Corporations of the
24 respective states;

25 (xxiii) Section 9(12)(q) – the allottee of these

1 funds shall be the [~~President of the Federated States~~
2 ~~of Micronesia]~~ Governor of Yap State;

3 (xxiv) Section 9(12)(r) – the allottee of these
4 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

5 (xxv) Section 8(12)(bb) – the allottee of these
6 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the
7 Federated States of Micronesia;

8 (xxvi) Section 9(12)(v) – the allottee of these
9 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

10 (xxvii) Section 9(12)(w) – the allottee of these
11 funds shall be the Pohnpei Port Authority;

12 (xxviii) Section 9(12)(x) – the allottee of these
13 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Chuuk;

14 (xxviii) Section 9(12)(y) – the allottee of these
15 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Yap.”

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

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20 Date: 1/16/24

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